



GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY

HEALTH & SOCIAL STANDING COMMITTEE

Second Regular Meeting of Tuesday, November 25, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

Community Council Secretary's Office Conference Room B & C

Governance Center, Sacaton, Arizona

AGENDA

A. CALL TO ORDER

Nada Celaya, Chairwoman

B. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Committee

C. REPORTS

1. Residential Youth Program – Hiring Dashboard Updates

TeriLynne Kisto
Carol Colmenero

2. Guardianship Subsidy Update, Tribal Social Services

Carol Colmenero
Christina Lopez
Julian Garza
Curtis Slatina

3. Gila River People Foundation Quarterly Report
(July – September 2025)

GRPF Board of Directors
Dr. Anthony Santiago
Veronica Vaughn
Judith Roth

4. The Caring House Quality Assurance and Performance
Improvement Quarterly Summary – July-September 2025
(Executive Session)

GRHC Board of Directors
Russell Goddard
Linda Soto
Sarah Ramon
Owen Ayres
Susan Kelley
Dr. Anthony Santiago

D. RESOLUTIONS

- ♦ 1. A Resolution Authorizing And Approving The Center For
Disease Control And Prevention ("CDC") Grant Award For
Strengthening Public Health Systems And Services In Indian
Country CDC-RFA-TO-23-0001
2. A Resolution Authorizing The Gila River Indian Community
Services Department To Submit The Title VI 2026-2029
Older Americans Act Grant Application To The United States
Department Of Health And Human Services, Administration
Of Aging

James Tree

Mary Dixon
Laurie Thomas

E. ORDINANCES

F. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Protective Services Update

Suzanne Jones
Curtis Slatina

G. NEW BUSINESS

1. Community Strategic Plan – Mission and Values Statement Design

Treasurer Gary T. Mix
Steve Olkewicz
Shima Arab

2. Gila River Health Care Board of Directors – 2 Vacancies

Shannon White

3. 35th Annual Health Benefits Conference & Expo
January 20-22, 2026 Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida

Health & Social
Standing Committee

4. Mental Health Release and Discharge Planning
(**Executive Session**)

GRHC Board of Directors
Dr. Anthony Santiago
Kerry Van Volkinburgh
Nicholas Baldwin
Robert Yoder

5. Committee Concerns (**Executive Session**)

Duane Jackson, Jr.

H. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Committee

I. ANNOUNCEMENTS

J. ADJOURNMENT

♦ Indicates TABLED from previous meeting(s)