

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

SPECIAL MEETING
February 24, 2023
9:00 AM

APPROVED AGENDA

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

PLACE : Navajo Nation Council Chambers
Via Telecommunications:
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<input type="checkbox"/> Helena Nez Begay	<input type="checkbox"/> Germaine Simonson
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1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER; ROLL CALL; INVOCATION; ANNOUNCEMENTS
2. RECOGNIZE GUESTS AND VISITING OFFICIALS
3. REVIEW AND ADOPT AGENDA

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4. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE JOURNAL(S): None
5. RECEIVING REPORT(s):

ORIENTATION:
Program Summary
Program Challenges
Solutions
Timeline of Solutions
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3 CHALLENGES of Each:
Navajo Nation
Federal
Arizona
New Mexico
Utah

OBJECTIVES:
Goals
Accomplishments

A. Division of Social Services

- Overview of NDSS and Authorities, Plan of Operations, Organizational Chart, DSS Priorities, Strategic Plan, etc.;
- Presenter(s):** Thomas Cody, Executive Director (Nominee)
Marlinda Littleman, Deputy Division Director

- Office of Executive Director Sections
- Financial Management
- Department of Child Care and Development
- Department for Self Reliance
- Developmental Disabilities Program
- Navajo Treatment Center for Children & Their Families
- Navajo Family Assistance Services Office

Marlinda Littleman, Deputy Div. Director
 Brenda Tsosie, Principal Accountant
 Sylvia M. Tyler, Department Manager III
 Roxanne Gorman, Department Manager III
 Freida White, Program Manager
 Anthony Begay, Delegated Prog. Manager
 Raeann Metteba, Senior Programs & Projects Specialist

- Burial Assistance
- Community Services Block (CSBG)
- General Assistance
- Low Income Household Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

- Navajo Indian Child Welfare Act Program
- Department of Family Services
 - Adoption Unit
 - Family Harmony Program

Crescentia Tso, Delegated Prog. Mgr. II
 Thomas Cody & Marlinda Littleman

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6. **OLD BUSINESS:** *None*

7. **NEW BUSINESS:** *None*

8. **CLOSE OF MEETING; ANNOUNCEMENTS; ADJOURNMENT**

NEXT MEETING(S):

- Regular Meeting, Wednesday, March 8, 2023

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