

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Endorsing Protest Action Against University of Arizona for
Seeking a United States Department of Commerce Grant which
would create a Second Foreign Trade Zone in Tucson that
could destroy the existing Trade Zone #48 at San Xavier District)

RES. NO. 33-90

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WHEREAS, the existing Foreign Trade Zone (U.S. FTZ #48) at San Xavier Industrial Park was created in 1986 after seven (7) years of very hard work and the total expenditure/investment of 1.5 million dollars by the San Xavier Development Authority (a tribally chartered organization), by the Economic Development Administration (U.S. Department of Commerce), by the City of Tucson and by Northhill-Papago, Ltd. (the trade zone operator); and

WHEREAS, Foreign Trade Zone #48 received merchandise shipments in 1989 exceeding 8 million dollars in value and shows many good indications for success in the future; and

WHEREAS, the University of Arizona without any prior contact or consultation with the San Xavier Foreign Trade Zone #48 officials submitted an application in late December 1989 to establish a second foreign trade zone in Tucson on private land near Kolb Road and Valencia Road; and

WHEREAS, there is the very strong likelihood that once a second foreign trade zone is established in Tucson, our existing foreign trade zone at San Xavier will suffer not only serious financial loss and possible ruin but permanent loss of jobs for Tohono O'Odham; and

WHEREAS, the Nation and the University of Arizona have enjoyed a very beneficial relationship over a long number of years such as federal grants, Indian scholarships, archaeological research, ethnic research, astronomical development (Kitt Peak), etc., the Nation now feels betrayed upon learning that the University of Arizona will be party to a directly competitive new foreign trade zone in Tucson after previously pledging support to the Nation in their economic and academic goals.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'Odham Legislative Council that the President of the University of Arizona be contacted by the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation and requested to reconsider the decision to establish a new foreign trade zone in Tucson and to withdraw the University's support for this project.

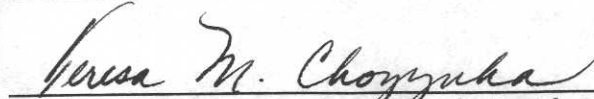
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if the University of Arizona persists in supporting this second Foreign Trade Zone Project, then the Tohono O'Odham Legislative Council will have no further recourse other than to file legal action in the court system including rights of appeal, petition and/or injunction.

The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Council on the 7th day of February, 1990 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,614.0 for; 53.0 against; 57.0 not voting; -0- absent, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1((c)(2) of Article VI 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


Edward D. Manuel, Legislative Chairman
16th day of February, 1990.

ATTEST:


Teresa M. Choyguha, Legislative Secretary
16th day of February, 1990.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 16th day of February, 1990, at 9:07 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.

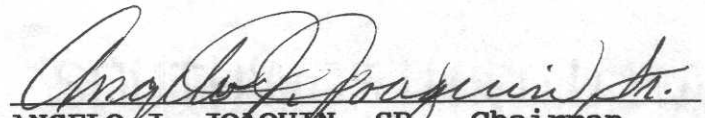
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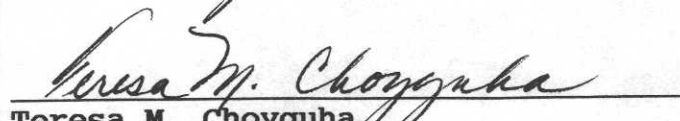
TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL


Edward D. Manuel, Legislative Chairman

[] APPROVED) on the 19 day of Feb., 1990.
[] DISAPPROVED) at 4:02 o'clock, P.M.


ANGELO J. JOAQUIN, SR., Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 20th day of
February, 1990, at 10:28 o'clock, A.M.


Teresa M. Choyguha
Legislative Secretary

MOVED: Joanne Preston

SUBJECT: Endorsing Protest Action Against

SECOND: Eugene Enis

U of A seeking a U.S. Dept. of Commerce

DATE: February 07, 1990

Grant, creating second foreign trade zone

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DISTRICTS	REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 229.0	1. Earl A. Francisco (Kenneth Chico, Sr.)	114.5	X			
	2. Joann Garcia (Frances Miguel)	114.5	X			
CHUKUT KUK 163.0	1. Rosita Ruiz (Rosemary Lopez)	81.5	X			
	2. Kenneth G. Williams (Harriet Toro)	81.5	X			
GU ACHI 166.0	1. Percy Lopez ()	83.0	X			
	2. Alex J. Ramon (Fernando Joaquin)	83.0	X			
GU VO 114.0	1. Cross Antone (Juan Joe Cipriano)	57.0	X			
	2. Virgil Lewis (Michael Flores)	57.0			X	
HICKIWAN 125.0	1. Lloyd Francisco (Billy C. Manuel)	62.5	X			
	2. Henry Ramon ()	62.5	X			
PISINEMO 119.0	1. Johnson Jose ()	59.5	X			
	2. Edward Manuel (Alex Antone)	59.5	X			
SAN LUCY 106.0	1. Albert Manuel, Jr. (Max P. Jose)	53.0	X			
	2. John Reno ()	53.0		X		
SAN XAVIER 127.0	1. Eugene Enis. Sr. (Michael Rios)	63.5	X			
	2. Joanne C. Preston (Carmelita Mattias)	63.5	X			
SCHUK TOAK 107.0	1. JoAnn Francisco (David Valenzuela Sr.)	53.5	X			
	2. Joseph Juan (Frances Francisco)	53.5	X			
SELLS 310.0	1. Joseph T. Joaquin (Larry Garcia)	155.0	X			
	2. Andrew Patricio (Daniel Lopez)	155.0	X			
SIF OIDAK 158.0	1. Mary Ann Antone (Nina Jose)	79.0	X			
	2. Willard Juan, Sr. (Melissa Gregorio)	79.0	X			
TOTAL		1,724.0	1,614.0	53.0	57.0	-0-