

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

**July 27, 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 Webinar: <https://navajonationcouncil-org.zoom.us/j/85313691956>
Passcode: 774682

Members Present:

<u> </u> Brenda Jesus (C)	<u> </u> Shawna Ann Claw	<u> </u> Danny Simpson
<u> </u> Casey Allen Johnson (VC)	<u> </u> Rickie Nez	<u> </u> Otto Tso

1. Call the Meeting to Order; the Roll Call; the Invocation;
2. Recognize Guests and Visiting Officials
3. Review and Adopt the Agenda
(M) Shawna Ann Claw (S) Otto Tso (V) 3 -1 excused-1 NA-CNV
Vote Tally: SAC () BJ () CAJ () RN () DS () OT ()
4. Review and adopt the Journal: Deferred Journals
(M) Shawna Ann Claw (S) Casey Allen Johnson (V) 3 -1 excused-1 NA-CNV
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5. Receive Reports:
 - a. Title: Navajo Nation Office of Surface and Mining (OSM) update oral report on Peabody Post-Mining activities. *Presenters: William Skeet, Senior Environmental Engineer and Brian Tsingine, Senior Mining Engineer.*
(M) (S) (V)
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6. Old Business: None
7. New Business:
 - a) **Legislation No. 0113-26:** An Action Relating to Resources and Development Committee; Approving Tribal Ranch Leases on Bluewater, Berryhill Ranch, Carrica Ranch, Chaco Canyon Ranch, Elkins Ranch, Pitts Ranch, Gallo Allotment Ranch, I.K. Westbrook Ranch, Shaw Ranch, Sims Ranch, and Vanderwagon Ranch. *Sponsors: Honorable Brenda Jesus, Council Delegate.*
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 - b) **Legislation No. 0172-26:** An Action Relating to Resources and Development and Naabik'iyáti' Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Designation Tooh Ahidiilíní, the Confluence of the Little Colorado River and the Colorado River, the Little Colorado River Gorge, and Other Related Cultural, Religious, and Spiritual Sites within the

Bodaway/Gap Chapter as a Sacred Site. *Sponsor: Honorable Curtis Yanito, Co-sponsor: Titus J. Nez, Dr. Andy Nez, Speaker Crystalyne Curley, Council Delegates*
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- c) **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 *Sponsors: Honorable Brenda Jesus, Council Delegate.*
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8. Close of the Session; Written Announcements; Adjournment
(M) (S) (V)
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