

RESOLUTION OF THE PAPAGO TRIBAL COUNCIL

Opposing Reorganization of ORD

RES. NO. 22-83

1 WHEREAS, the Papago Council has heard testimony concerning alternative
2 recommendations for the reorganization of the Office of Research
3 and Development ("ORD") of the Indian Health Service ("IHS") in
4 Tucson in order to meet the mandate of the Senate Select Committee
5 on Indian Affairs in a Report to the Senate Budget Committee to
6 "review IHS programs, organizational structure and functions for
7 effectiveness" and to "make recommendations for change to
accommodate a reduced budget with the least amount of disruptions
to employees and on the ability to delivery health services"; and

8 WHEREAS, the Papago Council has determined that the recommendations of the
9 Special Task Force appointed by the Director of the Indian Health
10 Service, and other alternative recommendations, which would
11 reorganize ORD and transfer the direct patient care, management
12 and administrative functions which it is presently providing to
13 the Papago Tribe from ORD to the Phoenix Area will cause great
14 disruptions on the ability of IHS to deliver health services to
15 the Papago and Yaqui Reservations; will lead to little, if any,
16 actual financial savings; will eliminate benefits currently
17 received by both ORD and the Papago Tribe associated with the
18 direct application of ORD's research, development and other
programs to a living Indian patient population; and will substan-
tially inhibit the ability of the Papago and Yaqui Tribes to
negotiate alternative health delivery and financing systems with
local health delivery organizations and governments.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Papago Tribe opposes any reorgani-
20 zation of the Office of Research and Development which would
21 transfer the direct patient care, management and administrative
22 functions which it is presently providing to the Papago Tribe
from ORD to the Phoenix Area.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Papago Council hereby adopts the attached
24 Papago Health Services Task Force Report Position Paper as the
25 official statement of the Papago Tribe on the proposed reorgan-
ization of ORD.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the appropriate officers and agents of the
27 Papago Tribe are hereby authorized and directed to deliver this
28 Council's decisions to the Director of the Indian Health Service
29 and to the Arizona Congressional delegation, and to do all things
necessary or incidental to the purpose and intent of this Resolution.

30 The foregoing Resolution was duly enacted by the Papago Council on the 17th
31 day of February, 1983, at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote
32 of 1148.0 for; 0 against; 0 not voting; and 1 absent,
pursuant to the authority vested in the Papago Council by Section 2 (a), (d)
and (h) of Article V of the Constitution and By-laws of the Papago Tribe of
Arizona as amended, ratified by the Papago Tribe on December 12, 1936, and

1 approved by the Secretary of the Interior on January 6, 1937, pursuant to
2 Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984). Said Resolution is
3 not subject to review by the Secretary of the Interior and is effective as
4 of the date of its enactment by the Papago Council.

THE PAPAGO COUNCIL

Enca J. Phoenix
Vice-Chairman

for Max H. Norris, Chairman

7 ATTEST:

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10 Rose Johnson, Secretary

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Moved: Harriet Toro
 Second: Delma Garcia
 Date: 2/17/83

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Districts	Representatives	No of Votes	For	Against	Not Voting	Absent
BABOQUIVARI 175	1. Edward N. Kisto (Joann Garcia)	87.5	X			
	2. Kenneth Chico, Sr. (Donald Harvey)	87.5	X			
CHUKUT KUK 117	1. Rosemary Lopez ()	58.5	X			
	2. Harriet Toro (Lawrence Jose)	58.5	X			
GU ACHI 123	1. Angelo J. Joaquin, Sr. (Joseph Pete Ramon)	61.5	X			
	2. Cipriano Manuel (Fernando Joaquin)	61.5	X			
GU VO 54	1. Cross Antone (Juan Joe Cipriano)	27.0	X			
	2. Alvin Virgil Lewis (Henry F. Manuel)	27.0	X			
HICKIWAN 79	1. Henry A. Ramon (James Angea)	39.5	X			
	2. Delma Garcia (Archie Pilone)	39.5	X			
PISINEMO 82	1. Lamando Francisco (Herman Lopez)	41.0	X			
	2. Johnson Jose (Frank Garcia)	41.0	X			
SAN LUCY 44	1. Max P. Jose (Garfield Lenzo)	22.0	X			
	2. Albert Gomez (Jeannie Morris)	22.0	X			
SAN XAVIER 107	1. John B. Narcho (Simon Mamake)	53.5	X			
	2. John Lewis (Carmelita Mattias)	53.5	X			
SCHUK TOAK 83	1. Alex Juan (Francisco Jose, Jr.)	41.5	X			X
	2. Jo Ann Francisco (Priscilla G. Domingo)	41.5	X			
SELLS 168	1. Andrew M. Patricio (Larry Garcia)	84.0	X			
	2. Fred Stevens (Dennis Jose)	84.0	X			
SIF ODAK 116	1. Elliot Lewis (Eugene Jose)	58.0	X			
	2. Nicklos Jose (Alice Norris)	58.0	X			
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