

**NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE OF THE
25th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

REGULAR MEETING

**August 13, 2026 – 10:00 AM
Navajo Nation Council Chambers
Window Rock, Navajo Nation (Arizona)**

APPROVED AGENDA

PRESIDING CHAIR: Honorable Crystalyne Curley, Speaker, 25th Navajo Nation Council

Hon. Crystalyne Curley, Speaker			
BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE	HEALTH, EDUCATION, & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE	RESOURCES & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE	LAW & ORDER COMMITTEE
Hon. Shaandiin Parrish (c)	Hon. Vince R. James (c)	Hon. Brenda Jesus (c)	Hon. Eugenia Charles-Newton (c)
Hon. Carl R. Slater (vc)	Hon. Germaine Simonson (vc)	Hon. Casey A. Johnson (vc)	Hon. Nathan Notah (vc)
Hon. Norman M. Begay	Hon. Helena Nez Begay	Hon. Shawna Ann Claw	Hon. Herman M. Daniels, Jr.
Hon. Amber Kanazbah Crotty	Hon. Dr. Andy Nez	Hon. Rickie Nez	Hon. Arbin Mitchell
Hon. Cherilyn Yazzie	Hon. George H. Tolth	Hon. Danny Simpson	Hon. Titus J. Nez
Hon. Lester C. Yazzie	Hon. Curtis Yanito	Hon. Otto Tso	(C) Chair & (VC) Vice-Chair

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER; ROLL CALL; INVOCATION

2. RECOGNIZE GUESTS AND VISITING OFFICIALS (2 Minute Limit per Delegate)

3. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE AGENDA

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4. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE JOURNAL: July 16, 2026
August 06, 2026

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5. OLD BUSINESS: None.

6. NEW BUSINESS:

A. CONSENT AGENDA

LEGISLATION 0172-26: An Action Relating to Resources and Development and Naabik'íyáti' 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: Honorable Crystalyne Curley

Co-Sponsor: Honorable Herman M. Daniels, Jr.

Co-Sponsor: Honorable Andy Nez
Co-Sponsor: Honorable Titus J. Nez

LEGISLATION 0173-26: An Action Relating to the Health, Education and Human Services, and Naabik'íyáti' Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Approving the Reinstatement and Reenrollment of Emily Plummer, as a member of the Navajo Nation

Sponsor: Honorable Brenda Jesus
Co-Sponsor: Honorable Vince R. James

LEGISLATION 0181-26: An Action Relating to the Naabik'íyáti' Committee; Approving the Navajo Division of Public Safety Emergency Medical Services Program to Accept Three (3) Mobile Trailers and Associated Office and Medical Equipment (Assets Valued at \$367,629.71) Donated by the Indian Health Service; and Directing the Receiving Program to Record the Doated Assets with the Ethics and Rules Office

Sponsor: Honorable Andy Nez

LEGISLATION 0182-26: An Action Relating to the Naabik'íyáti' Committee; Approving and Adopting the Navajo Nation Artificial Intelligence Policy Statement; Establishing the Artificial Intelligence Policy Working Group

Sponsor: Honorable Andy Nez

LEGISLATION 0185-26: An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services and Naabik'íyáti' Committees; Supporting the Fort Defiance Indian Hospital Board Inc.'s (Tséhootsooi Medical Center) Grant Application to the Indian Health Service for the Phase 2 Produce Prescription Pilot Program (P4), for a Period of Five (5) Years Starting 2026 Through 2031

Sponsor: Honorable Andy Nez

LEGISLATION 0187-26: An Action Relating to the Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Approving the Reinstatement and Reenrollment of Jaylene Adakai Sanchez, Formerly Known as Jaylene Adakai, as a Member of the Navajo Nation

Sponsor: Honorable Norman M. Begay

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- B. **LEGISLATION 0184-26:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development and Naabik'íyáti' Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Approving Three State of Arizona Grazing Leases (Big Boquillas Ranch Lease, The Winslow Tract – Hahn Ranch Lease, and the Winslow Tract – Standing Horse Ranch Lease) and the Limited Waiver of Sovereign Immunity Contained in Those Leases

Sponsor: Honorable Casey Allen Johnson

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- C. **LEGISLATION 0088-26:** An Act Relating to Law and Order, Budget and Finance, and Naabik'iyáti' Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending 2 N.N.C. §§ 285, 1010, 1011 and 12 N.N.C. § 820 (K) to Expedite Acceptance of Donations on Behalf of the Navajo Nation

Sponsor: Honorable Carl R. Slater

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- D. **LEGISLATION 0252-25:** An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services, Resources and Development, Budget and Finance and Naabik'iyáti' Committees and Navajo Nation Council; Amending Resolution CAP-35-18 by Approving a Two-Year Extension for the Expenditure of Síhasin Funds for Chapter Projects

Sponsor: Honorable Arbin Mitchell

Co-Sponsor: Honorable Casey Allen Johnson

Co-Sponsor: Honorable Lester Yazzie

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7. RECEIVE REPORTS:

- A. Report from Navajo Tribal Utility Authority (NTUA) on matters related to the Water/Wastewater Rate Increase. *Presenter: Martin Ashley, Government Liaison, Navajo Tribal Utility Authority*

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8. CLOSE OF MEETING; ANNOUNCEMENTS; ADJOURNMENT

AGENDA 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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