

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Supporting the Proposal to name the new National Park Service Visitor
Center as the "Juanita Ahil Visitor's Center")**

RESOLUTION NO. 93-369

**WHEREAS, a recommendation was proposed to the Cultural Preservation
Committee to name the new National Park Service Visitor
Center in the west unit of the Saguaro National Monument after
Juanita Ahil; and**

**WHEREAS, it has been recommended by individuals closely associated with
Juanita Ahil that naming the visitor center after her would be
appropriate and deserving; and**

**WHEREAS, Juanita Ahil has been a well-known O'odham who for many
years continued the O'odham tradition of harvesting the Saguaro
fruit in the Saguaro National Park; and**

**WHEREAS, Juanita Ahil who has also enriched the visitors of the Saguaro
National Monument with her pride, dignity and preserverance
that forms the basis of Tohono O'odham cultural continuity; and**

**WHEREAS, the proposal has been presented to the family of Juanita Ahil,
who are in full support of the proposal.**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham
Legislative Council hereby supports the proposal to name the
National Park Service Visitor Center after Juanita Ahil.**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council

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authorizes the Cultural Preservation Committee to continue their efforts in working with the appropriate officials, namely the Office of Congressman Ed Pastor, and request that he introduce a bill in Congress which would name the new National Park Service Visitor Center the "Juanita Ahil Visitor's Center".


The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'Odham Legislative Council on the 18TH day of OCTOBER, 1993 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,476.0 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and 287.0 [06] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1 (c)(8) & (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 Alex J. Ramon, Legislative Chairman

21 day of Oct., 1993

ATTEST:


Teresa M. Choyguha, Legislative Secretary

21st day of October, 1993.

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Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 21 day of Oct., 1993, at 4:27 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.

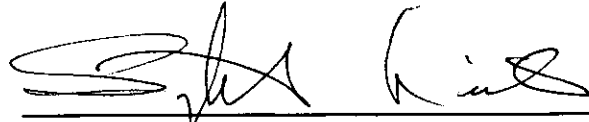
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Alex J. Ramon, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED on the 22 day of October, 1993

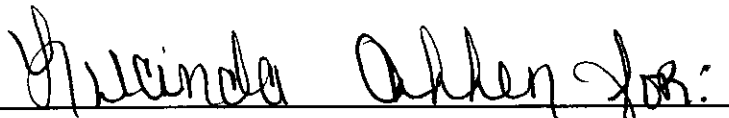
DISAPPROVED) at 1:16 o'clock, P.M.



SYLVESTER LISTO, Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 25th day of October,

19 93, at 4:08 o'clock, P.M.



Teresa M. Choyguha, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: SUPPORTING THE PROPOSAL TO NAME THE NEW NATIONAL PARK SERVICE VISITOR CENTER AS THE "JUANITA AHL VISITOR'S CENTER"

Moved: COUNCILMAN EUGENE ENIS, SR.

SECOND: COUNCILMAN EARL A. FRANCISCO

DATE: OCTOBER 18, 1993

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF Oidak 151.0	1. WILLARD JUAN, SR. (Delbert Thomas)	75.5				X
	2. MARY ANN ANTONE (Nellie Miguel)	75.5				X
SELLS 290.0	1. ANDREW M. PATRICIO (Lucille Encinas)	145.0	X			
	2. JOSEPH T. JOAQUIN (Allen W. Garica, Jr.)	145.0	X			
SCHUK TOAK 113.0	1. FRANCES FRANCISCO ()	56.5	X			
	2. KENNETH J. ANTONE ()	56.5	X			X
SAN XAVIER 135.0	1. EUGENE ENIS, SR. ()	67.5	X			
	2. DENNIS RAMON ()	67.5	X			
BABOQUIVARI 230.0	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ()	115.0	X			
	2. EARL A. FRANCISCO (Lucilda Norris)	115.0	X			
GU ACHI 180.0	1. WILLARD ANITA ()	90.0	X			
	2. ALEX J. RAMON (Marian Johnson)	90.0	X			
PISINEMO 128.0	1. CHESTER ANTONE (Fernando Valentine)	64.0	X			
	2. JOHNSON M. JOSE (Roseleen Antone)	64.0	X			
SAN LUCY 98.0	1. JOHN RENO ()	49.0	X			
	2. ALBERT MANUEL, JR. (Ernestine Marquez)	49.0	X			X
GU VO 124.0	1. EMILIO LEWIS ()	62.0	X			
	2. MICHAEL FLORES (Fern Salcido)	62.0	X			
HICKIWAN 136.0	1. MANUEL OSEQUEDA, JR. ()	68.0				X
	2. LLOYD FRANCISCO (Henry A. Ramon)	68.0				X
CHUKUT KUK 178.0	1. ALBERTA M. LOPEZ (Berdella Jose)	89.0	X			
	2. KENNETH WILLIAMS ()	89.0	X			
TOTAL		1,763.0	1,476.0	-0-	-0-	287.0 [06]

****PASSED VOTES**