

NAVAJO NATION DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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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
□ Additional information submitted is insufficient	federal laws
to make a proper determination	
Other Comments:	

Name of DOJ Reviewer:

Signature of DOJ Reviewer: Rodgerick Begay

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.

appendix a

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

Part 1. Identification of parties.

Non-Governance Certified Chapter Manuelito Chapter	Date prepared: <u>11/25/22</u>
Chapter's HCR -57, POB 9069, Gallup, NM 87301	phone/email: 505-905-3073
mailing address:	website (if any): manuelito@navajochapters.org
This Form prepared by:	phone/email: 505-713-1510 (texting preferred)
Percy B. Anderson, Manuelito Chapter Secretary/Treasurer	
CONTACT PERSON'S name and title	CONTACT PERSON'S info
Title and type of Project: Construction, addition of new warel	nouse building
Chapter President: Milton Davidson	phone & email: mdavidson@naataanii.org
Chapter Vice-President: Deborah Nelson	phone & email: dnelson@naataanii.org
Chapter Secretary: Percy B. Anderson	phone & email: panderson@navajochapters.org
Chapter Treasurer:	phone & email:
Chapter Manager or CSC: Vacant	_ phone & email:
DCD/Chapter ASO: Guarena Adeky	phone & email: gadeky@nndcd.org
List types of Subcontractors or Subrecipients that will be paid with FRF (if kr	
	3 \ document attached
Amount of FRF requested: \$900,000 FRF funding period: Jan	nuary 2023 to December 2026 indicate Project starting and ending/deadline date
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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:

Project: Warehouse new construction and/or addition to existing warehouse. ARPA funding will also be used to purchase refrigeration and freezer equipment for perishables and to install alternative renewable equipment to warehouse for the refrigeration and freezer units operation in times of electrical grid blackouts. During the COVID pandemic, and even now, there was/is a need to store perishable food for the community in times of emergencies especially for homes that don't have adequate refrigeration or no electricity.

document attached

(b) Explain how the Program or Project will benefit the Navajo Nation, Navajo communities, or the Navajo People:

The warehouse building will house heavy equipment and work related vehicles to keep safe and for the community when it comes to perishable food storing and electrical blackouts for emergencies.

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

APPENDIX A

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

Warehouse construction and/or addition; installation of refrigeration and freezer units; installation of alternative renewable equipment such as solar panels and/or small wind turbines on the roof top or near the building. Time of completion will be December 2025.

□ document attached

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

The Manuelito Chapter administration.

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:

Responsible party will be the Manuelito Chapter administration for all operation and maintenance of warehouse.

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:

2.22 Strong Healthy Communities due to the need to properly store heavy equipment for community road maintenance for public health and safety, and proper refrigeration/freezer with alternative renewable energy equipment for times of emergencies for the community/neighborhoods.

document attached

Part 3. Additional documents.

List here all additional supporting documents attached to this FRF Expenditure Plan (or indicate N/A):

N/A

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:	Jercy B. Cudemon	- Approved by:
Approved by: _	Signature of CSB	_ Approved by:
		Approved to submit Size Jumm NNFVCFO for Review: signature of DCD Director

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THE NAVAJO NATION PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY

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PART I. Business Unit No.:	Program Title:		Munuelits Chapter Warehouse		Division/Branch:	Manuelito Cha	pter					
Prepared By: Perc	y B. Anderson	Phone	No.:	505-905-3073 Email /	Address:	manuelito@navajochapters.org						
PART II. FUNDING SOURCE(S)	Fiscal Year /Term	Amount	% of Total	PART III. BUDGET SUMMARY	iyhe		(B)	(C) Difference or				
NN Fiscal Recovery Funds 1/23 - 12/25		900,000.00	100%	2001 Demonant Exponence	Code	Original Budget	Proposed Budget	Total				
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				3000 Travel Expenses								
				3500 Meeting Expenses								
				4000 Supplies 5000 Lease and Rental								
				5500 Communications and Utilities								
			6000 Repairs and Maintenance									
				6500 Contractual Services								
				7000 Special Transactions								
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Program Manager's Signature and Date Division Director / Branch Chief's Signature and Date												

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THE NAVAJO NATION PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

Page 2 of 3 BUDGET FORM 2

PART I.	PROGRAM INFORMATION:			Manuelito Chiptor													
	Business Unit No.:	New	Program Name/Title:	e: Warehouse													
PART II	. PLAN OF OPERATION/RESOLU	JTION NUMBER/PURPO	DSE OF PROGRAM:														
PART II	I. PROGRAM PERFORMANCE C	RITERIA:		1st	QTR	2nd	QTR	3rd	QTR	4th	QTR						
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THE NAVAJO NATION DETAILED BUDGET AND JUSTIFICATION

