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**TITLE: An Action Relating to the Budget and Finance Committee, the Naabik'iyáti' Committee, and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending CS-44-25, The Navajo Nation Fiscal Year 2026 Comprehensive Budget**

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**LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET**

Tracking No. 0225-25

DATE: September 29, 2025

**TITLE OF RESOLUTION: PROPOSED NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL RESOLUTION;  
AN ACTION RELATING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, THE  
NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE, AND THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; AMENDING  
CS-44-25, THE NAVAJO NATION FISCAL YEAR 2026 COMPREHENSIVE BUDGET**

**PURPOSE:** The purpose of this legislation is to approve an amendment to CS-44-25, the Navajo Nation Fiscal Year 2026 Comprehensive Budget.

**Final Authority:** Navajo Nation Council

**Vote Required:** Majority vote.

**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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Budget & Finance Committee  
Thence  
Naabik'íyáti' Committee  
Thence  
Navajo Nation Council

PROPOSED NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL RESOLUTION  
25<sup>th</sup> NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL - Third Year, 2025

Introduced by:

  
(Prime Sponsor)

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NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE, AND THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL;  
AMENDING CS-44-25, THE NAVAJO NATION FISCAL YEAR 2026  
COMPREHENSIVE BUDGET

BE IT ENACTED:

SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY

- A. The Budget and Finance Committee shall make recommendations concerning the budget and submit it to the Navajo Nation Council for deliberation and approval. 12 N.N.C. § 840(A).
- B. The Naabik'íyáti' Committee is assigned proposed resolutions that require final action by the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. §164 (A)(9).
- C. The Navajo Nation Council is the governing body of the Navajo Nation. 2 N.N.C. § 102(A).

SECTION TWO. FINDINGS

- A. The Navajo Nation Council approved CS-44-25, the Navajo Nation Fiscal Year 2026 Comprehensive Budget, on September 4, 2025, the resolution was certified and submitted to the Office of the President and Vice-President on September 10, 2025, and the Navajo Nation President line-item vetoed and signed CS-44-25 on September 15, 2025.
- B. The Navajo Nation Council amends the Fiscal Year 2026 Comprehensive Budget as

1 indicated in Section Three, below.  
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3 **SECTION THREE. AMENDING CS-44-25, THE NAVAJO NATION FISCAL YEAR**  
4 **2026 BUDGET**

5 A. The Navajo Nation hereby approves the appropriations for Navajo Nation Fiscal Year 2026  
6 as listed here for the Executive Branch for the following items, totaling 4,709,472, from the  
7 General Funds. Upon approval, each Program will submit complete budget packets,  
8 including authorized signatures, to the Office of the Controller and the Office of  
9 Management and Budget based on the appropriations, as indicated in **Exhibit A** and as  
10 follows:

- 11 1. Office of the President and Vice President, BU# 103001, in the amount of \$1,595,795.
- 12 2. Office of the Public Defender, BU# 104003, in the amount of \$168,517.
- 13 3. DCD Administrative Service Centers, BU# 108125, in the amount of \$67,050.
- 14 4. Division of Human Resources Administration, BU# 114001, in the amount of \$99,539.
- 15 5. Office of Navajo Labor Relations, BU# 114004, in the amount of \$51,925.
- 16 6. Department of Personnel Management, BU# 114009, in the amount of \$344,449.
- 17 7. NN Department of Workforce Development, BU# 114010, in the amount of \$10,856.
- 18 8. Department of Water Resources, TCOB, BU# 115012, in the amount of 209,607.
- 19 9. Navajo Land Department, BU# 115021, in the amount of \$209,334.
- 20 10. Navajo School Clothing Program# 117008, in the amount of \$1,952,400.

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23 **SECTION FOUR. DIRECTIVE TO THE OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET**

24 A. The Navajo Nation Council directs the Office of Management and Budget to immediately  
25 recalculate the final monetary totals such that the figures conform to the amendments passed  
26 by the Navajo Nation Council.

27 B. The Navajo Nation Council directs the Office of Management and Budget to make any other  
28 changes to the exhibits such that they conform to the amendments passed by the Navajo  
29 Nation Council.  
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1 **SECTION FIVE. EFFECTIVE DATE**

2 The Navajo Nation Amended Fiscal Year 2026 Comprehensive Budget enacted herein shall be  
3 effective pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §§ 164(A)(17) and 221(B).