

RESOLUTION OF THE PAPAGO COUNCIL  
(Requesting and confirming ap- )  
(ppointmnet of Chief Judge of )  
(Papago Tribal Courts )

RES. NO. 75-79

1 WHEREAS, Section 2 of Chapter I of the Law and Order Code of the Papago Tribe  
2 provides that the Papago Tribal Courts shall consist of two regular  
3 Judges, and that such Judges "shall be appointed by the Commissioner  
4 of Indian Affairs, subject to confirmation by a majority vote of the  
5 Papago Council", for a term of two years; and

6 WHEREAS, there is presently appointed only one regular Judge, and it is  
7 necessary to appoint a second Judge who shall act as Chief Judge of  
8 the Papago Tribal Court; and

9 WHEREAS, the Law and Order Code requires that the Judges be members of the  
10 Papago Tribe who have never been convicted of a felony or, within  
11 the year then last past, of a misdemeanor; and

12 WHEREAS, LESTER J. BARAJAS meets the foregoing qualifications and has  
13 been selected by the Papago Council as best qualified to assume the  
14 position of Chief Judge of the Papago Tribal Courts.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Papago Council that it does hereby  
16 designate and confirm the appointment of LESTER J. BARAJAS as  
17 Chief Judge of the Papago Tribal Courts for a term of two years  
18 from date of appointment, and requests that the Commissioner of  
19 Indian Affairs appoint its designee to such position.

20 The foregoing Resolution was duly enacted by the Papago Council on the 7th  
21 day of Sept., 1979, at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote  
22 of 588.5 for; 0 against; 55.5 not voting; and 1 absent, pursuant  
23 to the authority vested in the Council by Section 2 (a) and (e) and 3 (b) and  
24 (f) of Article V of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Papago Tribe as amended,  
25 ratified by the Papago Tribe on December 12, 1936, and approved by the Secretary  
26 of the Interior on January 6, 1937, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June  
27 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984). Said Resolution is effective as of the date of its  
28 approval by the Superintendent of the Papago Agency and is subject to review  
29 by the Secretary of Interior.

THE PAPAGO COUNCIL

27 Max H. Norris  
28 Max H. Norris, Chairman

29 ATTEST:

30 Mary Jane Narcho  
31 Mary Jane Narcho, Secretary

32 RESOLUTION APPROVED this 17th day of September 1979.

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

1st. Move -

Chief Judge

2nd. Move -

RESOLUTION: Nominations OpenDATE: 9/7/79

RESOLUTION or ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Districts	Representatives	No. of Votes				
			For	Against	Not Voting	Absent
BABOQUIVARI 142	1. Edward N. Kisto (Jcann Garcia) 2. Louis Harvey Sr. (Kenneth Chico Sr.)	71.0 71.0	Lester Sarah			
CHUKUT KUK 111	1. Rosemary Lopez (Laurence Jose) 2. Harriet Toro (Henry Jose)	55.5 55.5	Lester		X	
GU ACHI 101	1. Angelo Joaquin (Joseph Pete Ramon) 2. Cipriano Manuel (Jonas Robles)	50.5 50.5	Lester Lester			
GU VO 51	1. Cross Antone (Juan Joe Cipriano) 2. William Lewis, Sr. (Pauline J, Lewis)	25.5 25.5	Lester Lester			
HICKIWAN 78	1. Henry A. Ramon (James Angea) 2. Edward Manuel (Archie Pilone)	39.0 39.0	Lester Lester			
PISINEMO 60	1. Lamando Francisco (Herman Lopez) 2. Jose Manuel Jr. ( )	30.0 30.0	Lester			X
SAN LUCY 29	1. Max Jose (Garfield Lenzo) 2. Ricardo M. Baptisto (Albert Gomez)	14.5 14.5	Sarah Sarah			
SAN XAVIER 83	1. John Narcho (Simon Mamake) 2. Arnold Smith (Carmen Mattias)	41.5 41.5	Sarah Sarah			
SCHUK TOAK 76	1. Alex Juan (Francisco Jose Jr.) 2. Ramon Campillo, Jr. (Joann Francisco)	38.0 38.0	Lester Lester			
SELLS 138	1. Andrew M. Patricio (Larry Garcia) 2. Fred Stevens (Jacob Escalante)	69.0 69.0	Sarah Sarah			
SIF OIDAK 96	1. Elliot Lewis (Eugene Jose) 2. Melissa Norris (John N. Jose)	48.0 48.0	Lester Lester			
<u>TOTALS</u>		965.0				

Lester = 588.5

Sarah = 321.