



GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY

GOVERNMENT & MANAGEMENT STANDING COMMITTEE

Second Regular Meeting of Monday, July 28, 2025 at 9:00 A.M.
Community Council Secretary's Office, Conference Room "B&C"
Governance Center, Sacaton, Arizona

AGENDA

A. CALL TO ORDER:

Anthony Villareal, Sr., Chairman

B. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Committee

C. REPORTS:

1. Community Technology Center FY2024/2025 3rd Quarter Report
Connie Jackson
2. Gila River Gaming Commission Department Report to the
Community Council June 2025 (**Executive Session**)
M. Scott Sanderson
Gila River Gaming Commission
3. Gila River Gaming Enterprises, Inc. Monthly Report
June 2025 (**Executive Session**)
Kenneth Manuel
Dominic Orozco
Blake Katsnelson
Tony DeMark
Interim Oversight &
Planning Committee
4. Investment Report ending June 30, 2025 (**Executive Session**)
Treasurer Gary T. Mix
5. Analysis Report (**Executive Session**)
Treasurer Gary T. Mix
Steve Olkewicz
Shima Arab

D. RESOLUTIONS:

1. A Resolution Approving The Gila River Indian Community's Office
Of Emergency Management To Submit Grant Applications For
Securing External Funding To Build And Expand Programs For
A Period Of Five (5) Years
Bruce Harvey
2. A Resolution Approving The Payment Of \$855,716 To The Gila
Crossing Community School, Inc. Using Gila Crossing 105(L)
Lease Capital Reserve Funds To Cover Operation And
Maintenance Shortfall
Todd Araujo
Michael Carter
3. A Resolution Of Consent To Grant A Temporary Special Event
Liquor License To Active Family Development Foundation For
Use At The Rawhide Western Town Event Center And Sonoran
Lawn On August 30, 2025
Duncan Wiston
Kaleb Lester
Lorenzo Sierra IV
4. A Resolution Of Consent To Grant A Temporary Special Event
Liquor License To Active Family Development Foundation For
Use At The Rawhide Western Town, The Event Center And The
Sonoran Lawn On September 12, 2025 And September 13, 2025
Duncan Wiston
Kaleb Lester
Lorenzo Sierra IV

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| 5. A Resolution Of Consent To Grant A Temporary Special Event Liquor License To Active Family Development Foundation For Use At The Rawhide Western Town Event Center And Sonoran Lawn On October 18, 2025 | Duncan Wiston
Kaleb Lester
Lorenzo Sierra IV |
| 6. A Resolution Approving The Assignment Of Approximately 39.568 Acres Of Community Trust Land (Cotton Gin Site) Within District 6 Of The Gila River Indian Reservation To The Gila River Farm For Agricultural Use | Gila River Farm Board
Benito Alvarez, Jr. |
| 7. A Resolution Approving FY2025 And FY2026 105 (L) Lease Renewals Between The Gila River Indian Community And The United States Department Of The Interior | Todd Araujo
Michael Carter |
| 8. A Resolution Approving The Gila River Gaming Enterprises, Inc. Operating Budget And Capital Projects Budget For Fiscal Year 2026 | Kenneth Manuel
Tony DeMark
Interim Oversight &
Planning Committee |
| 9. A Resolution Approving Modification No. 2 To The Gila River Indian Community Operating Budget For Fiscal Year 2025 | Treasurer Gary T. Mix |
| 10. A Resolution Approving Modification No. 61 To The Gila River Indian Community Capital Projects Fund Budget For Fiscal Years 2025 Through 2029 | Treasurer Gary T. Mix |
| 11. A Resolution Approving The Gila River Indian Community Internal Audit's Department Annual Audit Plan For Fiscal Year 2026 (Executive Session) | Dena Thomas |
| 12. A Resolution Approving The Attached Attorney Contract For An Assistant General Counsel, Position No. 700503003 (Executive Session) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 13. A Resolution Approving The Attached Attorney Contract For An Assistant General Counsel, Position No. 700503004 (Executive Session) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |
| 14. A Resolution Approving The Attached Attorney Contract For An Assistant General Counsel, Position No. 700503002 (Executive Session) | Javier Ramos
Michael Carter |

E. ORDINANCES:

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| 1. The Gila River Indian Community Council Hereby Amends The Gila River Indian Community Code By Amending Ordinance GR-04-08 And Enacting The Revised Mental Health Ordinance To Be Codified At Title 17, Chapter 4, Of The Gila River Indian Community Code | Alfred Urbina
Michael Carter
Emmanuel Antelo |
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2. The Gila River Indian Community Council Hereby Amends The Gila River Indian Community Code By Amending Ordinance GR-03-16 And Enacting The Revised Children's Code To Be Codified At Title 7 Of The Gila River Indian Community Code

Alfred Urbina
Michael Carter
Emmanuel Antelo

F. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

G. NEW BUSINESS:

- ◆ 1. Gila River Fire Department Performance Evaluation Step Program
- 2. Request For Support To Allocate Funds To Supplement The El Paso Natural Gas Scholarship Applications
- 3. Immigration Issues and Proposed Letter for Consultation
- 4. 2025 International City/County Management Association (ICMA) Annual Conference; October 25-29, 2025 Tampa Bay, Florida
- 5. US Treasury LATCF Funds Request – GRPD and Procurement
- 6. GRIC Single Audit Report for the Year Ending September 30, 2024
- 7. Gila River Health Care Corporation & The Caring House FY2024 External Audit (**Executive Session**)
- 8. FY2025 Internal Audit Department 3rd Quarter Report (**Executive Session**)
- 9. GRIC Department of Community Housing Special Audit Report (**Executive Session**)

TeriLynne Kisto
Kathy Garcia

Lance Reyna
Sherilyn Analla

Alfred Urbina
Javier Ramos
Michael Carter

Steven Olkewicz
Shima Arab

Treasurer Gary T. Mix
Suzanne Jones
Jeffrey Hunter
Tecumseh Manuel

Treasurer Gary T. Mix
Ryan Luetkemeyer
Mark Graham
Neomi Martinez
Jesse Contreras
Faye Patton

Chris Tyhurst
Pauline Tang
GRHC Board of Directors
Judith Roth
Max Haake
Dr. Anthony Santiago

Dena Thomas

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10. Conditional Employee Contract (**Executive Session**)

Suzanne Jones
Governor Stephen R. Lewis
Lt. Governor Regina Antone
Javier Ramos

H. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

1. April 28, 2025 Regular

Committee

I. **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

J. **ADJOURNMENT:**

♦ Denotes TABLED from previous meeting(s)