

**RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
OF THE
25th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

SPECIAL MEETING

SIGN IN/ROLL CALL SHEET

Date: June 30, 2026

**NDOT Senator John Pinto Board Room
Mentmore (Navajo Nation) NM**

VIA TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Meeting Called to Order: 9:44am Meeting Adjourned: 3:38pm

RDC MEMBERS

TIME IN TIME OUT SIGNATURE

Brenda Jesus, Chairperson
Fort Defiance Agency

Excused — Excused — Excused —

Casey Allen Johnson, Vice Chairperson
Western Agency

9:22am 3:38pm Casey Allen Johnson

Shawna Ann Claw, Member
Central Agency

9:35am 3:38pm Shawna Ann Claw

Rickie Nez, Member
Northern Agency

9:10am 3:38pm Rickie Nez

Danny Simpson, Member
Eastern Agency

9:22am 3:38pm Danny Simpson

Otto Tso, Member
Western Agency

9:54am 3:38pm Otto Tso

Leslie Tsosie, Legislative Advisor

Leslie Tsosie

Ramona J. Nelson, Legislative Assistant

Ramona J. Nelson

Mariana Kahn, Legislative Counsel

Mariana Kahn

OTHER DELEGATES:

1. X — X — X
3. X — X — X

2. X — X — X
4. X — X — X

ATTENDANCE VERIFIED BY: Ramona J. Nelson

DATE: 6/30/26

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

June 30, 2026

9:00 a.m.

July 1 - 2, 2026

9:00 a.m.

Special Meeting

Presiding: Brenda Jesus, Chairwoman
Casey Allen Johnson, Vice Chairman

Place: NDOT Senator John Pinto Board Room, Mentmore, Navajo Nation (NM)
Join from PC, Mac, iPad, or Android:

Members Present:

☐ Brenda Jesus (C)	☐ Shawna Ann Claw	☐ Danny Simpson
☐ Casey Allen Johnson (VC)	☐ Rickie Nez	☐ 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: Rickie Nez S: Danny Simpson Vote: 4-0-1

Yeas:

Nays

4. New Business:

- A. Report by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB).
Presenter: Dominic Beyal, Office of Management and Budget, Executive Director.

M: S: Vote: Yeas: Nays
Roll Call Vote: Claw () Jesus () Johnson () Nez () Simpson () Tso ()

- B. Report by Navajo Nation Water Rights Commission on the Comprehensive Fund Management Plan for Water Rights Claim Fund (**Executive Session**).
Presenters: Navajo Nation Water Rights Commission, Department of Justice Water Rights Units, and Navajo Nation Water Management Branch.

M: S: Vote: Yeas: Nays
Roll Call Vote: Claw () Jesus () Johnson () Nez () Simpson () Tso ()

- C. **Legislation No. 0154-26:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee and the Budget and Finance Committee; Approving and Recommending the Fiscal Year 2027 Budget for the Navajo Nation Gaming Regulatory Office.

Sponsor: Honorable Brenda Jesus and Co-Sponsor Rickie Nez
M: S: Vote: Yeas: Nays
Roll Call Vote: Claw () Jesus () Johnson () Nez () Simpson () Tso ()

- D. **Legislation No. 0152-26:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee and Budget and Finance Committee; Approving and Recommending the Fiscal Year 2027 Budget for the Navajo Nation Environmental Protection Agency and

Related Matters. Sponsor: *Honorable Brenda Jesus and Co-Sponsor Rickie Nez*
M: S: Vote: Yeas: Nays
Roll Call Vote: Claw () Jesus () Johnson () Nez () Simpson () Tso ()

E. **Legislation No. 0150-26:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee and Budget and Finance Committee ; Approving and Recommending the Fiscal Year 2027 for the Navajo Nation Division of Transportation and Related Matters. Sponsor: *Honorable Brenda Jesus and Co-Sponsor Rickie Nez*
M: S: Vote: Yeas: Nays
Roll Call Vote: Claw () Jesus () Johnson () Nez () Simpson () Tso ()

F. **Legislation No. 0153-26:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee and Budget and Finance Committee; Approving and Recommending the Fiscal Year 2027 Budget for the Division of Economic Development and Related Matters. Sponsor: *Honorable Brenda Jesus and Co-Sponsor Rickie Nez*
M: S: Vote: Yeas: Nays
Roll Call Vote: Claw () Jesus () Johnson () Nez () Simpson () Tso ()

G. **Legislation No. 0151-26:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee and Budget and Finance Committee; Approving and Recommending the Fiscal Year 2027 Budget for the Division of Community Development and Related Matters. Sponsor: *Honorable Brenda Jesus and Co-Sponsor Rickie Nez*
M: S: Vote: Yeas: Nays
Roll Call Vote: Claw () Jesus () Johnson () Nez () Simpson () Tso ()

H. **Legislation No. 0149-26:** An Action Relating to the Resources and Development Committee and Budget and Finance Committee; Approving and Recommending the Fiscal Year 2027 Budget for the Navajo Nation Division of Natural Resources and Related Matters. Sponsor: *Honorable Brenda Jesus and Co-Sponsor Rickie Nez*
M: S: Vote: Yeas: Nays
Roll Call Vote: Claw () Jesus () Johnson () Nez () Simpson () Tso ()

5. Close of the Session; Written Announcements; Adjournment
M: S: Vote: Yeas: Nays

THIS AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE. 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

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