

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Transfer of FY 2025 Chukut Kuk District Mining Allocation to the
Chukut Kuk District Savings Account)**

RESOLUTION NO. 25-381

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is authorized "to manage any funds**
2 **within the exclusive control of the Tohono O'odham Nation . . . and to appropriate**
3 **these funds for the benefit of the nation and its members" provided that "[a]ll**
4 **expenditures of these funds shall be pursuant to appropriations or budgets"**
5 **authorized by resolution or ordinance (Constitution of the Tohono O'odham**
6 **Nation, Article VI, Section 1(d)(2)); and**

7 **WHEREAS, pursuant to Article IX, Section 7 of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham**
8 **Nation,**

9 **No district council shall expend district funds except pursuant to budgets**
10 **authorized under resolutions of the district council and approved by the**
11 **Tohono O'odham Council. The management of these funds shall be only by**
12 **a treasurer or other authorized officer of the district council who has**
13 **furnished a surety bond satisfactory to the treasurer of the Tohono**
14 **O'odham Nation, and all expenditures of these funds shall be by checks**
15 **signed by such treasurer or other authorized officer and the chairman or**
16 **vice chairman of the district council.**

17 **; and**

18 **WHEREAS, the FY 2025 Apportionment of Mining Royalties to Nation's districts was approved**
19 **by Legislative Council Resolution No. 25-211; and**

20 **WHEREAS, by Chukut Kuk District Council Resolution No. 2025-24, the Chukut Kuk District**
21 **has authorized and submitted for review and approval its request to transfer the**
22 **FY 2025 Chukut Kuk District mining allocation in the amount of \$245,076.35 to the**
23 **Chukut Kuk District savings account.**

24 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it approves**
25 **the transfer of the FY 2025 Chukut Kuk District mining allocation in the amount**
26 **of \$245,076.35 to the Chukut Kuk District savings account, provided that any**
27 **expenditure of these funds shall be subject to a budget authorized by the Chukut**
28 **Kuk District Council and approved by Legislative Council resolution.**

29 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 15TH**
30 **day of OCTOBER 2025 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,321.1 FOR; -0-**
31 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [03] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
32 **Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) and Article IX, Section 7 the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham**
33 **Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting**
34 **Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section**
35 **16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

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Wavalene M. Saunders, vice chairwoman
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

22nd day of *OCTOBER*, 2025

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

22 day of *October*, 2025

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the *22nd* day of *OCTOBER*, 2025 at *4:53* o'clock, *P*.m., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of submittal.

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Wavalene M. Saunders, vice chairwoman
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the *24* day of *October*, 2025

DISAPPROVED

at *7* o'clock, *A*.m.

Verlon M. Jose
VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the *24* day of *October*, 2025, at *8:10* o'clock, *A*.m.

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING TRANSFER OF FY 2025 CHUKUT KUK DISTRICT MINING ALLOCATION TO THE CHUKUT KUK DISTRICT SAVINGS ACCOUNT**MOVED: VICE CHAIRWOMAN MARLAKAY HENRY****SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS****DATE: OCTOBER 15, 2025**

| DISTRICT | LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES | # OF VOTES | FOR | AGAINST | NOT VOTING | ABSENT |
|----------------------|--|----------------|----------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| SIF OIDAK 251.2 | 1. WAVALENE M. SAUNDERS (Mary Lopez) | 125.6 | X | | | |
| | 2. FRANCIS HOMEWYTEWA () | 125.6 | X | | | X |
| SELLS 565.7 | 1. JANET B. ELEANDO () | 282.85 | X | | | |
| | 2. EVELYN JUAN MANUEL (Juan Buendia) | 282.85 | X | | | |
| SCHUK TOAK 195.3 | 1. THEORIA CAMPILLO (Rebecca Ann Valentine) | 97.65 | X | | | |
| | 2. DELISA M. RAMON (Quintin C. Lopez) | 97.65 | X | | | |
| SAN XAVIER 249.8 | 1. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III () | 124.9 | X | | | |
| | 2. JANICE FELIX () | 124.9 | X | | | X |
| SAN LUCY 266.3 | 1. GLORIA M. RAMIREZ (Lorraine M. Eiler) | 133.15 | X | | | |
| | 2. ROGER MANUEL (Christina Andrews) | 133.15 | X | | | |
| PISINEMO 240.3 | 1. PAMELA J. BENAVIDEZ (Nora J. Ruelas) | 120.15 | X | | | |
| | 2. NAOMI MONTE (Edward D. Manuel) | 120.15 | X | | | |
| HICKIWAN 222.9 | 1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Loretta A. Ortega) | 111.45 | X | | | |
| | 2. DELMA M. GARCIA () | 111.45 | X | | | |
| GU VO 279.6 | 1. LESLIE LUNA () | 139.8 | X | | | |
| | 2. BENNETT CHEWING () | 139.8 | X | | | X |
| GU ACHI 289.2 | 1. JEROME F. JOAQUIN (Gloria Johnson) | 144.6 | X | | | |
| | 2. LUCIUS E. LOPEZ (Victoria A. Hobbs) | 144.6 | X | | | |
| CHUKUT KUK 361.9 | 1. MARLAKAY HENRY () | 180.95 | X | | | |
| | 2. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (Cornelius Antone) | 180.95 | X | | | |
| BABOQUIVARI 398.9 | 1. JESSE NAVARRO (Alberta J. Ray) | 199.45 | X | | | |
| | 2. NED NORRIS, JR (Leander Mase) | 199.45 | X | | | |
| TOTAL | | 3,321.1 | 3,321.1 | -0- | -0- | [03] |