

# **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 Commenter	
Other Comments:	
Name of DOJ Reviewer:	

Signature of DOJ Reviewer:	Rupp Reufin	
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#### 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.

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.

APPENDD

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

#### Part 1. Identification of parties.

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Non-Governance Certified Chapter Wide Ruins Chapter requesting FRF:	Date prepared: 02/14/2023
Chapter's P.O. Box 208	phone/email: 928-625-3223
mailing address: Chambers, AZ 86502	website (if any): www.wideruins@navajochapters.org
This Form prepared by: Vernita S. Tsosie, Planner/Project Coordi	nator phone/email: 928-652-3223
Vernita S. Tsosie, Planner/Project Coordinator	928-652-3223
CONTACT PERSON'S name and 880	CONTACT PERSONS Into
Title and type of Project: Wide Ruins Bathroom Additions - S	outh
Chapter President: Annie Tolly, President	_ phone & email: <u>928-652-3223</u>
Chapter Vice-President: Nellie M. Gilmore, Vice President	_ phone & email: <u>928-652-3223</u>
Chapter Secretary: Tauve Begaye, Secretary	_ phone & email: 928-652-3223
Chapter Treasurer: Tauve Begaye, Treasurer	_ phone & email: <u>928-652-3223</u>
Chapter Manager or CSC: Vacant	_ phone & email: 928-652-3242
DCD/Chapter ASO: Derrick Echohawk, SPPS	_ phone & email: 928-871-6245
List types of Subcontractors or Subrecipients that will be paid with FRF (if k	nown):
Amount of FRF requested: \$1,000,000.00 FRF funding period:	Indicate Project starting and ending/deedline date
Part 2. Expenditure Plan details.	
(a) Describe the Program(s) and/or Project(s) to be funded, including how and what COVID-mated needs will be addressed:	the funds will be used, for what purposes, the location(s) to be served,
25 Bathroom Additions for 25 Homes. \$40,000.00 x 25 homes = \$1,000,000.00	
The 25 homes will be provided the shell bathroom ad electric water heaters, toilet(s), bathroom sinks and s showers.	dditions with roofing, flooring, electric wall heaters, showers. Disable clients will receive walk-in
	document attached
(b) Explain how the Program or Project will benefit the Navajo Nation, Na	
The community members of Wide Ruins lack moden project will help mitigate and promote a healthy envir the spread of Covid-19 for community members and project will promote healthy living conditions and acc	ronment, proper sanitation facilities and prevent those with health issues and or disabilities. This

document attached

<sup>(</sup>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

APPENDIX A

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

The project start will begin when funding is made available for advertisement, bidding and selection of contractor. This project will begin Spring 2023 and will be completed by 09/30/2026. All funds will be encumbered before 09/30/2024. The Navajo Nation Budget Form 2 are attached and also demonstrate quarterly goals and reporting schedule.

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

The new CSC and Vernita S. Tsosie, Planner/Project Coordinator will implement the Navajo Business Regulatory Act along with the Navajo Nation Procurement,

document attached

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

Recipients will be responsible for the operation and maintenance of installed bathroom additions. No additional costs or reoccuring costs will be made by the Wide Ruins Chapter.

document attached

(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 Provisions Government Services;

Oursuant to the established guidelines and funding objectives the	25	bathroom additions will
allow for selected families to access safe & sanitary bathrooms with	out comp	promising their health and
safety from using outside sub-standard facilities. The Bathroom Ad	ditions w	ill meet ADA compliance
to accomodate levels of disability.		

Part 3. Additional documents.

List here all additional supporting documents attached to this FRF Expenditure Plan (or indicate N/A): Wide Ruins Chapter Resolution WDR-03-99-23

NNFRF Appendix NN Budget Forms DOJ Request for Services

Chapter Resolution attached

document 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 Approved by: ( Preparer: arer/CONTACT PERSON Approved b Approved by: signature of CSC Approved to submit mm for Review.

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#### THE NAVAJO NATION PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY

Page <u>1</u> of <u>1</u> BUDGET FORM 1

ART I. Business Unit	No.:	New	Program Title:		Wide Ruins Bathroom Additions - Sout	h	Division/Branch: Div. of Community Development							
Prepared By:	Vernit	a S. Tsosie	Phone	No.:	(928) 652-3223 Email	Address:	wideruins@navajochapters.org							
ART II. FUNDING SOU	RT II. FUNDING SOURCE(S) /Term		r % c Amount Tot		PART III. BUDGET SUMMARY	Fund Type	(A) NNC Approved	(B)	(C) Difference or					
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					4000 Supplies									
					5000 Lease and Rental									
					5500 Communications and Utilities									
					6000 Repairs and Maintenance									
					6500 Contractual Services									
					7000 Special Transactions									
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					9000 Capital Outlay									
					9500 Matching Funds									
					9500 Indirect Cost									
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#### THE NAVAJO NATION PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

Page <u>1</u> of <u>2</u> BUDGET FORM 2 .

