

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

**April 13, 2026
10:00 A.M.**

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

LOCATION: Law and Order Committee Conference Room, Window Rock, Arizona

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[] Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton	[] Honorable Titus J. Nez
[] Honorable Herman M. Daniels, Jr.	[] Honorable Arbin Mitchell
[] Honorable Nathan Notah	

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1. Call Meeting to Order at: _____, Roll Call, and Invocation

EXCUSED:

ABSENT:

2. Recognize Guest and Visiting Officials:

3. Review and Adopt the Agenda:

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4. Review and Adopt the Journal(s):

March 23, 2026 & April 6, 2026

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5. Receiving Reports:

- a. Report from Robert Willie, Assistant Controller, Office of the Controller regarding Judicial/Public Safety Fund Balance.

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6. Old Business: None

7. New Business:

- a. **Legislation No. 0065-26:** An Action Relating to the Law and Order Committee;

Amending Plan of Operation for Navajo Department of Criminal Investigations, Division of Public Safety – *Sponsors: Honorable Eugenia Charles Newton/Honorable Crystalyne Curley* (Eligible for Action 4/6/26).

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- b. **Legislation No. 0070-26:** An Action Relating to Law and Order and Naabik'iyati' Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending Title 11 of the Navajo Nation Code to Establish Forfeiture of Position by Elected and Adopted Officials who fail to subscribe and swear to the Oath of Office – *Sponsor: Honorable Andy Nez* (Eligible for Action 4/13/26).

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- c. **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*.

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- d. **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*.

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- e. Discussion purpose to meet with Department of Personnel, Office of Management & Budget, and Department of Justice regarding pay plan regarding 638 funds in a Leadership Meeting with LOC.

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- f. Discussion purpose LOC Regular Meeting and include Public Hearings.

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- g. Report from Vernon Jackson, Chief Prosecutor, Office of the Prosecutor on Ella Mae Begay's Case. (Report move to the last item on the agenda)

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8. Close of Meeting, Announcements and Adjournment.

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

~~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., Tohatchi Chapter House, Tohatchi, New Mexico (Reg. Mtg)

May 11, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Reg. Mtg.)

May 18, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Reg. Mtg.)

May 26, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Reg. Mtg.)

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.

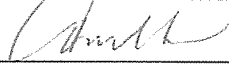
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Call Meeting to Order: 10:09 AM Adjournment: 2:21 P.M.

Presiding: Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton, Chairwoman
Honorable Nathan Notah, Vice Chairman

Location: Law and Order Committee Conference Room, Window Rock, Arizona

<u>LOC MEMBERS:</u>	<u>TIME IN</u>	<u>TIME OUT</u>	<u>SIGNATURES</u>
* DANIELS, Jr., Herman M.	<u>10:07 AM</u>	<u>12:45 P.M.</u>	<u>Present via Zoom</u>
* CHARLES-NEWTON, Eugenia	<u>10:00 AM</u>	<u>2:21 P.M.</u>	<u></u>
* NEZ, Titus	<u>9:50 AM</u>	<u>2:21 P.M.</u>	<u></u>
* NOTAH, Nathan	<u>10:06 AM</u>	<u>2:21 P.M.</u>	<u>Present via Zoom</u>
* MITCHELL, Arbin	<u>9:10 AM</u>	<u>2:21 P.M.</u>	<u></u>

LEGISLATIVE STAFF:

Laureen Spencer, Legislative Advisor



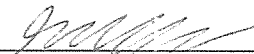
Lori Caldwell, Legislative Assistant



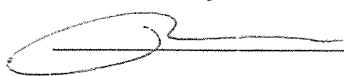
Carolyn R. West, Legislative Counsel

Present via Zoom

Sean King, Legislative Staff Assistant



Tatyana Billy, Legislative Staff Assistant



OTHER NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL MEMBERS:

1. Andy Nez, 

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1. Dale Woot	CI Supervisor NDCI SR	
2. Jefferson Joe	Sr. CI NDCI S/R	
3. Malcolm Leslie	NDCI HQ	
4. Michael Henderson	NDCI HQ	
5. Ron Scherz	NDCI HQ	
6. Jamie Vandever	ALS	
7. Rob W. III	ALS	
8. VERNON JACKSON	OTP / W/R	
9. Stefanie Gutierrez	OTP	
10. Delbert J. Largo	Sr. Criminal Investigator	
11. Carolyn R West	Via Zoom	
12. Herman M. Daniels Jr.	Via Zoom	
13. Nathan Natch	Via Zoom	
14. 1385 xxxx1033	Via Zoom	
15. AGO Zoom55	Via Zoom	
16. Andrea Beyer (A Corner KA Search and Rescue)	Via Zoom	
17. Bernadine	Via Zoom	
18. DOC	Via Zoom	
19. Emerald Eye Investigations	Via Zoom	
20. Fireflies ai Notebook Brenda	Via Zoom	
21. MONICA ANTOINE	Via Zoom	

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22. Tatnana Billy via zoom
23. Theresa Hatathlie via zoom
24. Tsotie, L. via zoom
25. Vangie Randall -ShoAty via zoom
26. Zoom User via zoom
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