

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(FY 1999 Appropriations requests for Tohono O'odham Department  
of Human Services)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 98-071**

**WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation ("Nation") suffers from a number of illnesses and diseases including, but not limited to alcoholism, diabetes mellitus, Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)/Acquired Immunodeficiency Disease Syndrome (AIDS), Tuberculosis and a lack of emergency medical services and basic transportation; and**

**WHEREAS, the Nation, through the Department of Human Services offers programs concerned with the delivery of services which addresses the illnesses and diseases afflicting the Nation; and**

**WHEREAS, present staffing and funding for delivery of such services is inadequate to meet the high demand of patients and clients suffering from these conditions and the continuing rise in the number of patients and clients needing services; and**

**WHEREAS, Indian Health Services (IHS) has been directed to implement FTE ceiling and administrative budget cuts which further impacts on already inadequate staffing and resources to fully meet the demand and rise in the incidence of the Nation's illness and disease; and**

**WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Nation to address the many health needs of its Members.**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it does hereby urgently request that Congress appropriate \$25,678,732 in accordance with the attached proposals to assist the Nation in meeting the rise and demand for health services.**

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the Appropriate officers of the Nation are hereby authorized and directed**

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**to bring this request to the appropriate members and committees of Congress.**

**The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Council on the 23RD. day of FEBRUARY, 1998 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,927.0 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [04] 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**

  
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**Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman**

24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 19 98

**ATTEST:**

  
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**Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary**

23<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 19 98.

**Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 19 98 at 5:34 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**

  
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**Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman**

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**APPROVED**

on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1998

**DISAPPROVED**

at 4:48 o'clock, P.M.



**EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman  
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION**

**Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of**

February, 1998, at 8:55 o'clock, A.M.



**Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary**

ACTION: FY 1999 APPROPRIATIONS REQUESTS FOR TOHONO O'ODHAM DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

MOVED: COUNCILMAN JOSEPH JUAN

SECOND: VICE CHAIRMAN ALBERT MANUEL, JR.

DATE: FEBRUARY 23, 1998

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
<b>CHUKUT KUK</b> 189.0	1. DAVID GARCIA (Marvin Thomas)	94.5	X			
	2. KENNETH WILLIAMS (Arnold F. Smith Sr.)	94.5	X			
<b>HICKIWAN</b> 146.0	1. ALEX JOSE ( )	73.0	X			
	2. LLOYD FRANCISCO (Susan Sam)	73.0	X			
<b>GU VO</b> 142.0	1. FERN SALCIDO (Larry Montana)	71.0	X			X
	2. GLORIA MONTANA (Phillip Antone)	71.0	X			
<b>SAN LUCY</b> 114.0	1. JOHN RENO (Mary Hoffman)	57.0	X			
	2. ALBERT MANUEL, JR. (Jana Montana)	57.0	X			
<b>PISINEMO</b> 139.0	1. BARBARA SALVICIO ( )	69.5	X			
	2. JOHNSON JOSE ( )	69.5	X			
<b>GU ACHI</b> 190.0	1. LOUIS JOHNSON ( )	95.0	X			X
	2. ALEX J. RAMON ( )	95.0	X			
<b>BABOQUIVARI</b> 258.0	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ( )	129.0	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Edward N. Kisto)	129.0	X			
<b>SAN XAVIER</b> 146.0	1. TONY BURRELL ( )	73.0	X			X
	2. DENNIS RAMON ( )	73.0	X			
<b>SCHUK TOAK</b> 120.0	1. JOSEPH JUAN ( )	60.0	X			
	2. AMBROSE ENCINAS ( )	60.0	X			
<b>SELLS</b> 322.0	1. DENNIS E. JOSE ( )	161.0	X			
	2. EVELYN JUAN ( )	161.0	X			
<b>SIF OIDAK</b> 161.0	1. RITA MARTINEZ (Maxine Norris)	80.5	X			X
	2. MARY ANN ANTONE (Darlene Andrew)	80.5	X			
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,927.0</b>	<b>1,927.0</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>[04]</b>

\*\*PASSED VOTES