

RESOLUTION OF THE  
NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' STANDING COMMITTEE  
25<sup>th</sup> NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL -- First Year, 2023

AN ACTION RELATING TO THE NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE; AMENDING CJY-65-23 AND CMY-42-23, THE NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUND DELEGATE REGION PROJECT PLAN FOR HONORABLE DANNY SIMPSON'S DELEGATE REGION (CHAPTERS: BECENTI, LAKE VALLEY, NAHODISHGISH, STANDING ROCK, WHITEROCK, HUERFANO, NAGEEZI, CROWNPOINT), TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL PROJECTS FOR THIS DELEGATE REGION

BE IT ENACTED:

SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY

- A. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee is established as a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 700(A).
- B. Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CJN-29-22, as amended by CAU-74-23, mandates that Fiscal Recovery Fund ("NNFRF") Delegate Region Project Plans be approved by two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Naabik'iyáti' Committee members in attendance.
- C. Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CMY-42-23, included and incorporated herein by reference, mandated that amendments to the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Honorable Danny Simpson's Delegate Region (Chapters: Becenti, Lake Valley, Nahodishgish, Standing Rock, Whiterock, Huerfano, Nageezi, Crownpoint) be approved by a Navajo Nation Council resolution and signed into law by the President of the Navajo Nation pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 164 (A) (17), and 2 N.N.C. §§ 1005(C) (10), (11), and (12).
- D. Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CJY-65-23, included and incorporated herein by reference, mandated that amendments to the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Honorable Danny Simpson's Delegate Region (Chapters: Becenti, Lake Valley, Nahodishgish, Standing Rock, Whiterock, Huerfano, Nageezi, Crownpoint) be approved by a Navajo Nation Council resolution and signed into law by the President of the Navajo Nation pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 164(A) (17), and 2 N.N.C. §§ 1005(C) (10), (11), and (12).
- E. Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CAU-74-23, which amended CJN-29-22 and CJY-41-21, included and incorporated herein by reference, delegated the Naabik'iyáti' Committee as the final

approval authority for Delegate Region Project Plans funded through Navajo Nation's Fiscal Recovery Funds.

## SECTION TWO. FINDINGS

- A. The Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CJN-29-22, AN ACTION RELATING TO THE NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE AND NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; ALLOCATING \$1,070,298,867 OF NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS; APPROVING THE NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUND EXPENDITURE PLANS FOR: CHAPTER AND REGIONAL PROJECTS; PUBLIC SAFETY EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS, E911, AND RURAL ADDRESSING PROJECTS; CYBER SECURITY; PUBLIC HEALTH PROJECTS; HARDSHIP ASSISTANCE; WATER AND WASTEWATER PROJECTS; BROADBAND PROJECTS; HOME ELECTRICITY CONNECTION AND ELECTRIC CAPACITY PROJECTS; HOUSING PROJECTS AND MANUFACTURED HOUSING FACILITIES; BATHROOM ADDITION PROJECTS; CONSTRUCTION CONTINGENCY FUNDING; AND REDUCED ADMINISTRATIVE FUNDING, was signed into law by the President of the Navajo Nation on July 15, 2022.
- B. CJN-29-22, as amended by CAU-74-23, Section Three, now states, in part and among other things, that
1. The Navajo Nation hereby approves total funding for the NNFRF Chapter and Chapter Projects Expenditure Plan from the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund in the total amount of two hundred eleven million two hundred fifty-six thousand one hundred forty-eight dollars (\$211,256,148) to be divided equally between the twenty-four (24) Delegate Regions in the amount of eight million eight hundred two thousand three hundred forty dollars (\$8,802,340) per Delegate Region . . . and allocated through Delegate Region Project Plans approved by two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Naabik'iyáti' Committee members in attendance. . . . See CJN-29-22, as amended by CAU-74-23, Section Three (B).
  2. The Delegate Region Project Plan funding will be allocated to the Navajo Nation Central Government, specifically the Division of Community Development or other appropriate Navajo Nation Division or Department, to implement the projects rather than directly to the Chapters. See CJN-29-22, Section Three (D).
  3. The Navajo Nation Central Government, specifically the Division of Community Development or other appropriate Navajo Nation Division or Department, shall manage and administer funds and Delegate Region Project Plans on behalf of Non-LGA-Certified Chapters. The Navajo Nation

Central Government may award funding to LGA-Certified Chapters through sub-recipient agreements to implement and manage specific projects, but shall maintain Administrative Oversight over such funding and Delegate Region Project Plans. See CJN-29-22, Section Three (E).

4. Each Navajo Nation Council delegate shall select Fiscal Recovery Fund eligible projects within their Delegate Region to be funded by the NNFRF Chapter and Regional Projects Expenditure Plan through a Delegate Region Projects Plan. The total cost of projects selected by each Delegate shall not exceed their Delegate Region distribution of eight million eight hundred two thousand three hundred forty dollars (\$8,802,340). See CJN-29-22, Section Three (F).
  5. Each Delegate Region Project shall identify its Administrative Oversight entity and its Oversight Committee(s) and be subject CJY-41-21's NNDOJ initial eligibility determination. See CJN-29-22, Section Three (L) (5) and (L) (6).
- C. The Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CMY-42-23, AN ACTION RELATING TO THE NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE AND NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; APPROVING THE NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUND DELEGATE REGION PROJECT PLAN FOR HONORABLE DANNY SIMPSON'S DELEGATE REGION (CHAPTERS: BECENTI, LAKE VALLEY, NAHODISHGISH, STANDING ROCK, WHITEROCK, HUERFANO, NAGEEZI, CROWNPOINT), was signed into law by the President of the Navajo Nation on June 8, 2023.
- D. CMY-42-23, Section Four, states that:
1. Amendments to this legislation or to the Delegate Region Project Plan approved herein shall only be adopted by resolution of the Navajo Nation Council and approval of the President of the Navajo Nation pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 164(A) (17) and 2 N.N.C. §§ 1005(C) (10), (11), and (12).
- E. The Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CJY-65-23, AN ACTION RELATING TO THE NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE AND NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; AMENDING CMY-42-23, THE NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUND DELEGATE REGION PROJECT PLAN FOR HONORABLE DANNY SIMPSON'S DELEGATE REGION (CHAPTERS: BECENTI, LAKE VALLEY, NAHODISHGISH, STANDING ROCK, WHITEROCK, HUERFANO, NAGEEZI, CROWNPOINT), TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL PROJECTS FOR THIS DELEGTE REGION was signed into law by the President of the Navajo Nation on August 4, 2023.

