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TITLE: An Action Relating To Resources And Development; Certifying That The Navajo Nation Has Met The Citizen Participation Requirements At 24 CFR 1003.604 To Support The Submission Of The FY'2019 Indian Community Development Block Grant Application To The United States Department Of Housing And Urban Development

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LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET

Tracking No. 0297-19

DATE: September 16, 2019

TITLE OF RESOLUTION: PROPOSED STANDING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION, AN ACTION RELATING TO RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT; CERTIFYING THAT THE NAVAJO NATION HAS MET THE CITIZEN PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS AT 24 CFR 1003.604 TO SUPPORT THE SUBMISSION OF THE FY' 2019 INDIAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT APPLICATION TO THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

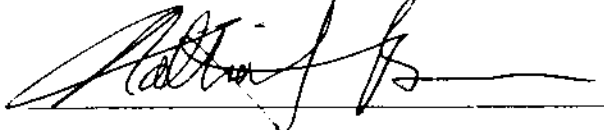
PURPOSE: The purpose of the resolution is to certify that the Navajo Nation has met the citizen participation requirements at 24 CFR 1003.604 to support the submission of the FY' 2019 Indian Community Development Block Grant application to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development.

This written summary does not address recommended amendments as may be provided by the standing committees. The Office of Legislative Counsel requests each Council Delegate to review each proposed resolution in detail.

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13 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT APPLICATION TO THE UNITED
14 STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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16 BE IT ENACTED:

17 **Section One. Authority**

18 The Resources and Development Committee has oversight authority over the
19 Division of Community Development. 2 N.N.C. § 501(C)(1).

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21 **Section Two. Findings**

22 A. The Fiscal Year 2016 Indian Community Development Block Grant ("ICDBG")
23 application to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development has
24 not yet been submitted.

25 B. Prior to the submission of the FY' 2019 ICDBG application, the Resources and
26 Development Committee of the Navajo Nation Council certifies that the Navajo
27 Nation has met the Citizen Participation requirements as set forth in 24 CFR
28 1003.604 as required of prospective grantees. 24 CFR 1003.604 is attached as
29 **Exhibit A.**

1 C. The FY' 2019 ICDBG Citizen Participation Plan and Public Hearing Documents are
2 attached as **Exhibit B** and **Exhibit C**, respectively.

3 D. The FY'2019 ICDBG Citizen Participation Plan has been reviewed by the Navajo
4 Department of Justice and found to be legally sufficient. See attached **Exhibit D**.

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6 **Section Three. Certification**

7 A. The Resources and Development Committee of the Navajo Nation Council
8 recognizes and accepts the affidavit of publication for the public hearings that
9 were conducted by the Navajo Nation on January 29, 30, and 31, 2019. in the
10 local newspapers, attached within **Exhibit C**, and accepts the Community
11 Development Statement published on May 22, 2019 in the Gallup Independent
12 and on May 23, 2019 in the Navajo Times attached as **Exhibit C**, to meet the
13 Citizen Participation requirements as set forth in 24 CFR 1003.604.

14 B. The Resources and Development Committee of the Navajo Nation Council hereby
15 certifies the following has occurred in accordance with 24 CFR 1003.604(a):

- 16 a. Residents have been furnished with information concerning the amount of
17 funds available for proposed community development activities and the
18 range of eligible activities that may be undertaken; and
19 b. This has resulted in one or more meetings to obtain views of residents on
20 community and housing needs. The meetings were held in ways and at
21 times that allowed participation by residents; and
22 c. A community development statement was developed, published and
23 posted to provide opportunities for residents to examine its content and to
24 submit comments; and
25 d. Residents were afforded an opportunity to review and comment on the
26 application performance on current activities.
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