NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE OF THE 25th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

REGULAR MEETING

Call-in Number: (669) 900-6833 Meeting ID: 928 871 7160 Passcode: 86515

Window Rock, Navajo Nation (AZ)

Thursday, March 23, 2023 - 10:00 AM

APPROVED AGENDA

PRESIDING CHAIR: Honorable Crystalyne Curley, Speaker, 25th Navajo Nation Council

Hon. Crystalyne Curley, Speaker			
BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE	HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND HUMAN SERVICES COMM.	RESOURCES & DEVELOPMENT COMM.	LAW & ORDER COMMITTEE
Hon. Shaandiin Parrish (c)	Hon. Vince R. James (c)	Hon. Brenda Jesus (c)	Hon. Eugenia Charles-Newton (c)
Hon. Carl R. Slater (vc)	Hon. Germaine Simonson (vc)	Hon. Casey A. Johnson (vc)	Hon. Cherilyn Yazzie (vc)
Hon. Lomardo Aseret	Hon. Helena Nez Begay	Hon. Shawna A. Claw	Hon. Steven R. Arviso
Hon. Norman M. Begay	Hon. Dr. Andy Nez	Hon. Rickie Nez	Hon. Herman M. Daniels
Hon. Amber Kanazbah Crotty	Hon. George Tolth	Hon. Danny Simpson	Hon. Nathan Notah
Hon. Seth Damon	Hon. Curtis Yanito	Hon. Otto Tso	(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) Hon. B. Jesus	(s) Hon. H.Nez-Begay	(v) 19-0 (CNV)			
4. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE JOURNALS: March 9, 2023					
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5. RECEIVE REPORTS:

A. Update Report by the Office of the President and Vice-President on the Streamlining and Implementation of the Navajo Nation's American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds. Update Report provided by Staff of the Office of President and Vice-President.

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6. OLD BUSINESS: NONE

7. NEW BUSINESS:

- A. <u>LEGISLATION 0041-23:</u> An Action Relating to the Resources and Development and Naabik'iyáti Committees; Affirming the Memorandum of Understanding on Cooperation Among the Navajo Nation, U.S. Department of Energy and Other Federal Agencies; Appointing 25th Navajo Nation Council Members to the Navajo Nation & Federal Agencies Collaborative Team for Economic Revitalization and Energy Transition.
 SPONSOR: Honorable Amber Kanazbah Crotty CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Crystalyne Curley
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(s) (v)

B. CONSENT AGENDA

LEGISLATION 0036-23: An Action Relating to the Naabik'íyáti' Committee and Navajo Nation Council; Approving the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Honorable Steven R. Arviso's Delegate region (Chapters: Churchrock, Iyanbito, Mariano Lake, Pinedale, Smith Lake, Thoreau). SPONSOR: Honorable Steven Arviso

LEGISLATION 0037-23: An Action Relating to the Naabik'íyáti' Committee and Navajo Nation Council; Approving the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Honorable Norman M. Begay's Delegate Region (Chapters: Alamo, Ramah, Tohajiilee)

SPONSOR: Honorable Norman M. Begay

LEGISLATION 0039-23: An Action Relating to the Naabik'íyáti' Committee; Approving the Speaker's Appointment of the Navajo Nation Council Members to the Navajo-Hopi Land Commission.

SPONSOR: Honorable Otto Tso CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Amber Kanazbah Crotty

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C. <u>LEGISLATION 0029-23</u>: An Action Relating to the Health, Education and Human Services and Naabik'iyáti' Committees; Reaffirming NABIN-70-18: Respectfully Requesting the United States Veteran Affairs Administration to Establish a Veterans Hospital and Create Personnel Positions to Address Housing and Benefits on the Navajo Nation for Navajo Nation Veterans

SPONSOR: Honorable Seth Damon CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Shawna Ann Claw

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- D. <u>LEGISLATION 0030-23:</u> An Action Relating to Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Justin Ahasteen as the Executive Director of the Navajo Nation Washington Office SPONSOR: Honorable Amber Kanazbah Crotty
- (m) (s) (v)
- E. <u>LEGISLATION 0032-23:</u> An Action Relating to Law and Order Committee, Naabik'íyáti' Committee, and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Heather Clah as the Navajo Nation Deputy Attorney General *SPONSOR: Honorable Rickie Nez*

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F. <u>LEGISLATION 0031-23:</u> An Action Relating to the Health, Education and Human Services and Naabik'iyáti' Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Thomas Cody as the Executive Director of the Division of Social Services

SPONSOR: Honorable Casey	A. Johnson
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable An	nber Kanazbah Crotty
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable No	orman M. Begay

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G. <u>LEGISLATION 0026-23:</u> An Act Relating to the Law and Order, Health, Education and Human Services, Resources and Development, Budget and Finance and Naabik'íyáti' Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending CAP-35-18, as Amended by CJA-03-21, to Extend Síhasin Funds Reversion Deadlines for all Projects to 72 Months
 SPONSOR: Honorable Danny Simpson CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Helena Nez Begay

	CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Casey A. Johnson CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Cherilyn Yazzie CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Shaandiin Parrish	
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8. CLOSE OF MEETING; ANNOUNCEMENTS; ADJOURNMENT

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