

LEGISLATIVE ORDER OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Affirming August 5, 2026 Virtual General Session)

LEGISLATIVE ORDER NO. 26-245

1 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Council is vested with the power to "establish rules and
2 procedures to regulate all meetings of the Tohono O'odham Council, standing
3 committees, boards and special committees" (Constitution of the Tohono
4 O'odham Nation, Article VI, Section 1(a)); and

5 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Rules of the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council ("Legislative
6 Rules") vest the Legislative Council chairperson with the authority to "direct that
7 a Council session be conducted virtually" (Legislative Rules, Article I, Section
8 (H)); and

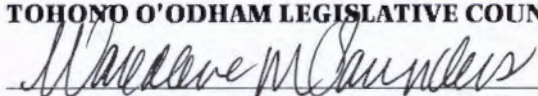
9 **WHEREAS,** the Council received a weather advisory on August 4, 2026 warning of severe
10 weather on August 5, 2026 and decided by consensus that the August 5, 2026
11 would be held virtually; and

12 **WHEREAS,** Chairwoman Saunders and Vice Chairwoman Henry recommend affirming the
13 Council consensus to hold a virtual general session on August 5, 2026.

14 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED** by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it affirms
15 holding a virtual general session on August 5, 2026.

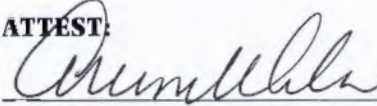
16 The foregoing Order was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 04TH day of
17 AUGUST, 2026 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,321.1 FOR;
18 -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and -0- ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by
19 Article VI, Section 1(a) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the
20 Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant
21 Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of
22 June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL


Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

11 day of August, 2026

34 **ATTEST:**

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37 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

38 10 day of August, 2026
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ACTION: AFFIRMING AUGUST 5, 2026 VIRTUAL GENERAL SESSION

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN THEORIA CAMPILLO

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN GLORIA M. RAMIREZ

DATE: AUGUST 04, 2026

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF OIDAK 251.2	1. WAVALENE M. SAUNDERS (Mary Lopez) 2. FRANCIS HOMEWYTEWA (Dionne Kuth-Le)	125.6 125.6	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 (<i>Absent</i>) (Christina Andrews) (<i>Present</i>)	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			
GU ACHI 289.2	1. GLORIA JOHNSON (Rodney T. Aquilla) 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	3,321.1	-0-	-0-	-0-