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TITLE: An Action Relating to the Budget and Finance Committee; Approving and Recommending to the Budget and Finance Committee the Fiscal Year 2023 Budget for the Division of Human Resources - Retirement Services, Retirement Funds, and Retirement Plan Administration Committee, and Related Matters, to be included in the Navajo Nation's FY2023 Comprehensive Budget

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LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET
Tracking No. 0139-22

DATE: July 21, 2022

TITLE OF RESOLUTION: AN ACTION RELATING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE; APPROVING AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE THE PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET FOR THE HUMAN RESOURCES DIVISION – RETIREMENT SERVICES, RETIREMENT FUNDS, RETIREMENT PLAN ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

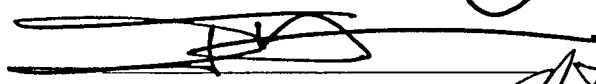

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution, if passed, is to approve and recommend to the Budget and Finance Committee the Proposed Fiscal Year 2023 Budget for the Human Resources Division – Retirement Services, Retirement Funds, Retirement Plan Administration Committee.

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

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1 PROPOSED STANDING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION
2 24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL – Fourth Year, 2022

3 Introduced by:

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6 (Prime Sponsor)

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10 AN ACTION

11 RELATING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE; APPROVING
12 AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE THE
13 FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET FOR THE DIVISION OF HUMAN RESOURCES -
14 RETIREMENT SERVICES, RETIREMENT FUNDS, AND RETIREMENT PLAN
15 ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE, AND RELATED MATTERS, TO BE
16 INCLUDED IN THE NAVAJO NATION'S FY2023 COMPREHENSIVE BUDGET

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18 BE IT ENACTED:

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20 SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY

21 A. The Budget and Finance Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council
22 with oversight authority over the Division of Human Resources - Retirement Services,
23 Retirement Funds, and Retirement Plan Administration Committee (“DHR/Retirement”).

24 2 N.N.C. §300(A); 12 N.N.C. §301(B)(13).

25 B. Each Oversight Committee, including the BFC, shall review and make recommendations
26 regarding the programs under its oversight responsibility, regarding the Navajo Nation’s
27 Comprehensive Budget for the upcoming Fiscal Year. 12 N.N.C. §840(A).

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29 SECTION TWO. FINDINGS

30 A. The BFC held a meeting and took relevant testimony relating to the FY2023 Budget for the

1 DHR/Retirement.

2 B. During these budget meetings, the BFC reviewed and considered the FY2023 Budget for the
3 DHR/Retirement, as proposed by the Branch Chiefs and as commented upon by the public.
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5 **SECTION THREE. APPROVING AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET AND**
6 **FINANCE COMMITTEE THE FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET**
7 **FOR THE DIVISION OF HUMAN RESOURCES - RETIREMENT**
8 **SERVICES, RETIREMENT FUNDS, AND RETIREMENT PLAN**
9 **ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE, AND RELATED MATTERS**

10 A. The Budget and Finance Committee hereby approves the proposed FY2023 Budget for the
11 DHR/Retirement, as detailed in the “Fund Type Budget Summary” attached hereto as
12 **Exhibit A.**

13 B. The BFC hereby approves certain revisions to the Branch Chiefs’ proposed FY2023 Budget
14 amount for the DHR/Retirement, as shown in Columns D and E in the “General Fund
15 Comparative Summary” attached hereto as **Exhibit B.**

16 C. The BFC recommends certain changes to the General Fund Budget, as described in the
17 attached **Exhibit C.**

18 D. The BFC recommends certain Conditions of Appropriation and Legislative Concerns, as
19 listed in **Exhibit D.**

20 E. The BFC recommends that certain Unmet Needs for the DHR/Retirement be included in the
21 Navajo Nation’s FY2023 Comprehensive Budget, as explained in **Exhibit E.**

22 F. The BFC hereby recommends that the Budget and Finance Committee approve the proposed
23 FY2023 Budget for the DHR/Retirement, as well as all Committee recommendations, as set
24 forth in the attached **Exhibits A - E.**

25 G. As necessary and appropriate, the BFC hereby authorizes the BFC Chair and Vice-Chair to
26 negotiate the BFC’s recommendations herein with the Budget and Finance Committee,
27 regarding the proposed FY2023 Budget for the DHR/Retirement.
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29 **SECTION FOUR. EFFECTIVE DATE**

30 This Act shall become effective as provided in 2 N.N.C. §189(A).

1 **SECTION FIVE. SAVING CLAUSE**

2 If any portion of this Action is determined invalid by the Navajo Nation Supreme Court, or by
3 a District Court of the Navajo Nation without appeal to the Navajo Nation Supreme Court, the
4 remainder of this Act shall be the law of the Navajo Nation.

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