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**TITLE: An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services Committee;  
Approving Procedures for Oversight Committee Budget Meetings for Use in the FY  
2026 Program Budgets Meetings and for Future Fiscal Year Budget Meetings;  
Rescinding Previously Approved Procedures Adopted in HEHSCJY-05-24**

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## LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET

Tracking No. 0121-25

**DATE:** June 11, 2025

**TITLE OF RESOLUTION:** AN ACTION RELATING TO HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE; APPROVING PROCEDURES FOR OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE BUDGET MEETINGS FOR USE IN THE FY 2026 PROGRAM BUDGETS MEETINGS AND FOR FUTURE FISCAL YEAR BUDGET MEETINGS; RESCINDING PREVIOUSLY APPROVED PROCEDURES ADOPTED IN HEHSCJY-05-24.

**PURPOSE:** The purpose of this proposed resolution is to approve procedures for the HEHSC Oversight Committee Budget Meetings for the FY 2026 Program Budget Meetings and rescind previously approved procedures adopted in HEHSCJY-05-24

**FINAL AUTHORITY:** Health, Education, and Human Service Committee

**VOTING REQUIREMENT:** Simple Majority

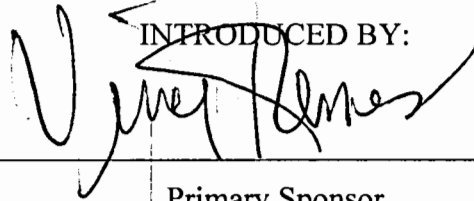
This written summary does not address recommended amendments as may be provided by the standing committees. The Office of Legislative Counsel requests each Council Delegate to review each proposed resolution in detail.

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PROPOSED STANDING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

25th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL — Third Year, 2025

INTRODUCED BY:



Primary Sponsor

TRACKING NO. 0121-25

AN ACTION

RELATING TO HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES  
COMMITTEE; APPROVING PROCEDURES FOR OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE  
BUDGET MEETINGS FOR USE IN THE FY 2026 PROGRAM BUDGETS  
MEETINGS AND FOR FUTURE FISCAL YEAR BUDGET MEETINGS;  
RESCINDING PREVIOUSLY APPROVED PROCEDURES ADOPTED IN  
HEHSCJY-05-24

BE IT ENACTED:

SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY

- A. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 400(A).
- B. "Each oversight committee shall review and make recommendations to the Budget and Finance Committee concerning the budget in accordance with the annual budget instructions. The oversight committees may hold public hearings at each agency with programs under their oversight and take testimony on the budget. The oversight committees shall make recommendations concerning the budget and pass resolutions recommending appropriations and conditions of appropriations for activities within their respective areas of oversight to the Budget and Finance Committee pursuant to the time-lines established in the Budget Instructions Manual.... " 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).

1 **SECTION TWO. FINDINGS**

- 2 A. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee of the Navajo Nation  
3 Council approved resolution HEHSCJY-05-24 which approved and adopted its  
4 Oversight Committee Budget Meeting Procedures to conduct FY 2026 budget  
5 meetings.  
6 B. There is a need to approve a revised Budget Process to be used during the FY  
7 2026 Budget Process and for future fiscal year budgets and is attached as **Exhibit**  
8 **A.**

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10 **SECTION THREE. RESCINDING HEHSCJY-05-24; APPROVING AND**  
11 **ADOPTING REVISED PROCEDURES FOR OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE**  
12 **BUDGET MEETINGS FOR USE IN FY 2026 AND IN FUTURE FISCAL YEAR**  
13 **BUDGETS**

- 14 A. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee hereby rescinds resolution  
15 HEHSCJY-05-24.  
16 B. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee hereby approves the revised  
17 Procedures for Oversight Committee Budget Meetings attached as **Exhibit A** for use  
18 in FY 2026 and in future fiscal year budgets.  
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