

NAVAJO NATION DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

ETHEL B. BRANCH Attorney General HEATHER CLAH Deputy Attorney General

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE INITIAL ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION FOR NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS

RFS/HK Review #:	
Date & Time Received:	
Date & Time of Response:	
Entity Requesting FRF:	
Title of Project:	
Administrative Oversight:	
Amount of Funding Requested:	
Eligibility Determination:	
□ FRF eligible	
□ FRF ineligible	
□ Additional information requested	
FRF Eligibility Category:	
\Box (1) Public Health and Economic Impact	□ (2) Premium Pay
\Box (3) Government Services/Lost Revenue	\Box (4) Water, Sewer, Broadband Infrastructure

U.S. Department of Treasury Reporting Expenditure Category:

Returned for the following reasons (Ineligibility Reasons/Paragraphs 5.E.(1)-(10) of FRF Procedures):

□ Missing Form	Expenditure Plan incomplete
□ Supporting documentation missing	\Box Funds will not be obligated by
\Box Project will not be completed by 12/31/2026	12/31/2024
□ Ineligible purpose	□ Incorrect Signatory
□ Submitter failed to timely submit CARES reports	\Box Inconsistent with applicable NN or
\Box Additional information submitted is insufficient	federal laws
to make a proper determination	
Other Comments:	

Name of DOJ Reviewer:

Signature of DOJ Reviewer:

Disclaimers:

If additional information has been requested and you wish to provide it, please resubmit all the required forms updated to include the additional information. Full resubmission will expedite the Initial Eligibility Determination process. Therefore, please include a new RFS form indicating resubmission, revised Appendix A, Budget Form 1, and other supporting documents. **Please email your resubmission to arpa@nndoj.org.** Please be aware that under Resolution BFS-31-21 a Project or Program can only be reviewed twice, therefore it is critical that you include all the requested additional information for your second submission.

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An NNDOJ Initial Eligibility Determination is based on the documents provided, which NNDOJ will assume are true, correct, and complete. Should the Project or Program change in any material way after the initial determination, the requestor must seek the advice of NNDOJ. An initial determination is limited to review of the Project or Program as it relates to whether the Project or Program is a legally allowable use – it does not serve as an opinion as to whether or not the Project or Program should be funded, nor does it serve as an opinion as to whether or not the amount requested is reasonable or accurate.



DR. BUU NYGREN PRESIDENT RICHELLE MONTOYA VICE PRESIDENT

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March 16, 2023

Honorable Carl Slater, Council Delegate 25th Navajo Nation Council Post Office Box 3390 Window Rock, Arizona 86515

Dear Honorable Council Delegate Carl Slater,

The Division of Economic Development supports the Round Rock Chapters' economic development initiative to plan and develop the Round Rock Convenience Store and Gas Station. The Convenience Store and Gas Station will provide accessible goods and services, create employment opportunity and sales and fuel taxes for Round Rock Chapter and its surrounding communities.

The Division of Economic Development will assist in the planning and development efforts to make the project become a reality. The Division supports Round Rock Chapters effort to apply for ARPA funds in the amount of \$650,000. The Division of Economic Development will be the fiscal agent to administer the ARPA funds on behalf of the Round Rock Chapter, if funding is approved.

The Project Development Department with the Division of Economic Development will take the lead on the project. The Department is the developer of commercial, retail and industrial development efforts throughout the Navajo Nation.

Please contact me if you have any questions. We look forward in working with you on this priority project.

Sincerely, 03/16/2023 Low Herelunger

Tony Skrelunas, Division Director Division of Economic Development

Cc: Anthony Perry, Department Manager, Project Development Department/NNDED



DR. BUU NYGREN PRESIDENT RICHELLE MONTOYA VICE PRESIDENT

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April 24, 2023

Honorable Carl Slater, Council Delegate 25th Navajo Nation Council P.O. Box 3390 Window Rock, Arizona 86515

RE: Round Rock Convenience Store

The Division of Economic Development Project Development Department will be taking the lead on the development of the Round Rock Convenience Store and Gas Station project to be located in Round Rock, Arizona. The Project Development Department is currently in discussions with a potential operator for the convenience store. The Northern Arizona University Center for American Indian Economic Development (CAIED) program will undertake a market and economic feasibility study for the project.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

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Anthony Perry, Department Manager Project Development Department Division of Economic Development



THE NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS REQUEST FORM & EXPENDITURE PLAN FOR NON-GOVERNANCE CERTIFIED CHAPTERS

Part 1. Identification of parties.

Non-Governance Certified Chapter Round Rock Chapter	Date prepared: 02/18/2023
Chapter's PO Box 10 mailing address: Round Rock, Arizona 86547	phone/email: (928) 787-2510
mailing address: Round Rock, Arizona 86547	website (if any): roundrock@navajochapters.org
This Form prepared by: Bernita Wheeler	phone/email: 928-658-8022, bwheeler@navsjochapters.org
Ramona Rogers, Chapter President	rrchprez@gmail.com
CONTACT PERSON'S name and title	CONTACT PERSON'S info
Title and type of Project: Convenience Store/Shopping	Center
Chapter President: Ramona Rogers	phone & email: rrchpprz@gmail.com
Chapter Vice-President: Paul Jim	phone & email: (480) 842-9901, kintower@yahoo.com
Chapter Secretary: Bernita Wheeler	phone & email: (928) 658-8022, bwheeler@navajochapters.org
Chapter Treasurer: Bernita Wheeler	phone & email: (928) 658-8022, bwheeler@navajochapters.org
Chapter Manager or CSC: Vacant	phone & email:
	phone & email: (928) 674-2251, rjumbo@nndcd.org
List types of Subcontractors or Subrecipients that will be paid with FRF (if kn	own): Selection will be based on bids
	document attached
Amount of FRF requested: <u>650,000</u> FRF funding period: <u>04/</u>	01/23 to 09/30/26
	indicate Project starting and ending/deadline date

Part 2. Expenditure Plan details.

