

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

January 20, 2026
9:00 A.M.

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

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

1. Call Meeting to Order, Roll Call and Invocation

Meeting called to Order by Honorable Madam Chair Eugenia Charles-Newton at 9:04 a.m., Roll Call taken by Lori Caldwell, Legislative Assistant/OLS, with Three (3) members present.

Honorable LOC Members Present: *Eugenia Charles-Newton (9:01 a.m.), *Herman M. Daniels Jr. (8:55 a.m.) and Nathan Notah (8:55 a.m.)

Invocation provided by Honorable Nathan Notah

2. Recognize Guest and Visiting Officials

Review Sign in-sheet

3. Review and Adopt the Agenda:

Amendment #1:

Consent Agenda under item 7. Letter a. Legislation No. 0004-26, b. Legislation No. 0005-26, c. Legislation No. 0006-26, d. Legislation No. 0007-26 and e. Legislation No. 0009-26

Motioned by: Honorable Herman M. Daniels Jr.
Seconded by: Honorable Nathan Notah
Votes: 02 in Favor; 00 Opposed (Yeas: HMD/NN;
Nays: None: Not Voting: ECN/AM)

Main Motion:

Motioned by: Honorable Nathan Notah
Seconded by: Honorable Herman M. Daniels Jr.
Votes: 02 in Favor; 00 Opposed (Yeas: HMD/NN;
Nays: None: Not Voting: ECN/AM)

4. Review and Adopt the Journal(s): None

5. Receiving Reports: None

6. Old Business: None

7. New Business:

Consent Agenda:

a. **Legislation No. 0004-26:** An Act Relating to the Law and Order and Naabik'iyati' Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending the Power of the Navajo Nation Council to Confirm All Division Directors by Amending 2 N.N.C. § 102(F) - *Sponsors: Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton/Co-Sponsor Honorable Rickie Nez (Eligible on 01/19/26)*

Legislation No. 0005-26: An Act Relating to the Law and Order and Naabik'iyati' Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending Title Two Provisions Related to the Powers, Duties and Responsibilities of the Navajo Nation Council and the Navajo Nation President and Vice-President Relating to the Confirmation of All Division and Executive Directors, the Controller, the Attorney General and the Deputy Attorney General - *Sponsors: Honorable Carl R. Slater/Co-Sponsor Honorable Otto Tso (Eligible on 01/20/26)*

Legislation No. 0006-26: An Action Relating to the Law and Order Committee, the Naabik'iyati' Committee, and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending the Rules of Order for the Navajo Nation Council - *Sponsors: Honorable George H. Tolth/Co-Sponsor Honorable Amber Kanazbah Crotty (Eligible on 01/20/26)*

Legislation No. 0007-26: An Action Relating to the Law and Order Committee, the Naabik'iyati' Committee, and the Navajo Nation Council, Amending Title 2 of the Navajo Nation Code to Amend the Powers and Duties of the Office of the President and Vice-President - *Sponsors: Honorable George H. Tolth/Co-*

Sponsor Honorable Amber Kanazbah Crotty (Eligible on 01/20/26)

Legislation No. 0009-26: An Act Relating to the Law and Order, Resources and Development, Budget and Finance, and Naabik'iyati' Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Retaining Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Investment Earnings in the Revenue Replacement Reserve to Fund Delegate Region Project Plans; Amending Title 12 of the Navajo Nation Code to Enact the "Capital Development Financing Act" and Establish the "Capital Development Financing Fund"; Authorizing Limited Waivers of Sovereign Immunity for Purposes of Financing Transactions Entered into under the Act; Amending Council Resolution CMY-28-24 - *Sponsor: Honorable Shaandiin Parrish (Eligible on 01/20/26)*

Motioned by: Honorable Nathan Notah
Seconded by: Honorable Herman M. Daniels Jr.
Votes: 02 in Favor; 00 Opposed (Yeas: HMD/NN;
Nays: None: Not Voting: ECN/AM)

8. Close of Meeting, Announcements and Adjournment.

Honorable Madam Chair Eugenia Charles-Newton called to adjourn Special Meeting at 9:23 a.m.

Motioned by: Honorable Nathan Notah
Seconded by: Honorable Herman M. Daniels Jr.
Votes: 02 in Favor; 00 Opposed (Yeas: HMD/NN;
Nays: None: Not Voting: ECN/AM)