

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Recognition of Relinquishment from membership in the
Tohono O'odham Nation for the month of APRIL 2026)**

RESOLUTION NO. 26-128

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's Enrollment Ordinance,**
6 **Ordinance No. 05-81 as amended the Enrollment Committee has received written**
7 **statements from 04 tribal members whom have expressed their intent to**
8 **relinquish their membership with the Tohono O'odham Nation and the members**
9 **are identified in the April 2026 Relinquishment List, which is incorporated by this**
10 **reference; and**

11 **WHEREAS, pursuant to Article IX Section 1 of the Enrollment Ordinance,**
12 **~~A member of the Nation may relinquish his membership in the~~**
13 **~~Nation by submitting a written statement clearly expressing an~~**
14 **~~intent to relinquish his membership to the Council, a copy of~~**
15 **~~which must be served on the committee. The written statement~~**
16 **~~must be signed by the person wishing to relinquish his membership~~**
17 **~~or, if a minor or incompetent, by the parent(s), guardian or other~~**
18 **~~person legally authorized to act on his behalf. Relinquishment~~**
19 **~~does not require the approval of the Council, but is effective upon~~**
20 **~~receipt of the statement by the Council and cannot be subsequently~~**
21 **~~denied. Upon recognition by the Council that the individual has~~**
22 **~~renounced his membership, his name shall be deleted from the~~**
23 **~~membership roll.~~**

24 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council hereby**
25 **recognizes that the four individuals identified in the April 2026 Relinquishment**
26 **List have relinquished their membership in the Tohono O'odham Nation and**
27 **orders the removal of their name from the Nation's membership roll.**

28 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 09TH**
29 **day of APRIL 2026 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,321.1 FOR; -0-**
30 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [01] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
31 **Article VI, Section 1(h) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the**
32 **Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
33 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
34 **18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

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Wavalene M. Saunders

Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

16 day of April, 2026

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson

Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

16 day of April, 2026

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 16 day of April, 2026 at 11:55 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

Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the 17 day of April, 2026

DISAPPROVED

at 7 o'clock, A.m.

Verlon M. Jose

VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 17 day of

April, 2026, at 8:22 o'clock, A.m.

Evonne Wilson

Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: RECOGNITION OF RELINQUISHMENT FROM MEMBERSHIP IN THE TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2026**Moved: COUNCILWOMAN THEORIA CAMPILLO****SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN JANET B. ELEANDO****DATE: APRIL 09, 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			
	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-	[01]