- F. CJY-65-23, Section Four, states that:
1. Amendments to this legislation or to the Delegate Region Project Plan approved herein shall only be adopted by resolution of the Navajo Nation Council and approval of the President of the Navajo Nation pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 164(A)(17) and 2 N.N.C. §§ 1005(C)(10), (11), and (12).
- G. The Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CAU-74-23, AN ACTION RELATING TO THE NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE AND NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; AMENDING COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS CJY-41-21 AND CJN-29-22; DELEGATING THE NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE AS THE FINAL APPROVAL AUTHORITY FOR DELEGATE REGION PROJECT PLANS FUNDED THROUGH THE NAVAJO NATION'S FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS was signed into law by the President of the Navajo Nation on September 6, 2023.
- H. CJN-29-22, as amended by CAU-74-23, Section Three, now states, in part and among other things, that
1. The Navajo Nation hereby approves total funding for the NNFRF Chapter and Chapter Projects Expenditure Plan from the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund in the total amount of two hundred eleven million two hundred fifty-six thousand one hundred forty-eight dollars (\$211,256,148) to be divided equally between the twenty-four (24) Delegate Regions in the amount of eight million eight hundred two thousand three hundred forty dollars (\$8,802,340) per Delegate Region . . . and allocated through Delegate Region Project Plans approved by two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Naabik'íyáti' Committee members in attendance. . . . See CJN-29-22, as amended by CAU-74-23, Section Three (B).
- I. All additional projects listed in the Hon. Danny Simpson's Delegate Region Projects Plan, attached as **Exhibit A**, have been deemed Fiscal Recovery Fund eligible by NNDOJ. In addition, Hon. Danny Simpson's Delegate Region Projects Plan does not exceed the amount of \$8,802,340, as set forth in CJN-29-22, Section Three (F).
- J. The Navajo Nation Council hereby finds that it is in the best interest of the Navajo Nation and the Hon. Danny Simpson's Delegate Region Chapters and communities to approve and adopt the additional projects as part of the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Hon. Danny Simpson's Delegate Region (Chapters: Becenti, Lake Valley, Nahodishgish, Standing Rock, Whiterock, Huerfano, Nageezi, Crownpoint) as set forth in **Exhibit A**.

**SECTION THREE. AMENDING CJY-65-23 AND CMY-42-23, THE NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUND DELEGATE REGION PROJECT PLAN FOR HONORABLE DANNY SIMPSON'S DELEGATE REGION (CHAPTERS: BECENTI, LAKE VALLEY, NAHODISHGISH, STANDING ROCK, WHITEROCK, HUERFANO, NAGEEZI, CROWNPOINT), TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL PROJECTS FOR THIS DELEGATE REGION**

- A. The Navajo Nation hereby approves the additional projects as part of the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Hon. Danny Simpson's Delegate Region (Chapters: Becenti, Lake Valley, Nahodishgish, Standing Rock, Whiterock, Huerfano, Nageezi, Crownpoint) set forth in Exhibit A.
- B. The Delegate Region Project Plan approved herein shall comply with all applicable provisions of CJY-41-21, CJN-29-22, and BFS-31-21.
- C. Any inconsistencies between this legislation, the Delegate Region Project Plan, and the individual project appendix, shall be resolved in favor of the project appendix reviewed by Department of Justice during their eligibility determination(s).

**SECTION FOUR. AMENDMENTS**

Amendments to this legislation or to the Delegate Region Project Plan approved herein shall only be adopted and approved by resolution of the Naabik'íyáti' Committee.

**SECTION FIVE. EFFECTIVE DATE**

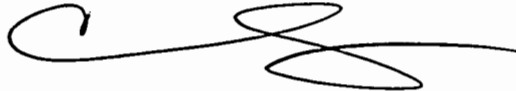
This legislation shall be effective upon its approval pursuant to two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Naabik'íyáti' Committee members in attendance.

**SECTION SIX. SAVING CLAUSE**

If any provision of this legislation is determined invalid by the Navajo Nation Supreme Court, or by a Navajo Nation District Court without appeal to the Navajo Nation Supreme Court, those provisions of this legislation not determined invalid shall remain the law of the Navajo Nation.

CERTIFICATION

I, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Naabik'iyáti' Committee of the 25<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting in Window Rock, Navajo Nation (Arizona), at which a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of 19 in Favor, and 00 Opposed, on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 2023.



