NAABIK’ÍYÁTI’ COMMITTEE OF THE 24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

REGULAR MEETING (VIA TELECOMMUNICATION)

Call-in Number: (669) 900-6833
Meeting ID: 928 871 7160
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Window Rock, Navajo Nation (AZ)

Thursday, January 13, 2022 – 10:00 AM

APPROVED AGENDA

PRESIDING CHAIR: Honorable Seth Damon, Speaker, 24th Navajo Nation Council

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) Hon. Pernell Halona               (s) Hon. Jimmy Yellowhair               (v) 19-0 (cnv)

4. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE JOURNALS: December 9, 2021

   (m)                                             (s)                                             (v)

5. NEW BUSINESS:

   A. CONSENT AGENDA

   LEGISLATION 0241-21: An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services, Budget and Finance and Naabik’íyáti’ Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Approving a Limited Waiver of Sovereign Immunity in the State of New Mexico Medical Assistance Division Provider Participation Agreement Between the Navajo Nation Division of Behavioral and Mental Health

   (m)                                             (s)                                             (v)
Services and the State of New Mexico  

SPONSOR: Honorable Daniel E. Tso

LEGISLATION 0244-21: An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services, Budget and Finance, and Naabik’íyáti’ Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Approving a Limited Waiver of Sovereign Immunity in the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System Provider Participation Agreements Between the Navajo Nation Division of Behavioral and Mental Health Services and the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System  

SPONSOR: Honorable Daniel E. Tso  
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Edison J. Wauneka

LEGISLATION 0265-21: An Action Relating to the Naabik’íyáti’ Committee; Approving and Accepting the Monetary Donation of $42,140.90 from the Virginia A. Johnson Living Trust to the Office of Navajo Nation Scholarship and Financial Assistance for Scholarship Funds  

SPONSOR: Honorable Daniel E. Tso

LEGISLATION 0239-21: An Action Relating to the Health, Education & Human Services Committee, and the Naabik’íyáti’ Committee; Supporting United States Senate Bill No. 3221 – “A Bill to Place A Moratorium on Large Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations, to Strengthen the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, to Require Country of Origin Labeling on Beef, Pork, and Dairy Products, and for Other Purposes”; and Request to Amend the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, to Include Statutory Language for the Navajo Nation to Establish Slaughterhouses and Packaging Facilities  

SPONSOR: Honorable Daniel E. Tso

(m) (s) (v)

B. LEGISLATION 0232-21: An Action Relating to Resources and Development Committee; Naabik’íyáti’ Committee, and the Navajo Nation Council; Approving Oil and Gas Operating Agreements Between the Navajo Nation and Navajo Nation Oil and Gas Company for Tohachee Wash, Beautiful Mountain, and Porcupine Dome  

SPONSOR: Honorable Seth Damon

(m) (s) (v)

6. RECEIVE REPORTS:

A. Update report by the Navajo Nation Department of Justice regarding the Arizona Corporation Commission Utility Rate Cases. Presented by Doreen McPaul, Attorney General and April Quinn, Principal Attorney with the NN Department of Justice. (EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY BE REQUIRED)

(m) (s) (v)

B. Presentation by Aspire Ability regarding Navajo Nation Workforce & Employability: A Transformational Proposal. Presenters to include Dr. Jon Mott, Founder & CEO, Moroni Benally, Workforce Policy Advisor / Indigenous Affairs, and Joel Smith, Chief Community Officer.

(m) (s) (v)
C. Update Report from the Navajo Nation Department of Health - Health Command Operation Center on the Increase Number of COVID-19 cases within the Navajo Nation, Update on New Public Health Orders, and the Accessibility of Home Testing Kits.

(m) (s) (v)

7. OLD BUSINESS: NONE

8. CLOSE OF MEETING; ANNOUNCEMENTS; ADJOURNMENT

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