

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(Approving FY 2027 Gu Achi District Budget)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 26-301**

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

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

**; and**

**WHEREAS, by Gu Achi District Council Resolution No. 0626-088, the Gu Achi District has authorized the FY 2027 Gu Achi District Budget, which is incorporated by this reference, in the amount of \$5,373,205.73; and**

**WHEREAS, the Budget and Finance Committee has reviewed the FY 2027 Gu Achi District Budget and recommends approval.**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the FY 2027 Gu Achi District Budget in the amount of \$5,373,205.73 effective October 1, 2026, which shall be funded by:**

- 1. Gu Achi District's August 2026 District Allocation in the amount of \$5,095,701.40; and**
- 2. Gu Achi District's First American Credit Union District Savings Account in the amount of \$277,504.33.**

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the FY 2027 Gu Achi District Budget 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 11<sup>TH</sup> day of SEPTEMBER 2026 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,321.1 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and -0- ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council 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).

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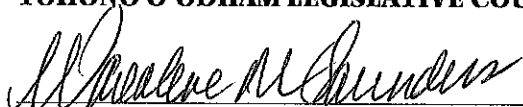
  
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman  
24 day of September, 2026

ATTEST:

  
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary  
23 day of September, 2026

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 24 day of September, 2026 at 9:35 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.

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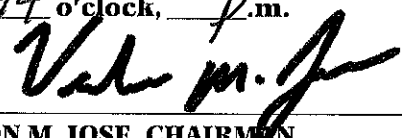
  
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

☒ APPROVED

on the 24 day of September, 2026

☐ DISAPPROVED

at 1:44 o'clock, p.m.

  
VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN  
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 24 day of  
September, 2026, at 3:17 o'clock, P.m.



Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING FY 2027 GU ACHI DISTRICT BUDGET

MOVED: COUNCILMAN LUCIUS E. LOPEZ

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN GLORIA JOHNSON

DATE: SEPTEMBER 11, 2026

| DISTRICT             | LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES                                                                | # OF VOTES       | FOR     | AGAINST | NOT VOTING | ABSENT |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|---------|---------|------------|--------|
| SIF OIDAK<br>251.2   | 1. WAVALENE M. SAUNDERS<br>(Mary Lopez)<br>2. FRANCIS HOMEWYTEWA<br>(Dionne Kuth-Le)       | 125.6<br>125.6   | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| SELLS<br>565.7       | 1. JANET B. ELEANDO<br>( )<br>2. EVELYN JUAN MANUEL<br>(Juan Buendia)                      | 282.85<br>282.85 | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| SCHUK TOAK<br>195.3  | 1. THEORIA CAMPILLO<br>(Rebecca Ann Valentine)<br>2. DELISA M. RAMON<br>(Quintin C. Lopez) | 97.65<br>97.65   | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| SAN XAVIER<br>249.8  | 1. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III<br>( )<br>2. JANICE FELIX<br>( )                                | 124.9<br>124.9   | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| SAN LUCY<br>266.3    | 1. GLORIA M. RAMIREZ<br>(Lorraine M. Eiler)<br>2. ROGER MANUEL<br>(Christina Andrews)      | 133.15<br>133.15 | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| PISINEMO<br>240.3    | 1. PAMELA J. BENAVIDEZ<br>(Nora J. Ruelas)<br>2. NAOMI MONTE<br>(Edward D. Manuel)         | 120.15<br>120.15 | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| HICKIWAN<br>222.9    | 1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ<br>(Loretta A. Ortega)<br>2. DELMA M. GARCIA<br>( )                      | 111.45<br>111.45 | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| GU VO<br>279.6       | 1. LESLIE LUNA<br>( )<br>2. BENNETT CHEWING<br>( )                                         | 139.8<br>139.8   | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| GU ACHI<br>289.2     | 1. GLORIA JOHNSON<br>(Rodney T. Aguilla)<br>2. LUCIUS E. LOPEZ<br>(Victoria A. Hobbs)      | 144.6<br>144.6   | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| CHUKUT KUK<br>361.9  | 1. MARLAKAY HENRY<br>( )<br>2. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS<br>(Cornelius Antone)                  | 180.95<br>180.95 | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| BABOQUIVARI<br>398.9 | 1. JESSE NAVARRO<br>( )<br>2. NED NORRIS, JR.<br>(Leander Mase)                            | 199.45<br>199.45 | X<br>X  |         |            |        |
| TOTAL                |                                                                                            | 3,321.1          | 3,321.1 | -0-     | -0-        | -0-    |