

**NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE OF THE  
25<sup>th</sup> NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

**SPECIAL MEETING**

**Thursday, April 17, 2025 – 10:00 AM**

**Navajo Nation Council Chambers  
Window Rock, Navajo Nation (AZ)**

**REVISED APPROVED AGENDA**

***PRESIDING CHAIR: Honorable Crystalyne Curley, Speaker, 25<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council***

Hon. Crystalyne Curley, Speaker			
BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE	HEALTH, EDUCATION, & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE	RESOURCES & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE	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. Nathan Notah (vc)
Hon. Norman M. Begay	Hon. Helena Nez Begay	Hon. Shawna Ann Claw	Hon. Steven R. Arviso
Hon. Amber Kanazbah Crotty	Hon. Dr. Andy Nez	Hon. Rickie Nez	Hon. Herman M. Daniels, Jr.
Hon. Cherilyn Yazzie	Hon. George H. Tolth	Hon. Danny Simpson	Hon. Arbin Mitchell
Hon. Lester C. Yazzie	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. NNotah

(s) Hon. LYazzie

(v) 12-00 (cnv)

**4. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE JOURNALS: NONE**

**5. RECEIVE REPORTS:**

- A. Update report on newly established positions and funding sources within the Office of the President and Vice President (OPVP). Presenter: OPVP.

(m)

(s)

(v)

- B. Update report on the progress of the ARPA-funded projects being managed by the Navajo Tribal Utility Authority (NTUA) Presenter: Mr. Rex Kots, *Deputy General Manager*, NTUA.

(m)

(s)

(v)

**6. OLD BUSINESS: NONE**

**7. NEW BUSINESS:**

- A. CONSENT AGENDA

**LEGISLATION 0038-25:** An Act Relating to Law and Order and Naabik'íyáti' Committees, and Navajo Nation Council; Amending the Office of the President and Vice-President, 2 N.N.C. §§ 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1007, and Establishing the Office of the Vice President, 2 N.N.C. §§ 1015 - 1018

***SPONSOR: Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton***  
***CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Carl R. Slater***

**LEGISLATION 0047-25:** An Action Relating to Law and Order and Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Heather L. Clah, Esq. as the Navajo Nation Attorney General

***SPONSOR: Honorable Rickie Nez***

**LEGISLATION 0032-25:** An Action Relating to Law and Order and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Probation Appointment of Tyson Yazzie as Navajo Nation Court Judge

***SPONSOR: Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton***  
***CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Nathan Notah***

**LEGISLATION 0052-25:** An Action Relating to the Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Jeanine Jones as the Navajo Nation Auditor General

***SPONSOR: Honorable Crystalyne Curley***

(m) (s) (v)

- B. **LEGISLATION 0034-25:** An Action Relating to the Law and Order and Naabik'íyáti' Committees; Approving and Authorizing the Department of Corrections to Submit a Construction Project Application to the United States Department of Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Under Pub. L. 93-638 "Subpart J", for a Detention Facility to be Located in Fort Defiance, Arizona

***SPONSOR: Honorable Otto Tso***  
***CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Arbin Mitchell***  
***CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Nathan Notah***

(m) (s) (v)

- C. **LEGISLATION 0045-25:** An Action Relating to the Naabik'íyáti' Committee; Confirming the Appointment of Dr. Maggie George to the Diné College Board of Regents for a Term of Six (6) Years

***SPONSOR: Honorable Amber Kanazbah Crotty***

(m) (s) (v)

- D. **LEGISLATION 0049-25:** An Action Relating to the Naabik'íyáti' Committee; Confirmation the Appointment of Ms. Kimberlee Williams to the Diné College Board of Regents for a Term of Six (6) Years

***SPONSOR: Honorable Otto Tso***  
***CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Casey Allen Johnson***

(m) (s) (v)

## **8. CLOSE OF MEETING; ANNOUNCEMENTS; ADJOURNMENT**

AGENDA SUBJECT TO CHANGE: The public is advised that the Navajo Nation Council Agenda and the Agendas of the Standing Committees are not final until adopted by a majority vote of the Navajo Nation Council or the Standing Committee at a Navajo Nation Council or a Standing Committee meeting pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §§163 and 183, Navajo Nation Council Rule of Order No. 7, and Standing Committee Rule of Order No. 8.

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