

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(In Support of Special Appropriations Funding for the  
Tohono O'Odham Judiciary)

RES. NO. 91-082

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2 WHEREAS, the Tohono O'Odham Legislative Council did by Resolution  
3 No. 78-87 determine the inadequacy of funding affecting  
4 the timely transition of the Judicial Branch; and

5 WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 78-87 the Tohono O'Odham Legislative  
6 Council did recognize the base level of funding provided  
7 through P.L. 93-638 Judicial Services funding is  
8 considerably inadequate; and

9 WHEREAS, in Fiscal Year 1988 the Legislative Council did support  
10 the Judicial Branch of the Tohono O'Odham Nation to  
11 request Special Appropriations Funding for the primary  
12 purposes of beginning the long and difficult process of  
13 implementing the mandates of the newly adopted Tohono  
14 O'Odham Constitution; and

15 WHEREAS, the Honorable United States Congress authorized the  
16 increase of \$200,000 to the Tohono O'Odham Judiciary on  
17 December 21, 1987; and

18 WHEREAS, since this mandated increase, the Bureau of Indian Affairs  
19 has not provided the authorized \$200,000 in Fiscal Years  
20 1989 or 1990 contrary to a FY '89 Senate Report stating:  
21 "The Committee will expect funding for the Tohono O'Odham  
22 Tribal Court to be included in the fiscal 1990 base."

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative  
24 Council that it does fully support this request by the  
25 Judicial Branch of the Tohono O'odham Nation and requests  
26 the United States Congress to appropriate to the Tohono  
27 O'Odham Nation an amount of \$132,000 which would comply  
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with the intentions of the Congress in their FY '88 appropriations authorizations for the Tohono O'odham Tribal Court.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Nation is in further support of the request to include any and all FY '92 Special Appropriations for the Tohono O'odham Judicial Branch to the base P.L. 93-638 Judicial Services funding.


BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Appropriations Committee of the Tohono O'odham Nation are authorized to submit this request to the appropriate members and committees of Congress.

The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Council on the 6th day of March, 1991 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,645.0 for; -0- against; 79.0 not voting; 03 absent, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1(j) 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

  
For Edward D. Manuel, Legislative Chairman  
7th day of March, 1991.

ATTEST:

  
Teresa M. Choygaha, Legislative Secretary  
7th day of March, 1991.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 7th day of March, 1991, at 4:31 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

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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

*Edward D. Manuel*

For Edward D. Manuel, Legislative Chairman

[ X ] APPROVED ) on the 7 day of March, 1991.  
[ ] DISAPPROVED) at 8:41 o'clock, P..M.

*Angelo J. Joaquin, Sr.*

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

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1991, at 9:58 o'clock, A.M.

*Teresa M. Choyguha*  
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Legislative Secretary

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN JOANNE PRESTONSUBJECT: IN SUPPORT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONSSECOND: COUNCILMAN PERCY LOPEZFUNDING FOR THE TOHONO O'ODHAM JUDICIARYDATE: MARCH 6, 1991

DISTRICTS	REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 229.0	1. Earl A. Francisco (Kenneth Chico)	114.5	X			
	2. Joann Garcia (Frances Miquel)	114.5	X			
CHUKUT KUK 163.0	1. Rosita Ruiz (Rosemary Lopez)	81.5	X			
	2. Kenneth Williams (Harriet Toro)	81.5	X			
GU ACHI 166.0	1. Percy Lopez ( )	83.0	X			
	2. Alex 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. Lenora Montana ( )	62.5	X			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			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			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	1,645.0	-0-	79.0	03

\*\*PASSED VOTES