



GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY

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The First Regular Monthly Meeting of the Community Council will be held **Wednesday, May 1, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.**, Community Council Chambers, Governance Center, Sacaton, Arizona.

AGENDA

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. INVOCATION

C. ROLL CALL

D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

E. PRESENTATIONS/INTRODUCTIONS

1. Introduction – 2024-2025 Miss and Jr. Miss Gila River Court

Roberto A. Jackson
Michael Preston
Kelly Whitman

F. REPORTS

- 1. Community Technology Center FY2023/2024 2nd Quarter Report
- 2. Pee-Posh Veterans' Association 3rd Quarter Budget Report
- 3. Pee-Posh Veterans' Association 4th Quarter Budget Report
- 4. Pee-Posh Veterans' Association Final Budget Report
- 5. K-12 Education Program Quarter 2 Report SY 2023-2024
- 6. Fellowship Update – O'odham Inspired 3D Models
- 7. Gila River Gaming Commission Department Report to the Community Council March 2024 (**Executive Session**)

Connie Jackson

Arnie Bread, Sr.
Veronica Kinsel

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Anna Edwards

Leonard Bruce

Gaming Commission
M. Scott Sanderson
Lydia Acosta

(Reports continued)

8. Gila River Gaming Enterprises, Inc. Monthly Report March 2024
(Executive Session)

Kenneth Manuel
Dominic Orozco
Richard Strafella
Blake Katsnelson
Tony DeMark
Interim Oversight &
Planning Committee

9. Schedule of Investments – March 31, 2024 (Executive Session)

Treasurer Gary T. Mix

G. RESOLUTIONS

1. A Resolution Authorizing And Approving The Gila River Indian Community Through The Victim Services Department To Accept From The United States Department Of Justice, Office Of Justice Programs, Office Of Victims Of Crime, The 2023 Tribal Victim Services Set Aside Formula Grant
(G&MSC forwards to Council with a recommendation for approval; H&SSC concurs)

Katherine Lewis
Marisa Cervantes

2. A Resolution Approving The Gila River Indian Community Grants Administration Policy
(G&MSC forwards to Council with a recommendation for approval)

Michael Preston
Gleebah Enos
Lisa Lindner
Michelle Bowman

3. A Resolution Authorizing The Gila River Indian Community Court To Submit A Grant Application To The United States Department Of Justice, Office Of Justice Programs, Bureau Of Justice Assistance, For The FY 2024 Adult Treatment Court Program Competitive Grant Solicitation
(G&MSC forwards to Council with a recommendation for approval; LSC concurs)

Rachel Hernandez

➤ 4. A Resolution Amending Ryan Allison's Tribal Homesite Assignment/Agreement By Dividing The Parcel Into Two Separate Parcels Located In District Three Within The Gila River Indian Reservation And Approving A Fifty Year Homesite Assignment/Agreement For Richard Allison
(NRSC forwards to Council with a recommendation for approval and placement on the consent agenda)

Subdivision Administration Team
Kimberly Cooper
Corinna Ortiz
Talia Apkaw
Ryan Allison
Richard Allison

5. A Resolution Approving The Petition For Membership For Brandon Jacob Tate Into The Gila River Indian Community
(LSC forwards to Council with a recommendation for approval)

Sheila Valenzuela

H. ORDINANCES

I. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Wild Horse Pass Water Infrastructure Update (**Executive Session**)
(EDSC forwards to Council in Executive Session under Unfinished Business)
Paul Vanderveen
Barney Enos, Jr.
Scott Bender
Suzanne Jones
Treasurer Gary T. Mix

J. NEW BUSINESS

1. Joint Residential Housing Improvement Program Home Abandonment Policy
(G&MSC forwards to Council under New Business with a recommendation to lift the moratorium on the abandonment of homesites; NRSC and LSC concur)
Kimberly Cooper
Wayne Allison
Lynette Johns
2. Gila River Indian Community Head Start/ Early Head Start Budget Modification Narrative
(G&MSC forwards to Council under New Business with a recommendation for approval)
Michelle Tohtsoni
Sherilyn Analla
3. Gila River Indian Community Head Start/ Early Head Start Carry Over Request Narrative
(G&MSC forwards to Council under New Business with a recommendation for approval)
Michelle Tohtsoni
Sherilyn Analla
4. Housing Advisory Committee Appointment – District Seven
(G&MSC forwards to Council under New Business with a recommendation to appoint Leola Lynch to the Housing Advisory Committee and for placement on the consent agenda)
Derwin Cooper
5. didg'wálic' Immersion Training
October 15-16, 2024 in Anacortes, Washington
(H&SSC forwards to Council for any interested Council Member to attend utilizing Dues & Delegations)
Health & Social
Standing Committee
6. 2024 Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Annual Regional Tribal Consultation May 14-15, 2024 in Las Vegas, Nevada
(H&SSC forwards to Council for any interested Council Member to attend utilizing Dues & Delegations)
Health & Social
Standing Committee
7. 50th Annual Arizona Rural Health Conference
June 4-5, 2024 in Flagstaff, Arizona
(H&SSC forwards to Council for any interested Council Member to attend utilizing Dues & Delegations)
Health & Social
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8. World Indigenous Suicide Prevention Conference
July 22-25, 2024 in Niagara Falls, New York
(H&SSC forwards to Council for any interested Council Member to attend utilizing Dues & Delegations)
Health & Social
Standing Committee
9. MYFA Concerns (**Executive Session**)
(H&SSC forwards to Council under New Business in Executive Session)
Health & Social
Standing Committee

(New Business continued)

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| 10. Government & Management Standing Committee Declaration of Vacancies to the Community Council – (3) Council Seats
<i>(G&MSC forwards to Council to declare (3) Council seat vacancies)</i> | Government & Management Standing Committee |
| 11. Legislative Standing Committee Declaration of Vacancies to the Community Council - (2) Council Seats
<i>(LSC forwards to Council to declare (2) Council seat vacancies)</i> | Legislative Standing Committee |
| 12. Education Standing Committee Declaration of Vacancy to the Community Council - (1) Council Seat
<i>(ESC forwards to Council to declare (1) Council Seat Vacancy)</i> | Education Standing Committee |
| 13. Economic Development Standing Committee Declaration of Vacancy to the Community Council (1) Council Seat
<i>(EDSC forwards to Council to declare (1) Council Seat vacancy)</i> | Economic Development Standing Committee |

K. MINUTES

L. ANNOUNCEMENTS

M. ADJOURNMENT

- Denotes a **CONSENT AGENDA ITEM**
- ◆ Denotes **TABLED** from previous meeting(s)