PAR	T I. PROGRAM INFORMATION:	<u> </u>								<u></u>	
	Business Unit No.:	New	Program Name/Title:			Wide Ru	ins Bathroo	m Addition	18 - South		
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#### THE NAVAJO NATION PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

Page <u>2</u> of <u>2</u> BUDGET FORM 2

PART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION:										
Business Unit No.:	New	Program Name/Title:			Wide Ru	ins Bathroo	m Addition	ns - South		
PART II. PLAN OF OPERATION/RESO CAP 34-68 To direct the Chapter Admin			clency and a	accountability	to the cha	pter Member	ship.			
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#### THE NAVAJO NATION PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

Page \_\_3\_ of \_\_3\_ BUDGET FORM 2

PART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION:															
Business Unit No.: New	Program Name/Title:			Wid	e Ruins Bat	hroom Add	litions								
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Program Manager's Signature a	4-20-23 and Date		Division	Director/E	Franch Chief		4-20-2 e and Date	2							

#### THE NAVAJO NATION DETAILED BUDGET AND JUSTIFICATION

Page <u>1</u> of <u>1</u> BUDGET FORM 4 .

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PART II.	DETAILED BUDGET:			
(A) Object Code (LOD 6)	(B) Object Code Description and Justification (LOD 7)		(C) Total by DETAILED Object Code (LOD 6)	(D) Total by MAJOR Object Code (LOD 4)
	1.12 HOUSING Complete 25 Bathroom Additions for 25 homes 25 Bathroom Additions x \$40,000.00 = \$1,000,000.00		\$1,000,000.00	\$1,000,000.00
		TOTAL	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,000,000.00

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# THE NAVAJO NATION PROJECT BUDGET SCHEDULE

Page <u>1</u> of <u>1</u> PROJECT FORM ,

PART I. Business Unit No.: <u>New</u>																						PAF	<b>RT</b> II.			Proj	ect in	format	tion	
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# WIDE RUINS CHAPTER

P.O. Box 208 Chambers, Arizona 86502 Phone: (928) 652-3223 Fax: (928) 652-3253

Annie Tolly President Lomardo Aseret, Council Delegate Nellie Gilmore, Vice President Shawnevan Dale, Grazing Officer Tauve Begaye, Secretary/Treasurer Comm. Serv. Coordinator

WDR-03-98-23

#### **RESOLUTION OF THE WIDE RUINS CHAPTER**

#### AN ACTION SUPPORTING THE WIDE RUINS TWENTY-FIVE (25) BATHROOM ADDITIONS PROJECT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,000,000.00 TO BE INCLUDED AS PART OF THE DELEGATE REGION PLAN FOR HONORABLE COUNCIL DELEGATE LOMARDO ASERET

#### WHEREAS:

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- 1. Pursuant to the Local Governance Act, 26 N.N.C. §§ 1 <u>et.seq</u>., the Wide Ruins Chapter is certified as a political subdivision of the Navajo Nation; and
- 2. Pursuant to the Local Governance Act, 26 N.N.C. ss 1(B)(2), the Wide Ruins Chapter is allowed to make decisions over local matters; and
- 3. Pursuant to Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CJY-41-21 and Budget and Finance Committee Resolution No. BFS-31-21, a duly approved Chapter Resolution is required when requesting for the use of Fiscal Recovery Funds (FRF) under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) and therefore this Chapter Resolution must include "a statement supporting the Project and affirming that the Chapter will only use awarded Funds in compliance with the ARPA with the ARPA, the ARPA Regulations, and all other applicable Navajo and federal laws and regulations"; and
- 4. Pursuant to Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CJN-29-22, each of the twenty-four (24) Delegate Regions were allocated eight million eight hundred two thousand three hundred forty dollars (\$8,802,340) for Chapter and Regional Projects and each Navajo Nation Council Delegate is responsible for compiling and selecting projects for their Delegate Region Projects Plan; and
- 5. The Twenty-Five (25) Bathroom Addition Projects is being submitted in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 for consideration to be selected as part of the Delegate Region for the purpose of constructing Twenty-Five (25) Bathroom Additions through contracting services between Wide Ruins Chapter and Contractor; and
- 6. If, and when, the Project is selected, the Council Delegate will add the Project as part of the Delegate Region Plan and will thereafter sponsor legislation to be approved by the Navajo Nation Council.

#### NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. The Wide Ruins Chapter supports the Twenty-Five (25) Bathroom Addition Project in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 for consideration for the Delegate Region Project Plan; and
- 2. The Wide Ruins Chapter affirms that the Chapter will only use awarded Funds in compliance with the ARPA, the ARPA Regulations, and all other applicable Navajo Nation and Federal Laws and Regulations.

#### CERTIFICATION

I, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was considered by the Wide Ruins Chapter at a duly called meeting at Wide Ruins, Navajo Nation (Arizona), at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of  $\underline{\mathfrak{S}}$  in favor,  $\underline{\mathcal{O}}$  opposed and  $\underline{\mathfrak{O}}$  abstained, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 2023.

MOTIONED BY: <u>Aunie Tolly</u> SECONDED BY: <u>Nellie Gilmo</u>re

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Annie Tolly, President