

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Authorizing the Plan to Create a Mexican Civil Association and Approving Bylaws and
Articles of Incorporation for the Mexican Civil Association)

RESOLUTION NO. 22-363

1 **WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Legislative Council with**
2 **the authority "to promote, protect and provide for public health, peace, morals,**
3 **education and general welfare of the Tohono O'odham Nation and its members"**
4 **and "to authorize, charter and regulate public or private corporations and**
5 **associations whether organized for profit, or for non-profit or charitable**
6 **purposes" (Constitution, Article VI, Section 1(c)(2) and Section 1(b)); and**

7 **WHEREAS, in accordance with Resolution No. 20-331, the Nation's chairperson and vice**
8 **chairperson seek approval to create a Mexican civil association; and**

9 **WHEREAS, the Agricultural and Natural Resources Committee reviewed the Plan to Create a**
10 **Mexican Civil Association, which is confidential and incorporated by this**
11 **reference as Exhibit A; and**

12 **WHEREAS, the Agricultural and Natural Resources Committee reviewed the Bylaws and**
13 **Articles of Incorporation for the Mexican Civil Association, which are confidential**
14 **and incorporated by this reference as Exhibit B; and**

15 **WHEREAS, the Agricultural and Natural Resources Committee recommends authorization**
16 **of the Plan to Create a Mexican Civil Association as well as approval of the Bylaws**
17 **and Articles of Incorporation for the Mexican Civil Association.**

18 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council:**

- 19 **1. authorizes execution of the Plan to Create a Mexican Civil Association,**
20 **which is confidential and incorporated herein as Exhibit A; and**
- 21 **2. approves the Bylaws and Articles of Incorporation for the Mexican Civil**
22 **Association, which are confidential and incorporated herein as Exhibit B;**
23 **and**
- 24 **3. empowers the Nation's Chairman, Ned Norris, Jr., or his official designee**
25 **to undertake all actions necessary to implement the Plan as well as the**
26 **Bylaws and Articles of Incorporation, provided that the Agricultural and**
27 **Natural Resources Committee shall be updated monthly and Legislative**
28 **Council shall be updated quarterly.**

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The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 27th day of SEPTEMBER, 2022 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,328.55 FOR; 332.95 AGAINST; 556.5 [2] NOT VOTING; and [04] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by, Article VI, Section 1(b) and 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
Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman
27 day of September, 2022

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary
27 day of September, 2022

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 27 day of September, 2022 at 3:32 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 27 day of September, 2022

DISAPPROVED

at 3:35 o'clock, p.m.

Ned Norris, Jr.
NED NORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 27 day of

September, 2022, at 3:44 o'clock, p.m.


Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: AUTHORIZING THE PLAN TO CREATE A MEXICAN CIVIL ASSOCIATION AND APPROVING BYLAWS AND ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR THE MEXICAN CIVIL ASSOCIATION

Moved: COUNCILWOMAN MARLAKAY HENRY

SECOND: COUNCILMAN ROGER MANUEL

DATE: SEPTEMBER 27, 2022

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF OIDAK 245.6	1. MARY LOPEZ (<i>Absent</i>) (Ann M. Garcia) (<i>Present</i>)	122.8	X			X
	2. LUCINDA ALLEN (Francis Homewytewa)	122.8	X			
SELLS 556.5	1. ARTHUR WILSON (<i>Absent</i>) (Shelia Espino) (<i>Present</i>)	278.25			X	X
	2. EVELYN JUAN-MANUEL (Arvada Liston)	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 L.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 (Lorraine M. Eiler)	121.9	X			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	X	
	2. DELMA M. GARCIA ()	108.3		X		
GU VO 270.7	1. GRACE MANUEL ()	135.35	X			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	2,328.55	332.95	556.5 [02]	[04]