

RESOLUTION NO. 15-1056

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CHINO VALLEY, COUNTY OF YAVAPAI, ARIZONA, EXPRESSING AND PROVIDING SUPPORT FOR SAGAN UNIVERSITY, AN ONLINE, NON-PROFIT, EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION PROVIDING SERVICE TO NATIVE AMERICANS AND UNDERSERVED POPULATIONS THROUGH LOCAL INDIAN NATIONS TRIBAL GAMING REVENUES FOR THE PERIOD FROM MARCH 24, 2015 THROUGH APRIL 1, 2016

WHEREAS, the "Indian Gaming Preservation and Self-Reliance Act" (Proposition 202) provides for tribes to distribute a certain percentage of gaming revenues to cities, towns and counties to be used for governmental services that benefit the general public; including public safety, mitigation of impacts of gaming, and promotion of commerce and economic development; the Town of Chino Valley has applied for and accepted such distributions in the past; and

WHEREAS, there is a significant population of educationally underserved citizens in Yavapai County in general, and within the boundaries of Chino Valley in particular; and

WHEREAS, SAGAN University will be providing degree programs, general academic preparation programs through the Keystone Project, and one-on-one student mentoring through the WALP program and its lead sponsor, and

WHEREAS, SAGAN University would provide excellent educational services to the citizens of Chino Valley;

WHEREAS, while the tribes prefer to have requests for distributions made by resolution, the process used by the tribes and the deadlines established often does not allow time for the Town Council to act by resolution in a timely manner; and

WHEREAS, authorizing the Town Manager for the Town of Chino Valley to support requests to local tribes for the distribution of funds to SAGAN University would ensure the University's ability to make application for funds in a timely manner;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Chino Valley, Arizona, that

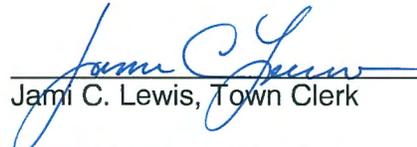
Section 1. For the period from March 24, 2015 through April 1, 2016, the town manager of the township of Chino Valley is hereby authorized to support applications on behalf of SAGAN University to local Indian tribes for those portions of gaming revenues required to be distributed for educational services that will benefit the general public. The acceptance of any such funds by the Town will, however, be subject to approval by the Town Council which may include entering into intergovernmental agreements with the tribes providing the funds.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Chino Valley this 24th day of March.



Chris Marley, Mayor

ATTEST:



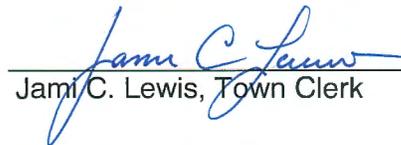
Jami C. Lewis, Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Curtis, Goodwin, Sullivan, Udall & Schwab, PLC
Town Attorneys
By: Phyllis Smiley

I hereby certify the above foregoing Resolution No. 15-1056 duly passed by the Council of the Town of Chino Valley, Arizona, at a regular meeting held on March 24, 2015, and that quorum was present thereat and that the vote thereon was 7 ayes, and 0 nays, and 0 abstentions. 0 Council members were absent or excused.



Jami C. Lewis, Town Clerk