

**APPROVED AGENDA  
OF THE RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE  
OF THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

**July 6, 2026  
Regular Meeting  
10am**

Presiding: Brenda Jesus, Chairwoman  
Casey Allen Johnson, Vice Chairman

Place: NDOT Senator John Pinto Board Room, Mentmore, Navajo Nation (NM)

Join from PC, Mac, iPad, or Android:

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Members Present:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Brenda Jesus (C )        | <input type="checkbox"/> Shawna Ann Claw | <input type="checkbox"/> Danny Simpson |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Casey Allen Johnson (VC) | <input type="checkbox"/> Rickie Nez      | <input type="checkbox"/> Otto Tso      |

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1. Call the Meeting to Order; the Roll Call; the Invocation;
  2. Recognize Guests and Visiting Officials
  3. Review and Adopt the Agenda

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4. Review and adopt the Journal:

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5. New Business:

- A. **Legislation No. 0118-26:** An Action Relating to Resources and Development Committee; Approving the Grant of Right-of-Way and Temporary Construction Easement to New Mexico Department of Transportation for the Purposes of Roadway Reconstruction and Shoulder Widening for NMDOT US 64 CN 5101176, MP 14.34 to 19.47 Serving East of Beclabito to West of Shiprock, NM, Located on Navajo Nation Trust Lands in Shiprock Chapter, Navajo Nation (San Juan County, New Mexico) *Sponsor: Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton, Co-Sponsor Rickie Nez, Council Delegates*

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- Legislation No. 0119-26:** An Action Relating to Resources and Development; Approving the Fiscal Year 2027 Navajo Nation Housing Plan for the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (NAHASDA) Indian Housing Block Grant Funding *Sponsor: Honorable Brenda Jesus, Council Delegate*

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- B. **Legislation No. 0151-26:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee and Budget and Finance Committee; Approving and Recommending the Fiscal Year 2027 Budget for the Division of Community Development and Related Matters.

*Sponsor: Honorable Brenda Jesus and Co-Sponsor Rickie Nez and Danny Simpson, Council Delegates*

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- C. **Legislation No. 0149-26:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee and Budget and Finance Committee; Approving and Recommending the Fiscal Year 2027 Budget for the Navajo Nation Division of Natural Resources and Related Matters. *Sponsor: Honorable Brenda Jesus and Co-Sponsor Rickie Nez Council Delegates*

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- D. **Legislation No. 0157-26:** An Action Relating to Resources and Development and Budget and Finance Committees; Accepting a Performance Audit of the Navajo Nation Business Site Lease and Process and Approving the Division of Economic Development's Proposed Corrective Action Plan *Sponsor: Honorable Brenda Jesus, Council Delegate*

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- E. **Legislation No. 0158-26:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development and Budget and Finance Committee; Accepting a Performance Audit of Navajo Nation Agriculture Infrastructure Fund and Approving the Department of Agriculture's Proposed Corrective Action Plan *Sponsor: Honorable Brenda Jesus, Council Delegate*

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- F. Approving Resources Development Committee to travel to Washington D.C. to advocate on several items such as: 1) AUM Legacy Cleanup; 2) RECA extension; 3) Meeting with BIA regarding Navajo Area BIA, current grazing permit issues; 4) possibly water rights.

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6. Old Business: None

7. Receive Reports: None

8. Close of the Session; Written Announcements; Adjournment

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