

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY 2026 Planning and Economic Development Department Roads Program
Cowlic Road PIR 31(1) Budget Amendment No. 5 and Accepting No Cost Extension)

RESOLUTION NO. 26-318

1 **WHEREAS,** the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is authorized "to manage any funds
2 within the exclusive control of the Tohono O'odham Nation . . . and to
3 appropriate these funds for the benefit of the nation and its members" provided
4 that "[a]ll expenditures of these funds shall be pursuant to appropriations or
5 budgets" authorized by resolution or ordinance (Constitution of the Tohono
6 O'odham Nation, Article VI, Section 1(d)(2)); and

7 **WHEREAS,** the FY 2022 Planning and Economic Development Department Roads Program
8 Cowlic Road Project Budget ("Project") was approved by Resolution No. 21-328;
9 and

10 **WHEREAS,** the FY 2023 Planning and Economic Development Department Roads Program
11 Cowlic Road Project Budget Amendment No. 1 was approved by Resolution No.
12 22-422, Amendment No. 2 was approved by Resolution No. 23-059, and
13 Amendment No. 3 was approved by Resolution No. 23-403, which increased the
14 budget to \$12,979,353.02; and

15 **WHEREAS,** the FY 2026 Planning and Economic Development Department Roads Program
16 Cowlic Road PIR 31(1) Budget Amendment No. 4 and acceptance of No Cost
17 Extension was approved by Resolution 26-139; and

18 **WHEREAS,** the Planning and Economic Development Department Roads Program has
19 received a no cost extension notice from the Bureau of Indian Affairs via
20 Modification 13 to extend the FY 2026 Cowlic Road PIR 31(1) budget period of
21 performance to September 30, 2026; and

22 **WHEREAS,** the Planning and Economic Development Department Roads Program has
23 prepared and submitted for review and approval its FY 2026 Cowlic Road PIR
24 31(1) Budget Amendment No. 5, which is incorporated by this reference and
25 which will extend the period of performance to September 30, 2026; and

26 **WHEREAS,** the Agricultural and Natural Resources and Budget and Finance Committees
27 have reviewed the no cost extension and the FY 2026 Planning and Economic
28 Development Department Roads Program Cowlic Road PIR 31(1) Budget
29 Amendment No. 5 and recommend its approval.

30 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council authorizes
31 acceptance of the no cost extension and approves the FY 2026 Planning and
32 Economic Development Department Roads Program Cowlic Road PIR 31(1)

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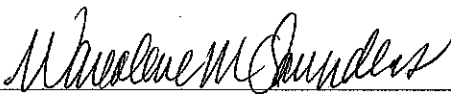
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Budget Amendment No. 5 in the amount of \$12,979,353.02 that shall be funded by the Nation's general fund pending reimbursement from the grantor, the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the Tohono O'odham Nation chairperson or any designated official is authorized to accept the no cost extension and administer and expend the FY 2026 Planning and Economic Development Department Roads Program Cowlic Road PIR 31(1) Budget Amendment No. 5 as amended, provided that any amendments or modifications shall be 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 17th 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 **[03] ABSENT**, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) and (3) 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

23 day of September, 2026

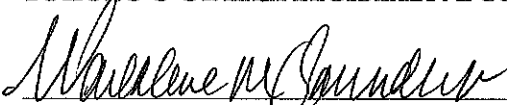
ATTEST:


Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

22 day of September, 2026

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 23 day of September, 2026 at 10:40 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, Legislative Chairwoman

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☒ **APPROVED**

on the 24 day of September, 2026

☐ **DISAPPROVED**

at 2:37 o'clock, P.m.


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.


Eynne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

**ACTION: APPROVING FY 2026 PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT ROADS PROGRAM
COWLIC ROAD PIR 31(1) BUDGET AMENDMENT NO. 5 AND ACCEPTING NO COST EXTENSION**

MOVED: COUNCILMAN ROGER MANUEL

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN JANET B. ELEANDO

DATE: SEPTEMBER 17, 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 (<i>Absent</i>) (Nora J. Ruelas) (<i>Present</i>) 2. NAOMI MONTE (Edward D. Manuel)	120.15 120.15	X 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 (<i>Absent</i>) (Victoria A. Hobbs) (<i>Present</i>)	144.6 144.6	X X			X
CHUKUT KUK 361.9	1. MARLAKAY HENRY () 2. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (Cornelius Antone)	180.95 180.95	X X			X
	1. JESSE NAVARRO () 2. NED NORRIS, JR. (Leander Mase)	199.45 199.45	X X			
TOTAL		3,321.1	3,321.1	-0-	-0-	[03]