

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(NCAI Support on Tohono O'Odham Psychological Services
Reassumption Appeal)

RES. NO. 299-88

1 WHEREAS, the Tohono O'Odham Nation has operated a Mental Health
2 Program, including a Psychological Service Component,
3 for the past 15 years, in part pursuant to a self-
4 determination act contract with the Indian Health
5 Service; and

6 WHEREAS, the Tohono O'Odham Nation is committed to the
7 development of its Mental Health Program in a way that
8 not only will provide for the needs of its citizens but
9 also will serve as a model for other Indian Tribes and
10 Nations; and

11 WHEREAS, the Indian Health Service has engaged in actions that
12 the Nation believes were intended to frustrate the
13 Nation in the performance of its contract; and

14 WHEREAS, Indian Health Services has reassumed the Psychological
15 Services Component of the contract, without compliance
16 with procedures required by law.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the National Congress of
18 American Indians (NCAI) at its 45th Annual Convention,
19 after due consideration by the appropriate committees,
20 that:

- 21 1. NCAI supports the Tohono O'Odham Nation in its
22 appeal of the reassumption of the Psychological
23 Service component of its Mental Health Program
contract; and
- 24 2. NCAI supports the Tohono O'Odham Nation in its
25 efforts to obtain a hearing on its appeal that
complies with the requirements of the Administrative
Procedure Act.

26 The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Council
27 on the 19th. day of October, 1988 at a meeting at which a quorum
28 was present with a vote of 1,640.0 for; -0- against; -0- not
29 voting; and -0- absent, pursuant to the powers vested in the
30 Council by Section 1 (j) of Article VI of the Constitution of the
31 Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'odham Nation on
32 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

Harriet Toro
Harriet Toro, Legislative Chairperson
20th day of October, 1988.

ATTEST:

Teresa M. Choyguha
Teresa M. Choyguha, Legislative Secretary
20th day of October, 1988.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the
Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 20 day of
Oct., 1988, at 2:06 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 20th day of October, 1988,
[] DISAPPROVED) at 2:28 o'clock, P.M.

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

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 20th day of
October, 1988, at 2:54 o'clock, P.M.

Teresa M. Choyguha
Teresa M. Choyguha
Legislative Secretary

MOVED: John Reno

SUBJECT: NCAI Support on Tohono

SECOND: Joseph Juan

O'Odham Psychological Services

DATE: October 19, 1988

Appeal

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