

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving August 2026 District Allocation and Apportionment of Gaming
Revenues to Districts by Equal Distribution)**

RESOLUTION NO. 26-230

1 **WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Tohono O'odham**
2 **Legislative Council with legislative and fiscal powers, including the power "to**
3 **manage any funds within the exclusive control of the Tohono O'odham Nation,**
4 **including proceeds derived from lands and resources of the Tohono O'odham**
5 **Nation" (Constitution, Article VI, Section 1(d)(2)); and**

6 **WHEREAS, by 26 Tohono O'odham Code Chapter 1, §1301, the Legislative Council has**
7 **adopted a formula for distributing the Nation's gaming revenues ("Formula"),**
8 **which includes an allocation to the Nation's districts ("District Allocation"); and**

9 **WHEREAS, 26 Tohono O'odham Code Chapter 1, §1304 provides that on August 1 each year**
10 **the District Allocation for each district shall be apportioned in accordance with**
11 **the allocation formula established by the Legislative Council; and**

12 **WHEREAS, 26 Tohono O'odham Code Chapter 1, §§ 1301(B)(ii)(a) and (b) of the Formula**
13 **provide that "Fifteen percent (15%) of the District Allocation shall be allocated to**
14 **the District where the Gaming Facility which generated such revenue is located"**
15 **(the "Host District Share"); and**

16 **WHEREAS, 26 Tohono O'odham Code Chapter 1, §1304 provides that the remainder of the**
17 **District Allocation be divided among all districts in accordance with the**
18 **allocation formula established by the Legislative Council; and**

19 **WHEREAS, the Budget and Finance Committee has discussed three options for dividing the**
20 **remainder of the August 2026 District Allocation: (1) by equal distribution, (2) by**
21 **population distribution, or (3) by 50/50 distribution (1/2 equal and 1/2**
22 **population); and**

23 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation Office of the Treasurer has calculated the August**
24 **2026 District Allocation in accordance with the August 2026 District Gaming**
25 **Allocation Table, which is incorporated by this reference.**

26 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it**
27 **approves the allocation of the August 2026 Host District Share and the**
28 **remainder of the August 2026 District Allocation among the 11 Districts of the**
29 **Nation by equal distribution effective August 1, 2026 in accordance with the**
30 **August 2026 District Gaming Allocation Table.**
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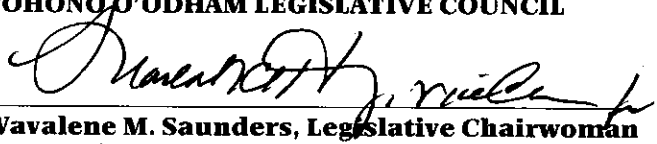
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BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that all August 2026 District Allocation funds, including the Host District Share, shall be made available for expenditure subject to budgets approved in accordance with Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) and Article IX, Section 7 of the Nation's Constitution, and the additional requirements of Tohono O'odham Code Title 26, Chapter 1, Article 3.

The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 27TH day of JULY 2026 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,994.6 FOR; 1,326.5 AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [01] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Article VI, Section 1 (d)(2) 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

29TH day of July, 2026

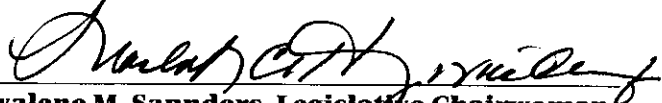
ATTEST:


Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

29 day of July, 2026

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 29TH day of July, 2026 at 4:55 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.

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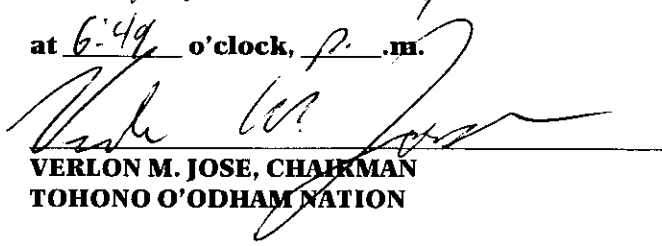
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☒ APPROVED

on the 29 day of July, 2026

☐ DISAPPROVED

at 6:49 o'clock, P..m.


VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 30 day of

July, 2026, at 8:10 o'clock, A.m.


Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING AUGUST 2026 DISTRICT ALLOCATION AND APPORTIONMENT OF GAMING REVENUES TO DISTRICTS BY EQUAL DISTRIBUTION**MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN PAMELA J. BENAVIDEZ****SECOND: COUNCILMAN ROGER MANUEL****DATE: JULY 27, 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 (Dionne Kuth-Le)	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			
GUACHI 289.2	1. GLORIA JOHNSON (Rodney Aguilla) 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 () 2. NED NORRIS, JR. (Leander Mase)	199.45 199.45		X X		
TOTAL		3,321.1	1,994.6	1,326.5	-0-	[01]