(a) Describe the Program(s) and/or Project(s) to be funded, including how the funds will be used, for what purposes, the location(s) to be served, and what COVID-related needs will be addressed: The Round Rock Chapter is located about a quarter of a mile east from the highway 191 and N12

The Round Rock Chapter is located about a quarter of a mile east from the highway 191 and N12 Intersection. The chapter is situated in Central Agency and on the Navajo Nation at an elevation of 5395. The Round Rock Chapter has a business site lease available, project is shovel ready. The establishment of a Convenience Store/Shopping Center will serve our community and surrounding communities with safety first as the Pandemic realization of: Stay at Home Orders, Buy Local, Traveling only for essentials, also highly populated area pose risk to spread illness. Having a local store will eliminate 40 or more miles drive to shop for groceries or other necessities.

document attached

(b) Explain how the Program or Project will benefit the Navajo Nation, Navajo communities, or the Navajo People: The establishment of a C-Store/Shopping Center is a dire need in the community of Round Rock, AZ. The multiple benefits and needs of Navajo Way of Life by promoting and providing a sustainable self-sufficiency living through safe economic growth and nutrition best practice. Primary beneficiaries are our Dine People driving through Round Rock, AZ daily for work, and school. Also beneficial for the communities of Lukachukai, Rock Point, Rough Rock, Tsaile/Wheatfields, Many Farmed document attached

(c) Provide a prospective timeline showing the estimated date of completion of the Project and/or each phase of the Project. Disclose any challenges that may prevent you from incurring costs for all funding by December 31, 2024 and/or fully expending funds and completing the

Program(s) or Project(s) by December 31, 2026:

Navajo Nation 164 is consider a factor for delays in awarding contract for professional services. Plans and Designs will begin May 01, 2024 and completed by November 27, 2024.

document attached

APPENDIX A

(d) Identify who will be responsible for implementing the Program or Project:

Navajo Nation Division of Community Development, Navajo Nation Division of Economic Department, Round Rock Chapter and/or NN Shopping Centers Inc. (NNSCI). The chapter has withdrawn the land and the Land Dept. will assign the tract to either DED or NNSCI once we resolve which operator to move forward with. The FRF dollars assigned to this project will contribute to the total project cost. Additional funding aside from FRF will be sought to obtain full funding of project.

(e) Explain who will be responsible for operations and maintenance costs for the Project once completed, and how such costs will be funded prospectively:

The facility will be maintained by either the Divisionof Economic Development or Navajo Shopping Center, Inc.

(f) State which of the 66 Fiscal Recovery Fund expenditure categories in the attached U.S. Department of the Treasury Appendix 1 listing the proposed Program or Project falls under, and explain the reason why:

6.1 Provision of Government Services

The Navajo Nation's ordinary provision of govt. services to its citizens includes grants and financing to construct a C-store or shopping center to provide food, fuel, and basic necessities to its citizens. Funding the planning, design, and construction of such a store for Round Rock and the region aligns with previous Navajo Nation expenditures to support similar projects. C-store will address needs aggregate members of the local community and nearby communities.

document attached

Part 3. Additional documents.

List here all additional supporting documents attached to this FRF Expenditure Plan (or indicate N/A): Resolution #ROUN2105-04, Supporting Resolution #MF-28-05-2021, Supporting Resolution #RPC-2021-28, Supporting Resolution #LUK21-37, Supporting Resolution #2021-05-16, Estimated cost, Navajo Tribal Utility Authority's Analysis letter, drawings

Chapter Resolution attached

Part 4. Affirmation by Funding Recipient.

Funding Recipient affirms that its receipt of Fiscal Recovery Funds and the implementation of this FRF Expenditure Plan shall be in accordance with Resolution No. CJY-41-21, the ARPA, ARPA Regulations, and with all applicable federal and Navajo Nation laws, regulations, and policies:

Chapter's Preparer:	Approved by: Xumonin Konger signature of Chapter President (or When President)
Approved by: VACA NT	Approved by: Robert for ASO
	Approved to submit for Review:

THE NAVAJO NATION PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY

Page 1 of 3 BUDGET FORM 1

PART I. Busine	ss Unit No.:	NEW	Program Title:	Roun	d Rock Chapter-Convenience Store/Shopping	g Center	Division/Branch:	DCD/Execut	ve			
Prepared B	By: Berr	nita Wheeler	Phone	No.:	(928) 787-2510 Email	Address:	bwheeler@navajochapters.org					
PART II. FUNDII American Resue		Fiscal Year /Term 04/01/23-09/30/26	Amount 650.000.00	% of Total 100%	PART III. BUDGET SUMMARY	Fund Type Code	(A) NNC Approved Original Budget	(B) Proposed Budget	(C) Difference or Total			
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					9500 Matching Funds							
					9500 Indirect Cost							
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FY 2023

THE NAVAJO NATION PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

FY 2023

ART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION:							•		
Business Unit No.: NEW	Program Name/Title:		Round	Rock Cha	pter-Conven	ience Stor	e/Shopping	Center	
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Program Performance Measure/Objective:									
Bid and select contractor for Planning & Design, process contract	through 164 Review							1	L
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ART IV. I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE ABOVE INFORM/ James Adakai, Deputy Director Program Manager's Printed Name	ATION HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY	REVIE			stillo, Execut /Branch Chi	ef's Printe	d Name		
Program Manager's Signature and Date		/	Division	Director/B	ranch Chief		e and Date		

FY 2023

THE NAVAJO NATION DETAILED BUDGET AND JUSTIFICATION

Page 3 of 3 BUDGET FORM 4

	ROGRAM INFORMATION:		
	Program Name/Title: Round Rock Chapter-Convenience Store/Shopping Center Business Unit	No.:NEW	-
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Object Code (LOD 6)	Object Code Description and Justification (LOD 7)	Total by DETAILED Object Code (LOD 6)	Total by MAJOR Object Code (LOD 4)
6500	Contractual Services 6510 - Professional Services To plan, design a Convenience Store 650,000	650,000	650,000
		TOTAL 650,000) 650,000

THE NAVAJO NATION PROJECT BUDGET SCHEDULE

Page 1 of 1 PROJECT FORM

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DR. BUU NYGREN PRESIDENT RICHELLE MONTOYA VICE PRESIDENT

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MEMORANDUM

го	:	Division/Executive Directors and Staff
		Navajo Nation

FROM : James Adakai, Delegated Department Manager II

Capital Projects Management Department

DATE : February 1, 2023

SUBJECT: FY 2023 Standing Delegation of Authority

During the period that I am on leave or on travel from the Capital Projects Management Department, the following Individuals will be delegated in the capacity of Department Manager II (in no particular order):

Leonard Hardy, Project Manager Irma Julian, Project Manager

The Delegation is limited to signature authority for the time sensitive approval and emergency leave unless they feel that matters requires the attention of the Department Manager. Policy decisions are not delegated and are reserved for the Department Manger II. Other personnel related matters will remain under the purview of the Department Manager II.