Honorable Crystalyne Curley, Chairwoman  
Naabik'iyáti' Committee

10/18/23

Date

Motion: Honorable Rickie Nez  
Second: Honorable Casey Allen Johnson

Chairwoman Crystalyne Curley not voting

**NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUND DELEGATE REGION PROJECT PLAN**

**Exhibit A**

**COUNCIL DELEGATE: Hon. Danny Simpson**

**CHAPTERS: Becenti, Lake Valley, Nahodishgish, Standing Rock, Whiterock, Huerfano, Nageezi, Crownpoint**

FUNDING RECIPIENT	SUBRECIPIENT	EXPENDITURE PLAN / PROJECT	ADMIN OVERSIGHT	FRF CATEGORY	DOJ REVIEW #	AMOUNT
		TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED IN CMY-42-23 on June 8, 2023				\$ 1,872,319.00
		TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED IN CJY-65-23-23 on August 4, 2023				\$ 4,600,557.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Tse'ii'ahi Chapter Fire Hydrant Project	Division of Community Development	6.1	HK0541	\$ 100,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Tse'ii'ahi Chapter Senior Center Roof & Interior Renovation Project	Division of Community Development	2.22	HK0542	\$ 145,000.00
Division of Community Development	*White Rock Chapter	White Rock Chapter Community Septic-Cleaning Project	NN Environmental Protection Agency	5.5	HK0610	\$ 50,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Nageezi Chapter County Road 7900 Plan and Design Project	Division of Community Development	2.22	HK0611	\$ 200,292.00
Division of Community Development	*White Rock Chapter	White Rock Chapter Community Water-Point Project	NN Department of Water Resources	5.11	HK0627	\$ 100,000.00
Division of Community Development	*White Rock Chapter	White Rock Chapter Personnel for Community ARPA Projects	Division of Community Development	2.37	HK0628	\$ 199,988.47
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Crownpoint Chapter Head Start Educational Assistance Project	NN Department of Dine Education	2.14	HK0643	\$ 75,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Nageezi Chapter Chaco Canyon Escavada Powerline Project	Division of Community Development	2.18	HK0626	\$ 300,000.00
						<b>TOTAL: \$ 7,643,156.47</b>

\*Per CJN-29-22, Section Three (E), the "Navajo Nation Central Government may award funding to LGA-Certified Chapters through sub-recipient agreements to implement and manage specific projects, but shall maintain Administrative Oversight over such funding and Delegate Region Project Plans."

**NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUND DELEGATE REGION PROJECT PLAN**

**Exhibit A**

**COUNCIL DELEGATE: Hon. Danny Simpson**

**CHAPTERS: Becenti, Lake Valley, Nahodishgish, Standing Rock, Whiterock, Huerfano, Nageezi, Crownpoint**

FUNDING RECIPIENT	SUBRECIPIENT	EXPENDITURE PLAN / PROJECT	ADMIN OVERSIGHT	FRF CATEGORY	DOJ REVIEW #	AMOUNT
		TOTAL AMOUNT from Page 01.....				\$ 7,643,156.47
		UN-ALLOCATED AMOUNT				\$ 1,159,183.53

\*Per CJN-29-22, Section Three (E), the "Navajo Nation Central Government may award funding to LGA-Certified Chapters through sub-recipient agreements to implement and manage specific projects, but shall maintain Administrative Oversight over such funding and Delegate Region Project Plans."

**TOTAL: \$ 8,802,340.00**





**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 #: HK 0626

Date & Time Received: 09/27/23 at 15:26

Date & Time of Response: 10/6/23 at 17:00

Entity Requesting FRF: Nageezi Chapter

Title of Project: Nageezi Chapter/Chaco Canyon/Escavada Powerline Project

Administrative Oversight: Division of Community Development

Amount of Funding Requested: \$300,000.00

**Eligibility Determination:**

- FRF eligible  
 FRF ineligible  
 Additional information requested

**FRF Eligibility Category:**

- (1) Public Health and Economic Impact  
 (2) Premium Pay  
 (3) Government Services/Lost Revenue  
 (4) Water, Sewer, Broadband Infrastructure

**U.S. Department of Treasury Reporting Expenditure Category:** \_\_\_\_\_

2.18 Housing Support: Other Housing Assistance


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

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Missing Form  | <input type="checkbox"/> Expenditure Plan incomplete                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Supporting documentation missing  | <input type="checkbox"/> Funds will not be obligated by 12/31/2024       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Project will not be completed by 12/31/2026                                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Incorrect Signatory                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ineligible purpose  | <input type="checkbox"/> Inconsistent with applicable NN or federal laws |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Submitter failed to timely submit CARES reports                                 |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Additional information submitted is insufficient to make a proper determination |  |

**Other Comments:**

[Empty comment lines]

**Name of DOJ Reviewer:** Veronica Blackhat, Asst Attorney General, Natural Resources Unit

**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](mailto: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 NNDNJ Initial Eligibility Determination is based on the documents provided, which NNDNJ 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 NNDNJ. 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.

