

HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE
OF THE
25th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL
SIGN IN SHEET /ROLL CALL

LEADERSHIP MEETING
MARCH 30, 2026

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

Location: Budget and Finance Conference Room, Window Rock, (NN), AZ

Meeting Call to Order at: 9:00 AM Adjourned at: 7:17 pm

<u>HEHSC MEMBERS</u>	<u>TIME IN</u>	<u>TIME OUT</u>	<u>SIGNATURES</u>
Vince R. James (C)	<u>9:00 AM</u>	<u>7:17 pm</u>	<u>Vince James</u>
Germaine Simonson (vc)	<u>9:30 AM</u>	<u>7:17 pm</u>	<u>teleconference / zoom</u>
Helena Nez-Begay, Member	<u>8:56 AM</u>	<u>7:17 pm</u>	<u>Helena Nez-Begay</u>
Dr. Andy Nez, Member	<u>9:10 AM</u>	<u>7:17 pm</u>	<u>Dr. Andy Nez</u>
George H. Tolth, Member	<u>8:44 AM</u>	<u>7:17 pm</u>	<u>George H. Tolth</u>
Curtis Yanito, Member	<u>8:56 AM</u>	<u>7:17 pm</u>	<u>Curtis Yanito</u>
Angelita Benally, Legislative Advisor			<u>Angelita Benally</u>
Karen J. Thompson, Legislative Assistant			<u>Karen J. Thompson</u>
MacArthur Stant, Legislative Counsel			<u>MacArthur Stant</u>
Candace D. French, Legislative Counsel			<u>teleconference / zoom</u>
Jason John, Legislative Staff Asst.			<u>Jason John</u>
Mary J. Nez, Executive Assistant-OOS			<u>Mary J. Nez</u>
Nicole Lansing, Delegates Office			<u>Nicole Lansing</u>

OTHER 25th NAVAJO NATION DELEGATE(S) :

<u>TIME IN</u>	<u>TIME OUT</u>	<u>SIGNATURES</u>	<u>TIME IN</u>	<u>TIME OUT</u>	<u>SIGNATURES</u>
1. <u>12:00 PM</u>	<u>12:15 PM</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	6.		
2. <u>1:50 PM</u>	<u>3:30 PM</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	7.		
3. <u>2:15 PM</u>	<u>2:48 PM</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	8.		
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Zoom Participants
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The screenshot shows a Zoom meeting interface with a dark background. At the top, it says "Participants (10)" with a close button. Below that, there are two tabs: "Panelists (2)" and "Attendees (8)". A search bar is present. The list of participants includes: Paul Littlebear (PL), Candace French (CF), Delegate Germaine Simonson (DG), Andrea Dawes (AD), Fireflies.ai Notetaker Tatyana (FN), Jacquelyn F. Morgan (JF), Leslie Tsosie (LT), and Marcarlo Roanhorse (MR). At the bottom, there are icons for volume, screen sharing, and a battery indicator at 100%. The time and date are shown as 10:56 AM on 3/30/2026.

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AGENDA

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

LEADERSHIP MEETING

March 30, 2026

9:00 AM

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

PLACE: Budget and Finance Conference Room
Via Telecommunications:
Join from PC, Mac, iPad, or Android:
<https://navajonationcouncil-org.zoom.us/j/83895484145>
Passcode: 300132
Phone one-tap: +12532158782,,83895484145# US (Tacoma)
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1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER; ROLL CALL; INVOCATION; ANNOUNCEMENTS

2. RECOGNIZE GUESTS AND VISITING OFFICIALS

3. REVIEW THE AGENDA: *Consensus*

4. REPORT(S):

A. **Discussion:** Navajo Nation Veterans Administration Advisory Council. *VAC suggested Outline provided.*

- *CO-53-25: An Action Relating to Law and Order Committee, Health, Education and Human Services Committee, Naabik'iyáti' Committee and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending the Navajo Nation Veterans Act at 2 N.N.C. §§ 1032 through 1036; Relating to the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration and Veterans Advisory Council; and Establishing Agency Veterans Organizations, and Chapter Veterans Organizations*

Presenters: Eastern Agency: Sherilynne Juan, Commander, Veterans Advisory Council
Karen Chavez, Veteran Color Guard
Hubert Smith, Vice Commander
Lori John, Veterans Service Officer

Ft. Defiance Agency: Kyle Lewis, Chair, Agency Advisory Council Commander

Fallyn Begay, Veterans Service Officer
Linda Onesalt, Veteran -Oak Springs

Northern Agency:

Amanda Sandoval, Commander, Veterans Advisory Council
Ryan Benally, Northern Representative; Northern
Patricia Burnside, Veterans Service Officer
Demetria Simms, Northern Secretary (NNVO); Shiprock
Commander

Western Agency:

Latanya Williams, Commander, Veterans Advisory Council
Billy Goodman, Commander

Central Agency:

Paula Begay, Veterans Representative
Harrison Kee, Veterans Representative
Santana Yazzen, Veterans Representative

INVITED:

Office of the President & Vice-President: Tim Johnson, Veterans Affairs Liaison, OPVP

Navajo Veterans Administration:

Bobbie Ann Baldwin, NNVA Executive Director
Leann Roy, Deputy Director, NN Veteran Administration
William Nez, Housing Program Manager, NN Veteran Admin.

5. CLOSE OF MEETING; ANNOUNCEMENTS; ADJOURNMENT

NEXT MEETING(S) / TRAVEL:

- Monday, April 6, 2026 10:00 am HEHSC Special Meeting in-lieu of April 20, 2026 NCC Spring Session; B&F conference room, Window Rock, NN (AZ)
- Tuesday, April 7, 2026 9:00 am HEHSC Leadership Meeting with DHR and DPM. B&F conference room, Window Rock, NN (AZ).
- Monday, April 13, 2026 10:00 am HEHSC Regular Meeting; B&F conference room, Window Rock, NN (AZ).
- Monday, April 20, 2026 10:00 am Navajo Nation Council Spring Session commences.
- Monday, April 27, 2026 10:00 am HEHSC Regular Meeting; B&F conference room, Window Rock, NN (AZ).

***THIS 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 Committees 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 Rule of Order No. 8.*