AGENDA

HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE 24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

November 17, 2021 10:00 AM

PRESIDING: Honorable Daniel E. Tso, Chairperson Honorable Carl R. Slater, Vice-Chairperson

PLACE: Via Telecommunications:

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Window Rock, Navajo Nation (AZ)

[] Paul Begay, Jr. [] Charlaine Tso [] Pernell Halona [] Daniel E. Tso [] Carl R. Slater [] Edison J. Wauneka

- 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER; ROLL CALL; INVOCATION; ANNOUNCEMENTS
- 2. RECOGNIZE GUESTS AND VISITING OFFICIALS
- 3. REVIEW AND ADOPT AGENDA

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- 4. REVIEW AND ADOPT THE JOURNAL(S):
 - September 14, 2021
 - > September 15, 2021
 - > September 20, 2021
 - > September 22, 2021
 - > September 29, 2021
 - October 13, 2021
- 5. RECEIVING REPORT:
 - A. Cove Day School EPA Report Results:
 - USEPA Interior Radiological Scan Assessment
 - NEPA Radon Testing

Presenter: Jesse Kass, USEPA

Eugenia Quintana, NEPA Air & Toxic Department

Elsa Johnson, Environmental Protection Specialist; USEPA Region 9

Superfund: Tribal Lands Cleanup Section

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B. Program Information / Update

Presenters: Judy Platero, Program Manager I; Child Support Services; Division of Human Resources.

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C. Report / Presentation:

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Utah: Emery Telecommunications
Project timeline and issues

Presenter: Jared Anderson, CEO; Emery Telecommunications

Available for Presentation: J.T. Willie, Executive Director,

Division of Economic Development Christopher Becenti, Director Department of Telecommunications

Brent Nelson, System & Programing Manager - DODE

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D. Update:

Richfield Residential Hall and Sevier School District

BIE Contractual obligations to the Native American Students attending Sevier School District

Presenters: Lisa Crane, Director of Special Services and Federal Programs Sevier School District (Utah)

Cody Workman, Executive Director – Richfield Residential Hall College & Career Prep (Utah)

Invited for Presentation: Bureau of Indian Education – Navajo Area

Dr. Walter H. Coulter, Acting Education Program Administrator

Navajo Bureau Operated Schools

Dr. Edie Morris, Education Program Administrator, BOS

AZ & UT

Emily Arviso, Acting District Superintendent, Bureau of Indian Education, Navajo Area Office

E. Report:

NN Division of Social Services

➤ Received a written report (e-mail) alleging that Social Services personnel have not been paid for two (2) pay periods.

Presenters: Deannah Nezwood-Gishey, Executive Director

Division of Social Services

Dr. Perphelia R. Fowler, Division Director Division of Human Resource Administration

Reycita Toddy, Delegated Human Resources Director

Department of Personnel Management

Lita Sam, Supervisor – Payroll; Office of the Controller

Robert Willie, Manager – Accounts Payable; Office of the Controller

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F. Report:

NN Facilities Maintenance

Proper and timely dispensing trash bags from NN buildings.

Presenter: Marcus Tulley, Department Manager III (Delegated)

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6. OLD BUSINESS: None

7. NEW BUSINESS:

A. Legislation #0195-21: An Action Relating to Health, Education and Human Services, Naabik'íyáti' and Navajo Nation Council; Approving the Reinstatement of Nizhoni Harker as a Member of the Navajo Nation.

Sponsor: Delegate Eugenia Charles-Newton

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	B.	3. Schedule a work session with the NN Division of Behavioral and Mental Health Services as requested by Dr. Michelle Brandser, Delegated Health Services Administrator				
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8.		CLOSE OF MEETING; ANNOUNCEMENTS; ADJOURNMENT				
		NEXT MEETING(S)				
		Travel to Santa Fe, NM to meet with NM Cabinet Secretaries on Thursday, November 18, 2021.				
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THIS AGENDA 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 at a Navajo Nation Council or a Standing Committee meeting pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §§163 and 183, Navajo Nation Council Rule of Order No. 7, and Standing Rule of Order No. 8.