

**BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE OF THE
25th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

REGULAR MEETING

**February 17, 2026
10:00 a.m.**

PROPOSED AGENDA

PRESIDING: Honorable Shaandiin Parrish, *Chairperson*
 Honorable Carl R. Slater, *Vice-Chairperson*

LOCATION: **Budget and Finance Committee Conference Room**
 200 Parkway Building #4
 Window Rock, Arizona 86515

1. Call Meeting to Order; Roll Call; Invocation:

<input type="checkbox"/> Shaandiin Parrish (C)	<input type="checkbox"/> Carl R. Slater (VC)	<input type="checkbox"/> Norman M. Begay
<input type="checkbox"/> Amber Kanazbah Crotty	<input type="checkbox"/> Cherilyn Yazzie	<input type="checkbox"/> Lester C. Yazzie
Advisors to the Committee Per 2 N.N.C. §302		
<input type="checkbox"/> Department of Justice	<input type="checkbox"/> Office of the Controller	<input type="checkbox"/> Management & Budget
<input type="checkbox"/> Auditor General	<input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Counsel	<input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Services

2. Recognize Guests and Visiting Officials:

Navajo Nation Branch Chief or Representative

<input type="checkbox"/> Executive Branch	<input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Branch	<input type="checkbox"/> Judicial Branch
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3. Review and Adopt the Agenda:

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Roll Call Vote: Begay () Crotty () Parrish () Slater () C. Yazzie () L. Yazzie ()		

4. Review and Adopt Journal: February 03, 2026 (Regular Meeting)

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Roll Call Vote: Begay () Crotty () Parrish () Slater () C. Yazzie () L. Yazzie ()		

5. Receive Reports:

- A. Update Report from Office of the Controller and Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Office on the Revised Plan of Operation pursuant to Resolution CD-54-24 and Directive issued by the Navajo Nation Council at Winter Session on January

28, 2026. *Presenters: Sean McCabe, Controller, Office of the Controller; and Lisa Jymm, Executive Director, Fiscal Recovery Fund Office*

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Roll Call Vote: Begay () Crotty () Parrish () Slater () C. Yazzie () L. Yazzie ()

- B. Report from Office of the Controller and Fiscal Recovery Fund Office, in collaboration with Navajo Department of Justice, on risks of Subrecipient Agreements and recommended plan to move forward with the Fiscal Recovery Fund. *Presenters: Sean McCabe, Controller, Office of the Controller; and Lisa Jymm, Executive Director, Fiscal Recovery Fund Office.*

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Roll Call Vote: Begay () Crotty () Parrish () Slater () C. Yazzie () L. Yazzie ()

- C. Report from Navajo Department of Health on matters related to amending Resolution CO-43-24 by Approving \$5,624,605 from the Sihasin Fund to the Navajo Nation Division of Aging and Long-Term Care Support for the Ramah Navajo Senior Citizens Center. *Presenter: Sherylene M. Yazzie, Department of Health—Division of Aging and Long-Term Care Support*

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Roll Call Vote: Begay () Crotty () Parrish () Slater () C. Yazzie () L. Yazzie ()

6. **Old Business:** **None.**

7. **New Business:**

- A. **Legislation #0032-26:** An Action Relating to the Budget and Finance, and Naabik'íyáti' Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Approving \$3,684,574 from the Unreserved, Undesignated Fund Balance ("UUFB") for Nine Legislative Branch Programs to Provide Supplemental Funding for Operations for Fiscal Year 2026; Waiving 12 N.N.C. § 820(E), (F), (J) and (L). *Sponsor: Honorable Shaandiin Parrish Co-Sponsor: Honorable Crystalyne Curley*

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Roll Call Vote: Begay () Crotty () Parrish () Slater () C. Yazzie () L. Yazzie ()

8. **Close of Meeting; Announcements; Adjournment.** _____

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Roll Call Vote: Begay () Crotty () Parrish () Slater () C. Yazzie () L. Yazzie ()

THE AGENDA IS 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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