Motion: Honorable Raymond Smith, Jr.

Second: Honorable Otto Tso

VOTE: 15-00

## NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE OF THE 23<sup>rd</sup> NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

## REGULAR MEETING

Navajo Nation Council Chambers Window Rock, Navajo Nation

Thursday, April 12, 2018 – 10:00 AM

## **AGENDA**

PRESIDING CHAIR: Honorable Seth Damon, Navajo Nation Council

| Hon. LoRenzo C. Bates, Speaker |                               |                            |                              |
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| BUDGET & FINANCE               | RESOURCES &                   | HEALTH, EDUCATION &        | LAW AND ORDER                |
| COMMITTEE                      | DEVELOPMENT COM.              | HUMAN SERVICES COM         | COMMITTEE                    |
| Hon. Seth Damon (C)            | Hon. Alton Joe Shepherd (C)   | Hon. Jonathan L. Hale (C)  | Hon. Edmund Yazzie (C)       |
| Hon. Dwight Witherspoon (VC)   | Hon. Benjamin L. Bennett (VC) | Hon. Norman M. Begay (VC)  | Hon. Raymond Smith, Jr. (VC) |
| Hon. Tom T. Chee               | Hon. Davis Filfred            | Hon. Steven Begay          | Hon. Kee Allen Begay, Jr.    |
| Hon. Lee Jack, Sr.             | Hon. Leonard H. Pete          | Hon. Nelson S. BeGaye      | Hon. Herman M. Daniels       |
| Hon. Tuchoney Slim, Jr.        | Hon. Jonathan Perry           | Hon. Nathaniel Brown       | Hon. Otto Tso                |
| Hon. Leonard Tsosie            | Hon. Walter Phelps            | Hon. Amber Kanazbah Crotty |                              |

- 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER; ROLL CALL; INVOCATION; ANNOUNCEMENTS
- 2. RECOGNIZE GUESTS AND VISITING OFFICIALS
- 3. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE AGENDA:
- 4. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE JOURNALS:

March 22, 2018

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- 5. RECEIVE REPORTS: NONE
- 6. OLD BUSINESS:
  - A. LEGISLATION 0212-16: An Action Relating to Law and Order, Naabik'íyáti' Committees and Navajo Nation Council; Amending the Navajo Nation Council and Committee Legislative Process

2 N.N.C. § 164, Creating a New §165, and Amending Corresponding Definitions at 2 N.N.C. §110

SPONSOR: Honorable Jonathan Perry CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Tuchoney Slim, Jr.

(m) Honorable Tuchoney Slim, Jr. (s) Honorable Leonard Pete (v)

22 MARCH 2018: Tabling Motion – Motion to Table to have a work session before next Naabik'íyáti' Committee meeting (April 12, 2018); (m) Honorable Leonard Tsosie, (s) Honorable Otto Tso, (v) 10 in Favor, 01 Opposed (Chairman Bates Not Voting)

PENDING AMENDMENT: Amendment #3 – Page 16 of 16, Strike Lines 5 through 22, (paragraphs 10 & 11); Page 10 of 10, Unstrike Lines 18 through 26, (paragraphs 10 and 11); Page 16, Line 5, Paragraph 10 – "10. A failed amendment may not be introduced at a Council session unless a Delegate obtains a written petition in support of the amendment signed by a majority of the members of the Council. An amendment legislation need not be redistributed."; Page 16, Line 15, Paragraph 11 – "11. A legislation that was table by a committee with final authority over the matter shall remain with the committee until removed from table status. A legislation that was tabled by a committee without final authority over the matter shall move forward to the subsequent assigned committee(s) or Navajo Nation Council."; (m) Honorable Jonathan L. Hale, (s) Honorable Dwight Witherspoon, (v) PENDING VOTE

## 7. NEW BUSINESS:

A. **LEGISLATION 0116-18**: An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services, Resources and Development, Budget and Finance and Naabik'iyati' Committees and Navajo Nation Council; Adopting the Sihasin Fund Powerline and Chapter Projects Expenditure Plan pursuant to CD-68-14, as amended by CJA-03-18, and 12 N.N.C. §§ 810 (F), 820 (I) and (M) and 860 (C) relating to the Capital Budget and Capital Improvement Process

SPONSOR: Honorable LoRenzo C. Bates
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Dwight Witherspoon
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Kee Allen Begay, Jr.
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Tom Chee
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Leonard Pete
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Seth Damon
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Alton Joe Shepherd
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Walter Phelps
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Lee Jack, Sr.

