

**NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE OF THE
24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

SPECIAL MEETING (VIA TELECOMMUNICATION)

Window Rock, Navajo Nation

Thursday, May 14, 2020 - 1:00 PM

APPROVED AGENDA

PRESIDING CHAIR: Honorable Seth Damon, Speaker, Navajo Nation Council

Hon. Seth Damon, Speaker				
BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE		RESOURCES & DEVELOPMENT COM.	HEALTH, EDUCATION & HUMAN SERVICES COM.	LAW AND ORDER COMMITTEE
Hon. Elmer P. Begay		Hon. Kee Allen Begay, Jr.	Hon. Paul Begay	Hon. Eugenia Charles-Newton (C)
Hon. Nathaniel Brown		Hon. Herman M. Daniels, Jr.	Hon. Pernell Halona	Hon. Vince R. James
Hon. Amber Kanazbah Crotty		Hon. Mark A. Freeland	Hon. Carl Roessel Slater (VC)	Hon. Eugene Tso
Hon. Jamie Henio (C)		Hon. Rickie Nez (C)	Hon. Charlaine Tso	Hon. Otto Tso (VC)
Hon. Raymond Smith, Jr. (VC)		Hon. Wilson Stewart, Jr.	Hon. Daniel E. Tso (C)	Hon. Edmund Yazzie
Hon. Jimmy Yellowhair		Hon. Thomas Walker, Jr. (VC)	Hon. Edison J. Wauneka	(C) Chair & (VC) Vice Chair

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER; ROLL CALL; INVOCATION

2. RECOGNIZE GUESTS AND VISITING OFFICIALS (2 Minute Limit per Delegate)

3. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE AGENDA:

(m) *Honorable Raymond Smith, Jr.* (s) *Honorable Pernell Halona* (v) **17 - 0**

4. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE JOURNALS: None

5. RECEIVE REPORTS:

A. Report on Chapter Incident Command Centers by Dr. Pearl Yellowman, Executive Director – Division of Community Development

(m) (s) (v)

B. Report on Alcohol Bootlegging on the Navajo Nation by Jesse Delmar, Executive Director – Division of Public Safety, and Phillip Francisco, Navajo Nation Public Safety Police Chief

(m) (s) (v)

C. Report on Veterans Issues by Olin Kieyoomia, Chairman of the Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council

(m) (s) (v)

D. Report on Facility Use Agreement Needing Tribal Resolutions by Bartholomew Stevens, Regional Director – Navajo Region/Bureau of Indian Affairs

(m) (s) (v)

6. OLD BUSINESS: None

7. NEW BUSINESS:

A. **LEGISLATION 0047-20:** An Action Relating to Resources and Development and Naabik'íyáti' Committees; Requesting the Bureau of Land Management and Bureau of Indian Affairs to Extend the Deadlines for Navajo Nation Input into the Programmatic Agreement for Fluid Mineral Leasing, Applications for Permit to Drill, and Associated Rights-of-Way Development under the Farmington Mancos-Gallup Resource Management Plan Amendment and Associated Environmental Impact Statement

SPONSOR: *Honorable Daniel E. Tso*

CO-SPONSOR: *Honorable Mark A. Freeland*

CO-SPONSOR: *Honorable Raymond Smith, Jr.*

(m) (s) (v)

B. **LEGISLATION 0109-20:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee, Naabik'íyáti' Committee and Navajo Nation Council; Extending Resolution CJN-24-19, Approving and Authorizing the Navajo Agricultural Products Industry to Extend and Expand the Hemp Pilot Research Project with New Mexico State University Under the Provisions of the 2014 Farm Bill; Creating a Singular Exception to the Navajo Nation's Prohibition on the Cultivation, Growth, Possession, Development or Propagation of hemp

SPONSOR: *Honorable Rickie Nez*

(m) (s) (v)

C. **LEGISLATION 0105-20:** An Action Relating to Health Education and Human Resources and Naabik'íyáti': Supporting the Native American Disability Law Center's Request to the Indian Health Service to Develop Principles and Protocols that Ensure Equal COVID-19 Medical Care is Provided to Persons with Disabilities

SPONSOR: *Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton*

CO-SPONSOR: *Honorable Mark A. Freeland*

CO-SPONSOR: *Honorable Otto Tso*

CO-SPONSOR: *Honorable Thomas Walker, Jr.*

(m) (s) (v)

D. **LEGISLATION 0107-20:** An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services and Naabik'íyáti'; Supporting House Bill 116, a Bill Introduced in the Utah State Legislature to Create the "MURDERED AND MISSING INDIGENOUS WOMEN AND GIRLS TASK FORCE"

SPONSOR: Honorable Charlaine Tso

CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Daniel E. Tso

CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Otto Tso

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8. CLOSE OF MEETING; ANNOUNCEMENTS; ADJOURNMENT