

RESOLUTION
OF
THE PAPAGO COUNCIL

NO. 449

WHEREAS, There are living in Sells many Papagos from all parts of the Papago reservations because of the existence of Indian Service and Tribal positions here, and

WHEREAS, There is such an acute shortage of housing in Sells that most of the Tribal staff members are renting from the Papago Agency houses that are in very poor condition and other Papagos working for the Indian Service are not able to find suitable quarters, and

WHEREAS, Along with the increase in the activities of the Papago Council, has increased the volume of the work to be done, and

WHEREAS, With the assumption of more responsibilities by the Papago Council has come a greater financial burden which has caused a severe drain on the funds of the Papago Tribe, and

WHEREAS, It has become necessary for the Papago Council to seek out new sources of revenue in order to keep pace with the mounting operating expenses of the Papago Council,

THEREFORE, Be it resolved by the Papago Council that a Tribal Loan application in the amount of \$30,000.00 be made and submitted to the Office of Indian Affairs for a loan from the Revolving Credit Fund,

PROVIDED, That the \$30,000.00 be used to construct a Tribal Housing Project from which more revenue could be derived, after the Papago Council has liquidated its indebtedness, and

PROVIDED FURTHER, That the Business Committee of the Papago Council with the assistance of the Papago Agency prepare a plan of operation that is satisfactory to the Office of Indian Affairs and submit it to said office for approval.

The foregoing resolution was on February 3, 1950, duly enacted by a vote of 21 for and 0 against, by the Papago Council, pursuant to authority vested in it by Sec. 2 (a), 2 (e), Sec. 3 (h) of Article V of the Constitution of the Tribe ratified by the Tribe on December 12, 1936, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on January 6, 1937, pursuant to Sec. 16 of the Act of June 13, 1934, (48 Stat. 984). Said resolution is effective as of the date of its approval by the Superintendent of the Papago Agency, and is subject to the rescission by the Secretary of the Interior pursuant to Sec. 6, Article V, of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Papago Tribe.

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No action taken on res. Should be handled by PHX area office (See File 044.1)
By: Thomas A. Segundo
Thomas A. Segundo, Chairman

Attest:

Ida N. Wilson
Ida N. Wilson, Secretary & Treasurer

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