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**TITLE: An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services Committee;  
Approving and Recommending to the Budget and Finance Committee the Proposed Fiscal  
Year 2021 Budget for the Navajo Nation Division of Social Services**

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## LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET

Tracking No. 0176-20

**DATE:** August 13, 2020

**TITLE OF RESOLUTION:** AN ACTION RELATING TO HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE; APPROVING AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE THE PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2021 BUDGET FOR THE NAVAJO NATION DIVISION OF SOCIAL SERVICES

**PURPOSE:** This resolution, if adopted, would approve and recommend to the Budget and Finance Committee the proposed fiscal year 2021 budget for the Navajo Nation Division of Social Services.

**This written summary does not address recommended amendments as may be provided by the standing committees. The Office of Legislative Counsel requests each Council Delegate to review each proposed resolution in detail.**

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1                                    PROPOSED STANDING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION  
2                                    24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL – Second Year, 2020  
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11                                    RELATING TO HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE;  
12                                    APPROVING AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE  
13                                    COMMITTEE THE PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2021 BUDGET FOR THE NAVAJO  
14                                    NATION DIVISION OF SOCIAL SERVICES

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16                                    BE IT ENACTED:

17                                    SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY

- 18                                    A. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee is a standing committee  
19                                    of the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 400(A).  
20                                    B. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee is the oversight  
21                                    committee for the Navajo Nation Division of Social Services. 2 N.N.C. §  
22                                    401(C)(1).  
23                                    C. Each oversight committee shall review and make recommendations to the Budget  
24                                    and Finance Committee concerning the budget in accordance with the annual  
25                                    budget instructions. 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).

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27                                    SECTION TWO. FINDINGS

- 28                                    A. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee held a budget hearing and  
29                                    took budget testimony regarding the Navajo Nation Division of Social Services  
30                                    Fiscal Year 2021 Budget. 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).

1 B. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee recommends to the  
2 Budget and Finance Committee a fiscal year budget for the Navajo Nation  
3 Division of Social Services. 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).  
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5 **SECTION THREE. APPROVING AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET**  
6 **AND FINANCE COMMITTEE THE PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2021 BUDGET**  
7 **FOR THE NAVAJO NATION DIVISION OF SOCIAL SERVICES**  
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- 9 A. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee hereby acknowledges the  
10 proposed Navajo Nation Fiscal Year 2021 Budget for the Navajo Nation Division of  
11 Social Services, recommended by the President of the Navajo Nation, as provided on  
12 the Fund Type Budget Summary, attached as **Exhibit A**.
- 13 B. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee requests that the Budget and  
14 Finance Committee and the Navajo Nation Council adopt the changes to the Budget,  
15 as set forth in the General Fund Comparative Summary, **Exhibit B**, Recommended  
16 Changes to the General Fund Budget, **Exhibit C**, Recommended Conditions of  
17 Appropriation and Legislative Concerns, **Exhibit D**, and Recommended Unmet  
18 Needs, **Exhibit E**.
- 19 C. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee authorizes the Committee  
20 Chairperson or Vice-Chairperson to meet and negotiate with the Budget and Finance  
21 Committee on these recommendations.  
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