

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Alternative Council Salary Adjustment)

RESOLUTION NO. 09-630

1 **WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Legislative Council with the**
2 **broad legislative and fiscal powers, including the power to manage, appropriate, and**
3 **authorize the expenditure of any funds within the exclusive control of the Tohono**
4 **O'odham Nation (Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, Article VI, Section**
5 **1(d)(2)); and**

6 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Rules of the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council provide that**
7 **"Legislative Council representatives, including the legislative officers, shall be**
8 **compensated at annual salaries to be established by the Legislative Council.**
9 **Representatives' salaries shall be comparable to other officials of the Nation and shall**
10 **not be decreased during a representative's term of office..." (Legislative Rules, Article**
11 **X, Section 1); and**

12 **WHEREAS, the Nation's Treasurer has calculated salary adjustments for Legislative Council**
13 **representatives in accordance with the Alternative Council Salary Calculation, which**
14 **is incorporated by reference, to provide for equal pay to all representatives.**

15 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that, effective**
16 **retroactive to October 1, 2009, it hereby adjusts the FY 2010 annual salaries of**
17 **Legislative Council representatives to the levels shown in the Alternative Council**
18 **Salary Calculation; provided that such adjustments shall be funded with FY 2010**
19 **surplus funds.**

20 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that all Legislative Council**
21 **representatives who are seated during FY 2010 shall be paid an FY 2010 base salary of**
22 **\$65,000.00.**

23 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the annualized amount**
24 **of the foregoing Legislative Council adjustments and related fringe benefits as shown**
25 **in the Alternative Council Salary Calculation is \$608,697.28, which shall be added to**
26 **the Legislative Branch FY 2010 base budget and the budget shall be amended**
27 **accordingly.**

28 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 07TH. Day**
29 **of DECEMBER, 2009 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,409.0 FOR;**
30 **1,186.50 AGAINST; -03-NOT VOTING; and [05] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council**
31 **by Article IV, Section 1 (d) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the**
32 **Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
33 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
34 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**
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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Felicia Nunez for
Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

9th day of December, 2009

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ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

7 day of December, 2009.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 9th day of December, 2009 at 12:49 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

Felicia Nunez for
Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 11 day of December, 2009

DISAPPROVED

at 12:44 o'clock, P.M.

Ned Morris, Jr.
NED MORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 11 day of

December, 2009, at 12:46 o'clock, P.M.

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING ALTERNATIVE COUNCIL SALARY ADJUSTMENT

MOVED: COUNCILMAN TIMOTHY JOAQUIN

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES MIGUEL

DATE: DECEMBER 07, 2009

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF Oidak 198.7	1. WAVALENE ROMERO (Nicholas Jose)	99.35		X		X
	2. MARY LOPEZ ()	99.35		X		
SELLS 449.6	1. KIMBERLY LISTO ()	224.80		X		
	2. EVELYN B. JUAN MANUEL ()	224.80		X		
SCHUK TOAK 159.0	1. FRANCES B. CONDE (Fredrick Jose)	79.50		X		
	2. LINDA PARLEY (Agnes Joaquin)	79.50		X		
SAN XAVIER 204.7	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ ()	102.35		X		
	2. OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON (Eugene Enis)	102.35		X		X
SAN LUCY 187.1	1. LORRAINE EILER (Charlotte Cadavas)	93.55	X			X
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	93.55	X			
PISINEMO 184.5	1. CHESTER ANTONE (<i>Absent</i>) (Tony Murrietta) (<i>Present</i>)	92.25	X			
	2. EDWARD MANUEL (Gerald Fayuant)	92.25	X		X	
HICKIWAN 174.5	1. MICHELLE ORTEGA ()	87.25		X		
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	87.25		X		X
GU VO 206.3	1. GRACE MANUEL ()	103.15	X			
	2. PAMELA ANGHILL (Angela Ortiz)	103.15	X		X	
GU ACHI 230.1	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN ()	115.05	X			
	2. CYNTHIA E. MANUEL (Louis J. Johnson)	115.05	X		X	
CHUKUT KUK 277.0	1. ETHEL GARCIA (Sara Mae Williams)	138.50	X			
	2. VERLON M. JOSE ()	138.50	X			X
BABOQUIVARI 324.0	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Roberta Harvey)	162.0	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Vernon Smith)	162.0	X			
TOTAL		2,595.50	1,409.0	1,186.50	-03-	[05]