

RESOLUTION OF THE PAPAGO TRIBAL COUNCIL
Intent to Contract Indian Child Welfare Services

RES. NO. 155-82

- 1 WHEREAS, the Papago Tribe recognizes that it has a constitutional obliga-
2 tion to provide for the public welfare by establishing services
3 for its members; and
- 4 WHEREAS, the Papago Tribe has established a Children's Court system to
5 specifically address the needs of its children and to provide
6 for their welfare; and
- 7 WHEREAS, the Children's Court has pursuant to its jurisdictional powers
8 provided for the placement of Papago and other Native American
9 children in foster care, adoptive and residential treatment
10 facilities in accordance with findings of the Court regarding
11 a child in need of care proceeding; and
- 12 WHEREAS, the majority of placement orders are effected and carried out by
13 the Bureau of Indian Affairs Social Services; through the Child
14 Welfare Services Program; and
- 15 WHEREAS, the Papago Tribe is desirous of assuming complete control of Child
16 Welfare Services Program to better enhance and initiate placements
17 in accordance with the priorities established by the Papago Tribe
18 for placements; and
- 19 WHEREAS, the Papago Tribe, through the Papago Children's Court has developed
20 foster care and licensing standards which will promote the
21 essential and integral part of the Papago community into the
22 philosophy of the standards and require culturally relevant
23 programs and child welfare services which are sensitive to the
24 needs of Papago and other Native American children; and
- 25 WHEREAS, Public Law 93-638, Indian Self-Determination and Education Assist-
26 ance Act of 1975, authorizes Tribes to enter into Contracts to
27 assume responsibility over a program being operated by the
28 Bureau of Indian Affairs; and
- 29 WHEREAS, the Papago Tribe is ready to assume responsibility over the welfare
30 of its children by contracting for the Bureau of Indian Affairs
31 Child Welfare Services Program.
- 32 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Papago Tribe of Arizona, pursuant to

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the provisions of (P. L. 93-638) Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act, intends to contract for the Child Welfare Services Program currently being administered by the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Social Services Branch.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the duration of the Contract will be from October 1, 1983 to September 30, 1984.

The foregoing Resolution was duly enacted by the Papago Council on the 1st day of December, 1982, at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1086.5 for; 0 against; 61.5 not voting; and 1 absent, pursuant to the authority vested in the Papago Council by Section 2 (a) and (d) of Article V of the Constitution and By-laws of the Papago Tribe of Arizona as amended, ratified by the Papago Tribe on December 12, 1936, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on January 6, 1937, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984). Said Resolution is not subject to review by the Secretary of the Interior and is effective as of the date of its enactment by the Papago Council.

THE PAPAGO COUNCIL

Max H. Norris

Max H. Norris, Chairman

ATTEST:

Ida L. Jessie

Rose Johnson, Secretary

for



Moved: Delma Garcia

RESOLUTION- Intent to contract Indian
Child Welfare Services

Second: Rosemary Lopez

Resolution
or
Ordinance # 155-82

Date: 12/01/82

Districts	Representatives	No of Votes	For	Against	Not Voting	Absent
BABOQUIVARI 175	1. Edward N. Kisto (Joann Garcia) 2. Kenneth Chico, Sr. (Donald Harvey)	87.5 87.5	X X			
CHUKUT KUK 117	1. Rosemary Lopez (2. Harriet Toro (Lawrence Jose)	58.5 58.5	X X			
GU ACHI 123	1. Angelo J. Joaquin, Sr. (Joseph Pete Ramon) 2. Cipriano Manuel (Fernando Joaquin)	61.5 61.5	X		X	
GU VO 54	1. Cross Antone (Juan Joe Cipriano) 2. Alvin Virgil Lewis (Henry F. Manuel)	27.0 27.0	X X			
HICKIWAN 79	1. Henry A. Ramon (James Angea) 2. Delma Garcia (Archie Pilone)	39.5 39.5	X X			
PISINEMO 82	1. Lamando Francisco (Herman Lopez) 2. Johnson Jose (Frank Garcia)	41.0 41.0	X X			
SAN LUCY 44	1. Max P. Jose (Garfield Lenzo) 2. Albert Gomez (Jeannie Morris)	22.0 22.0	X X			
SAN XAVIER 107	1. John B. Narcho (Simon Mamake) 2. John Lewis (Carmelita Mattias)	53.5 53.5	X X			X
SCHUK TOAK 83	1. Alexis Juan (Francisco Jose, Jr.) 2. Jo Ann Francisco (Priscilla G. Domingo)	41.5 41.5	X X			
SELLS 168	1. Andrew M. Patricia (Larry Garcia) 2. Fred Stevens (Dennis Jose)	84.0 84.0	X X			
SIF OIDAK 116	1. Elliot Lewis (Eugene Jose) 2. Nicklos Jose (Alice Norris)	58.0 58.0	X X			
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