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### **Navajo Nation Council honors the life and legacy of Carol Mae Etcitty-Rogers**

**WINDOW ROCK, Ariz.** – The Navajo Nation Council extends its condolences to the family and community of the late Carol Mae Etcitty-Rogers, former Gadi’ahi/To’koi Chapter President, who passed away at the age of 67 at the Shiprock-Northern Navajo Medical Center.

Carol E. Rogers was Tł’ogi and born for Tódich’íi’nii (Bitter Water Clan). She dedicated her life to public service within the Navajo Nation and was known for her involvement in community planning and environmental advocacy. Her leadership roles included serving as a member of the Community Land Use Planning Committee and actively working with the Radiation Exposure Compensation Act (RECA) organization to support families affected by uranium exposure.



**Photo courtesy of the family**

“Carol Rogers served in various capacities within the Navajo Nation and remained deeply committed to her community. Her advocacy and leadership, especially on issues related to land use and health justice, leave a legacy that will not be forgotten”, said Council Delegate Danny Simpson.

Rogers is survived by two siblings, Roselyn Speck and Virginia Washburn, seven children, and twenty-seven grandchildren. Her contributions to local governance, environmental justice, and community well-being were widely recognized across the region.

Funeral services for Carol Mae Etcitty-Rogers are scheduled for Friday, August 1, 2025, at 10:00 am at the Victory Life Fellowship of To’koi.

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