

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Enrollment or Adoption Applications for Membership in the
Tohono O'odham Nation for December 2025)**

RESOLUTION NO. 25-428

1 **WHEREAS,** Article VI, Section 1(h) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the
2 Tohono O'odham Legislative Council with the power to "enact laws and
3 ordinances governing the enrollment and adoption of members and the
4 relinquishment and loss of membership"; and

5 **WHEREAS,** in accordance with the Tohono O'odham Nation Enrollment Ordinance,
6 Ordinance No. 05-81 as amended, the Enrollment Committee has reviewed and
7 recommended approval of the enrollment or adoption applications for the
8 individuals identified in the December 2025 Membership Applications List,
9 which is incorporated by this reference; and

10 **WHEREAS,** pursuant to Article VIII, Section 1 (C) (1) and (2) of the Enrollment Ordinance:

11 The final determination to approve or reject an application for membership
12 or adoption shall be recorded in a Council resolution. Each determination shall
13 set forth the following findings of fact:

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15 (1) If an application for adoption is approved, the applicant's date of birth,
16 the degree of Papago-Tohono O'odham Indian Blood ascribed to the
17 applicant, and the Enrollment Committee's recommendation that the
18 application be approved or rejected;

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20 (2) If an application for membership is approved, the applicant's date of
21 birth, the membership requirement which Council determined that the
22 applicant established, and the Enrollment Committee's recommendation
23 that the application be approved or rejected.

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25 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council has reviewed
26 the Enrollment Committee's recommendations and approves the applications
27 for enrollment or adoption that are identified in the December 2025 Membership
28 Applications List which includes the name, date of birth, enrollment number, and
29 membership requirement or, for adoption, the degree of Papago-Tohono
30 O'odham Indian blood for each applicant.
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The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 08TH day of DECEMBER 2025 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,321.1 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Article II, Section 1(a) or (b) and Section 2 and Article VI, Section 1(h) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Wavalene M. Saunders
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

11TH day of December, 2025

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

11 day of December, 2025

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 11TH day of December, 2025 at 4:44 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
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the 11 day of December, 2025

DISAPPROVED

at 5:07 o'clock, P.M.

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VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 12 day of

December, 2025, at 10:28 o'clock, a.m.

Evonne Wilson

Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING ENROLLMENT OR ADOPTION APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION FOR DECEMBER 2025

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN THEORIA CAMPILLO

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN JANET B. ELEANDO

DATE: DECEMBER 08, 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			
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			X
	2. JANICE FELIX ()	124.9	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			
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			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-	[02]