

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

**April 27, 2026
10:00 A.M.**

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

LOCATION: Tohatchi Chapter House, Tohatchi, New Mexico

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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): None

5. Old Business:

- a. **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.*

(M) Hon. Arbin Mitchell (S) Hon. Titus J. Nez (V) _____

[This legislation was tabled on April 13, 2026, motion by Hon. Titus J. Nez, second by Hon. Arbin Mitchell, 4 in favor, 0 opposed, and 1 not voting, until summary of NABI Meeting from March 12, 2026, is completed and placed back on the agenda for April 27, 2026. Amendment No. 1 made on April 13, 2026, motion made by Hon. Arbin Mitchell, second by Hon. Titus J. Nez. Main motion and amendment motion not voted on].

6. New Business:

- a. **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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- b. **Legislation No. 0073-26:** An Act Relating to the Law and Order, Resources and Development and Naabik'iyati' Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Approving the Name Change of the Oak Springs Chapter to Oak/Pine Springs Chapter; Amending 11 N.N.C. § 10 (A) – *Sponsor: Honorable Brenda Jesus/Co-Sponsor Honorable Arbin Mitchell*

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- c. **Legislation No. 0084-26:** An Action Relating to Law and Order Committee; Appointing a Law and Order Committee Member to Serve as a Navajo Nation Oil and Gas Corporation Shareholder Representative – *Sponsor: Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton.*

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7. Receiving Reports:

- a. Report from Lam Corporation, Architect; Parsons, Project Management Team and Department of Correction regarding Tohatchi First Responders Substation.

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- b. Report on Project Update on Rural Addressing, NG9-1-1 and PSAP Consolidation. Michael Henderson, Director, Navajo Division of Public Safety.

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- c. Report from Eleanor Shirley, Interim Chief Justice, Judicial Branch regarding Judicial Conduct Commission (vacant position) and how the commission members are selected.

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- d. Discussion: Purpose of Public Hearing to inform the public of Title 17 of the Criminal Code to create a safer Navajo Nation. “An Act Relating to the Law and Order and Naabik’yati’ Committees, and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending Title 14 and Title 17 of the Navajo Nation Code”.

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8. Close of Meeting, Announcements and Adjournment.

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

May 04, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., LOC Conference Room, Window Rock, AZ (Special Meeting)
May 26, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., Utah Navajo Health System (UNHS), Montezuma Creek, Utah
(Reg. Mtg. & Public Hearing)

June 08, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., Many Farms Chapter House, Many Farms, Arizona (Reg. Mtg. & Public Hearing)

June 15, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., St. Michaels Chapter House, St. Michaels, Arizona (Reg. Mtg. & Public Hearing)

June 22, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., Navajo Technical University, Crownpoint, New Mexico (Reg. Mtg. & Public Hearing)

June 29, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M., Twin Arrows Casino, TANCR, Arizona (Reg. Mtg. & Public Hearing)

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.