

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY 2026 Baboquivari District Artesia/Little Tucson Community
Budget Amendment No. 1)**

RESOLUTION NO. 26-113

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

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

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13 **; and**

14 **WHEREAS,** the FY 2026 Baboquivari District Budget in the amount of \$5,373,205.73 was
15 authorized by Baboquivari District Council Resolution No. 2025-B-79 and
16 approved by Legislative Council Resolution No. 25-339, and subsequently
17 amended by Legislative Council Resolution No. 25-424 in the amount of
18 \$5,451,425.35; and

19 **WHEREAS,** by Baboquivari District Council Resolution No. 2026-B-13, the Baboquivari
20 District has authorized and submitted for review and approval its FY 2026
21 Baboquivari District Artesia/Little Tucson Community Budget Amendment No. 1,
22 which is incorporated by this reference and which will adjust operational and/or
23 personnel line items; and

24 **WHEREAS,** the FY 2026 Baboquivari District Artesia/Little Tucson Community Budget
25 Amendment No. 1 will not change the FY 2026 Baboquivari District Artesia/Little
26 Tucson Community Budget amount of \$533,820.57; and

27 **WHEREAS,** the Budget and Finance Committee has reviewed the FY 2026 Baboquivari District
28 Artesia/Little Tucson Community Budget Amendment No. 1 and recommends its
29 approval.

30 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the
31 **FY 2026 Baboquivari District Artesia/Little Tucson Community Budget**
32 **Amendment No. 1 effective October 1, 2025, which will not change the FY 2026**

Baboquivari District Artesia/Little Tucson Community Budget amount of \$533,820.57, nor will it affect the overall FY 2026 Baboquivari District Budget amount of \$5,451,425.35.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the FY 2026 Baboquivari District Artesia/Little Tucson Community Budget as amended shall be managed and expended in accordance with Article IX, Section 7 of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation and the Nation's laws, provided that any amendments or modifications shall be authorized under District Council resolution and 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 08TH day of APRIL 2026 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 IX, Section 7 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

15 day of April, 2026

ATTEST:


Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

14 day of April, 2026

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 15 day of April, 2026 at 9:40 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

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APPROVED

on the 15 day of April, 2026

DISAPPROVED

at 8:44 o'clock, P. .m.



**VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION**

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 16 day of

April, 2026, at 8:39 o'clock, A .m.



Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING FY 2026 BABOQUIVARI DISTRICT ARTESIA/LITTLE TUCSON COMMUNITY BUDGET AMENDMENT NO. 1

Moved: COUNCILMAN JESSE NAVARRO

SECOND: COUNCILMAN NED NORRIS, JR.

DATE: APRIL 08, 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			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			
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 (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 ()	199.45	X			
	2. NED NORRIS, JR. (Leander Mase)	199.45	X			
TOTAL		3,321.1	3,321.1	-0-	-0-	[02]