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

**Part 1. Identification of parties.**

Non-Governance Certified Chapter requesting FRF: Nageezi Chapter Date prepared: 01/27/2023

Chapter's mailing address: P.O. Box 100 Nageezi, NM 87037 phone/email: (505)960-7200 nageezi@navajochapters.org  
website (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

This Form prepared by: Ervin Chavez, phone/email: (505)960-7200 nageezi@navajochapters.org  
Chapter President

CONTACT PERSON'S name and title

CONTACT PERSON'S info

Title and type of Project: Nageezi Chapter/ Chaco Canyon/Escavada Powerline Project

Chapter President: Ervin Chavez phone & email: (505)960-7200 nageezi@navajochapters.org

Chapter Vice-President: Rory Jaquez phone & email: (505)960-7200 nageezi@navajochapters.org

Chapter Secretary: Jessica Platero phone & email: (505)960-7200 nageezi@navajochapters.org

Chapter Treasurer: Jessica Platero phone & email: (505)960-7200 nageezi@navajochapters.org

Chapter Manager or CSC: Ervin Chavez phone & email: (505)960-7200 nageezi@navajochapters.org

DCD/Chapter ASO: Myrhts Begay phone & email: msbegay@nndcd.org

List types of Subcontractors or Subrecipients that will be paid with FRF (if known): \_\_\_\_\_

document attached

Amount of FRF requested: 300,000 FRF funding period: 1/1/23 - 9/30/24  
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:

Nageezi Chapter/Chaco Canyon/ Escavada Powerline Project, Chapter is requesting to allocate \$300,000 for Plan, Design and construction. This powerline project will assist several existing households that reside in Chaco Canyon and Escavada area within the Nageezi Chapter boundary. The Project will power lines to (23) homes, the project will provide homes with Electricity to improve the basic quality of life, meet health care needs, Refrigerator for perishable food, medical needs, medications, safety needs, lighting, sanitation and appliances for cleaning to prevent the spread of health related illness that may cause by COVID-19.

document attached

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

The Nageezi Chapter commutiy residents need powerline connections to thier home to enhance thier basic quality of life. Powerline (electricity) is a major critical need for medical, education and infastructure improvements.

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:

Based on the funding, the project end date will be December 31, 2026 with all funds being incurred on or before December 31, 2024. Detailed Navajo Nation Budget Form 2 are attached for phase goals per quarter of funding period.

document attached

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

Community Project Management Department, Navajo Nation ARPA team and the chapter coordinator will be responsible for implementation

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:

Jemez Mountain Electric COOP will be responsible for operating and maintenance cost once projected is completed.

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:

Categories: Revenue Replacement: 2.2 Household Assistance: Rent, Mortgage, and utility Aid.

Nageezi Chapter/ Chaco Canyon/ Escavada Powerline Project, Chapter is requesting to allocate \$300,000 for Plan, Design and Construction. This powerline project will assist several existing household that reside in Chaco Canyon and Escavada area within the Nageezi Chapter boundry.

document attached

**Part 3. Additional documents.**

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

Budget Form 1, 2 and 4; Chapter Resolution

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:

*Eilly* ET  
signature of Preparer (not a person)

Approved by:

*Eilly*  
signature of Chapter President (or Vice-President)

Approved by:

*Eilly*  
signature of CSC

Approved by:

*[Signature]*  
signature of Chapter ASO

09/27/2023

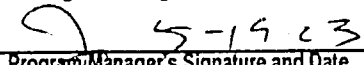

Approved to submit for Review:

*[Signature]*  
signature of DCD Director

FY 2023

**THE NAVAJO NATION  
PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY**

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BUDGET FORM 1

PART I. Business Unit No.: <u>NEW</u>		Program Title: <u>Nageezi Chapter Chaco Canyon/Escavada Powerline Project</u>		Division/Branch: <u>Executive</u>				
Prepared By: <u>Ervin Chavez, Chapter President</u>		Phone No.: <u>(505) 960-7200</u>		Email Address: <u>nageezi@navajochapters.org</u>				
PART II. FUNDING SOURCE(S)	Fiscal Year /Term	Amount	% of Total	PART III. BUDGET SUMMARY	Fund Type Code	(A) NNC Approved Original Budget	(B) Proposed Budget	(C) Difference or Total
NN Fiscal Recovery Funds	1/1/2023-9/30/2026	300,000.00	100%	2001 Personnel Expenses				
				3000 Travel Expenses				
				3500 Meeting Expenses				
				4000 Supplies				
				5000 Lease and Rental				
				5500 Communications and Utilities				
				6000 Repairs and Maintenance				
				6500 Contractual Services	6	0	300,000	300,000
				7000 Special Transactions				
				8000 Public Assistance				
				9000 Capital Outlay				
				9500 Matching Funds				
				9500 Indirect Cost				
				<b>TOTAL</b>		0	300,000.00	300,000
				PART IV. POSITIONS AND VEHICLES		(D)	(E)	
				Total # of Positions Budgeted:		0	0	
				Total # of Vehicles Budgeted:		0	0	
		<b>TOTAL:</b>	300,000.00 100%					
PART V. I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS BUDGET PACKAGE IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE.								
SUBMITTED BY: <u>James Adakai, Deputy Director</u>			APPROVED BY: <u>Calvin Castillo, Executive Director</u>					
Program Manager's Printed Name			Division Director / Branch Chief's Printed Name					
								
Program Manager's Signature and Date <u>5-19-23</u>			Division Director / Branch Chief's Signature and Date <u>5/19/23</u>					

