

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Robert Santa Cruz's Research Proposal)

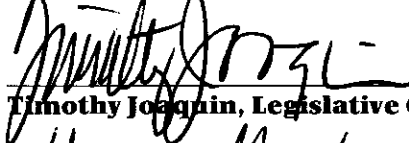
RESOLUTION NO. 20-076

- 1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is vested with the authority to "promote,**
2 **protect and provide for public health, peace, morals, education and general**
3 **welfare of the Tohono O'odham Nation and its members" (Constitution, Article VI,**
4 **Section 1(c)(2)); and**
- 5 **WHEREAS, Robert Santa Cruz, a Nation's member, presented his research proposal "An**
6 **Exploration of O'odham Community Members' Views on Language and Culture**
7 **Loss, and on Revitalization" to the Cultural Preservation and Human Resources**
8 **Development Committees; and**
- 9 **WHEREAS, Robert Santa Cruz's research will analyze the effects of language and culture loss**
10 **and explore efforts to revitalize O'odham language and to strengthen the core**
11 **values O'odham retain of their social, political, and spiritual existence; and**
- 12 **WHEREAS, Robert Santa Cruz plans to conduct talking circles to discuss language and**
13 **O'odham core values, including perspectives on health, economics, social life,**
14 **and traditional practices; and**
- 15 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation's Institutional Review Board, which is authorized by**
16 **17 Tohono O'odham Code Chapter 8 to review and approve research proposals**
17 **does not have a sufficient number of Board members appointed for a quorum;**
18 **and**
- 19 **WHEREAS, the Cultural Preservation and Human Resources Development Committees**
20 **reviewed Robert Santa Cruz's proposal and supports Robert Santa Cruz's**
21 **research.**
- 22 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that notwithstanding Section 8107 of 17 Tohono O'odham**
23 **Code Chapter 8, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves Robert Santa**
24 **Cruz's research proposal "An Exploration of O'odham Community Members'**
25 **Views on Language and Culture Loss, and on Revitalization" provided that Robert**
26 **Santa Cruz will update the Cultural Preservation Committee upon request.**
- 27 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that 17 Tohono O'odham Code Chapter 8, Section 8106 (5) regarding**
28 **assurances of confidentiality, informed consent forms, and other provisions of**
29 **Chapter 8 that can be implemented in the absence of an appointed Institutional**
30 **Review Board shall remain applicable to the project.**
- 31 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that ongoing supervision**
32 **of this research be transferred to the Tohono O'odham Institutional Review**
33 **Board when enough Board members sufficient for a quorum are appointed.**
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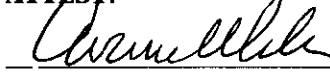
The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 04TH day of MARCH, 2020 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,175.7 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [01] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Article VI, Section 1(c)(2) 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).

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman
4 day of March, 2020

ATTEST:



Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary
4 day of March, 2020

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 4 day of March, 2020 at 4:39 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



Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

DISAPPROVED

on the 05 day of March, 2020
at 8:26 o'clock, A .m.



NED NORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 5 day of
March, 2020, at 9:01 o'clock, a.m.



Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING ROBERT SANTA CRUZ'S RESEARCH PROPOSAL

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN EVELYN JUAN MANUEL

SECOND: COUNCILMAN ARTHUR WILSON

DATE: MARCH 04, 2020

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 384.8	1. LEANDER MASE (Francine Schooling) 2. ALBERTA J. RAY (Frances G. Antone)	192.40 192.40	X X			
CHUKUT KUK 347.5	1. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (<i>Absent</i>) (Juanita Homer) (<i>Present</i>) 2. MARIKAY HENRY (Billman Lopez)	173.75 173.75	X X			X
GUACHI 279.3	1. VICTORIA HOBBS () 2. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)	139.65 139.65	X X			
GU VO 264.5	1. DALLAS LEWIS (Nacho Flores) 2. GRACE MANUEL ()	132.25 132.25	X X			
HICKIWAN 213.8	1. SANDRA D. ORTEGA () 2. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Delma M. Garcia)	106.90 106.90	X X			
PISINEMO 230.7	1. MONICA K. MORGAN () 2. MARIETTA MARTIN ()	115.35 115.35	X X			
SAN LUCY 235.6	1. GLORIA RAMIREZ () 2. JANA MONTANA (<i>Absent</i>) (Lorraine M. Eiler) (<i>Present</i>)	117.80 117.80	X X			
SAN XAVIER 238.9	1. JANICE FELIX (Adam Andrews) 2. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III (Racheal Vilson-Stoner)	119.45 119.45	X X			
SCHUK TOAK 189.0	1. QUINTIN C. LOPEZ (Agnes V. Joaquin) 2. TERESA F. DONAHUE (Alberta Espinoza)	94.50 94.50	X X			
SELLS 547.1	1. EVELYN JUAN MANUEL () 2. ARTHUR WILSON ()	273.55 273.55	X X			
SIF OIDAK 244.5	1. LUCINDA ALLEN (Yolonda Garcia) 2. MARY LOPEZ (Ann M. Garcia)	122.25 122.25	X X			
TOTAL		3,175.7	3,175.7	-0-	-0-	[01]