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**TITLE: An Action Relating to the Naabik'iyáti' Committee; Approving and Recommending to the Budget and Finance Committee the Fiscal Year 2024 Budget for the Navajo Nation Executive Offices and Related Matters, to be Included in the Navajo Nation's FY2024 Comprehensive Budget**

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**LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET**

Tracking No. 0198-23

**DATE: August 7, 2023**

**TITLE OF RESOLUTION: AN ACTION RELATING TO THE NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE; APPROVING AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE THE FISCAL YEAR 2024 BUDGET FOR THE NAVAJO NATION EXECUTIVE OFFICES AND RELATED MATTERS, TO BE INCLUDED IN THE NAVAJO NATION'S FY2024 COMPREHENSIVE BUDGET**

**PURPOSE:** This resolution, if approved, will approve and recommend to the Budget and Finance Committee the Proposed Fiscal Year 2024 Budget for the Navajo Nation Executive Offices.

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

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

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13                                   FISCAL YEAR 2024 BUDGET FOR THE NAVAJO NATION EXECUTIVE  
14                                   OFFICES AND RELATED MATTERS, TO BE INCLUDED  
15                                   IN THE NAVAJO NATION'S FY2024 COMPREHENSIVE BUDGET

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17 BE IT ENACTED:

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19 **SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY**

- 20 A. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council. 2  
21     N.N.C. § 700 (A).  
22 B. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee is the oversight committee for the Navajo Nation Executive  
23     Offices. 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).  
24 C. Each oversight committee shall review and make recommendations to the Budget and  
25     Finance Committee concerning the budgets of the programs under its oversight  
26     responsibility. 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).  
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28 **SECTION TWO. FINDINGS**

- 29 A. The oversight committee recommendations shall not exceed the base planning amounts  
30     established by the Budget and Finance Committee. 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).

1 B. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee held meeting(s) and heard report(s) from Program staff and the  
2 Office of Management and Budget regarding the proposed FY2024 Budget for the Navajo  
3 Nation Executive Offices. 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).

4 C. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee finds that approval of the proposed FY2024 Budget for the  
5 Navajo Nation Executive Offices and inclusion of such Budget in the Navajo Nation's  
6 FY2024 Comprehensive Budget is in the best interest of the Navajo Nation.

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8 **SECTION THREE. APPROVING AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET AND**  
9 **FINANCE COMMITTEE THE FISCAL YEAR 2024 BUDGET FOR THE NAVAJO**  
10 **NATION EXECUTIVE OFFICES AND RELATED MATTERS**

11 A. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee hereby approves the FY2024 Budget for the Navajo Nation  
12 Executive Offices as detailed in the "Fund Type Budget Summary," attached hereto as  
13 **Exhibit A.**

14 B. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee hereby approves certain revisions, if needed, to the Branch  
15 Chiefs' proposed FY2024 Budget amount for the Navajo Nation Executive Offices, as shown  
16 in Columns D and E in the "General Fund Comparative Summary" attached hereto as  
17 **Exhibit B.**

18 C. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee recommends the changes, if needed, to the General Fund  
19 Budget described in **Exhibit C.**

20 D. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee recommends certain Conditions of Appropriation and  
21 Legislative Concerns, if needed, as listed in **Exhibit D.**

22 E. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee recommends that certain Unmet Needs for the Navajo Nation  
23 Executive Offices, if needed, be included in the FY2024 Comprehensive Budget, as  
24 explained in **Exhibit E.**

25 F. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee hereby recommends that the Budget and Finance Committee  
26 approve the Navajo Nation Executive Offices FY2024 Budget and all Naabik'iyáti'  
27 Committee recommendations, as set forth in **Exhibits A - E.**

28 G. As necessary and appropriate, the Naabik'iyáti' Committee hereby authorizes the  
29 Chairperson, or member of the Committee, to negotiate the Naabik'iyáti' Committee  
30 recommendations herein with the Budget and Finance Committee.

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**SECTION FOUR. EFFECTIVE DATE**

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