Your cooperation with the aforementioned staff is appreciated.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

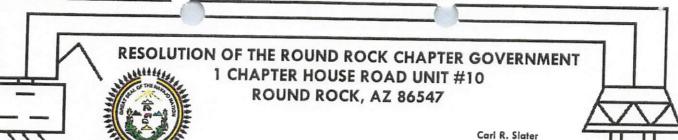
Leonard Hardy, Project Manager Capital Projects Management Department

Irma Julian, Project Manager Capital Projects Management Department

Distribution

xc: Calvin Castillo, Division Director, Division of Community Development

Capital Projects Management Department Post Office Box 1510, Window Rock, Arizona 86515



COUNCIL DELEGATE

ROUN2303-02

ROUND ROCK CHAPTER AFFIRMS THAT IT WILL ONLY USE AWARDED FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,760,000.00 ACCORDINGLY: (\$700,000.00 RECREATION PARK; \$650,000.00 C-STORE; \$150,000.00 DIVERSION/IRRIGATION SYSTEM; \$200,000.00 CEMETERY; AND \$60,000.00 UPGRADE LAGOON) TO PERFORM THE PRELIMINARY ACTIVITIES, DESIGNS, AND IMPLEMENT THE FRF EXPENDITURE PLAN IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE ARPA REGULATIONS, AND WITH ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL AND NAVAJO NATION LAWS, REGULATIONS, AND POLICIES

WHEREAS:

- 1. Pursuant to the Navajo Nation Local Governance Act (26 N.N.C.), Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, Section 3 (A) the Round Rock Chapter Government, is a certified Chapter Organization, which elects a Delegate to the Navajo Nation Council. The Chapter is also listed as being certified at Part 1, Section 10, of 11 N.N.C., the "Navajo Nation Election Code; AND
- 2. Pursuant to the same "Act", Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, Section 1 (B-1), the Navajo Nation Council; delegates to our Chapter, governmental authority with respect to local matters consistent with Navajo Law, including custom and tradition; AND
- 3. Section 1 (B-2), authorizes our Chapter, to improve Community decision making; allow us to excel and flourish; enable our Navajo Leaders to lead towards a prosperous future, and improve the strength and sovereignty of the Navajo Nation. Our Chapter is compelled to govern with responsibility and accountability to us, the Local Citizens; AND
- 4. Pursuant to the Federal "Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (P.L; 93-638), as amended, our Chapter Government, is entitled and supported to initiate plans and make recommendations, requests, and thus; determine the promotion, protection, and preservation of the general welfare of our Community People, as well as the Navajo Nation; AND
- 5. The Round Rock Chapter Government held dialogue with membership numerous times to discuss needs and effects experienced from Covid-19: AND
- 6. The Covid-19 Pandemic had various effects on membership, across the Navajo Nation, and many counties: AND
- 7. The effected we told to take walks, gatherings were disallowed unless it is open space, such as outside, a Park would benefit both and to promote the many underlying health issues raised during this trying times; AND

Ramona Rogers	Paul Jim	Bernita Wheeler	Robert Wagner	
PRESIDENT	VICE-PRESIDENT	SECRETARY/TREASURER	GRAZING OFFICIAL	

VACANT COMMUNITY SERVICES COORDINATOR

VACANT ACCOUNT MAINTENANCE SPECIALIST

- 8. The basic food and cleaning necessities was scarce, the C-store can benefit the locals to not have to travel afar for basic needs, even travelers were restricted to travel to border towns; AND
- 9. The Navajo Nation Standing Committees and Grazing Representative has been discussing and passing resolution directing Chapters to establish a Community Cemetery; Lukachukai St. Isabel Catholic Church has been sending letters requesting for our Chapter to take action; AND
- 10. Economic Development is a must for our Community and it helps Operators/Business to establish within our Community with upgraded lagoons.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Round Rock Chapter Government hereby affirms that it will only use awarded Fiscal Recovery Funds in the amount of \$1,760,000.00 accordingly: (\$700,000.00 Recreation Park: \$650,000.00 C-Store; \$150,000.00 Diversion/Irrigation system; \$200,000.00 Cemetery; and \$60,000.00 upgrade lagoon) to perform the preliminary activities, designs and implement the FRF expenditure plan in compliance with the ARPA regulations, and with all applicable federal and Navaio nation laws, regulations, and policies.

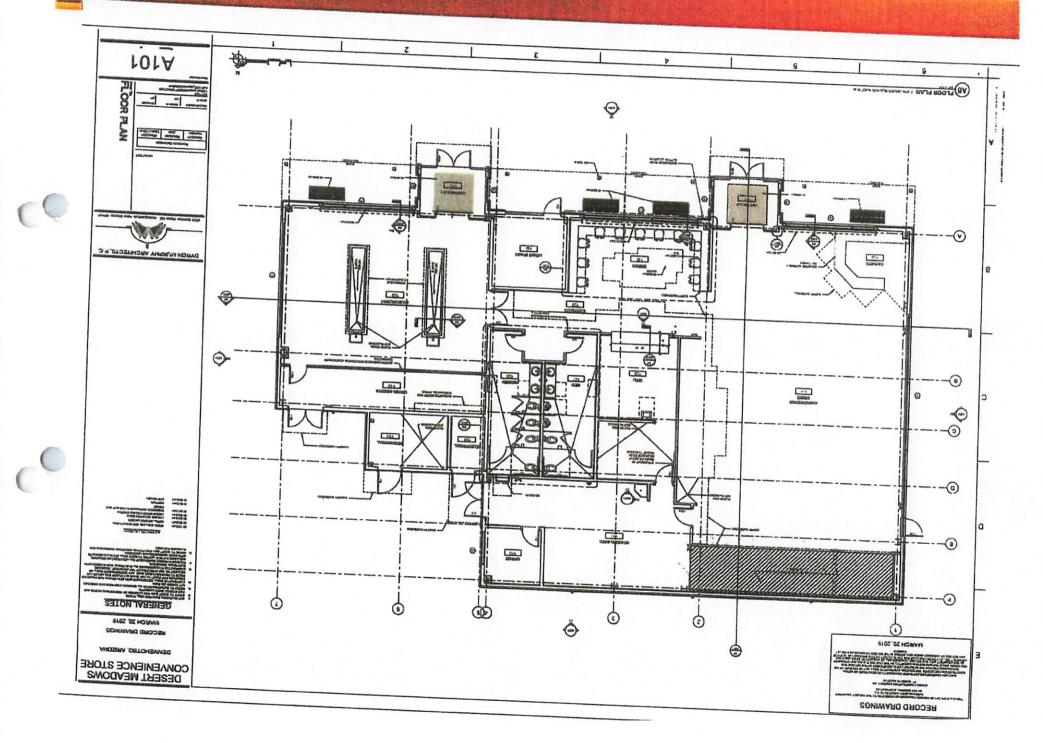
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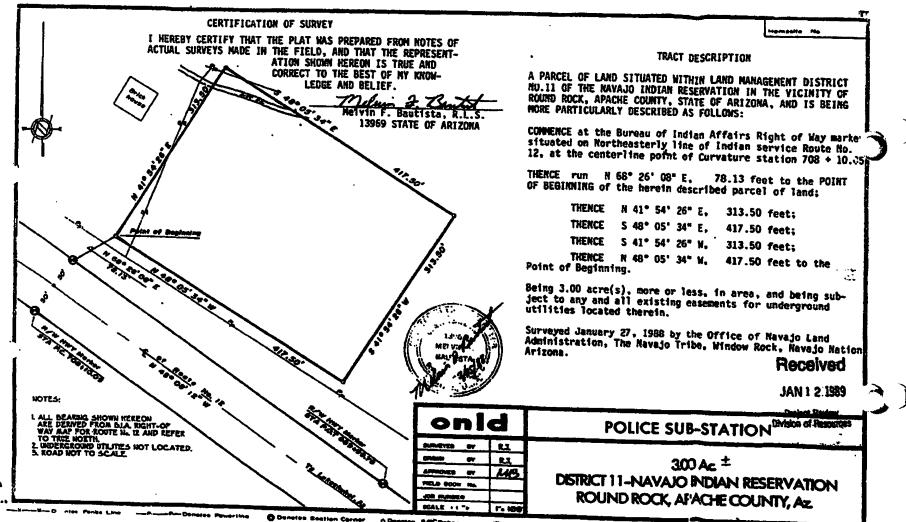
We hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was considered by the Round Rock Chapter at a duly called Chapter Meeting at Round Rock, Navajo Nation, Arizona, at which a guorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of 29 in favor, 0 opposed, and 1 abstained, on this 17th day of March, 2023.