**THE NAVAJO NATION  
PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA**

<b>PART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION:</b>									
Business Unit No.: <u>NEW</u>			Program Name/Title: <u>Nageezi Chapter Chaco Canyon/Escavada Powerline Project</u>						
<b>PART II. PLAN OF OPERATION/RESOLUTION NUMBER/PURPOSE OF PROGRAM:</b> <u>CJN-29-22 Navajo Fiscal Recovery Fund On The Navajo Natioin</u>									
<b>PART III. PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA:</b>									
		1st QTR		2nd QTR		3rd QTR		4th QTR	
		Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual
<b>1. Goal Statement:</b> <u>Provide powerline extension in Chaco Canyon/ Escavada</u>									
Program Performance Measure/Objective: <u>Provide electrical power to Nageezi Chapter members that reside in Chaco Canyon/ Escavada</u>		1		1		1		1	
<b>2. Goal Statement:</b> <u></u>									
Program Performance Measure/Objective: <u></u>									
<b>3. Goal Statement:</b> <u></u>									
Program Performance Measure/Objective: <u></u>									
<b>4. Goal Statement:</b> <u></u>									
Program Performance Measure/Objective: <u></u>									
<b>5. Goal Statement:</b> <u></u>									
Program Performance Measure/Objective: <u></u>									
<b>PART IV. I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY REVIEWED.</b>									
James Adakai, Deputy Director				Calvin Castillo, Division Director					
_____ Program Manager's Printed Name				_____ Division Director/Branch Chief's Printed Name					
<u>James Adakai</u> Program Manager's Signature and Date				<u>Calvin Castillo</u> Division Director/Branch Chief's Signature and Date					

THE NAVAJO NATION  
DETAILED BUDGET AND JUSTIFICATION

PART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION:			
Program Name/Title: <u>Nageezi Chapter - Chaco Canyon/ Escavada Powerline Project</u>		Business Unit No.: <u>NEW</u>	
PART II. DETAILED BUDGET:			
(A)	(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)
6500	<p>Negative Economic Impacts: 2.2 Household Assistance: Rent, Mortgage, and Utility Aid Provide electrical house wiring service, make household project ready for electric hookup.</p> <p>Contractual Services 6510 - Professional Services Contract with Jemez Mountain Electric Coop to provide powerline extension to Chaco Canyon and Escavada area</p>	300,000	300,000
<b>TOTAL</b>		300,000	300,000

**THE NAVAJO NATION  
PROJECT BUDGET SCHEDULE**

<b>PART I.</b> Business Unit No. <u>NEW</u> Project Title: <u>NAGEEZI CHAPTER-CHACO CANYON/ESCAVADO Powerline Project</u> Project Description <u>Nageezi Chapter Chaco Canyon/ Escavada Powerline Project</u>												<b>PART II.</b> Project Information Project Type <u>Electrical</u> Planned Start Date <u>January 01, 2023</u> Planned End Date <u>30-Sep-26</u> Project Manager <u>Ervin Chavez, Chapter President</u>																					
Check one box <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Budget <input type="checkbox"/> Budget Revision <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Budget Reallocation <input type="checkbox"/> Budget Modification																																	
<b>PART III.</b> List Project Task separately, such as Plan, Design, Construct, Equip or Furnish	<b>PART IV.</b> Use Fiscal Year (FY) Quarters to complete the information below. O = Oct., N = Nov., D = Dec., etc																		Expected Completion Date if project exceeds 8 FY Qtrs Date: <u>9-30-2025</u>														
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<b>PART V.</b>	S			S			S			S			S		S		S		S		<b>PROJECT TOTAL</b>												
Expected Quarterly Expenditures	150,000.00			150,000.00																	\$300,000.00												

**FOR OMB USE ONLY:**    Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_    FMIS Set Up Date \_\_\_\_\_    Company No \_\_\_\_\_    OMB Analyst \_\_\_\_\_





**NAGEEZI CHAPTER  
EASTERN NAVAJO AGENCY  
District 19**

*Duu Nygren  
Navajo Nation President*

*Richelle Montoya  
Navajo Nation Vice-President*

March 3, 2023

RE: Delegation of Authority

Nageezi Chapter does not have a Community Services Coordinator employed, so I hereby Delegate Chiffon Harrison's Accounts Maintenance Specialist's signature on the ARPA Appendix A and the Expenditure Plans to indicate the validity and to make documentation official.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ervin Chavez', written over a horizontal line.

Ervin Chavez

*Nageezi Chapter President*



**NAGEEZI CHAPTER**  
**Eastern Agency**

Buu Nygren., Navajo Nation President

Richelle Montoya, Navajo Nation Vice President

**RESOLUTION OF NAGEEZI CHAPTER**  
**EASTERN AGENCY, DISTRICT 19**  
**RESOLUTION # NC 23-043**

**APPROVING THE PROPOSED BUDGET OF \$300,000.00 FOR AND TOWARDS THE CONSTRUCTION OF CHACO/ESCAVADA ELECTRICAL POWERLINE TO SERVE NAVAJO FAMILIES THROUGH THE \$8.8 MILLION COUNCIL DELEGATE REGIONAL PROJECTS**

**WHEREAS:**

Pursuant to 26 N.N.C. 1(B), the Nageezi Chapter is delegated to the governmental authority to make decision over local matters consistent with Navajo Law, Custom and Tradition and under 11 N.N.C. Part 10 also delegated authority to make local decisions in the best interest and welfare of the community members; and,

Nageezi Chapter with the population of 2500 to 3000 residents, registered and non-registered, is made up of (09) sub-communities including and not limited to Nageezi, Lybrook, Twin Pines, Blanco, Kimbeto, Chaco Canyon, Escavada, Betoni Wash, Kinnadiz and Dzilh-na-o-dith-hle, being one of the largest land based Navajo Chapter in Eastern Navajo Agency of the Navajo Nation; and,

Nageezi Chapter continues dealing with pandemic of COVID 19 and requesting practice of COVID 19 safety, asking families to stay in place at their residence, as much as possible.

Nageezi Chapter like other communities, have families who are living without electricity and running water, making it unhealthy and unsafe, especially through these pandemic era, resulting in loss of life to community families.

