

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Supporting Direct Service Tribes Advisory Committee Resolution No. DSTAC-2012-001
“Resolution Approving the Position and Views of the Direct Service Tribes Advisory
Committee on the Budget Needs of the Indian Health Care System”)

RESOLUTION NO. 12-021

1 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council is vested with the authority to “consult with the Congress of**
2 **the United States and appropriate federal agencies regarding federal activities that**
3 **affect the Tohono O’odham Nation. . .” and “to promote, protect and provide for**
4 **public health, peace, morals, education and general welfare of the Tohono O’odham**
5 **Nation and its members. . .” (Constitution, Article VI, Section 1(j) and Section 1(c)(2));**
6 **and**

7 **WHEREAS, the Direct Service Tribes Advisory Committee (“DSTAC”) was established on April 27,**
8 **2005 by the Indian Health Service (“IHS”) Director to provide expertise on policies,**
9 **guidelines, and programmatic issues that impact the delivery of health care for**
10 **Indian tribes with an emphasis on policies that impact the direct service tribes; and**

11 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O’odham Nation is a direct service tribe that receives primary health care**
12 **directly from the Indian Health Service; and**

13 **WHEREAS, with the current national political climate focused on spending cuts and federal debt**
14 **reduction, the DSTAC passed Resolution No. DSTAC-2012-001, “Resolution Approving**
15 **the Position and Views of the Direct Service Tribes Advisory Committee on the Budget**
16 **Needs of the Indian Health Care System”; and**

17 **WHEREAS, in Resolution No. DSTAC-2012-001, the DSTAC “advocates strongly that IHS and other**
18 **federal agencies promoting Indian health must be held harmless from the Joint**
19 **Select Committee on Deficit Reduction’s report and by any future appropriations by**
20 **Congress”; and**

21 **WHEREAS, despite the inability of the Joint Select Committee on Deficit Reduction to agree on**
22 **budget cuts, it is still in the Nation’s best interest to continue advocating against any**
23 **possible financial reductions to the IHS; and**

24 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Health and Human Services Committee recommends support of**
25 **Resolution No. DSTAC-2012-001.**

26 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O’odham Legislative Council that it supports**
27 **the Direct Service Tribes Advisory Committee Resolution No. DSTAC-2012-001.**
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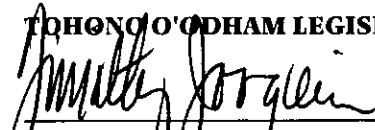
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1 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it authorizes and directs
2 **the Nation's chairperson or official designee to communicate the Nation's support**
3 **of Direct Service Tribes Advisory Committee Resolution No. DSTAC-2012-001.**

4 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 10TH Day**
5 **of JANUARY, 2012 a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,780.60 FOR; -0-**
6 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
7 **Section 1 (j) and 1 (c)(2) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted**
8 **by the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
9 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
10 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

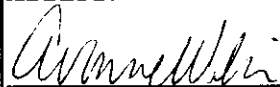
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12 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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15 **Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman**

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17 12 day of January, 2012

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19 **ATTEST:**


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22 **Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary**

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24 11 day of January, 2012.

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26 **Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham**
27 **Nation on the 12 day of January, 2012 at 8:36 o'clock, A.M.,**
28 **pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective**
29 **upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of**
30 **submittal.**

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32 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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35 **Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman**

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APPROVED

on the 12 day of January, 2012

DISAPPROVED

at 10:40 o'clock, a.M.



NED NORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 12 day of

January, 2012, at 11:09 o'clock, a.M.



Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

**ACTION: SUPPORTING DIRECT SERVICE TRIBES ADVISORY COMMITTEE RESOLUTION NO. DSTAC-2012-001
"RESOLUTION APPROVING THE POSITION AND VIEWS OF THE DIRECT SERVICE TRIBES ADVISORY
COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET NEEDS OF THE INDIAN HEALTH CARE SYSTEM"**

MOVED: COUNCILMAN CHESTER ANTONE

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN SANDRA ORTEGA

DATE: JANUARY 10, 2012

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 342.0	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Roberta Harvey)	171.0	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Vernon Smith)	171.0	X			
CHUKUT KUK 302.2	1. ETHEL GARCIA (Sara Mae Williams)	151.10	X			
	2. BILLMAN LOPEZ ()	151.10	X			
GU ACHI 244.9	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Rose Johnson Antone)	122.45	X			
	2. CYNTHIA E. MANUEL (Louis L. Johnson)	122.45	X			
GU VO 226.7	1. GRACE MANUEL (Floyd Flores)	113.35	X			X
	2. PAMELA ANGHILL (Roselda Lewis)	113.35	X			
HICKIWAN 186.3	1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Michelle Ortega)	93.15	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	93.15	X			
PISINEMO 200.7	1. CHESTER ANTONE (Tony Murrietta)	100.35	X			
	2. EDWARD MANUEL (Gerald Fayuant)	100.35	X			
SAN LUCY 204.6	1. LORRAINE EILER ()	102.30	X			
	2. JANA MONTANA (Gloria Ramirez)	102.30	X			
SAN XAVIER 215.8	1. HILARION CAMPUS ()	107.90	X			X
	2. OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON (Eugene Enis)	107.90	X			
SCHUK TOAK 169.8	1. FRANCES B. CONDE ()	84.90	X			
	2. FREDERICK JOSE (Phyllis Cachora)	84.90	X			
SELLS 475.7	1. ARTHUR WILSON (Kimberly Mull)	237.85	X			
	2. EVELYN B. JUAN MANUEL ()	237.85	X			
SIF OIDAK 211.9	1. NICHOLAS JOSE ()	105.95	X			
	2. MARY LOPEZ ()	105.95	X			
TOTAL		2,780.60	2,780.60	-0-	-0-	[02]