Second by: Terrilyn Jehrson

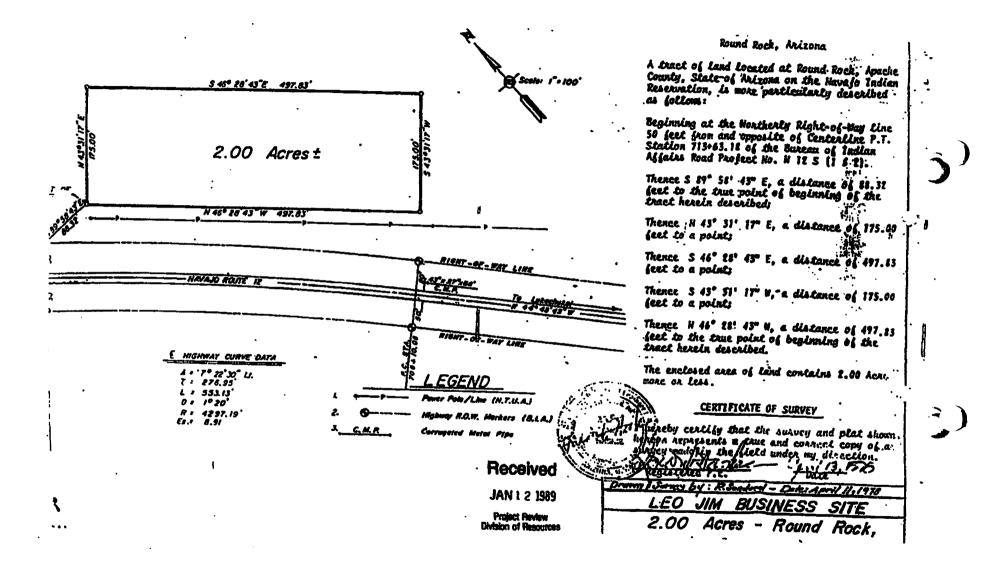
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Ramona Rogers, President





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NAVAJO TRIBAL UTILITY AUTHORITY AN ENTERPRISE OF THE NAVAJO NATION

January 3, 2023

Honorable Carl Slater, Council Delegate Navajo Nation Council P.O. Box 34 Round Rock, AZ 86547

RE: Utility Analysis Letter for The Round Rock Chapter Shopping Center

Honorable Slater,

The Navajo Tribal Utility Authority (NTUA) has completed both the power and water capacity analysis on the existing systems that serve the Round Rock community which will serve the Round Rock Shopping Center. A breakdown of the analysis will be broken down by utility below:

Power

NTUA Electrical Engineering Department has completed the capacity analysis that is coming from the Round Rock Substation and the distribution line to the proposed site of the shopping center, it has been determined that the existing substation does have capacity. Regarding the distribution line, it will need to be upgraded from the substation to the proposed commercial development tract. This upgrade will consist of installing 4/0 ACSR to the site. This load analysis is based on the peak loading data of the existing line and the estimated total KVA load that will be added for the Round Rock Shopping Center.

The total power Construction Budgetary Cost Estimate is \$222, 311.59.

Water

NTUA Water-Wastewater Department has completed the capacity analysis from the Round Rock 3 water system and at this time it is currently pumping at 13.9 hours per day. The Round Rock 3 water system is stressed, adding an additional 15,000 GPD would increase the rate to 16.7 hours per day. The current system is a stand-alone system with a 12-hour pumping capacity. Therefore, the existing water system would need to be upgraded to support the development.

Home Office: KAYENTA TUBA CITY SHIPROCK CHINLE FORT DEFIANCE DILCON CROWNPOINT P.O. BOX 170 P.O. BOX 37 P.O. BOX 398 P.O. BOX 1749 P.O. BOX 549 P.O. BOX 587 HC 63 BOX D P.O. BOX 1825 FT. DEFIANCE, AZ 86504 KAYENTA, AZ 86033 SHIPROCK, NM 87420 CHINLE, AZ 86503 FT. DEFIANCE, AZ 86504 TUBA CITY, AZ 86045 WINSLOW, AZ 86047 CROWNPOINT, NM 87313 CALL 800-528-5011 OR 928-729-5721 FOR ALL OFFICES. *This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

The completed analysis is based on the current usage of each system as of today. Moving forward with the project, we will work with your developer to get actual utility demands and we will provide technical reviews at 65%, 95% and 100%. If you should have any questions, please call me at (928) 729-6234 so we could discuss further.

