

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Supporting the San Carlos Apache Tribe in Opposition
of Mt. Graham Telescope Project)**

RES. NO. 92-177

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3 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'Odham Nation expresses its solidarity with all other**
4 **tribal members within the State of Arizona and with the San**
5 **Carlos Apache Tribe; and**

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7 **WHEREAS, the Nation supports religious freedom and environmental**
8 **protection for all peoples and especially First Nation people; and**

9 **WHEREAS, a consortium consisting of the Arizona Board of Regents (on**
10 **behalf of the University of Arizona); the Max Planck Institute of**
11 **Germany; the Arcetri Observatory of Italy; the Vatican in Rome;**
12 **and possibly other institutions are beginning to construct an**
13 **observatory on Emerald Peak of Dzil nchaa si an (Mt. Graham)**
14 **in southern Arizona on land which is the ancestral home of the**
15 **San Carlos Apache people; and**

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18 **WHEREAS, the San Carlos Apache Tribe has filed suit in federal court to stop**
19 **the telescope project and the San Carlos Apache Tribal Council**
20 **has passed three unanimous tribal resolutions opposing the**
21 **telescope construction; and**

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23 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council realizes how vital it is**
24 **to support other tribes to remain free to practice our native**
25 **religions and traditions and to follow our cultural practices.**

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27 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative**
28 **Council that it hereby supports the San Carlos Apache Tribal**

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*Council's opposition to the construction of an observatory on Mt.
Graham.*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham
Nation is hereby authorized to present and relay the position of
the Nation to all entities.

The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'Odham Legislative
Council on the 5TH day of May, 1992 at a meeting at which a quorum was
present with a vote of 1,608.5 FOR; -0- AGAINST; 115.5 NOT VOTING;
and 02 ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section
1(c)(8) 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

Mary Ann Antone

Mary Ann Antone, Legislative Chairwoman

8th day of *May*, 19 *92*

ATTEST:

Julianna Saraficio

Teresa M. Choyguha, Legislative Secretary

for
8th day of *May*, 19 *92*.

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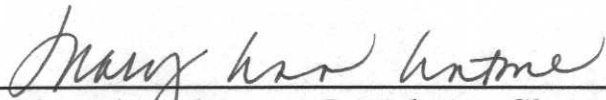
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Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 8th day of May, 1992, at 5:38 o'clock, P.M., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of submittal.

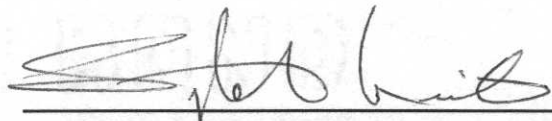
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Mary Ann Antone, Legislative Chairwoman

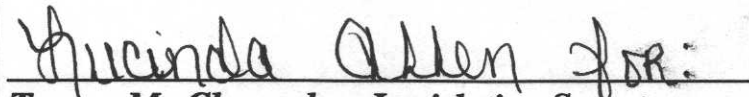
APPROVED on the 8 day of May, 1992

DISAPPROVED) at 5:56 o'clock, P.M.



**JOSIAH MOORE, Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION**

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 11th day of May,
1992, at 9:30 o'clock, a.M.


Teresa M. Choyguha, Legislative Secretary

MOVED: COUNCILMAN JOHN RENOSUBJECT: SUPPORTING THE SAN CARLOS APACHESECOND: COUNCILMAN MICHAEL FLORESTRIBE IN OPPOSITION OF MT. GRAHAMDATE: MAY 05, 1992TELESCOPE PROJECT

DISTRICTS	REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
CHUKUT KUK 163.0	1. Kenneth Williams (Harriet Toro)	81.5	X			
	2. Alberta M. Lopez (Berdella Jose)	81.5	X			
HICKIWAN 125.0	1. Lloyd Francisco (Billy C. Manuel)	62.5			X	
	2. Manuel Osequeda, Jr. ()	62.5	X			
GU VO 114.0	1. Michael Flores	57.0	X			
	2. Emilio Lewis (Anthony Flores)	57.0	X			
SAN LUCY 106.0	1. Albert Manuel, Jr. (Max P. Jose)	53.0			X	
	2. John Reno ()	53.0	X			
PISINEMO 119.0	1. Johnson Jose ()	59.5	X			
	2. Chester Antone (Fernando Valentine)	59.5	X			X
GU ACHI 166.0	1. Alex Ramon (Fernando Joaquin)	83.0	X			
	2. Willard Anita ()	83.0	X			
BABOQUIVARI 229.0	1. Earl A. Francisco (Kenneth Chico, Sr.)	114.5	X			
	2. Frances Miguel ()	114.5	X			X
SAN XAVIER 127.0	1. Joanne C. Preston (Carmelita Mattias)	63.5	X			
	2. Eugene Enis, Sr. (Michael R. Rios)	63.5	X			
SCHUK TOAK 107.0	1. JoAnn Francisco (David Valenzuela Sr.)	53.5	X			
	2. Frances Francisco (Joseph Juan)	53.5	X			
SELLS 310.0	1. Joseph T. Joaquin (Larry Garcia)	155.0	X			
	2. Andrew Patricio (Lucille Encinas)	155.0	X			
SIF OIDAK 158.0	1. Mary Ann Antone (Nina Jose)	79.0	X			
	2. Willard Juan, Sr. (Delbert Thomas)	79.0	X			
TOTAL		1,724.0	1,608.5	-0-	115.5	02

**PASSED VOTES