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	Program Name/Title: Warehouse Business Unit No.:	New	
Part II. ((A)	DETAILED BUDGET: (B)	(C)	(D)
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)
9050	Building		750,000.00
	Building / Warehouse Construct additional building to warehouse.	750,000.00	
9054	Building / Warehouse Building improvement.		
-	Total amount for new construction, addition, and improvement to Warehouse building: \$750,000.00		
9140	Equipment		150,000.00
9142	Alternative renewable energy equipment - solar panels and small wind turbines to be installed on the warehouse or near it: \$75,000.00	150,000.00	
	Refrigeration & freezer units to be installed in the warehouse and connected to the alternative renewable energy equipment: \$75,000.00		
	TOTAL	900,000.00	900,000.00

THE NAVAJO NATION PROJECT BUDGET SCHEDULE

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PART I. Business Unit No.: NEW			2	- 11		,		-	,													PAF	RT 11.			Proj	ect In	forma	tion		
Project Title: Warehouse bu	puilding Manuelito Orighter														Project Type: Warehouse									_							
Project Description To plan, de	design, and construct new addition to existing warehouse building equipped with alternative and refrigeration/freezer units/equipment.													Planned Start Date: January 2023																	
renewable energy equipment a														Planned End Date: Sept. 2026																	
Check one box:		Original Budget Budget Revision Budget Reallocation Budg									et Mo	dificat	ion		1		Proj	ect Ma	anager:	Per	cv B. A										
PART III.	PART IV. Use Fiscal Year (FY) Quarters to complete the information below. O = Oct.; N = Nov.; D = Dec., etc.																and the second se														
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PART V. Expected Quarterly Expenditures		\$			\$			\$			\$			\$			\$			\$			\$				ROJE	ECT TC	DTAL		
FOR OMB USE ONLY: Resolution	on No:					F	MISS	Set Ur	Date						С	omna	ny No:						OMP	Analy	st [.]						

Milton Davidson President

Deborak Nelson Vice-President

Percy B. Anderson Secretary-Treasurer



MANUELITO (KIN HOZHONI) CHAPTER GOVERNMENT HCR 57 BOX 9069 GALLUP, NEW MEXICO 87301 PHONE (505) 905-3073 • FAX (505) 905-0606 Email: manuelito@navajochapters.org Seth Damon 25th Navajo Nation Council

Vacant Community Services Coordinator

> Kathleen Arviso Land Board Member

Resolution #MANU11-22-22-048

RESOLUTION OF THE MANUELITO NAVAJO CHAPTER

Supporting and approving the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) expenditure plan for the planning, design, construction, and addition of a warehouse building in the amount of \$900,000 for Manuelito Chapter community.

WHEREAS:

- 1. N.N.C. Title 26 delegates Navajo Nation Chapters certain authority to review all matters affecting the community based on sound decision which are consistent with the Navajo Nation codes, laws, custom, and tradition; and
- Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 1 (B) Manuelito Navajo Chapter is vested with the authority on all matters affecting the community, make appropriate actions when necessary and make recommendations to the Navajo Nation government and other federal/state/local agencies; and
- 3. The Manuelito Navajo Chapter initially proposed for CARES funding for new heavy equipment in lieu of the COVID viruses that were impacting the Navajo Nation but did receive the new grader and backhoe with Navajo Nation Sihasin funding; and
- 4. The Manuelito Navajo Chapter desperately needs a new warehouse or an addition to the existing warehouse to house the new heavy equipment as well to equip the warehouse with new refrigeration and freezers to store perishables which was an issue to store large amounts of perishables for the community members in times of COVID related viruses and other emergencies; and
- 5. The Manuelito Navajo Chapter realizes that in times of crises and emergencies, the electrical grid may go out and there is a need to also equip the warehouse with alternate renewable energy to adequately continue storing perishables in refrigeration and freezer units.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

- 1. The Manuelito Chapter supports and approves the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) expenditure plan for the planning, design, construction, and addition of a warehouse building in the amount of \$900,000 for Manuelito community and to equip the building with alternate renewable energy with refrigeration and freezer units; and
- 2. The Manuelito Chapter supports the warehouse project and affirms that the Chapter will use awarded ARPA funding in compliance with ARPA guidelines and regulations, and all other applicable Navajo Nation and federal laws and regulations.

CERTIFICATION

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was duly considered at a duly called meeting at Manuelito Chapter (Navajo Nation), New Mexico, at which a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of **37** in favor, **0** opposed, and **13** abstaining on this **22nd** day of **November 2022**.

Motion by: Chester Nez Second by: Justin Adakai

Milton Davidson, Chapter President

Percy B. Anderson, Chapter Sec/Treasurer

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Deborah Nelson, Chapter Vice-President