

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

RESOLUTION NO. 26-304

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article IX, Section 5, 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-Vo District Council Resolution No. GV-26-076, the Gu-Vo District has authorized the FY 2027 Gu-Vo District Budget, which is incorporated by this reference, in the amount of \$5,095,701.40; and

WHEREAS, the Budget and Finance Committee has reviewed the FY 2027 Gu-Vo District Budget and recommends its approval.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the FY 2027 Gu-Vo District Budget effective October 1, 2026, in the amount of \$5,095,701.40, which shall be funded by the August 2026 District Gaming Allocation.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the FY 2027 Gu-Vo 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 11TH 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 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
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

24 day of September, 2026

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson
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 9:40 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
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

☒ APPROVED

on the 24 day of September, 2026

☐ DISAPPROVED

at 2:07 o'clock, p.m.

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VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING FY 2027 GU-VO DISTRICT BUDGET

MOVED: COUNCILMAN BENNETT CHEWING

SECOND: COUNCILMAN LESLIE LUNA

DATE: SEPTEMBER 11, 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 (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			
GU ACHI 289.2	1. GLORIA JOHNSON (Rodney T. 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	3,321.1	-0-	-0-	-0-