Sincerely,

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Garridyn Henderson, Project Management Liaison

CC: Rex Kontz, Deputy General Manager, NTUA HQ-DGM Office Rayni Nelson, Associate Deputy General Manager, NTUA HQ-DGM Office Regina Martinez, DGM Legislative Liaison, NTUA HQ-DGM Office Daniel Stevens, Acting Principal Engineer, NTUA HQ-W/WW Dept. Donavan Begay, Electric Engineering Supervisor, NTUA HQ-EISD Elec Design Engineering Dept. Dustin Sagg, Electrical Engineer, NTUA HQ-EISD Elec Design Engineering Dept. Gary Yellowhair, P.E., Civil Engineer Supervisor, NTUA HQ-W/WW Dept. Chalmer Bitsoi, Acting W/WW Construction Engineering Supervisor, NTUA HQ-WWW Dept.

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMUNITY LAND USE PLANNING COMMITTEE OF THE ROUND ROCK CHAPTER RESOLUTION NO.: RR2208-01

ROUND ROCK COMMUNITY LAND USE PLANNING COMMITTEE SUPPORTS ROUND ROCK CHAPTER GOVERNMENT RESOLUTIONS TO 1) CONSOLIDATE TWO PARCELS OF PREVIOUSLY WITHDRAWN LANDS AND REPURPOSE FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS; 2) UPGRADE WATER LINES TO BUILDINGS WITHIN CHAPTER COMPOUND; 3) WITHDRAW 10 ACRES OF LAND FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PURPOSES, AND 4) REQUEST WATER RESOURCES TO EVALUATE ROUND ROCK DAM AND IRRIGATION.

WHEREAS:

- 1. The Round Rock Community Land Use Planning Committee (CLUPC) was established by the Round Rock Chapter Government pursuant to 26 N.N.C. Sec. 2004, Subchapter 7 for the purposes among others of creating a community land use plan that incorporates community needs, goals and priorities, serving as a Chapter advisory committee to develop, recommend, evaluate and oversee said plan, and communicating with residents how community land use planning development projects may benefit the community; and
- 2. On August 19, 2022 at a duly called Round Rock Chapter meeting, a quorum being present, Resolution ROUN2208-03 passed by a vote of 22 in favor, none opposed and five abstained to approve three acres of land withdrawn for a police Sub-station to be combined with the two acres of land withdrawn for a business site lease (Leo Jim site) for a new five acre site for the purpose of economic development, including but not limited to a shopping center, gas station, C-store, house manufacturing facility, and other concepts as supported by the Chapter; and
- 3. On August 19, 2022 at a duly called Round Rock Chapter meeting, a quorum being present, Resolution ROUN2208-04 passed by a vote of 22 in favor, none opposed and five abstained to approve a request that the Navajo Tribal Utility Authority upgrade the main water line up to two meters and for four facilities and other proposed developments, and
- 4. On August 19, 2022 at a duly called Round Rock Chapter meeting, a quorum being present, Resolution ROUN2208-08 passed by a vote of 22 in favor, none opposed and five abstained to approve withdrawal of ten acres of land for the purpose of economic development, including but not limited to a shopping center, gas station, C-store, house manufacturing facility, and other concepts as supported by the Chapter; and
- 5. On August 19, 2022 at a duly called Round Rock Chapter meeting, a quorum being present, Resolution ROUN2208-11 passed by a vote of 22 in favor, none opposed and five abstained to request Water Resources to evaluate the Round Rock irrigation intake to the reservoir, evaluate all equipment, clean out dam and purchase parts; and
- 6. On August 24, 2022 at a duly called Round Rock Chapter CLUPC meeting, a quorum being present, CLUPC members passed a motion by a vote of three in favor, none opposed and one abstention in support of four Round Rock Chapter Government resolutions, ROUN2208-03, ROUN2208-04, ROUN2208-08 and ROUN2208-11; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. The Round Rock Chapter Community Land Use Planning Committee supports Round Rock Chapter Resolutions ROUN2208-03, ROUN2208-04, ROUN2208-08, and ROUN2208-11 and all action needed to achieve the objectives of said resolutions, and urges approval of funds to implement listed proposed projects; and
- 2. Round Rock Chapter Community Land Use Planning Committee will continue to work with Round Rock Chapter officials and personnel to achieve the objectives of said resolutions, and fulfill its responsibilities so that Round Rock community members benefit from a comprehensive and integrated land use plan that balances economic opportunity and services and protects the land as a natural and cultural resource.

CERTIFICATION

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was considered by the Round Rock Chapter Community Land Use Planning Committee at a duly called meeting at Round Rock, Arizona at which a quorum was present and the same was passed by a vote of three in favor, none opposed, and one abstention, on this 24th day of August 2022.

Motioned By: Dorothy Johnson, Member

Seconded By: Charleston Wagner, Vice President

Valencia Harvey, President, C

RESOLUTION OF THE ROUND ROCK CHAPTER GOVERNMENT 1 CHAPTER HOUSE ROAD UNIT #10 ROUND ROCK, AZ 86547

ROUN2207-02

REQUESTING NAVAJO TRIBAL UTILITITY AUTHORITY (NTUA) TO PROVIDE A CAPACITY AND FEASIBILITY STUDY OF WATER, WASTEWATER, ELECTRICAL (TRANSFORMER), INTERNET, RIGHT OF WAY (ROW) FOR A PROPOSED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR A SHOPPING CENTER AT THE FORMER LEO JIM'S AND POLICE SUBSTATION WITHDRAWN LAND, LOCATED SOUTHEAST OF THE CHPATER HOUSE AND OFF NAVAJO ROUTE 12,

WHEREAS:

- Pursuant to the Navajo Nation Local Governance Act (26 N.N.C.), Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, Section 3 (A) the Round Rock Chapter Government, is a certified Chapter Organization, which elects a Delegate to the Navajo Nation Council. The Chapter is also listed as being certified at Part 1, Section 10, of 11 N.N.C., the "Navajo Nation Election Code; AND
- Pursuant to the same "Act", Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, Section 1 (B-1), the Navajo Nation Council; delegates to our Chapter, governmental authority with respect to local matters consistent with Navajo Law, including custom and tradition; AND
- Section 1 (B-2), authorizes our Chapter, to improve Community decision making; allow us to excel and flourish; enable our Navajo Leaders to lead towards a prosperous future, and improve the strength and sovereignty of the Navajo Nation. Our Chapter is compelled to govern with responsibility and accountability to us, the Local Citizens; AND
- 4. Pursuant to the Federal "Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (P.L; 93-638), as amended, our Chapter Government, is entitled and supported to initiate plans and make recommendations, requests, and thus; determine the promotion, protection, and preservation of the general welfare of our Community People, as well as the Navajo Nation; AND
- The Chapter request Navajo Tribal Utility Authority (NTUA) to assess, analyze, provide capacity report and recommendation with cost estimates if any; AND
- The Chapter is proposing a Shopping Center Project in the area next to the Chapter House at the former Leo Jim's proposed gas station and former proposed Police Sub-station withdrawn land; AND
- The Chapter Government, was advised to seek capacity and feasibility studies for all infrastructure needs (electric, water, wastewater, internet, Right of Way (ROW) if necessary); AND

