

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY 2026 Planning and Economic Development Department, Roads Program
North Santa Rosa Ranch Road PIR 34(8) Budget Amendment 1 and No Cost Extension)

RESOLUTION NO. 26-009

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, Art. VI, § 1(d)(2)); and

7 **WHEREAS,** the FY 2023 Planning and Economic Development Department Roads Program
8 North Santa Rosa Ranch Road PIR 34(8) Budget in the amount of \$179,806.34,
9 effective through September 30, 2024, was approved by Resolution No. 23-276; and

10 **WHEREAS,** on July 26, 2023 the United States Bureau of Indian Affairs ("BIA") awarded an
11 additional \$100,000.00 to the Nation under Contract A23AV00315 for North Santa
12 Rosa Ranch Road PIR 34(8), thereby increasing the budget from \$179,806.34 to
13 \$279,806.34; and

14 **WHEREAS,** on August 31, 2023 the BIA awarded an additional \$520,193.66 to the Nation and
15 extended the performance period through September 30, 2025, thereby
16 increasing the Budget from \$279,806.34 to \$800,000.00; and

17 **WHEREAS,** on March 25, 2025 the Bureau of Indian Affairs awarded a No Cost Extension to
18 Contract A23AV00315 for North Santa Rosa Ranch Road PIR 34(8) which extended
19 the performance period through September 30, 2027; and

20 **WHEREAS,** the Planning and Economic Development Department, Roads Program has
21 prepared and submitted for review and approval its FY 2026 North Santa Rosa
22 Ranch Road PIR 34(8) Budget Amendment No. 1 and No Cost Extension, which is
23 incorporated by this reference, in the amount of \$800,000.00 to be funded by the
24 Nation's general fund pending reimbursement from the grantor, the United
25 States Bureau of Indian Affairs; and

26 **WHEREAS,** the Agricultural and Natural Resources and Budget and Finance Committees
27 have reviewed the FY 2026 Planning and Economic Development Department,
28 Roads Program North Santa Rosa Ranch Road PIR 34(8) Budget Amendment No. 1
29 and No Cost Extension and recommend its approval.

30 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the
31 FY 2026 Planning and Economic Development Department, Roads Program North
32 Santa Rosa Ranch Road PIR 34(8) Budget Amendment No. 1 and No Cost Extension

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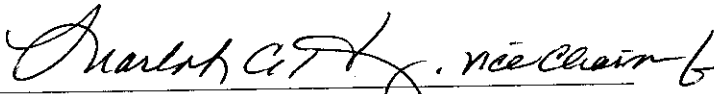
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of performance period through September 30, 2027 in the amount of \$800,000.00, that shall be funded by the Nation's general fund pending reimbursement by the grantor, the U.S. Bureau of Indian Affairs.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the Tohono O'odham Nation chairperson or any designated official is authorized to administer and expend the FY 2026 Planning and Economic Development Department, Roads Program North Santa Rosa Ranch Road PIR 34(8) budget Amendment No. 1 and No Cost Extension, provided that any amendments or modifications shall be submitted for prior approval by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council.

The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 13TH day of JANUARY 2026 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,321.1 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [01] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Article VI, §§ 1(d)(2) and (3) 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, Legislative Chairwoman
16th day of January, 2026

ATTEST:


Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

16 day of January, 2026

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 16th day of January, 2026 at 1:33 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, Legislative Chairwoman

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☒ APPROVED

on the 20 day of January, 2026

☐ DISAPPROVED

at 9:35 o'clock, A.m.

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VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 20th day of
January, 2026, at 10:10 o'clock, A.m.

Evonne Wilson for:
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

**ACTION: APPROVING FY 2026 PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT, ROADS PROGRAM
NORTH SANTA ROSA RANCH ROAD PIR 34(8) BUDGET AMENDMENT 1 AND NO COST EXTENSION**

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN JANET B. ELEANDO

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN THEORIA CAMPILLO

DATE: JANUARY 13, 2026

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF OIDAK 251.2	1. WAVALENE M. SAUNDERS (<i>Absent</i>) (Mary Lopez) (<i>Present</i>) 2. FRANCIS HOMEWYTEWA ()	125.6 125.6	X X			X
SELLS 565.7	1. JANET B. ELEANDO () 2. EVELYN JUAN MANUEL (Juan Buendia)	282.85 282.85	X X			
SCHUK TOAK 195.3	1. THEORIA CAMPILLO (Rebecca Ann Valentine) 2. DELISA M. RAMON (Quintin C. Lopez)	97.65 97.65	X X			
SAN XAVIER 249.8	1. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III () 2. JANICE FELIX ()	124.9 124.9	X X			
SAN LUCY 266.3	1. GLORIA M. RAMIREZ (Lorraine M. Eiler) 2. ROGER MANUEL (Christina Andrews)	133.15 133.15	X X			
PISINEMO 240.3	1. PAMELA J. BENAVIDEZ (Nora J. Ruelas) 2. NAOMI MONTE (Edward D. Manuel)	120.15 120.15	X X			
HICKIWAN 222.9	1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Loretta A. Ortega) 2. DELMA M. GARCIA ()	111.45 111.45	X X			
GU VO 279.6	1. LESLIE LUNA () 2. BENNETT CHEWING ()	139.8 139.8	X X			
GU ACHI 289.2	1. JEROME F. JOAQUIN (Gloria Johnson) 2. LUCIUS E. LOPEZ (Victoria A. Hobbs)	144.6 144.6	X X			
CHUKUT KUK 361.9	1. MARLAKAY HENRY () 2. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (Cornelius Antone)	180.95 180.95	X X			
BABOQUIVARI 398.9	1. JESSE NAVARRO (Alberta J. Ray) 2. NED NORRIS, JR. (Leander Mase)	199.45 199.45	X X			
TOTAL		3,321.1	3,321.1	-0-	-0-	[01]