

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

**February 23, 2026
10:00 A.M.**

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

LOCATION: Ramah Chapter House, Ramah, New Mexico

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[] _____ [] Honorable Herman M. Daniels, Jr. [] Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton	[] Honorable Nathan Notah [] Honorable Arbin Mitchell
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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):

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

5. Receiving Reports:

- a. Report from Rory Atcitty, Chief of Police, Ramah Navajo Police Department on the activities, challenges the department is facing and funding experience with Navajo Nation and at the Federal level.

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Yea:	Nay:	NV:	Absent:

6. Old Business:

- a. **Legislation No. 0018-26:** An Action Relating to the Law and Order, Budget and Finance, and Naabik'iyati' Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Approving the Arizona Mutual Aid Compact Between the Navajo Nation, Division of Public Safety and the State of Arizona, Department of Emergency and Military Affairs; Approving a Limited Waiver of the Sovereign Immunity of the Navajo Nation for the Mutual Aid Compact – *Sponsors: Honorable Crystalne Curley/Co-Sponsor: Honorable Helena Nez Begay.*

(M) Hon. HMDaniels, Jr.

Yea:

(S) Hon. AMitchell

Nay:

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Absent:

[The Legislation No. 0018-26 was tabled on February 17, 2026, the LOC Committee requested to leave this at LOC, while the Sponsors, Agents and Executive Director for DPS, & DEM is present. Motion to table by Honorable Herman M. Daniels, Jr., second by Honorable Arbin Mitchell with a vote of 2-0-2].

7. New Business: None

8. Close of Meeting, Announcements and Adjournment.

(M)

Yea:

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Nay:

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Absent:

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

February 23, 2026 at 10:00 AM, Ramah Chapter House, Ramah, NM (Reg Mtg)

March 09, 2026 at 10:00 AM, LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Reg Mtg)

March 16, 2026 at 10:00 AM, LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Reg Mtg)

March 23, 2026 at 10:00 AM, 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.

LAW AND ORDER COMMITTEE OF THE
25TH NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL
SIGN IN SHEET/ROLL CALL
REGULAR MEETING
DATE: February 23, 2026, Monday

10:00 A.M.

Call Meeting to Order: 10:13 a.m. Adjournment: 2:24 p.m.

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

Location: Ramah Chapter House, Ramah, New Mexico

LOC MEMBERS:

	TIME IN	TIME OUT	SIGNATURES
DANIELS, Jr., Herman M.	<u>9:53 a.m.</u>	<u>2:24 p.m.</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
CHARLES-NEWTON, Eugenia	<u>10:02 a.m.</u>	<u>2:24 p.m.</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
NOTAH, Nathan	<u>10:05 a.m.</u>	<u>2:24 p.m.</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
MITCHELL, Arbin	<u>9:30 a.m.</u>	<u>2:24 p.m.</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>

LEGISLATIVE STAFF:

Laureen Spencer, Legislative Advisor

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Lori Caldwell, Legislative Assistant

[Signature]

Carolyn R. West, Legislative Counsel

Attended via zoom webinar

Sean King, Legislative Staff Assistant

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Tatyana Billy, Legislative Staff Assistant

Attended via zoom webinar

OTHER NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL MEMBERS:

1. <u>N. M. B.</u> <u>10:13 a.m.</u>	6. _____
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<u>VISITORS/ GUESTS</u>	<u>TITLE/DEPARMENT</u>	<u>EMAIL/ CONTACT</u>
1. <u>Michael Henderson</u>	<u>NDPS Director</u>	
2. <u>Pearl Martino</u>	<u>RNDC Admin</u>	
3. <u>Magnolia Ynselaw</u>	<u>RNDC Director</u>	
4. <u>Maledu Leste</u>	<u>NDCT-HQ</u>	
5. <u>Laura Mike</u>	<u>Deputy / Acting Dir - DPS / PEM</u>	
6. <u>Martha Garcia</u>	<u>RNC Pres.</u>	
7. <u>Rory Atchey</u>	<u>RNPD</u>	
8. <u>Wallace Edison</u>	<u>RNPO</u>	
9. <u>Renzon Francisco</u>	<u>RNWO</u>	
10. <u>Cash Harvey</u>	<u>LDA-NMBC day</u>	
11. <u>Darnel J Maria</u>	<u>RNC 638 Ex. Dir.</u>	
12. <u>Phumiz Wayne</u>	<u>RNC 638 Business Ctr Controller</u>	
13. <u>Cameron Wiskaw AZ</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
14. <u>Carolyn R. West</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
15. <u>Jonelle A. Clytus</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
16. <u>Marcarlo Roanhorse</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
17. <u>Navajo Nation Council</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
18. <u>Navalyn Platero</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
19. <u>Law and order Committee</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
20. <u>Lori Caldwell</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	
21. <u>Chief Silversmith</u>	<u>via zoom</u>	

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22. Jared Touchin via zoom
23. Delores Arreyeyes via zoom
24. Fireflies -ai Notetaker Tathana via zoom
25. Leonard Williams via zoom
26. Travis Schulte -DEMA via zoom
27. JWilliams via zoom
28. Sheldon Ross, DEMA Logistics via zoom
29. Tathana Billy via zoom
30. — End of List ————— Verified by Lori Cabellwell LC.
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