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- 8. The Chapter is proposing a shopping center the size of the Navajo Pine, NM; AND
- 9. The tentative size considered is approximately 20,000 square feet for Shopping Center, Post Office, Fast Food restaurant, additional office space for rental; AND
- 10. It is in the best interests of the Chapter and Community People that the Navajo Tribal Utility Authority (NTUA) to assist the Chapter again for the above request.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

 The Round Rock Chapter Government hereby approves requests Navajo Nation Tribal Utility (NTUA) to provide a capacity and feasibility study of water, wastewater, electrical (transformer), internet, Right of Way (ROW) for a proposed Economic Development for a Shopping Center at the Former Leo Jim's and Police Substation withdrawn land, located southeast of the Chapter House and off Navajo Route 12.

CERTIFICATION

We hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was considered by the Round Rock Chapter at a duly called Chapter Meeting at Round Rock, Navajo Nation, Arizona, at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of $\cancel{11}$ in favor, $\cancel{22}$ opposed, and $\cancel{22}$ abstained, on this 12th day of July, 2022.

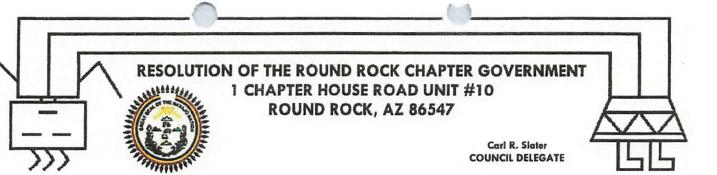
Motion by: <u>Herman Isosie</u>

Second by: Ben Davis

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Ramona Rogers, President



ROUN2105-04

RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING NAVAJO NATION DIVISION OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SINCERELY CONSIDER AS A PROJECT AND FUND \$4,500,000.00 TO ESTABLISH A SHOPPING CENTER IN ROUND ROCK COMMUNITY, LISTED IN THE INFRASTRUCTURE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN (ICIP), USING THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN (ARPA)

WHEREAS:

- Pursuant to the Navajo Nation Local Governance Act (26 N.N.C.), Chapter 1, Subchapter
 1, Section 3 (A) the Round Rock Chapter Government, is a certified Chapter Organization,
 which elects a Delegate to the Navajo Nation Council. The Chapter is also listed as being
 certified at Part 1, Section 10, of 11 N.N.C., the "Navajo Nation Election Code; AND
- Pursuant to the same "Act", Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, Section 1 (B-1), the Navajo Nation Council; delegates to our Chapter, governmental authority with respect to local matters consistent with Navajo Law, including custom and tradition; AND
- 3. Section 1 (B-2), authorizes our Chapter, to improve Community decision making; allow us to excel and flourish; enable our Navajo Leaders to lead towards a prosperous future, and improve the strength and sovereignty of the Navajo Nation. Our Chapter is compelled to govern with responsibility and accountability to us, the Local Citizens; AND
- 4. Pursuant to the Federal "Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (P.L; 93-638), as amended, our Chapter Government, is entitled and supported to initiate plans and make recommendations, requests, and thus; determine the promotion, protection, and preservation of the general welfare of our Community People, as well as the Navajo Nation; AND
- The Round Rock Chapter Government is in support of the larger Navajo Nation's effort for Economic Development; AND
- 6. Round Rock Chapter has business site lease available, "Shovel Ready"; AND
- Round Rock Community has no Convenient store, gas stations nor shopping center of any type; AND
- Chinle Bashas is considered a local store for our community and neighboring communities. Chinle is congested, the growth rate has increased with multiple economic establishments already established as well as tourist attractions year round; AND

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- 9. We are aware of discussions by Navajo Nation Division Economic Development dialogue on convenient stores located within 15 miles from Round Rock are Lukachukai, Rock Point, and Many Farms. Convenient stores do not provide the healthy nutritious foods our people need; AND
- 10. This project has been planned in the local Chapter's strategic plan for many years and listed in the Infrastructure Capital Improvement Plan (ICIP), redevelopment, now there is hope and opportunity with utilization of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) fund; AND
- 11. There are two major infrastructure projects in progress at this time in the Community of Lukachukai (School Replacement), N12 road improvement from Wheatfields to Tsaile, traffic studies have been completed numerous times for these projects; AND
- 12. Land is fully withdrawn for a gas station, however it will be modified for purpose and combined with the land withdrawn for a Police-substation, providing sufficient acreage for the project; AND
- 13. Navajo Nation Economic Development has sufficient, accurate data for requested establishment to the knowing possible Operators; AND
- 14. The establishment of a shopping center improves Round Rock Community and its neighboring communities to take necessary measures to care for their own well-being, to buy local in support of the Mother Government and ensuring economic development; AND
- 15. The Shopping Center will not only serve the Community of Round Rock (817) but it's surrounding communities: Rock Point (1199), Mexican Water (612), Lukachukai (1066), Tsaile/Wheatfields (1265), Many Farms (1279), and daily commuters to Window Rock, Dine' College and over Chuska Mountain; AND
- 16. The voter registration data shown in above 7, shows a total of 6238 for these Communities, Chinle alone has 3599 registered voters, which also serves Nazlini, Del Merto, Tselani, Cottonwood.
- 17. Voter registration data shows the neighboring communities have a sufficient number of members to utilize the Shopping Center and provide individuals with employment leading to high rate of consumer spending and healthier overall local economy; AND
- 18. Round Rock is a prime location to have a Shopping Center to serve our Dine' People and to serve them with safety first as the Pandemic realization of: Stay at Home Orders, Buy Local, travel only for essentials, less stress, less anxiety for family's food scarce, less lines that could aid in spreading the virus, and much more, makes sense in many ways; AND

- 19. No need to drive to Chinle Bashas grocery store, causing meat and produce products to defrost and being refrozen which can be harmful, getting hay flakes into the grocery bags because you have to get every essential items; stand in long lines possibly exposing the spread, elders driving long distance for their food essentials, other having less patients for the elders while they shop; AND
- 20. The people are frustrated to shop in Chinle Bashas for many reasons, some mentioned in this document, therefore, they tend to travel to border towns, if a shopping center is in Round Rock, they will shop at their at their convenience, and buying local generate sales tax for betterment of the whole Navajo Nation, if not here, it gets taken to border towns; AND
- 21. Highly populated areas pose risk to increase the spread of respiratory illnesses such as Covid-19 and increases gathering among certain groups such as social drinkers; AND
- 22. Shopping Center will help promote good nutrition by reducing the risk of some diseases, improve ability to fight off illnesses such as Covid-19, promote healthy lifestyle; AND
- 23. To establish a shopping center is a dire need in our Community, the multiple benefits and needs above adhere to the Navajo Way of Life by promoting/providing a sustainable self-sufficiency living through safe economic growth and nutrition best practice; AND
- 24. This will perfectly adhere to the safety concerns of our Dine' People, adherence to the "Stay At Home Order", Safety Measures to travel only for essentials, and more so to buy local; AND
- 25. Round Rock Government on behalf of their members and surround Communities know there is a dire need for a food market, currently there is no commercial establishment; AND
- 26. We are strongly requesting to the Navajo Nation Economic Development to act upon our request on behalf of general public, and to serve our local Dine' relatives, and secondary is the tourist. We welcome them to our Community, but our Dine' people are the primary beneficiaries; AND
- 27. It is this type of rescue measures to heal, prevent, improve the lives of Dine' People, which the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) is awarded to resolve, to be self-determine and sustainable.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

 The Round Rock Chapter Government hereby approves and requests Navajo Nation Division of Economic Development sincerely consider as a project and fund \$4,500,000.00 to establish a Shopping Center in the Community of Round Rock, Arizona (Navajo Nation), listed in the Infrastructure Capital Improvement Plan (ICIP), using the American Rescue Plan (ARPA.

CERTIFICATION

We hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was considered by the Round Rock Chapter at a duly called Chapter Meeting at Round Rock, Navajo Nation, Arizona, at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of 2/2 in favor, 2/2 opposed, and 2/2 abstained, on this 11th day of May, 2021.

abstained, on this 11th day of May, 2021. Motion by: <u>Yaul Y</u>(1)] Second by: <u>Kolulus</u> Way Lamona Ko Ramona Rogers, President



The Navajo Nation Lukachukai Chapter

P.O. Box 248, Lukachukai, Arizona 86507 Telephone: (928) 787-2500 Fax: (928) 787-2332 Berlinda McKinley, CSC Vacant, AMS

Carl R. Slater, Council Delegate Paula S. Begay, President Connette Blair, Vice-President Mary Ann Leonard, Sec./Treasurer Reederson Dee, Grazing Comm. Rep.

LUK21-37

RESOLUTION OF THE LUKACHUKAI CHAPTER #036

SUPPORTING ROUND ROCK CHAPTER'S REQUEST TO THE NAVAJO NATION DIVISION OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TO ESTABLISH A SHOPPING CENTER IN ROUND ROCK COMMUNITY USING THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUND.

WHEREAS:

- 1. Pursuant to the Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CJ-20-55, dated November 14, 1955, the Lukachukai Chapter is vested with authority and charged with the responsibility to promote, protect and preserve the interest and general welfare, including the health and safety of its community people; and
- 2. The Indian Self-Determination Act (P.L. 93-638) of the U. S. Congress and Local Governance Initiatives entitles and support us, Navajo Indians, in initiating plan and making decisions, recommendation, request, etc., according to our actual needs and desires; and
- The Lukachukai Chapter supports an establishment of a Shopping Center in Round Rock, Arizona; and
- We surely will encourage our Community members to utilize the facility; and
- 5. The Lukachukai Chapter is aware of Round Rock has no C-Store, Gas Station, any business of any kind in its community at this time; and
- It will be beneficial not only to Round Rock but to neighboring Communities like; Lukachukai, Tsaile/Wheatfields, Rock Point, and even Rough Rock; and
- The single lane road into Chinle has become a heavy traffic at all times of the day, creating safety concerns for elders and other daily users; and
- The Chinle Community has also grown in the past few years, creating heavy traffic congestions and safety concerns for everyone such as standing in long lines at the grocery store; and
- 9. It makes sense to establish a Shopping Center in Round Rock so it lessens the above listed concerns; and
- 10. It will ease the mind of Dine' People that there is an option to travel the opposite direction from Chinle area to do their grocery shopping; and

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- 11. A Shopping Center is much needed for purchase of nutritional foods rather than a convenient store heat up foods and unhealthy foods; and
- 12. The Lukachukai Chapter supports the idea of such an establishment and it will benefit our Community Dine' people.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Lukachukai Chapter hereby approves the supports the Round Rock Chapter's request to the Navajo Nation Division of Community Development to establish a Shopping Center in Round Rock Community using the American Rescue Plan Act Fund.

CERTIFICATION

We hereby certify the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Lukachukai Chapter at a duly called meeting at Lukachukai, Arizona at which a quorum was present and the same was passed by a vote of <u>08</u> in favor, <u>00</u> opposed, and <u>05</u> abstained on this <u>21^{ad}</u> day of <u>May</u>, <u>2021</u>.

Motion by: Henry Nez

Paula S Begay, President

Second by: Marlene Thompson

Mary Ann Leonard, Secretary/Treasurer



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Kee Allen Begay, Jr., Council Delegate, 24th Navajo Nation Council

Katherine O. Arthur, President Aljerino Tsedah, Vice President Jacqueline J. Begaye, Secretary/Treasurer

Resolution of the Many Farms Chapter Francine Harrison, CSC Lewanda Ben, AMS Roland Tso, Grazing Committee

MF-28-05-2021

SUPPORTING ROUND ROCK CHAPTER'S REQUEST TO NAVAJO NATION COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TO ESTABLISH A SHOPPING CENTER IN ROUND ROCK COMMUNITY USING THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUND

WHEREAS:

- 1. Pursuant to CMY-23-79, the Many Farms Chapter is a certified chapter of the Navajo Nation vested with authority and responsibilities to provide and enact on all matters affecting the community; and
- 2. Pursuant to CAP-34-98, the Navajo Nation Council approved the Navajo Nation Local Governance Act (LGA) that allows Many Farms Chapter to make decisions over local matters; and
- 3. The Many Farms Chapter Government supports an establishment of a Shopping Center in Round Rock, AZ;
- 4. The Many Farms Government is aware Round Rock has no C-store, gas station, any business of any kind in its community at this time; AND
- 5. It will be beneficial not only to Round Rock but to neighboring Communities like us, Lukachukai, Rock Point, Tsaile/Wheatfields, and even Rough Rock; AND
- Chinle Community grocery stores create heavy traffic congestions and safety concerns for everyone such as standing in long lines at the grocery store; AND
- It will ease the mind of Dine' People that there is an option to travel the opposite direction from Chinle area to do their grocery shopping.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. Supporting Round Rock Chapter's Request to Navajo Nation Community Development to Establish a Shopping Center in Round Rock Community using the American Rescue Plan Act Fund.

