

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Fiscal Year 2024 Tohono O'odham Nation Health Care American Rescue Plan Act and Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act Budgets)

RESOLUTION NO. 24-113

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is authorized "to manage any funds**
2 **within the exclusive control of the Tohono O'odham Nation . . . and to appropriate**
3 **these funds for the benefit of the nation and its members" provided that "[a]ll**
4 **expenditures of these funds shall be pursuant to appropriations or budgets"**
5 **authorized by resolution or ordinance (Constitution of the Tohono O'odham**
6 **Nation, Article VI, Section 1(d)(2)); and**

7 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation Health Care's ("TONHC") Governing Body has**
8 **prepared and submitted for review and approval its Fiscal Year 2024 TONHC**
9 **American Rescue Plan Act ("ARPA") and Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic**
10 **Security Act ("CARES") budgets in the amount of \$6,585,119.00; and**

11 **WHEREAS, TONHC has prepared and submitted for review and approval its FY 2024 TONHC**
12 **ARPA budgets which is incorporated by this reference, as follows:**

13	New ARPA TONHC Environmental Health Support Budget	\$ 114,458.00
14	New ARPA TONHC Facilities Equipment	\$ 328,474.00
15	New ARPA TONHC Facilities Support	\$ 287,355.00
16	New ARPA TONHC M&I, Leasing, Construction, Purchasing	\$5,189,611.00
17	New CARES DOIT Budget	\$ 665,221.00
18		TOTAL \$6,585,119.00;

19 **and**

20 **WHEREAS, these budgets shall be funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human**
21 **Services; and**

22 **WHEREAS, the Health and Human Services and Budget and Finance Committees have**
23 **reviewed the FY 2024 TONHC ARPA and CARES budgets and recommends**
24 **approval.**

25 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the**
26 **FY 2024 TONHC ARPA and CARES budgets as detailed herein, effective October 1,**
27 **2023, and which can continue to be used through September 30, 2025.**

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1	New CARES DOIT Budget	\$ 665,221.00
2		TOTAL \$6,585,119.00

3 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Nation's Accounting Office may carry forward any unused
4 balances to Fiscal Year 2025.

5 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the Tohono O'odham
6 Nation chairperson or any designated official is authorized to administer and
7 expend the FY 2024 TONHC ARPA and CARES Budgets, provided that any
8 amendments or modifications shall be submitted for prior approval by the
9 Tohono O'odham Legislative Council.

10 The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 09TH
11 day of APRIL 2024 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,263.3 FOR; -0-
12 AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [01] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by
13 Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) and (3) the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the
14 Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant
15 Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June
16 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).

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18 TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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20 *Wavalene M. Saunders* vice Chairwoman
21 Wavalene M. Saunders Legislative Chairwoman
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23 15TH day of April, 2024

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27 ATTEST:

28 *Evonne Wilson*
29 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary
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31 11 day of April, 2024

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34 Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono
35 O'odham Nation on the 15TH day of April, 2024 at 9:57 o'clock, A.m.,
36 pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become
37 effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48
38 hours of submittal.

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APPROVED

on the 15 day of April, 2024

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at 7:32 o'clock, p. .m.



VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 16 day of

April, 2024, at 11:30 o'clock, a .m.



Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary