RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE OF THE  
24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL  

Teleconferencing RDC Regular Meeting  
July 1, 2020  
10:00 A.M.  

AGENDA:  

TELECONFERENCE CALL NUMBER: (425) 436-6324  
ACCESS CODE: 569306  

PRESIDING: Rickie Nez, Chairperson  
Thomas Walker, Jr., Vice-Chairperson  

1. Call Meeting to Order; Roll Call; Invocation; and Announcements;  

   ( ) Rickie Nez  
   ( ) Wilson Stewart, Jr.  
   ( ) Thomas Walker, Jr.  
   ( ) Herman M. Daniels  
   ( ) Mark Freeland  
   ( ) Kee Allen Begay, Jr.  

2. Recognizing Guests and Visiting Officials:  

3. Reviewing and Approving the Agenda:  

   Main Motion: S: V:  
   Roll Call Vote: MFreeland ( ) WStewartJr ( ) KABegayJr ( ) TWalkerJr ( ) HMDaniels ( ) Rickie Nez  


   Main Motion: S: V:  
   Roll Call Vote: MFreeland ( ) WStewartJr ( ) KABegayJr ( ) TWalkerJr ( ) HMDaniels ( ) Rickie Nez  

5. Receiving Reports:  

A. Update Report – Current Navajo Nation Drought Conditions and Plans to Address the Situation Presenter:  

   • Jason John, Director, Navajo Department of Water Resources and Najam Tariq, Department of Water Resources;  
   • Leo C. Watchman, Jr., Director, Department of Agriculture  

   Main Motion: S: V:  
   Roll Call Vote: MFreeland ( ) WStewartJr ( ) KABegayJr ( ) TWalkerJr ( ) HMDaniels ( ) Rickie Nez ( )  

B. Update Report – Status of the Proposed Drought Declaration as Submitted by Department of Water Resource Presenter: Mr. Herman Shorty, Chairperson, Emergency Management Commission
C. Update Report – Navajo Nation Shopping Centers  Presenter: Nicholas Taylor, CEO, Navajo Nation Shopping Centers, Inc.

Main Motion: S: Roll Call Vote: MFreeland ( ) WStewartJr ( ) KABegayJr ( ) TWalkerJr ( ) HMDaniels ( ) Rickie Nez ( )

6. Old Business: NONE
7. New Business:

A. Legislation # 0059-20: An Action Relating to Resources and Development; Approving and Certifying the Greasewood Springs Chapter’s Community Based Land Use Plan. Sponsor: Honorable Raymond Smith, Jr.

Main Motion: S: Roll Call Vote: MFreeland ( ) WStewartJr ( ) KABegayJr ( ) TWalkerJr ( ) HMDaniels ( ) Rickie Nez ( )

B. Legislation # 0138-20: An Action Relating to Resources Development Committee and Naabik’iyati Committee; Adopting a Navajo Nation Position Supporting Continued Dialogue and Partnership with the City of Los Angeles to Facilitate the Development of Clean Energy Projects on the Navajo Nation and Supporting Efforts for the Navajo Nation’s Rights to use 500 MWs of Capacity on the Navajo Generating Station Southern and Western Transmission Systems. Sponsor: Honorable Carl Slater

Main Motion: S: Roll Call Vote: MFreeland ( ) WStewartJr ( ) KABegayJr ( ) TWalkerJr ( ) HMDaniels ( ) Rickie Nez ( )

C. Approving a RDC Leadership Meeting in Preparation Upcoming Waterline Projects with I.H.S./OEH; NTUA; NNLD, GLDD, BIA; NECA; NN Office of the Controller: and NN Division of Community Development

Main Motion: S: Roll Call Vote: MFreeland ( ) WStewartJr ( ) KABegayJr ( ) TWalkerJr ( ) HMDaniels ( ) Rickie Nez ( )

8. Conclusion of Committee Meeting; Other Announcements; Adjournment:

Main Motion: S: Roll Call Vote: MFreeland ( ) WStewartJr ( ) KABegayJr ( ) TWalkerJr ( ) HMDaniels ( ) Rickie Nez ( )

NOTE: This Agenda is still subject to Changes. The public is advised that the Resources and Development Committee Agenda is not final until adopted by a majority vote of the Committee at a duly called Committee meeting pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 183. Navajo Nation Standing Committee Rule No. 8.