



**APPROVED AGENDA OF THE
24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

SPRING SESSION
April 15 – 19, 2019
10:00 AM

Navajo Nation Council Chambers
Window Rock, Navajo Nation (AZ)

PRESIDING: Honorable Seth Damon, Speaker, Navajo Nation Council

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER; ROLL CALL; INVOCATION

2. RECOGNIZE GUESTS AND VISITING OFFICIALS

3. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE AGENDA

(m) <i>Honorable Mark Freeland</i>	(s) <i>Honorable Edmund Yazzie</i>	(v) <i>21-0</i>
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4. RECEIVE THE STATE OF THE NATION ADDRESS FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE NAVAJO NATION

(m)	(s)	(v)
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5. RECEIVE REPORT FROM THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE NAVAJO NATION

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6. RECEIVE REPORT FROM THE SPEAKER OF THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

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7. RECEIVE FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE CONTROLLER

(m)	(s)	(v)
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8. ORAL REPORTS:

- A. Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) (m) (s) (v)
- B. Indian Health Services (IHS) (m) (s) (v)
- C. Attorney General (m) (s) (v)
- D. Navajo Nation Youth Advisory Council (m) (s) (v)
- E. Navajo Tribal Utility Authority (m) (s) (v)
- F. Navajo Agricultural Products Industry (m) (s) (v)
- G. Navajo Engineering & Construct. Auth. (m) (s) (v)

9. WRITTEN REPORTS

- A. Standing Committees (m) (s) (v)
- B. Boards and Commissions (m) (s) (v)
- C. Bureau of Indian Affairs (m) (s) (v)
- D. Indian Health Services Area Director (m) (s) (v)
- E. Navajo Tribal Utility Authority (m) (s) (v)

10. OLD BUSINESS

- (A) **LEGISLATION 0003-19:** An Action Relating to Naabik'iyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Rescinding CO-60-17 **SPONSOR: Honorable Amber Kanazbah Crotty**

(m) (s) (v)

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Motion to Table Legislation 0003-19 and refer back to the Naabik'iyáti' Committee until a Naabik'iyáti' Committee work session is held for further discussion within the next 30 days; (M) Honorable Otto Tso, (S) Honorable Daniel Tso, (V) 12 in Favor, 11 Opposed (Speaker Damon Not Voting).

02/26/2019

Naabik'iyáti' Committee work session held to discuss Legislation 0003-19.

11. NEW BUSINESS

- (A) **LEGISLATION 0009-19:** An Action Relating to Naabik'iyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Rudy Shebala as Navajo Nation Division of Natural Resources Executive Director **SPONSOR: Honorable Herman M. Daniels**
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Otto Tso

(m) (s) (v)

- (B) **LEGISLATION 0011-19:** An Action Relating to Naabik'iyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Garret Silversmith as Division Director for the Navajo Division of Transportation **SPONSOR: Honorable Mark Freeland**

(m) (s) (v)

- (C) **LEGISLATION 0012-19:** An Action Relating to Naabik'iyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Dr. Pearl Yellowman as the Division of Community Development Director for the Navajo Nation **SPONSOR: Honorable Mark Freeland**

(m) (s) (v)

- (D) **LEGISLATION 0013-19:** An Action Relating to Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Consenting to Jesse Delmar as Navajo Nation Division of Public Safety Executive Director
SPONSOR: Honorable Herman M. Daniels
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Otto Tso
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Edmund Yazzie
- (m) (s) (v)
- (E) **LEGISLATION 0017-19:** An Action Relating to Law and Order: Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Doreen N. McPaul as the Navajo Nation Attorney General
SPONSOR: Honorable Edmund Yazzie
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Herman M. Daniels
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Mark Freeland
- (m) (s) (v)
- (F) **LEGISLATION 0018-19:** An Action Relating to Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Lomardo Aseret as Executive Director of the Division of General Services.
SPONSOR: Honorable Edmund Yazzie
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Daniel Tso
- (m) (s) (v)
- (G) **LEGISLATION 0022-19:** An Action Relating to Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of JT J. Willie as Navajo Nation Division of Economic Development Executive Director
SPONSOR: Honorable Edmund Yazzie
- (m) (s) (v)
- (H) **LEGISLATION 0025-19:** An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services Committee, Naabik'íyáti' Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Dr. Jill Jim as the Health Director of the Navajo Nation Department of Health
SPONSOR: Honorable Charlene Tso
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Pernell Halona
- (m) (s) (v)
- (I) **LEGISLATION 0026-19:** An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services Committee, Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Dr. Perphelia Fowler as the Executive Director of the Division of Human Resources
SPONSOR: Honorable Nelson S. BeGaye
- (m) (s) (v)
- (J) **LEGISLATION 0027-19:** An Action Relating to Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Christopher Becenti as the Executive Director of the Navajo Nation Telecommunication Regulatory Commission
SPONSOR: Honorable Nelson S. BeGaye
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Kee Allen Begay, Jr.
- (m) (s) (v)

(K) **LEGISLATION 0040-19:** An Action Relating to Naabik'íyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Appointment of Santee Lewis as the Navajo Nation Washington Office Director

SPONSOR: Honorable Amber Kanazbah Crotty
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Kee Allen Begay, Jr.

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(L) **LEGISLATION 0074-19:** An Act Relating to Naabik'íyáti Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the Nominations of the Speaker of the Navajo Nation Council and the Navajo Nation President to the Eastern Navajo Land Commission

SPONSOR: Honorable Seth Damon
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Rickie Nez

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(M) **LEGISLATION 0082-19:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee, Naabik'íyáti Committee, and the Navajo Nation Council; Confirming the appointment of Oliver B. Whaley as the Director of the Navajo Nation Environmental Protection Agency

SPONSOR: Honorable Thomas Walker, Jr.
CO-SPONSOR: Honorable Mark Freeland

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12. CLOSE OF SESSION; ANNOUNCEMENTS; ADJOURNMENT