

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Support of Third Year Funding of the Tohono O'Odham Health
Department Demonstration Project to further its
Organizational Development)

RES. NO. 54-89

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2 WHEREAS, the Tohono O'Odham Health Department (TOHD) has
3 established a set of long-range goals for the
4 organizational development of the TOHD which are:

- 5 1. Develop an O'odham operated Health Department based
6 on the health promotion/disease prevention model;
- 7 2. Develop O'Odham Human Resources in the health
8 professional skill positions necessary to operate a
9 Health Department and to manage a comprehensive
10 health care delivery system;
- 11 3. Develop a Health Department-based administrative and
12 management operational structure which would support
13 comprehensive tribal contracting of the entire
14 reservation-based health care delivery system;
- 15 4. Develop alternative sources of funding for TOHD
16 health care delivery to reduce as practical absolute
17 dependence on Federal funding sources;
- 18 5. To support the maximization of resources, integrate
19 available public sector resources with private sector
20 resources, establish professional relationship with
21 private sector health care provider to ensure
22 mainstreaming of the tribal health care service
23 delivery system; and

24 WHEREAS, these strategic goals are consistent with the expressed
25 intent of the Indian Self-Determination and Education
26 Assistance Act, P.L. 93-638; and

27 WHEREAS, P. L. 93-638 provides the Tohono O'Odham Nation direct
28 authority and responsibility in determining and
29 responding to the Tribally identified health care needs
30 of the community as well as insuring the organizational
31 growth and development of the Tohono O'odham Health
32 Department; and

WHEREAS, the Tohono O'Odham Health Board believes this can be
accomplished efficiently and rapidly through the
continuation of the Demonstration Project now being
funded through an appropriation from the U.S. Congress;
and

WHEREAS, this effort is consistent with current Federal
administrative policy and will demonstrate the efficient

1 use of limited Federal fiscal resources available for
2 health care services.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'Odham
4 Legislative Council is in support of the Tohono O'Odham
5 Health Department Demonstration Project as it continues
6 to develop the Nation's capacity to manage and
7 administer a comprehensive health care service delivery
8 system.

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tohono O'Odham Nation is
10 requesting that the Demonstration Project currently
11 underway to accomplish this initiative be continued.

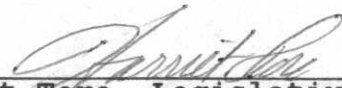
12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tohono O'Odham Nation shall seek
13 continued Congressional support and appropriate funding
14 for Year Three of this Project.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tohono O'Odham Health Department
16 will continue to brief the Tohono O'Odham Legislative
17 Council on the status of this Project.

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tohono O'Odham Health Department
19 shall be responsible for Project oversight and will
20 provide appropriate direction throughout the Project.

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22 The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'Odham Council
23 on the 10th day of February, 1989 at a meeting at which a
24 quorum was present with a vote of 1,336.0 for; -0- against;
25 63.0 not voting; and 241.0 absent, pursuant to the powers
26 vested in the Council by Section 1 (c), (2), & (f) of Article VI
of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the
Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986, and approved by the
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations)
on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18,
1934 (48 Stat. 984).

27 TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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Harriet Toro, Legislative Chairperson

31 15th day of February, 1989.

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ATTEST:

Teresa M. Choyguha
Teresa M. Choyguha, Legislative Secretary

15th day of February, 1989.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 15 day of Feb., 1989, at 1:53 o'clock, P.M., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of submittal.

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Andrew M. Patricio
Harriet Toro, Legislative Chairperson

[X] APPROVED) on the 17 day of February, 1989,
[] DISAPPROVED) at 4:33 o'clock, P.M.

for Enos J. Francisco, Jr.
ENOS J. FRANCISCO, JR., Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 17th day of February, 1989, at 4:52 o'clock, P.M.

Teresa M. Choyguha
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Legislative Secretary

MOVED: Tony Felix

SUBJECT: Support of Third Year

SECOND: Joseph Juan

Funding of TOHD Demonstration

DATE: February 10, 1989

Project

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DISTRICTS	REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
CHUKUT KUK 169.0	1. Rosita Ruiz (Rosemary Lopez)	84.5	X			X
	2. Harriet Toro ()	84.5	X			
HICKIWAN 128.0	1. Lloyd Francisco (Eleanor Santos)	64.0	X			
	2. Henry Ramon (Billy Manuel)	64.0	X			
GU VO 117.0	1. Cross Antone (Juan Joe Cipriano)	58.5	X			
	2. Virgil Lewis (Roy Montana)	58.5	X			
SAN LUCY 85.0	1. John Reno ()	42.5	X			
	2. Max Jose (Dewey Ortega)	42.5	X			
PISINEMO 116.0	1. Edward Manuel (Alex Antone)	58.0	X			
	2. Johnson Jose ()	58.0	X			
GU ACHI 158.0	1. Fernando Joaquin ()	79.0	X			
	2. Percy Lopez ()	79.0	X			
BABOQUIVARI 241.0	1. Joann Garcia (Frances Miguel)	120.5				X
	2. Kenneth Chico, Sr. ()	120.5				X
SAN XAVIER 126.0	1. Tony Felix (Carmelita Mattias)	63.0	X			
	2. Eugene Enis (Michael Rios)	63.0			X	
SCHUK TOAK 105.0	1. Joseph Juan (Frances Francisco)	52.5	X			
	2. Julia Carrillo (JoAnn Francisco)	52.5	X			
SELLS 257.0	1. Fred Stevens ()	128.5	X			
	2. Andrew Patricio (Daniel Lopez)	128.5	X			
SIF OIDAK 138.0	1. Willard Juan, Sr. (Melissa Gregorio)	69.0	X			
	2. Nicholas Jose (Letitia Garcia)	69.0	X			
TOTAL		1,640.0	1,336.0	-0-	63.0	241.0