

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Appointing Representative Jana Montana as the Nation's Representative to the International Sonoran Desert Alliance Board of Directors and Representative Marlakay Henry as Alternate)**

RESOLUTION NO. 21-352

1 **WHEREAS,** the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is vested with the power "to promote
2 efforts which will preserve and protect the natural and cultural environment of
3 the Tohono O'odham Nation" and the responsibility to "[p]reserve important
4 historic, cultural and natural aspects of Tohono O'odham national heritage, and
5 maintain . . . an environment which supports diversity" (Constitution of the
6 Tohono O'odham Nation, Article XVIII, Section 1 and Section 2(d)); and

7 **WHEREAS,** the stated purpose of the International Sonoran Desert Alliance ("ISDA"), a non-
8 profit corporation founded in 1993, is "to design and implement projects that
9 promote education, environmental conservation, cultural preservation, and
10 sustainable economic development that protect the natural and diverse cultural
11 heritage of the Sonoran Desert." (ISDA Bylaws, Article II); and

12 **WHEREAS,** the governing board of the ISDA is comprised of up to 20 elected or appointed
13 certified general members representing the indigenous and non-indigenous
14 resident citizens of the United States and Mexico, including an official
15 representative and alternate of the Nation who are appointed by the Legislative
16 Council (ISDA Bylaws, Article V, Section 5.1.1.); and

17 **WHEREAS,** by Resolution No. 20-165, the Legislative Council appointed Representative
18 Dallas Lewis to serve as the Nation's alternate and Representative Dallas Lewis no
19 longer serves on the Legislative Council; and

20 **WHEREAS,** the Agricultural and Natural Resources Committee recommends the
21 appointment of Representative Jana Montana as the Nation's representative and
22 Representative Marlakay Henry as alternate to the ISDA Board of Directors.

23 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council appoints
24 Representative Jana Montana as the Nation's representative and Representative
25 Marlakay Henry as alternate to the ISDA Board of Directors.

26 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that any appointments
27 made pursuant to this resolution shall immediately expire if the appointed
28 representatives no longer serve on the Agricultural and Natural Resources
29 Committee for any reason.
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The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 14TH day of SEPTEMBER, 2021 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,001.4 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and 216.6 [04] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by, Article XVIII Sections 1 and 2(d) 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

Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

17 day of Sept, 2021

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson

Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

15 day of September, 2021

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 17 day of Sept, 2021 at 4:32 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

Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 20 day of September, 2021

DISAPPROVED

at 1:32 o'clock, P .m.

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

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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 20 day of

September, 2021, at 4:24 o'clock, p.m.

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Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPOINTING REPRESENTATIVE JANA MONTANA AS THE NATION'S REPRESENTATIVE TO THE INTERNATIONAL SONORAN DESERT ALLIANCE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND REPRESENTATIVE MARLAKAY HENRY AS ALTERNATE

Moved: COUNCILWOMAN TERESA DONAHUE

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN MARLAKAY HENRY

DATE: SEPTEMBER 14, 2021

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF OIDAK 245.6	1. MARY LOPEZ (Ann M. Garcia) 2. LUCINDA ALLEN (Francis Homewytewa)	122.8 122.8	X X			
SELLS 556.5	1. ARTHUR WILSON () 2. EVELYN JUAN-MANUEL (Arvada Liston)	278.25 278.25	X X			
SCHUK TOAK 190.5	1. TERESA F. DONAHUE (Alberta Espinoza) 2. DELISA M. RAMON (Sharon A. Francisco)	95.25 95.25	X X			
SAN XAVIER 242.6	1. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III (Racheal Vilson-Stoner) 2. JANICE FELIX (Adam P. Andrews)	121.3 121.3	X X			
SAN LUCY 243.8	1. JANA MONTANA (Lorraine M. Eiler) 2. ROGER MANUEL (Christina Andrews)	121.9 121.9	X X			X
PISINEMO 232.7	1. MARIETTA MARTIN () 2. EDWARD D. MANUAL (Monica Morgan)	116.35 116.35	X X			
HICKIWAN 216.6	1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ () 2. SANDRA D. ORTEGA (Absent) (Delma M. Garcia) (Present)	108.3 108.3				X X
GU VO 270.7	1. GRACE MANUEL () 2. CYNTHIA SAAVEDRA (Dallas Lewis)	135.35 135.35	X X			
GU ACHI 278.5	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN () 2. VICTORIA HOBBS (Tonya L. Joaquin)	139.25 139.25	X X			X
CHUKUT KUK 351.6	1. MARLAKAY HENRY (Billman Lopez) 2. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (Cornelius Antone)	175.8 175.8	X X			
BABOQUIVARI 388.9	1. ALBERTA J. RAY (Frances G. Antone) 2. LEANDER MASE (Francine Schooling)	194.45 194.45	X X			
	TOTAL	3,218.0	3,001.4	-0-	-0-	216.6 [04]