

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving the Monthly Age 18 Report for January 2026 of Tohono O'odham Eligible
Minor Members and Authorizing Distribution of the Per Capita Payments and
Interest Held in Trust on Their Behalf by Principal Trust Company)

RESOLUTION NO. 26-021

1 **WHEREAS,** the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Tohono O'odham
2 Legislative Council with the power to "manage any funds within the exclusive
3 control of the Tohono O'odham Nation, including proceeds derived from lands
4 and resources of the Tohono O'odham Nation, and to appropriate these funds for
5 the benefit of the nation and its members" (Constitution, Article VI, Section
6 1(d)(2)); and

7 **WHEREAS,** disbursement of the 2020 Non-Gaming Per Capita payment to each eligible minor
8 Tohono O'odham member is contingent upon certification of the member's
9 eligibility and compliance with the Trust Agreement of the Nation for the benefit
10 of minor eligible members, which establishes interest bearing accounts on
11 behalf of the recipient minor eligible members and outlines the administration
12 of and payment from these accounts (Section III.D.1 and III.D.2 of the 2020
13 Tohono O'odham Nation Non-Gaming Per Capita Plan); and

14 **WHEREAS,** the Trust Agreement with Principal Trust Company requires that a listing of all
15 minor beneficiaries turning 18 and identified in the Monthly Age 18 Report for
16 January 2026 be presented to the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council to obtain
17 approval to distribute the trust funds to eligible minor members as they are no
18 longer restricted beneficiaries; and

19 **WHEREAS,** the Enrollment Office has determined that the minors identified on the Monthly
20 Age 18 Report for January 2026 reached, or will reach the age of 18 during the
21 month of January 2026, and are no longer restricted from receiving their per
22 capita payments; and

23 **WHEREAS,** the Enrollment Office has verified that the beneficiaries on the Monthly Age 18
24 Report for January 2026 are also listed on the applicable master minor listing
25 approved by Legislative Council resolution.

26 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the
27 Monthly Age 18 Report for January 2026 and authorizes Principal Trust Company
28 to commence payment to the non-restricted beneficiaries listed on the Monthly
29 Age 18 Report for January 2026, subject to the additional requirements of the
30 Trust Agreement and written confirmation of the beneficiary's current mailing
31 address and other information.

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The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 14TH 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 [03] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) 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

14 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 1:35 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

☒ APPROVED

☐ DISAPPROVED

on the 20 day of January, 2026

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



VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
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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 THE MONTHLY AGE 18 REPORT FOR JANUARY 2026 OF TOHONO O'ODHAM ELIGIBLE MINOR MEMBERS AND AUTHORIZING DISTRIBUTION OF THE PER CAPITA PAYMENTS AND INTEREST HELD IN TRUST ON THEIR BEHALF BY PRINCIPAL TRUST COMPANY

Moved: COUNCILWOMAN THEORIA CAMPILLO

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN JANET B. ELEANDO

DATE: JANUARY 14, 2026

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF OIDA 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. Eller) 2. ROGER MANUEL (Christina Andrews)	133.15 133.15	X X			
PISINEMO 240.3	1. PAMELA J. BENAVIDEZ <i>(Absent)</i> (Nora J. Ruelas) <i>(Present)</i> 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			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. MARIKAY HENRY () 2. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS <i>(Absent)</i> (Cornelius Antone) <i>(Present)</i>	180.95 180.95	X X			
BABOQUIVARI 398.9	1. JESSE NAVARRO <i>(Absent)</i> (Alberta J. Ray) <i>(Present)</i> 2. NED NORRIS, JR. (Leander Mase)	199.45 199.45	X X			X
TOTAL		3,321.1	3,321.1	-0-	-0-	[03]