

**AGENDA OF THE
LAW AND ORDER COMMITTEE OF THE
25TH NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING**

**March 11, 2026
9:00 A.M.**

PRESIDING: Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton, Chairperson
Honorable Nathan Notah, Vice Chairperson

LOCATION: Budget and Finance Committee - Conference Room, Window
Rock, Arizona

1. Call Meeting to Order, Roll Call and Invocation

Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton called meeting to order at 9:06 a.m., Roll Call taken by Lori Caldwell, Legislative Assistant/OLS, with Three (3) members present online via Zoom.

Honorable Members Present: *Eugenia Charles Newton (9:03 a.m.), *Nathan Notah (9:05 a.m.), *Arbin Mitchell (8:55 a.m.)

Honorable Member Excused: Herman M. Daniels Jr.

Invocation provided by Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton

2. Recognize Guest and Visiting Officials

Review Sign-in Sheet

3. Review and Adopt the Agenda:

Amendment #1: Remove item 7. B. Legislation No. 0042-26

Motioned by: Honorable Arbin Mitchell

Seconded by: Honorable Nathan Notah

Votes: 2 in Favor; 00 Opposed (Yeas: AM/NN
Nays: None; Not Voting: ECN/HMD)

**Amendment #2: Consent Agenda Legislation No. 0040-26, 0045-26,
and 0046-26**

Motioned by: Honorable Arbin Mitchell

Seconded by: Honorable Nathan Notah

Votes: 02 in Favor; 00 Opposed (Yeas: AM/NN
Nays: None; Not Voting: ECN/HMD)

Main Motion: Accept Agenda

Motioned by: Honorable Arbin Mitchell

Seconded by: Honorable Nathan Notah

Votes: 02 in Favor; 00 Opposed (Yeas: AM/NN

Nays: None; Not Voting: ECN/HMD)

4. Review and Adopt the Journal(s): To Accept both Journals with one vote.

February 17, 2026 - Special Meeting

February 23, 2026 - Regular Meeting

Motioned by: Honorable Nathan Notah

Seconded by: Honorable Arbin Mitchell

Votes: 02 in Favor; 00 Opposed (Yeas: AM/NN

Nays: None; Not Voting: ECN/HMD)

5. Receiving Reports: None

6. Old Business: None

7. New Business:

A. CONSENT AGENDA

Legislation No. 0040-26: An Act Relating to Law and Order and Naabik'iyati' Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending the Navajo Nation Election Code at 11 N.N.C. §3(C) by Changing the Primary Election Date for Navajo Nation Elections - *Sponsor: Honorable Carl R. Slater.*

Legislation No. 0045-26: An Action Relating to the Law and Order and Naabik'iyati' Committees; Approving and Authorizing the Intergovernmental Agreement Between the Navajo Nation Division of Public Safety, Navajo Police Department and the Arizona Department of Public Safety, a Political Subdivision of the State of Arizona - *Sponsor: Honorable Andy Nez.*

Legislation No. 0046-26: An Action Relating to the Law and Order and Naabik'iyati' Committees; Approving and Authorizing the Mutual Aid Agreement Between the Navajo Nation Division of Public Safety, Navajo Police Department and San Juan County Sheriff's Office, A Political Subdivision of the State of New Mexico - *Sponsor: Honorable Andy Nez.*

Motioned by: Honorable Nathan Notah
Seconded by: Honorable Arbin Mitchell
Votes: 02 in Favor; 00 Opposed (Yeas: AM/NN
Nays: None; Not Voting: ECN/HMD)

8. Close of Meeting, Announcements and Adjournment.

Honorable Madame Chair Eugenia Charles-Newton called for adjournment at 9:32 a.m.

