

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Authorization to Allocate Tohono O'odham Nation Funds For The Administration
And Project Proposal to Preserve The EPA Border Grant Funds For Region IX 1996
Projects at Cowlic And Gu Vo'o)

RESOLUTION NO. 99-195

1 **WHEREAS, the United States Environmental Protection Agency notified the Tohono**
2 **O'odham Nation through Chairman Edward D. Manuel of a grant award**
3 **for use in communities that lie within 62 miles of the Tohono O'odham**
4 **Nation/Mexico border; and**

5 **WHEREAS, these funds are limited to use for addressing health and safety concerns**
6 **related to existing drinking and wastewater issues in these border region**
7 **communities; and**

8 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council of the Tohono O'odham Nation approved of the**
9 **communities listed below as those with projects appropriate for**
10 **submission for funding under the Border Grants Proposal to the United**
11 **States Environmental Protection Agency:**

12 **Pia Oik, Gu Vo**
13 **Gu Vo, Gu Vo**
14 **Anegam, Sif Oidak**
15 **Queen's Well, Schuk Toak**
16 **Little Tucson/Artesia, Baboquivari**
17 **Sells, Sells**
18 **Santa Rosa Village, Gu Achi**
19 **Santa Rosa Subdivision, Gu Achi**
20 **Cowlic, Sells; and**

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22 **WHEREAS, the Nation accepted the funds contingent on the Nation's obligation to**
23 **find funds for the construction of bathrooms in the Little Tucson, Artesia,**
24 **Pia Oik, Cowlic and Gu Vo'o communities; and**

25 **WHEREAS, the Nation successfully found HUD funds for the Little Tucson, Artesia**
26 **and Pia Oik Projects, but still requires funds for Cowlic and Gu Vo'o as**
27 **well as administration funds to implement the bathrooms construction;**

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1 and

2 **WHEREAS,** the Nation and the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) have
3 joined together to provide funds through the Colonias program for the
4 homes that have been inspected and found to be suitable for
5 rehabilitation; and

6 **WHEREAS,** the Nation under Resolution 97-263 committed itself to providing funds
7 from Tribal resources if all grant options were exhausted and EPA was
8 ready to reclaim the grant funds; and

9 **WHEREAS,** the Nation wishes to meet its commitment under Resolution 97-263 and
10 allocate funds to provide for \$93,343.00 for Administration Costs and
11 \$83,725.00 for project costs at Cowlic and \$44,325.00 for project costs at Gu
12 Vo'o to supplement the USDA-provided project funds and to preserve the
13 already awarded EPA wastewater funds.

14 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tohono O'odham Legislative
15 Council hereby approves the allocation of Administration and project
16 costs in the amounts of \$93,343.00 for Administration and \$83,725.00 for
17 project costs at Cowlic and \$44,325.00 for project costs at Gu Vo'o.

18 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Legislative Council of the Tohono O'odham
19 Nation assures the USDA that it will continue to provide good faith effort
20 to further rehabilitate the homes receiving USDA funds of \$5,000.00 up
21 to standard, using other resources both Federal, State, Local and Tribal.

22 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council will
23 appropriate the amount of \$221,393.00 from the FY 98 savings.

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1 The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Council on the 29TH day
2 of APRIL, 1999 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,927.0 FOR;
3 -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [06] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in
4 the Council by Section 1 (d)(2) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham
5 Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by
6 the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986,
7 pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

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9 TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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13 Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman

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15 29th day of April, 1999

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19 ATTEST:

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23 Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

24 29 day of April, 1999.

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27 Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono
28 O'Odham Nation on the 29th day of April, 1999
29 at 4:43 o'clock, P.M., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the
30 Constitution and will become effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either
31 approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of submittal.

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33 TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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37 Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman

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APPROVED on the 29th day of April, 1999

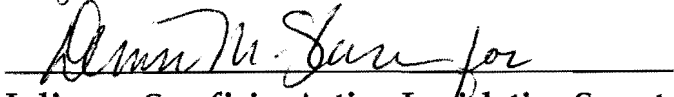
DISAPPROVED at 4:54 o'clock, P.M.



EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 29th day of

April, 1999, at 4:57 o'clock, P.M.



Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: AUTHORIZATION TO ALLOCATE TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION FUNDS FOR THE ADMINISTRATION AND PROJECT PROPOSAL TO PRESERVE THE EPA BORDER GRANT FUNDS FOR REGION IX 1996 PROJECTS AT COWLIC AND GU VO'O

Moved: COUNCILWOMAN MARY ANN ANTONE

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN FERN SALCIDO

DATE: APRIL 29, 1999

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
CHUKUT KUK 189.0	1. DAVID GARCIA (Marvin Thomas)	94.5	X			
	2. KENNETH WILLIAMS (Arnold F. Smith Sr.)	94.5	X			
HICKIWAN 146.0	1. ALEX JOSE ()	73.0	X			
	2. LLOYD FRANCISCO (Susan Sam)	73.0	X			
GU VO 142.0	1. FERN SALCIDO (Larry Montana)	71.0	X			
	2. GLORIA MONTANA (Phillip Antone)	71.0	X			X
SAN LUCY 114.0	1. JOHN RENO (Mary Hoffman)	57.0	X			
	2. ALBERT MANUEL, JR. (Jana Montana)	57.0	X			
PISINEMO 139.0	1. BARBARA SALVICIO ()	69.5	X			
	2. JOHNSON JOSE ()	69.5	X			
GU ACHI 190.0	1. LOUIS JOHNSON ()	95.0	X			X
	2. ALEX J. RAMON ()	95.0	X			
BABOQUIVARI 258.0	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ()	129.0	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Edward N. Kisto)	129.0	X			X
SAN XAVIER 146.0	1. TONY BURRELL ()	73.0	X			X
	2. DENNIS RAMON ()	73.0	X			
SCHUK TOAK 120.0	1. JOSEPH JUAN ()	60.0	X			
	2. AMBROSE ENCINAS ()	60.0	X			X
SELLS 322.0	1. DENNIS E. JOSE ()	161.0	X			
	2. EVELYN JUAN ()	161.0	X			
SIF OIDAK 161.0	1. RITA MARTINEZ (Maxine Norris)	80.5	X			X
	2. MARY ANN ANTONE (Darlene Andrew)	80.5	X			
TOTAL		1,927.0	1,927.0	-0-	-0-	[06]

****PASSED VOTES**