

RESOLUTION
OF
THE PAPAGO COUNCIL

Whereas, the El Paso Natural Gas Company has applied for a Natural Gas pipeline right-of-way across the Sif-Oidak and Hickwan District of the Papago Reservation; and

Whereas, the said pipeline has been installed and the map of definite location of said line shows that it traverses the Papago Reservation for a total distance of 52.7 miles; and

Whereas, the Superintendent of Sells Agency has appointed a board of Appraisers consisting of L.C. Gillette, Road Engineer; L.E. Holloway, Extension Agent; Paul A. Buss, Jr. Range Examiner; Peter Blaine, Range Guard; Henry Manuel and Stanley Juan, Delegates from the Sif-Oidak District to the Papago Council; and Esmilio Lewis and Valentine Montana, Delegates from the Hickiwan District to the Papago Council, to appraise the damages to Papago Reservation lands incidental to installation of said pipeline; and

Whereas, the said Board of Appraisers has submitted a unanimous report fixing damages to tribal lands at the rate of 30¢ per rod, or a total sum of \$5,059.20.

Now, therefore, Be It Resolved by the Papago Council, that we hereby accept the report of the Board Appraisers, and recommend to the Secretary of the Interior that he collect damages from the El Paso Natural Gas Company in the total amount of \$5059.20 for damages to tribal lands, and that when said sum shall have been collected for the credit of the tribe, a right-of-way in the nature of an easement be granted the El Paso Natural Gas Company covering the tribal land included in the map of definite location filed with the application of said company.

Passed at Sells, Arizona this 3rd day of April, 1937.

Attest: Ida Worms

Approved 4/3/37 (sgd) T.E. Hall

(sgd) Jose Ignacio

1. Baboquivari	\$2.00	7. Pisinamo	\$3.00
2. Chukot-Kak	2.00	8. San Xavier	3.50
3. Gila Bend	5.00	9. S'chuk-Toak	2.50
4. Gue Achi de Santa rosa	2.50	10. Sells	1.00
5. Gue-Va	4.00	11. Sif-Cidak	4.00
6. Mickivan	<u>3.50</u>		<u>14.00</u>
	19.00		

be It Further Resolved, that we request the Commissioner of Indian Affairs to cause the sum of \$1200.00 to be made available for the foregoing purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1938, said sum to be appropriated by Congress from the fund "Proceeds of Papago Indian reservation, Arizona, Rentals, etc." if practicable; in the event, however, it is impracticable to obtain an appropriation by Congress, it is respectfully requested that said sum be made available from the fund "I.I.M., Sect. No. P-84, Contributed fund, Papago Tribe."

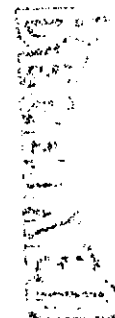
Passed at Sells, Arizona this third day of April,
1937.

Jose Ignacio
Jose Ignacio, Chairman

Attest:

Ida Morris
Ida Morris, Secretary

APPROVED: April 8, 1937
T.B. Hall
T.B. Hall, Superintendent



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