

**LEGISLATIVE ORDER OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**  
**(Approving the March and April 2024 Minutes)**

**LEGISLATIVE ORDER NO. 24-149**

1 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Council is vested with the power “to establish rules and  
2 procedures to regulate all meetings of the Tohono O’odham Council, standing  
3 committees, boards and special committees.” (Constitution of the Tohono  
4 O’odham Nation, Article VI, Section 1(a)); and

5 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Rules of the Tohono O’odham Legislative Council provide the  
6 process for recording Legislative Council sessions and preparing summarized  
7 minutes for review and approval by the Legislative Council and “approved  
8 minutes shall become the official minutes and the property of the Tohono  
9 O’odham Nation” (Legislative Rules, Article V); and

10 **WHEREAS,** pursuant to Legislative Rules, Article V, Section 2(C), “[a]ll summarized minutes  
11 shall include the following: the title of each agenda item, presenter’s name, and  
12 for each legislative action shall include the action’s title, the representative  
13 making the motion and second, action number, and the vote count.”; and

14 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Secretary has presented a draft of the summarized minutes for  
15 the:

16 - March 04, 05, 06 and 07, 2024 General Session

17 - March 15, 2024 Special Session

18 - April 08, 09, 10, 11 and 12, 2024 General Session

19 - April 17, 2024 Special Session

20 for review and approval by the Legislative Council; and

21 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Council has reviewed the minutes and made necessary  
22 corrections.

23 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED** that the Tohono O’odham Legislative Council approves the  
24 minutes for:

25 - March 04, 05, 06 and 07, 2024 General Session

26 - March 15, 2024 Special Session

27 - April 08, 09, 10, 11 and 12, 2024 General Session

28 - April 17, 2024 Special Session.

29 **The foregoing Order was passed by the Tohono O’odham Legislative Council on the 08<sup>TH</sup> day of**  
30 **MAY, 2024 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,263.3 FOR; -0- AGAINST;**  
31 **-0- NOT VOTING; and [04] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Article VI,**  
32 **Section 1(a) of the Constitution of the Tohono O’odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O’odham**  
33 **Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian**  
34 **Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48**  
35 **Stat.984).**

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

*Wavalene M. Saunders*

Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

14 day of May, 2024

ATTEST:

*Evonne Wilson*

Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

14 day of May, 2024

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**ACTION: APPROVING THE MARCH AND APRIL 2024 MINUTES**

**MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN JANICE FELIX**

**SECOND: VICE CHAIRWOMAN MARLAKAY HENRY**

**DATE: MAY 08, 2024**

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 394.2	1. LEANDER MASE (Francine Schooling) 2. JESSE NAVARRO (Alberta J. Ray)	197.1 197.1	X X			
CHUKUT KUK 354.7	1. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (Cornelius Antone) 2. MARLAKAY HENRY ( )	177.35 177.35	X X			
GUACHI 282.7	1. VICTORIA HOBBS (Tonya L. Joaquin) 2. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Jerome L. Joaquin)	141.35 141.35	X			
GU VO 276.0	1. DALLAS LEWIS ( ) 2. LESLIE LUNA (Grace Manuel)	138.0 138.0	X X			
HICKIWAN 220.5	1. DELMA M. GARCIA ( ) 2. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Loretta A. Ortega)	110.25 110.25	X X			X
PISINEMO 236.2	1. EDWARD D. MANUAL (Monica Morgan) 2. PAMELA J. BENAVIDEZ (Nora J. Ruelas)	118.1 118.1	X X			X
SAN LUCY 257.6	1. ROGER MANUEL ( <i>Absent</i> ) (Christina Andrews) ( <i>Present</i> ) 2. GLORIA M. RAMIREZ (Lorraine M. Eiler)	128.8 128.8	X X			X
SAN XAVIER 244.5	1. JANICE FELIX ( ) 2. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III ( )	122.25 122.25	X X			X
SCHUK TOAK 191.8	1. DELISA M. RAMON (Sharon A. Francisco) 2. THEORIA CAMPILLO (Rebecca Ann Valentine)	95.9 95.9	X X			
SELLS 558.0	1. EVELYN JUAN-MANUEL (Arvada Liston) 2. JANET B. ELEANDO ( )	279.0 279.0	X X			
SIF OIDA 247.1	1. LUCINDA ALLEN (Francis Homewytewa) 2. WAVALENE M. SAUNDERS (Mary Lopez)	123.55 123.55	X X			
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,263.30</b>	<b>3,263.3</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>[04]</b>