Motioned by: Honorable Arbin Mitchell
Seconded by: Honorable Nathan Notah
Votes: 02 in Favor; 00 Opposed (Yeas: AM/NN
Nays: None; Not Voting: ECN/HMD)

**APPROVED AGENDA OF THE
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Honorable Nathan Notah, Vice Chairperson

LOCATION: Budget & Finance Committee - Conference Room, Window Rock, Arizona

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☐ _____	☐ Honorable Nathan Notah
☐ Honorable Herman M. Daniels, Jr.	☐ Honorable Arbin Mitchell
☐ Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton	

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1. Call Meeting to Order, Roll Call and Invocation

2. Recognize Guest and Visiting Officials

3. Review and Adopt the Agenda:

(M)	(S)	(V)	
Yea:	Nay:	NV:	Absent:

4. Review and Adopt the Journal(s):

February 17, 2026 – Special Meeting
February 23, 2026 – Regular Meeting

(M)	(S)	(V)	
Yea:	Nay:	NV:	Absent:

5. Receiving Reports: None

6. Old Business: None

7. New Business:

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(M)	(S)	(V)	
Yea:	Nay:	NV:	Absent:

8. Close of Meeting, Announcements and Adjournment.

(M)	(S)	(V)	
Yea:	Nay:	NV:	Absent:

NEXT REGULAR/SPECIAL MEETINGS/WORK SESSION/LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC HEARINGS:

March 11, 2026 @ 9:00 A.M., BFC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Spec. Mtg)

March 16, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., Navajo Welcome Center, Monument Valley, UT (Reg. Mtg)

March 23, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Reg. Mtg)

April 13, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Reg. Mtg)

April 16, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Reg. Mtg)

~~April 20, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Reg. Mtg)~~

Navajo Nation Council Spring Session April 20-24, 2026

April 27, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Special Mtg In-Lieu of April 20, 2026)

THIS AGENDA IS 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 meeting pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §§163 and 183, Navajo Nation Council Rule of Order No. 7 and Standing Committee Rule No. 8.

LAW AND ORDER COMMITTEE OF THE
25TH NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

SIGN IN SHEET/ROLL CALL

SPECIAL MEETING

DATE: March 11, 2026, Wednesday

9:00 A.M.

Call Meeting to Order: 9:06 a.m. Adjournment: 9:32 a.m.

Presiding: Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton, LOC Chairperson
Honorable Nathan Notah, LOC Vice Chairperson

Location: Budget & Finance Conference Room, Window Rock, Arizona 86515

<u>LOC MEMBERS:</u>	<u>TIME IN</u>	<u>TIME OUT</u>	<u>SIGNATURES</u>
DANIELS, Jr., Herman M.	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>Excused</u>
CHARLES-NEWTON, Eugenia	<u>9:03 a.m.</u>	<u>9:32 a.m.</u>	<u>Attended via Zoom</u>
NOTAH, Nathan	<u>9:05 a.m.</u>	<u>9:32 a.m.</u>	<u>Attended via Zoom</u>
MITCHELL, Arbin	<u>8:55 a.m.</u>	<u>9:32 a.m.</u>	<u>Attended via zoom</u>

LEGISLATIVE STAFF:

Laureen Spencer, Legislative Advisor

Lori Caldwell, Legislative Assistant

Michelle Espino Chief
~~Carolyn R. West~~, Legislative Counsel

Sean King, Legislative Staff Assistant

Tatyana Billy, Legislative Staff Assistant

Laureen Spencer
Lori Caldwell
Michelle Espino
Sean King
Tatyana Billy

OTHER NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL MEMBERS:

1. Andy Nez
2. Carl R. Slater via zoom

3. x
4. x

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<u>VISITORS/ GUESTS</u>	<u>TITLE/ DEPARMENT</u>	<u>EMAIL/ CONTACT</u>
1. <u>Andy Nez</u>	<u>Delegate / 25th nnc</u>	<u>andy.nez@navajonnsn.gov</u>
2. <u>LEONARD WILLIAMS</u>	<u>DEPUTY CHIEF OF POLICE, NPD</u>	<u>leonardwilliams@navajonnsn.gov</u>
3. <u>Arbin Mitchell</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
4. <u>EUGENIA CHARLES - NEWTON</u>	<u>via Zoom</u>	
5. <u>N Notah</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
6. <u>Alfred Mike (ols)</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
7. <u>Fireflies.ai Notetaker Tathana</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
8. <u>Jonelle A. Clytus</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
9. <u>Juanella Begaye</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
10. <u>Leonard Williams</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
11. <u>Marcarlo Roanhorse</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
12. <u>Rodney L. Tahe</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
13. <u>Tatiana Billy</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
14. <u>Tremayne Yazzie ols</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
15. <u>—— End of List ——</u>	<u>Verified by Ami Caldwell</u>	
16. _____		
17. _____		
18. _____		
19. _____		
20. _____		