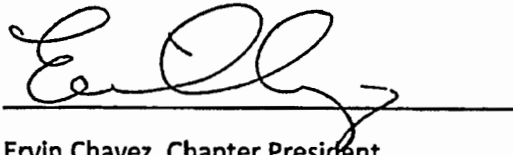
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT** Nageezi Chapter approves the proposed budget of \$300,000.00 for and towards the construction of Chaco/Escavada Electrical Powerline for families living without electricity for their homes from the Regional Council Delegate Projects.

Nageezi Chapter ("Chapter") affirms that the Chapter will only use awarded Fiscal Recovery Funds and implement this FRF Expenditure Plan in compliance with the ARPA, ARPA Regulations, and with all applicable federal and Navajo Nation laws, regulations and policies.

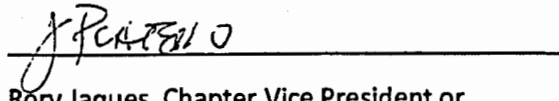
## C E R T I F I C A T I O N

**WE HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION NC 23-043** was duly presented and discussed at duly called meeting of Nageezi Chapter, Navajo Nation, (New Mexico), at which a quorum was present, motioned by Loreen Rafael seconded by Wallace Castillo , was voted on with 14 in favor, 00 opposed and 01 abstained, this 06<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023

ATTEST: NC 23-043



Ervin Chavez, Chapter President



Rory Jaques, Chapter Vice President or

Jessica Platero Chapter Secretary



## **NAGEEZI CHAPTER**

### **Eastern Agency**

Buu Nygren, Navajo Nation President

Richelle Montoya, Navajo Nation Vice President

#### **RESOLUTION OF NAGEEZI CHAPTER**

#### **EASTERN NAVAJO AGENCY, DISTRICT 19**

#### **RESOLUTION NC 23-106**

**REQUESTING THE ARPA OFFICE AND NAVAJO DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO ACCEPT THE LIST OF FAMILIES SUBMITTED WITH CHACO CANYON-ESCAVADA ELECTRICAL POWERLINE AND HOUSE WIRING PROJECTS, BY COUNCIL DELEGATE DANNY SIMPSON, SO FAMILIES CAN IMPROVE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR THEMSELVES, CHILDREN AND THEIR EDUCATION**

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#### **WHEREAS;**

Pursuant to 26 N.N.C. 1(8), the Nageezi Chapter is delegated the governmental authority to make decisions over local matters consistent with Navajo Law, Custom and Traditions and under 11 N.N.C. Part 10, also delegated authority to make local decisions in the best interests and welfare of the community members; and,

Nageezi Chapter, located in Eastern Navajo Agency of the Navajo Nation, in a checkerboarded region of land ownership. The Chapter is one of 31 Navajo Chapters and is the second largest land based chapter in Eastern Agency. The Chapter is made up of (09) nine sub-communities and has a population of 2500 to 3000 people, both registered and non-registered people; and,

Nageezi Chapter, worked with Council Delegate Danny Simpson, on submitting several ARPA Projects including construction of an electrical powerline with house wiring for Navajo families living in the Chaco Canyon-Escavada Area of Nageezi Chapter

Nageezi Chapter received an email from ARPA Office and NNDOJ to explain the process on how families on the proposal were selected. The Chapter President responded with a letter (attached) that most of the Navajo families living in rural Navajo Nation already live with high rate of unemployment, and for the few family members working. They have to drive up to 200 miles round trip working in urban areas for fast-food and hotels. We have BIE Schools and IHS Clinics scattered throughout these Navajo communities but does little to have any positive impact in the employment rate. Many of these families living in these regions are without electricity and have children who are in schools, riding buses daily needing these basic quality of life the rest of society enjoys.

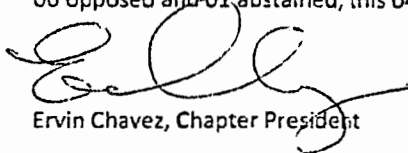
Nageezi Chapter finds it interesting that questions of this sort is being posed in order to justify crucial community development projects. Electrical, water, broadband, cell towers and economic developments are needed to bring our Navajo people up to date.

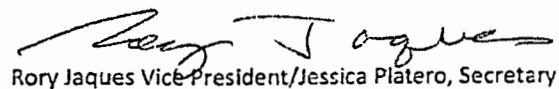
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOVED** Nageezi Chapter hereby resubmits to Navajo ARPA Office and Navajo Department of Justice, the listing of families needing Electrical Powerline to include House wiring for these family homes (exhibit list and letter attached), in Chaco Canyon-Escavada Region of Nageezi Chapter, with hopes of acceptance, so Powerline and House Wiring projects can continue to proceed toward approval and construction.

**C E R T I F I C A T I O N**

**WE HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION NC 23-106** was duly presented and discussed, at a duly called meeting at Nageezi Chapter, Navajo Nation (New Mexico), at which a quorum was present, motioned by Johnny Russell, seconded Patrick Platero, was voted on with a vote of 14 in favor, 00 opposed and 01 abstained, this 04th day of August, 2023

**ATTEST NC 23-106**

  
Ervin Chavez, Chapter President

  
Rory Jaques Vice President/Jessica Platero, Secretary



**NAGEEZI CHAPTER**  
Eastern Agency

~~Buu Nygren, Navajo Nation President~~

~~Rhenele Montoya, Navajo Nation Vice President~~

Leonora Hendersen, MBA  
Senior Program & Project Specialist  
Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Office  
P.O. Box 2469  
Window Rock, Arizona 86515

July 20, 2023

RE: NNDOJ REQUESTING CLARIFICATION ON FAMILIES ON CHACO/ESCAVADA POWERLINE AND HOUSEWIRE

Dear Ms. Hendersen;

My name is Ervin Chavez, Nageezi Chapter President and Acting Community Service Coordinator. When we compiled the ARPA Chaco/Escavada Powerline packets for CD Danny Simpson, we had attached the list of names of families currently living in the Chaco Canyon and Escavada region of Nageezi Chapter needing electricity. All of the families living in this region are not employed and for those who are employed, have to drive up to 150 miles round trip to work at hotels, restaurants or local school. Of the one employed, most just get paid minimum wages. We strongly feel 100% of the families would qualify for assistance under the ARPA funds.

