

AGENDA

HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE 25th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

REGULAR MEETING

June 8, 2026

10:00 AM

PRESIDING: Honorable Vince R. James, Chairperson
Honorable Germaine Simonson, Vice-Chairperson

PLACE: Budget and Finance conference room
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1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER; ROLL CALL; INVOCATION; ANNOUNCEMENTS

2. RECOGNIZE GUESTS AND VISITING OFFICIALS

3. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE AGENDA:

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4. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE JOURNAL(S):

- April 27, 2026 Regular Meeting
- May 11, 2026 Regular Meeting

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5. NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Legislation No. 0107-26:** An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services and Naabik'íyáti' Committees; Confirming the Appointment of Daniel E. Johnson to the Navajo Technical University Board of Regents Representing the Fort Defiance Agency for a Term of Four Years.

Sponsor: Delegate Dr. Andy Nez

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B. Legislation No. 0101-26: An Action Relating to the Health, Education and Human Services Committee; Confirming the Appointment of Council Delegate Dr. Andy Nez as an Ex-Officio Member to the Diné College Board of Regents.

Sponsor: Delegate Vince R. James

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6. REPORT(S):

A. Report: NISN Diné Bizaad Initiatives

➤ Diné Bizaad Bee Na'nitin Yihool'aah (Mentor and Apprentice Program)

Presenter: Dr. Geneva Becenti, NISN Director, Diné Bizaad Na'nitin Yihool'aah
Nathaniel Brown, Navajo Language Recruiter Diné Bizaad Na'nitin Yihool'aah
Evelyn Bahe, Senior Education Specialist; Office of Standards, Curriculum, and Assessment Development; Department of Diné Education
Verna Thomas, Senior Education Specialist; Office of Standards, Curriculum, and Assessment Development; Department of Diné Education

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7. OLD BUSINESS: *None*

**8. CLOSE OF MEETING; ANNOUNCEMENTS; ADJOURNMENT
NEXT MEETING(S) / TRAVEL:**

- Monday, June 15, 2026 10:00 am HEHSC Regular Meeting; B&F conference room, Window Rock, NN (AZ).
- Friday, June 19, 2026 Observed Navajo Nation and Federal Holiday – Juneteenth.
- Monday, June 22, 2026 10:00 am HEHSC Regular Meeting; B&F conference room, Window Rock, NN (AZ).
- Friday, July 3, 2026 Observed Navajo Nation and Federal Holiday – July 4th.

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