

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Continued Support for Santa Rosa Ranch School
Facility Improvement and Repair; Strongly oppose
any delays in construction)

RES. NO. 251-B-88

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2 WHEREAS, the enrollment at the Santa Rosa Ranch School, Tohono
3 O'Odham Nation, has increased considerably in recent
4 years (sixteen in 1981 to one hundred and twenty two in
5 1988) because of program expansions which include
6 special education programs and two additional grades
7 (7th & 8th grades); and

8 WHEREAS, the present education facility at the Santa Rosa Ranch
9 School, Tohono O'Odham Nation, cannot adequately
10 accommodate the increased number of students thus
11 creating a crowded environment that is less than
12 acceptable; and

13 WHEREAS, the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Papago Agency Education
14 Office, did submit to the BIA, Phoenix Area Office,
15 Division of Facilities Repairs and Improvement (FR & I)
16 an application for the construction of additional
17 classrooms, kitchen expansion, office expansion, multi-
18 purpose/media center and homeliving facilities; and

19 WHEREAS, a Bureau of Indian Affairs inspection determined the
20 residential facilities to be inadequate and the approval
21 of the continued use of the facility is based on pending
22 new construction and the Bureau of Indian Affairs did
23 direct facility repairs in the interim; and

24 WHEREAS, without official written notification, the Office of
25 Construction Management and Facility Management are
26 attempting to delay and eliminate certain portions of
27 the project; and

28 WHEREAS, the Tohono O'Odham Nation through the enactment of
29 Resolution No. 194-85, attached, fully supported the
30 efforts of involved parties to provide adequate
31 facilities for its members attending Santa Rosa Ranch
32 School and will not accept any delays in construction.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'Odham
2 Legislative Council does direct the Department of
3 Interior, Office of Construction Management, BIA
4 Facilities Engineering, Branch of Facilities Repair and
5 Improvement to fund and take the required action
6 necessary to provide the facilities requested for in the
7 application submitted for Santa Rosa Ranch School
8 expansion.

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10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Office of Construction Management
11 and BIA Facilities Engineering, Branch of Facilities
12 Repair and Improvement schedule a date during calendar
13 1988 to begin construction.

14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED if a date to begin construction cannot be
15 set, the Office of Construction Management and BIA
16 Facilities Engineering, will notify in writing the
17 Tohono O'Odham Nation and all concerned parties as to
18 the reason a beginning construction date cannot be set.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Nation's Officials, Attorney and
20 Lobbyist and other appropriate staff do whatever is
21 necessary to ensure the completion of the project.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tohono O'Odham Nation hereby
23 seeks the assistance of the National Congress of
24 American Indians to support the Santa Rosa Ranch School
25 Facility Improvement and Repair.

26 The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Council
27 on the 12th day of September, 1988 at a meeting at which a
28 quorum was present with a vote of 1,577.0 for; 63.0 against; -
29 0- not voting; and 04 absent, pursuant to the powers vested in
30 the Council by Section 1 (f) of Article VI of the Constitution
31 of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'odham
32 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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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Harriet Toro
Harriet Toro, Legislative Chairperson

13th day of September, 1988.

ATTEST:

Teresa M. Choyguha
Teresa M. Choyguha, Legislative Secretary
13th day of September, 1988.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 14 day of Sept, 1988, at 2:52 o'clock, P.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

Andrew M. Patricio
Harriet Toro, Legislative Chairperson

[] APPROVED) on the 15th day of September, 1988,
[] DISAPPROVED) at 4:02 o'clock, P.M.

Enos J. Francisco, Jr.
ENOS J. FRANCISCO, JR., Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 15th day of September, 1988, at 4:47 o'clock, P.M.

Teresa M. Choyguha
Teresa M. Choyguha
Legislative Secretary

MOVED: Virgil Lewis

SUBJECT: Continued support for

SECOND: Lloyd Francisco

S.R.R.S. facility improvemnt.;

DATE: September 12, 1988

oppose any delays in constr.

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DISTRICTS	REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF OIDAK 138.0	1. Nicholas Jose (Letitia Garcia)	69.0	X			
	2. Willard Juan, Sr. (Melissa Gregorio)	69.0	X			
SELLS 257.0	1. Andrew Patricio (Daniel Lopez)	128.5	X			
	2. Fred Stevens ()	128.5	X			
SCHUK TOAK 105.0	1. Julia Carrillo (JoAnn Francisco)	52.5	X			
	2. Joseph Juan (Frances Francisco)	52.5	X			
SAN XAVIER 126.0	1. Eugene Enis (Michael Rios)	63.0	X			
	2. Tony Felix (Carmelita Mattias)	63.0		X		
BABOQUIVARI 241.0	1. Kenneth Chico, Sr. ()	120.5	X			
	2. Joann Garcia (Frances Miguel)	120.5	X			X
GU ACHI 158.0	1. Percy Lopez ()	79.0	X			
	2. Fernando Joaquin ()	79.0	X			X
PISINEMO 116.0	1. Johnson Jose ()	58.0	X			X
	2. Edward Manuel ()	58.0	X			
SAN LUCY 85.0	1. Max Jose (Dewey Ortega)	42.5	X			
	2. John Reno ()	42.5	X			
GU VO 117.0	1. Virgil Lewis (Roy Montana)	58.5	X			
	2. Cross Antone (Juan Joe Cipriano)	58.5	X			
HICKIWAN 128.0	1. Henry Ramon (Billy Manuel)	64.0	X			
	2. Lloyd Francisco (Eleanor Santos)	64.0	X			X
CHUKUT KUK 169.0	1. Rosita Ruiz (Rosemary Lopez)	84.5	X			
	2. Harriet Toro ()	84.5	X			
TOTAL		1,640.0	1577.0	63.0	-0-	04