From the list, that I attached, there are 24 structured houses, 20 houses needing house wiring, eight (08) mobile homes with seven (07) mobile homes needing meter poles with electrical boxes. If you need further clarification, please contact me directly.

Ervin Chavez,

[echvz944@gmail.com](mailto:echvz944@gmail.com)

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# NAGEEZI CHAPTER

## Eastern Agency

Buu Nygren.. Navajo Nation President

Richelle Montoya. Navajo Nation Vice President

### CHACO AND ESCAVADA POWERLINE

NAME	TYPE OF HOME	HOUSE WIRE OR METER POLE/BOX
1. HERMAN AUGUSTINE	STRUCTURE HOUSE	
2. ELEANOR AUTHUR	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
3. RHEA DAVIS	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
4. DENNIS DENNISON	STRUCTURE HOUSE	
5. BOBBY JOHNSON	STRUCTURE HOUSE	
6. EARL JOHNSON	MOBILE HOME	NEEDS METER POLE/BOX
7. EUGENE HARRISON	MOBILE HOME	NEEDS METER POLE/BOX
8. RAYMOND TRAVENIO	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEED HOUSEWIRE
9. PAULINE ATENCIO	STRUCTURE HOUSE	
10. JOHN B. BEYALE	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
11. ALIVN NORBERTO	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
12. CAROL PADILLA HARRISON	MOBILE HOME	NEEDS METER POLE/BOX
13. BRENDA WERITO	MOBILE HOME	
14. BESSIE WERITO	STRUCTURE HOME	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
15. RAE WERITO	MOBILE HOME	NEEDS METER POLE/BOX
16. NELSON TRUJILLO	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
17. JACK TRUJILLO	MOBILE HOME	NEEDS METER POLE/BOX
18. ALEX BENALLY	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
19. ELLA ETCITTY	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
20. JOHN ATENCIO	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
21. KEE TSO YAZZIE	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
22. BETTY YAZZIE	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
23. LUCY TOLEDO	STRUCURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
24. DESWOOD CHAVEZ	MOBILE HOME	NEEDS METER POLE/BOX
25. BESSIE NORBERTO	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
26. WAYNE & YOLANDA BEYALE	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
27. TRISTAN WILSON	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
28. GERALD CLY	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
29. ROSETTA MARTINEZ	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
30. NORA WILSON	MOBILE HOME	NEEDS METER POLE/BOX
31. ARLENE BROWN	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE
32. GILBERTO PADILLA	STRUCTURE HOUSE	NEEDS HOUSEWIRE

CHECK LIST FOR DOCUMENTS

\_\_\_\_\_ APPLICATION

\_\_\_\_\_ INCOME STATEMENT

\_\_\_\_\_ TYPE LAND OF HOME

\_\_\_\_\_ MAP TO PROPERTY

\_\_\_\_\_ HOUSEHOLD MEMBERSHIP

\_\_\_\_\_ DEGREE OF INDIAN BLOOD

\_\_\_\_\_ IF HOUSE NEED ELECTRICAL WIRING

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CHAPTER REPRESENTATIVE INTERVIEWER

