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TITLE: An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee; Confirming the Appointments of Amber Hillis Parker to the Navajo Engineering and Construction Authority Board of Directors

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LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET

Tracking No. 0071-23

DATE: April 6, 2023

TITLE OF RESOLUTION: A PROPOSED STANDING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION;
AN ACTION RELATING TO CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF AMBER HILLIS
PARKER TO THE NAVAJO ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION AUTHORITY
BOARD OF DIRECTORS

PURPOSE: The purpose of the resolution is to confirm the appointment of Amber Hillis Parker to serve on the Navajo Engineering and Construction Authority Board of Directors for a term of four (4) years

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

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1 PROPOSED STANDING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION
2 25th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL – First Year, 2023

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10 AN ACTION

11 RELATING TO THE RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE;
12 CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF AMBER HILLIS PARKER TO THE
13 NAVAJO ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION AUTHORITY BOARD OF
14 DIRECTORS
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16 BE IT ENACTED:

17 SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY

- 18 A. The Resources and Development Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo
19 Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 500(A).
20 B. The Resources and Development Committee oversees areas such as roads and
21 transportation, communication and utilities, economic and community development,
22 commerce and trade, rights-of-way, public utilities, and housing. 2 N.N.C. §500(C).
23 C. The Resources and Development Committee of the Navajo Nation Council grants final
24 confirmation of appointments to entities under the authority of the Committee requiring
25 appointments. 2 N.N.C. § 501(B)(9).
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27 SECTION TWO. FINDINGS

- 28 A. The Navajo Engineering and Construction Authority is organized “[t]o engage in the
29 general engineering and construction industry.” 5 N.N.C. § 1972 (A)(1).
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- 1 B. The management board for the Navajo Engineering and Construction Authority shall
2 be appointed by the President of the Navajo Nation and confirmed by the Resources
3 and Development Committee. *See* 5 N.N.C. § 1973(C); 2 N.N.C. § 501(B)(9).
- 4 C. Individuals with experience and/or education in the engineering, construction,
5 architectural, legal, accounting, management, or other construction related field shall
6 be given preference for appointment to the Board. 5 N.N.C. § 1973(D).
- 7 D. The members of the board shall serve four-year terms. 5 N.N.C. § 1973(C).
- 8 E. The Navajo Nation President appointed Amber Hillis Parker to serve as a member of
9 the Navajo Engineering and Construction Authority Board of Directors. Appointment
10 letter attached as **Exhibit A**; letter of interest attached as **Exhibit B**; résumé attached
11 as **Exhibit C** and Certificate of Navajo Indian Blood attached as **Exhibit D**. 5 N.N.C.
12 § 1973(D).

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14 **SECTION THREE. CONFIRMING APPOINTMENT**

15 The Resources and Development Committee of the Navajo Nation Council confirms
16 the appointment of Amber Hillis Parker to serve on the Navajo Engineering and
17 Construction Authority Board of Directors, for a term of four (4) years beginning with the
18 certification of this resolution.

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