



24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL LEGISLATION SPONSORSHIP WITHDRAWAL

I, Seth Damon, Primary
Sponsor of proposed legislation hereby withdraw my
sponsorship of the proposed legislation. The legislation
tracking number is 0010-19.

If there are any co-sponsors, they may re-sponsor the same
bill by beginning a new legislation.

SPONSOR SIGNATURE:



DATE:

2/5/19

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET

Tracking No. 0010-19

DATE: February 1, 2019

**AN ACTION
RELATING TO THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; CONFIRMING THE
SPEAKER'S APPOINTMENTS TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE, LAW AND
ORDER, RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT AND HEALTH, EDUCATION AND
HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEES OF THE 24TH NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

PURPOSE: The purpose of this legislation is to appoint members of the 24th Navajo Nation Council to their respective Committees. .

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 review the proposed resolution in detail.

5-DAY BILL HOLD PERIOD: None
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1 PROPOSED NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL RESOLUTION
2 24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL - First Year, 2019

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16 **BE IT ENACTED:**

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18 **Section One. Authority**

19 A. The Speaker of the Navajo Nation Council selects the Standing Committee
20 membership subject to confirmation by the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. §
21 181.

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23 **Section Two. Findings**

- 24 A. On January 28, 2019, the 24th Navajo Nation Council convened its first regular
25 session and as the first order of business selected and confirmed the Speaker of
26 the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 282 (C).
- 27 B. A Committee shall have at least one member from each of the Agencies of the
28 Navajo Nation as defined in 2 N.N.C. § 110 (A). 2 N.N.C. § 181.
- 29 C. The Budget and Finance Committee is established as a Standing Committee of the
30 Navajo Nation and it shall consist of six members. 2 N.N.C. §§ 300 (A) – (B).

- 1 D. The Health and Human Services Committee is established as a Standing Committee of
2 the Navajo Nation and it shall consist of six members. 2 N.N.C. §§ 400 (A) – (B).
- 3 E. The Resources and Development Committee is established as a Standing Committee of
4 the Navajo Nation and it shall consist of six members. 2 N.N.C. §§ 500 (A) – (B).
- 5 F. The Law and Order Committee is established as a Standing Committee of the Navajo
6 Nation and it shall consist of five members. 2 N.N.C. §§ 600 (A) – (B).

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8 **Section Three. Confirming the Delegates named below to serve as members of**
9 **the Standing Committees**

- 10 A. The Navajo Nation Council pursuant to its authority under Navajo Nation law
11 hereby confirms:

12 Budget and Finance Committee:

- 13 1. Amber Kanazbah Crotty from Northern Agency
14 2. Jamie Henio from Eastern Agency
15 3. Elmer P. Begay from Fort Defiance Agency
16 4. Jimmy Yellowhair from Central Agency
17 5. Nathaniel Brown from Western Agency
18 6. Herman Daniels, Jr. from Western Agency

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20 Health and Human Services Committee

- 21 1. Charlene Tso from Northern Agency
22 2. Daniel Tso from Eastern Agency
23 3. Pernell Halona from Fort Defiance Agency
24 4. Edison J. Wauneka from Fort Defiance Agency
25 5. Nelson BeGaye from Central Agency
26 6. Paul Begay from Western Agency

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28 Resources and Development Committee

- 29 1. Rickie Nez from Northern Agency
30 2. Mark Freeland from Eastern Agency

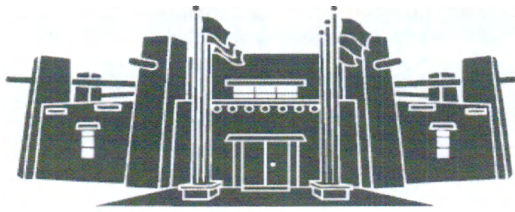
3. Wilson Stewart, Jr. from Fort Defiance Agency
4. Kee Allen Begay, Jr. from Central Agency
5. Otto Tso from Western Agency
6. Thomas Walker, Jr. from Western Agency

Law and Order Committee

1. Eugenia Charles-Newton from Northern Agency
2. Edmund Yazzie from Eastern Agency
3. Vince James from Fort Defiance Agency
4. Raymond Smith, Jr. from Fort Defiance Agency
5. Eugene Tso from Central Agency

Section Four. Effective Date

This resolution is effective upon its approval pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §221 (C).



MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Seth Damon
Navajo Nation Council

FROM: 
Edward A. McCool, Acting-Chief Legislative Counsel
Office of Legislative Counsel

DATE: February 1, 2019

AN ACTION RELATING TO THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; CONFIRMING THE SPEAKER'S APPOINTMENTS TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE, LAW AND ORDER, RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT AND HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEES OF THE 24TH NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

As requested, I have prepared the above-referenced proposed resolution and associated legislative summary sheet pursuant to your request for legislative drafting. Based on existing law and review of documents submitted, the resolution as drafted is legally sufficient. As with any action of government however, it can be subject to review by the courts in the event of proper challenge. Please ensure that this particular resolution request is precisely what you want. You are encouraged to review the proposed resolution to ensure that it is drafted to your satisfaction.

The Office of Legislative Counsel confirms the appropriate standing committee(s) based on the standing committees powers outlined in 2 N.N.C. §§500, 501. Nevertheless, "the Speaker of the Navajo Nation Council shall introduce [the proposed resolution] into the legislative process by assigning it to the respective oversight committee(s) of the Navajo Nation Council having authority over the matters for proper consideration." 2 N.N.C. §164(A)(5).

If the proposed resolution is unacceptable to you, please contact me at the Office of Legislative Counsel and advise me of the changes you would like made to the proposed resolution.

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SPONSOR: Seth Damon

TITLE: An Action To Navajo Nation Council; Confirming The Speaker's Appointment To The Budget And Finance, Law And Order, Resources And Development And Health, Education And Human Services Committees Of The 24th Navajo Nation Council

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