

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approval of the City of Tucson High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA)
Program Grant Agreement and the FY 2027 City of Tucson High Intensity
Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA) Budget)**

RESOLUTION NO. 26-087

1 **WHEREAS,** the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is vested with the power to "consult,
2 negotiate and conclude agreements . . . on behalf of the Tohono O'odham Nation
3 with . . . local governments . . . on all matters within the authority of the Tohono
4 O'odham Council"; "exercise the inherent powers of the Tohono O'odham Nation
5 by providing . . . resolutions to promote, protect and provide for public health,
6 peace, morals, education and general welfare of the Tohono O'odham Nation and
7 its members"; "manage any funds within the exclusive control of the Tohono
8 O'odham Nation . . . and to appropriate these funds for the benefit of the nation
9 and its members" provided that "[a]ll expenditures of these funds shall be
10 pursuant to appropriations or budgets" authorized by resolution or ordinance;
11 and "adopt, approve and amend annual budgets and to authorize the
12 expenditure of funds in accordance with these budgets" (Constitution of the
13 Tohono O'odham Nation, Article VI, Section I(c)(2), (d)(2) and (3), and (f); and
14 **WHEREAS,** the Tohono O'odham Department of Public Safety Police Department was
15 awarded the City of Tucson High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA) Program
16 grant, Award No. G25SA0007A, Grant No. HT-25-2966, the funds of which will be
17 used for the Native American Targeted Investigations of Violent Enterprises Task
18 Force (NATIVE TF); and
19 **WHEREAS,** the Tohono O'odham Nation Department of Public Safety Police Department
20 desires to enter into the City of Tucson HIDTA Program Grant Agreement for the
21 grant period of January 1, 2025 through December 31, 2026; and
22 **WHEREAS,** the Tohono O'odham Department of Public Safety Police Department has
23 prepared and submitted for review and approval its FY 2027 City of Tucson HIDTA
24 Budget, in the amount of \$17,000 to be funded by the Tohono O'odham Nation's
25 general fund and reimbursed by the City of Tucson HIDTA Program grant, Award
26 No. G25SA0007A, Grant No. HT-25-2966; and
27 **WHEREAS,** the Domestic Affairs and Budget and Finance Committees have reviewed the City
28 of Tucson HIDTA Program Grant Agreement and the FY 2027 City of Tucson HIDTA
29 Budget and recommend their approval.

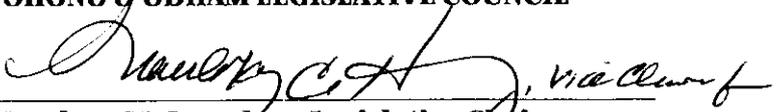
30 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves:
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Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 11th day of March, 2026 at 11:29 o'clock, A.m., 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

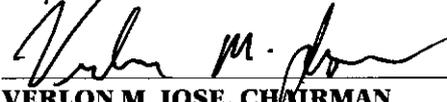

Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the 11 day of March, 2026

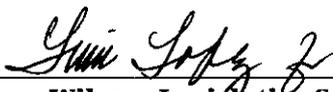
DISAPPROVED

at 4:51 o'clock, P.m.


VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 11 day of

March, 2026, at 4:51 o'clock, P.m.


Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVAL OF THE CITY OF TUCSON HIGH INTENSITY DRUG TRAFFICKING AREA (HIDTA) PROGRAM GRANT AGREEMENT AND THE FY 2027 CITY OF TUCSON HIGH INTENSITY DRUG TRAFFICKING AREA (HIDTA) BUDGET

MOVED: COUNCILMAN BENNETT CHEWING

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN EVELYN JUAN MANUEL

DATE: MARCH 04, 2026

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 (<i>Absent</i>) (Rebecca Ann Valentine) (<i>Present</i>)	97.65	X			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. GLORIA JOHNSON ()	144.6	X			
	2. LUCIUS E. LOPEZ (<i>Absent</i>) (Victoria A. Hobbs) (<i>Absent</i>)	144.6	X			
CHUKUT KUK 361.9	1. MARLAKAY HENRY ()	180.95	X			
	2. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (<i>Absent</i>) (Cornelius Antone) (<i>Absent</i>)	180.95	X			X
BABOQUIVARI 398.9	1. JESSE NAVARRO ()	199.45	X			
	2. NED NORRIS, JR. (Leander Mase)	199.45	X			
TOTAL		3,321.1	3,321.1	-0-	-0-	[03]