DATE



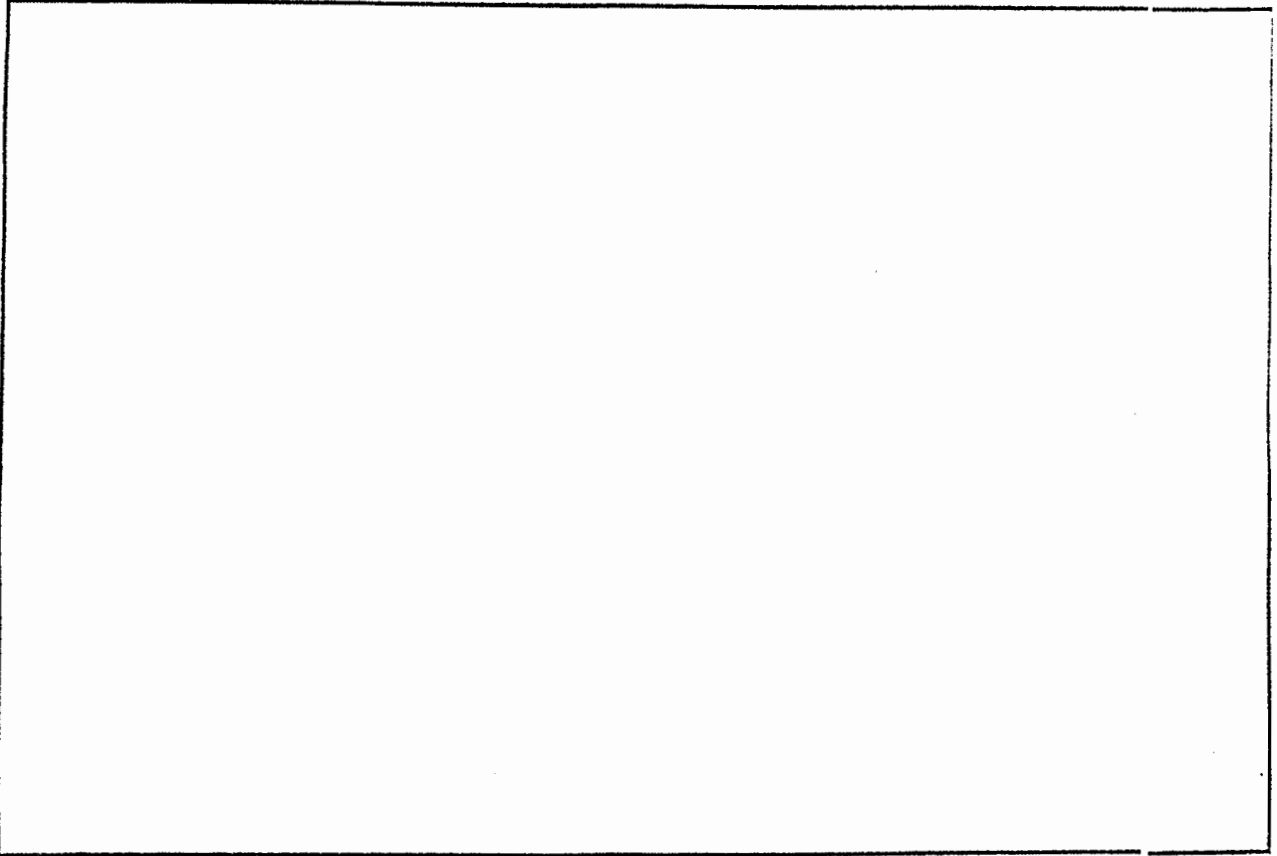


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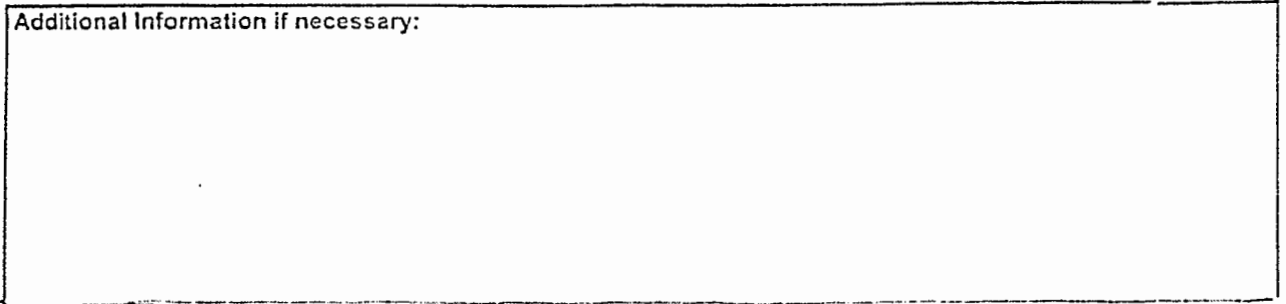
Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

VIII.

**MAP TO PROPERTY**  
Projected Site Locations

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Additional Information if necessary:

A rectangular box with a black border, intended for providing additional information if necessary.

**NAGEEZI CHAPTER**  
Project Application Form

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>I. Applicant's Name:</b> _____ Census Number: _____		Telephone No. _____ Work No. _____ Cell No. _____
<b>Spouse's Name:</b> _____ Census Number: _____		Work Number: _____
<b>Applicant's Mailing Address</b> _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____		
Traps Indicated: _____ Homes to Lease: _____ Rooms to Lease: _____		

II. Type of Request:	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension Addition
<input type="checkbox"/>	House Wiring
<input type="checkbox"/>	Watering
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fluoride
<input type="checkbox"/>	Food Improvement
<input type="checkbox"/>	Waste Water System
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other _____

III. Type of Structure	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Log
<input type="checkbox"/>	Frame
<input type="checkbox"/>	Block/Stone
<input type="checkbox"/>	Adobe
<input type="checkbox"/>	Double Wide House Trailer
<input type="checkbox"/>	Single House Trailer
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other _____
Primary Resident: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

IV. Type of Road	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Highway
<input type="checkbox"/>	Gravel Road
<input type="checkbox"/>	Gravel Road
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other _____
Comments: _____	

**V. Drawing of Home (Indicate any existing utility(ies) for all project except for Roads request)**

**VI. Comment/Recommendation/Notes:**

**VII. Certification.**

Applicant's Signature: _____	Date: _____
City: _____	State: _____

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**NAVAJO NATION**

Naa'bik'iyati' Committee Regular Meeting

10/12/2023  
12:12:25 PM

Amd# to Amd#

New Business: Item B.

**PASSED**

MOT Nez, R

Legislation #0208-23: Amending

SEC Johnson, C

CJY-65-23 & CMY-42-23, the Navajo  
Nation Fiscal Recovery Plan. . .

**Yeas : 19**

**Nays : 0**

**Excused : 3**

**Not Voting : 1**

**Yea : 19**

Arviso, S

Claw, S

Nez, R

Tolth, G

Aseret, L

Crotty, A

Notah, N

Tso, O

Begay, H

James, V

Simonson, G

Yanito, C

Begay, N

Johnson, C

Simpson, D

Yazzie, C

Charles-Newton, E

Nez, A

Slater, C

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**Excused : 3**

Daniels, H

Parrish, S

Jesus, B

**Not Voting : 1**

Damon, S

**Presiding Speaker: Curley, C**