

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving the FY 2022 Attorney Contract between the Tohono O'odham Nation and
Yoder & Langford, P.C. regarding 401(k) Retirement Plan Matters)

RESOLUTION NO. 22-013

1 **WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Legislative Council with**
2 **the power "to employ legal counsel for the protection and advancement of the**
3 **Tohono O'odham Nation..." (Constitution, of the Tohono O'odham Nation, Article**
4 **VI, Section 2(a)); and**

5 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation has for several years contracted with the law firm of**
6 **Yoder & Langford, P.C. for legal services related to the Nation's 401(k) Retirement**
7 **Plan, under the direction of the Nation's Attorney General, to assist the 401(k)**
8 **Plan Trustees and the Nation's Human Resources Department; and**

9 **WHEREAS, the Human Resources Department has prepared and submitted for review and**
10 **approval the FY2022 Attorney Contract between the Tohono O'odham Nation and**
11 **Yoder & Langford, P.C. for legal services related to the Nation's 401(k) Retirement**
12 **Plan for the period beginning October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022, which**
13 **is attached; and**

14 **WHEREAS, the Human Resources Development and Domestic Affairs Committees have**
15 **reviewed the Attorney Contract and recommend its approval.**

16 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the**
17 **FY2022 Attorney Contract between the Tohono O'odham Nation and Yoder &**
18 **Langford, P.C., for the period beginning October 1, 2021 through September 30,**
19 **2022 in the amount of \$25,000.00, which shall be funded by the FY2022 Human**
20 **Resources Department Budget.**

21 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the chairperson of**
22 **the Nation is authorized to execute the Attorney Contract in substantially the**
23 **form attached.**

24 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 11TH**
25 **day of JANUARY, 2022 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,218,0 FOR; -0-**
26 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and -0- ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by,**
27 **Article VI, Section 2(a) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the**
28 **Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
29 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
30 **18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL


Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

15 day of January, 2022

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1 ATTEST:

2 Evonne Wilson for:
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4 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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6 11 day of January, 2022
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8 Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono
9 O'odham Nation on the 13 day of January, 2022 at 11:49 o'clock, A .m.,
10 pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become
11 effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48
12 hours of submittal.

13 TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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17 Timothy Joaquin for
18 Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman
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23 APPROVED on the 13 day of January, 2022
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25 DISAPPROVED at 12:01 o'clock, p .m.

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27 Ned Norris, Jr. for
28 Ned Norris, Jr., Chairman
29 TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION
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35 Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 13 day of
36 January, 2022, at 12:10 o'clock, p .m.

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39 Evonne Wilson for
40 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary
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ACTION: APPROVING THE FY 2022 ATTORNEY CONTRACT BETWEEN THE TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION AND YODER & LANGFORD, P.C. REGARDING 401(K) RETIREMENT PLAN MATTERS

Moved: COUNCILWOMAN JANICE FELIX

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN DELISA M. RAMON

DATE: JANUARY 11, 2022

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