

RESOLUTION OF THE PAPAGO COUNCIL
Viva Vo Farms

RES. NO. 19-79

1 WHEREAS, the Papago Tribe is attempting to expand its agrarian
2 economic and tribal income by profitable farming oper-
3 ations; and

4 WHEREAS, the Viva Vo Agricultural Development Project created by
5 the Bureau of Indian Affairs and tribal cooperation now
6 contains 656 available acres of improved irrigated land
7 with abundant underground water supply making this land
8 suitable for commercial farming; and

9 WHEREAS, the Bureau of Indian Affairs has offered the Tribe funds
10 up to \$30,000 for the operation and maintenance of the
11 pumping plants at the farms; and

12 WHEREAS, the farms made a net profit of approximately \$56,000 from
13 last years farming operations.

14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Papago Tribe continue its
15 farming operations at the Viva Vo Farms, make use of BIA
16 O & M funds, use the \$56,000 profit from past operations
17 to continue operating the farms and maintain an accurate
18 bookkeeping system at the Livestock Complex.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chairman be authorized to take
20 any and all actions necessary to insure proper management
21 of the farms, that an accurate bookkeeping system be
22 maintained for the project at the Livestock Complex and
23 that an efficient plan of operation be devised and closely
24 followed, and the the accounts are maintained and monitored
25 by the Treasurer and quarterly reports are made to the
26 Council.

27 The foregoing resolution was duly enacted by the Papago Council
28 on the 27th day of February 1979 at a meeting at which a quorum
29 was present with a vote of 473 for; 270 against; 322 not
30 voting; and 1 absent, pursuant to the authority vested in
31 the Council by Section 2 (a) and (d) of Article V of the Consti-
32 tution and By-Laws of the Papago Tribe of Arizona, ratified by the
Tribe on December 12, 1936, and approved by the Secretary of the
Interior on January 6, 1937, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of
June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984). Said Resolution is effective as of
the date of its approval by the Superintendent of the Papago Agency
and is not subject to review by the Secretary of the Interior.

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THE PAPAGO COUNCIL

Cecil Williams
Cecil Williams, Chairman

ATTEST:

Mary Jane Narcho
Mary J. Narcho, Secretary

Resolution approved this 27 day of February, 1979

Richard T. Christman *SB*
Richard T. Christman, Superintendent
Papago Agency

VIVA VO FARMS

STRICT	REPRESENTATIVES	NO. OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BOQUIVARI 143	1. EDWARD N. KISTO (JOANN GARCIA)	71.5	X			
	2. LOUIS HARVEY SR. (ENOS FRANCISCO JR.)	71.5		X		
UKUT KUK 161	1. ROSEMARY LOPEZ (NELLIE MARTIN)	80.5	X			
	2. HARRIET TORO (HENRY JOSE)	80.5	X			
MACHI 108	1. JOSEPH P. RAMON (STEPHEN LISTO)	54.0		X		
	2. CIPRIANO MANUEL (JONAS ROBLES)	54.0		X		
DUVO 47	1. CROSS ANTONE (EDWARD J. LOPEZ)	23.5			X	
	2. WILLIAMS LEWIS SR. (JUAN JOE CIPRIANO)	23.5		X		
ICKIWAN 86	1. HENRY A. RAMON (JAMES ANGES)	43.0			X	
	2. EDWARD MANUEL (ARCHIE PILONE)	43.0			X	
ISINEMO 68	1. LAMANDO FRANCISCO	34.0	X			
	2. JOSE MANUEL JR.	34.0	X			
SAN LUCY 35	1. JEANIE MORRIS	17.5		X		
	2. RICARDO M. BAPTISTO (ALBERT GOMEZ)	17.5			X	
SAN XAVIER 99	1. TONY FELIX (ROSEMARY D. SECUNDINO)	49.5		X		
	2. ARNOLD SMITH (CARMEN MATTIAS)	49.5			X	
SCHUK TOAK 76	1. JOSEPH ENRIQUIZ (CHRISTINE MIGUEL)	38.0			X	
	2. RAMON CAMPILLO JR. (JOANN FRANCISCO)	38.0			X	
BELLS 139	1. MOLLIE GARCIA (JACOB LEWIS)	69.5	X			
	2. FRED STEVENS (JACOB ESCALANTE)	69.5			X	
SIF Oidak 103	1. VINCENT MANUEL	51.5	X			
	2. NICHOLUS JOSE (MELISSA NORRIS)	51.5				X
TOTALS		1065.0	473	270	322	1