B. **LEGISLATION 0501-17:** An Action Relating to Resources and Development Committee, Budget and Finance Committee; Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Approving Supplemental Funding from the Unreserved, Undesignated Fund Balance in the Amount of \$700,000 (Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars) for Purchase of Division of Natural Resources Department of Water Resources Field Offices, Waiving 12 N.N.C. §§ 820 (I) and 860 (C) Relating to the Capital Improvement Process

SPONSOR: Honorable Kee Allen Begay, Jr. CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Tuchoney Slim, Jr.

C. **LEGISLATION 0049-18:** An Action Relating to Resources and Development Committee, Budget and Finance Committee; Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council;

Approving Supplemental Funding from the Unreserved, Undesignated Fund Balance in the Amount of Two Hundred and Fifty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$255,000.00) for the Design and Construction of One Animal Shelter in Crownpoint, New Mexico; Waiving 12 N.N.C. §§ 820 (I) and 860 (C) Relating to the Capital Improvement Process

SPONSOR: Honorable Jonathan L. Hale CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Leonard Pete

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| D. | <b>LEGISLATION 0091-18:</b> An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services Budget and Finance, Naabik'íyáti', and Navajo Nation Council; Approving Supplemental Funding from the Unreserved, Undesignated Fund Balance in the Amount of Two Hundred Fifty-Four Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$255,700) for Toyei Industries, Inc., Business Unit #119030 <b>SPONSOR: Honorable Jonathan L. Hale</b>  |     |     |
|    | (m)   | (s) | (v) |
| E. | <b>LEGISLATION 0098-18:</b> An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services Budget and Finance, Naabik'íyáti', and Navajo Nation Council; Approving Supplemental Fundin from the Unreserved, Undesignated Fund Balance in the Amount of Sixty-Three Thousand Three Hundred Seventeen Dollars (\$63,317) for Diné College, Business Unit #NEW <b>SPONSOR: Honorable Dwight Witherspoon</b>                |     |     |
|    | (m)   | (s) | (v) |
| F. | <b>LEGISLATION 0103-18:</b> An Action Relating to Health, Education, and Human Services and Naabik'íyáti'; Supporting and Adopting Position Statement of the Navajo Nation Board of Education on Data Collection and Study of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act Title VI Indian Education LEA Grant Program <i>SPONSOR: Honorable Jonathan L. Hale</i>   |     |     |
|    | (m)   | (s) | (v) |
| G. | <b>LEGISLATION 0114-18:</b> An Action Relating to the Budget and Finance and Naabik'íyár Committees and Navajo Nation Council; Designating the Net Proceeds from the Settlement of Navajo Ramah Chapter, Et Al., V. Jewell, No. 90-CV-957 (D.N.M.) be deposited in the Síhasir Fund pursuant to 12 N.N.C. § 2501 <b>SPONSOR: Honorable Otto Tso</b>   |     |     |
|    | (m)   | (s) | (v) |
| Н. | <b>LEGISLATION 0117-18:</b> An Action Relating to Naabik'íyáti' Committee; Concurring with to Navajo Nation President to accept a Bequest of \$21,314.35 to the Navajo Nation Department Dine Education Office of Diné Youth from the Estate of Mr. Roger Norman Schecter; and Directing the Office of Diné Youth to Record the Bequest with the Ethics and Rules Office <b>SPONSOR: Honorable Jonathan L. Hale</b> |     |     |
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