CERTIFICATION

We, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was considered by the Many Farms Chapter at a duly called special meeting in Many Farms, Navajo Nation (Arizona) at which a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of 4 in favor, 0 opposed and 3 abstained this 10^{10} day of May 2021.

Motion: Second: Kathepine O. Arthur, Chapter President Vige President Aljerino Tsedah,

Kee A. Begay, Jr., Council Delegate

Roland Tso, Grazing Committee

Jacqueline J. Begaye, Secretary/Treasurer

GRAZING REPRESENTATIVE Receder Descheny, District 9 Grazing Rep.



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ADMINISTRATION Charlene Kirk, Community Services Coordinator Vacant, Accounts Maintenance Specialist

RPC-2021-28

RESOLUTION OF ROCK POINT CHAPTER

SUPPORTING AND APPROVING ROUND ROCK CHAPTER'S REQUEST TO NAVAJO NATION COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TO ESTABLISH A SHOPPING CENTER OR C-STORE IN ROUND ROCK COMMUNITY USING THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUND

WHEREAS:

- 1. Rock Point Chapter is a duly certified Chapter of the Navajo Nation, established and recognized by the Navajo Nation Council as a foundation of the Navajo Nation government, vested with the authority to plan and implement projects in the best interests of the community, IAW 26 N.N.C., Section 103 (D); and
- 2. Pursuant to the Navajo Nation Council Resolution CAP-34-98, the Rock Point Chapter is a certified Navajo Nation Chapter Government and is delegated governmental authority and the responsibility to plan and implement projects for community improvements; to review, recommend, advocate, protect and preserve the general interest and welfare, safety and education and/or support matters pertaining to its constituents and to address and attempt to resolve the needs and concerns of the Rock Point Chapter; and
- 3. The Rock Point Chapter Government supports an establishment of a Shopping Center or C-Store in Round Rock, AZ; and
- 4. We surely will encourage our Community members to utilize the facility; and
- 5. The Rock Point Chapter Government is aware Round Rock has no business of any kind in its community at this time; and
- 6. It will be beneficial not only to Round Rock but to neighboring communities like us, Lukachukai, Rock Point, Tsaile/Wheatfields, Many Farms, and even Rough Rock; and
- 7. The single lane road into Chinle has become a heavy traffic at all times of the day, creating safety concerns for elders and other daily users; and
- 8. Chinle community has also grown in the past few years, creating heavy traffic congestions and safety concerns for everyone such as standing in long lines at the grocery store; and
- 9. It makes sense to establish a Shopping Center or C-Store in Round Rock so it lessens the above listed concerns; and

- 10. It will ease the mind of Dine' People that there is an option to travel the opposite direction from Chinle area to do their grocery shopping; and
- A Shopping Center or C-Store is much needed for purchase of nutritional foods rather than convenient store heat up foods and unhealthy foods; and
- 12. The Rock Point Government supports the idea of such an establishment and it will benefit our Community Dine' people.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT:

- The Rock Point Chapter hereby fully supports Round Rock Chapter's request to Navajo Nation Community Development to establish a Shopping Center or C-Store in Round Rock Community, using the American Rescue Plan Act Fund.
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CERTIFICATION

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was considered by the Rock Point Chapter at a duly called meeting at Rock Point, Navajo Nation (Arizona) at which a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of (0) in favor, (0) opposed, (3) abstained, this 10th day of May 2021.

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Nancy J. Harvey, Chapter Secretary/Treasurer

Carl Slater, Navajo Nation Council Delegate

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Resolution #2021-05-16

RESOLUTION OF THE TSE'CHI'ZHI' (ROUGH ROCK) CHAPTER OF THE NAVAJO NATION

Supporting Round Rock Chapter's request to Navajo Nation Community Development to establish a Shopping Center in Round Rock community using the American Rescue Plan Act Fund

WHEREAS:

- Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 3 (A) the Tse'ch'i'zhi (Rough Rock) Chapter is a duly recognized certified Chapter of the Navajo Nation Government, as listed in 11 N.N.C. Part 1, Section 10; and
- 2. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 1 (B) Rough Rock Chapter is vested with the authority to review all matters affecting the community and to make appropriate correction when necessary and make recommendation to the Navajo Nation and other local agencies for appropriate actions; and
- 3. The Rough Rock Chapter recognizes a need for additional shopping center in the Chinle Agency as there is only one grocery store that serves fifteen (15) other communities and the people are forced to travel over 30 miles through unpaved roads to shop for fresh fruits, vegetables, meats, and essential supplies, and by the time they reach home, the food defrosts, melts, thaw and become unhealthy; and
- 4. The need for additional food outlets is a priority for all which Round Rock Chapter envisions to establish a shopping center that will benefit all people residing in adjacent communities of Lukachukai, Sweet Water, Rock Point, Many Farms, Rough Rock, Tsaile, and including highway motorists, visitors traveling the reservation; and
- The establishment of a shopping center in Round Rock, Arizona will provide a vital source for jobs, tax revenue, boost the economy, improve community wellness that will support community development, and provide accessibility by walking, bicycling, carpooling, and short distance driving.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT: The Tse'Ch'i'Zhi (Rough Rock) Chapter hereby supports Round Rock Chapter's request to Navajo Nation Community Development to establish a Shopping Center in Round Rock community using the American Rescue Plan Act Fund.

CERTIFICATION: We, the undersigned hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered at a duly called authorized meeting held at Tse'Ch'i'Zhi, Navajo Nation (Arizona) at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of 4 in favor and 0 opposing and 0 abstaining this 16th day of May, 2021.

Motioned by:		Seconded by:	
Signed by Chap	oter President_B	<u> 200</u>	alas