

THE NAVAJO NATION

JONATHAN NEZ | PRESIDENT MYRON LIZER | VICE PRESIDENT



January 6, 2023

Hon. Otto Tso
Office of the Speaker
Post Office Box 3390
Window Rock, AZ 86515

RE: CD-68-22, *An Action Relating to the Naabik'iyáti' Committee and Navajo Nation Council: Approving the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Honorable Wilson C. Stewart, Jr's Delegate Region (Chapters: Crystal, Fort Defiance, Red Lake Sawmill)*

Dear Speaker Tso,

The Nez/Lizer Administration appreciates the Chapters' endeavors to work collaboratively with their respective Council Delegate in completing the process to access funding made available with the \$211,256,148 allocated for regional expenditure plans under CJN-29-22.

The process to secure funding also involves collaborative efforts between the Chapters, the Division of Community Development, Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund (NNFRF) Office and the Navajo Nation Department of Justice (NNDOJ). Per BFS-31-21, each proposed expenditure must obtain NNDOJ verification that each proposed project is an eligible expense within ARPA/NNFRF regulations. Each of the projects within CD-68-22 has met all the requirements.

The ARPA/NNFRF process is still evolving since the inception of this funding. Within the United States Treasury and the Navajo Nation, processes have been updated at various times. An example is the Treasury guidelines referenced within Navajo Nation Council resolutions CJY-41-21 and CJN-29-22; the Treasury guidelines exhibit was updated by the United States Treasury on September 20, 2022. Accordingly, the legal guidance provided by NNDOJ and Office of Legislative Counsel is modified to comply with the Treasury guidelines.

One such modification of legal guidance involved the processing of regional expenditure plans. Originally, the guidance was that all projects had to equal \$8,802,340 to be considered as completed and ready for legislative action. This guidance was modified in December 2022 to allow partial funding of the \$8,802,340 allocations so that proposed ARPA/NNFRF projects ready for legislative action could be processed by Office of Legislative Counsel. Because of the time constraints for the 24th Navajo Nation Council to act on proposed legislation, programs did not have sufficient time to provide written verification to Chapters regarding the change in legal guidance.


Pursuant to the authority vested in the Navajo Nation President, I am signing Resolution CD-68-22 into law.

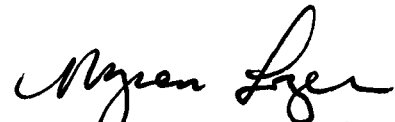
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JONATHAN NEZ | PRESIDENT MYRON LIZER | VICE PRESIDENT



Sincerely,


Jonathan Nez, *President*
THE NAVAJO NATION


Myron Lizer, *Vice President*
THE NAVAJO NATION

RESOLUTION OF THE
NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL
24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL - FOURTH YEAR, 2022

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 WILSON C. STEWART, JR.'S DELEGATE REGION
(CHAPTERS: CRYSTAL, FORT DEFIANCE, REDLAKE, SAWMILL)

BE IT ENACTED:

SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY

- A. The Navajo Nation Council is the governing body of the Navajo Nation. 2 N.N.C. § 102(A).
- B. The Naabik'íyáti' Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council with the delegated responsibility to hear proposed resolution(s) that require final action by the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 164(A)(9).
- C. Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CJN-29-22, incorporated herein by reference, mandates that Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund ("NNFRF") Delegate Region Project Plans be approved by Navajo Nation Council resolution and signed into law by the President of the Navajo Nation pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 164(A) and 2 N.N.C. §§ 1005(C)(10), (11), and (12).

SECTION TWO. FINDINGS

- A. 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, Section Three, 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 Navajo Nation Council resolution and signed into law by the President of the Navajo Nation See CJN-29-22, 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. All projects listed in the Hon. Wilson C. Stewart, Jr.'s Delegate Region Projects Plan, attached as **Exhibit A**, have been deemed Fiscal Recovery Fund eligible by NNDOJ. In addition, Hon. Wilson C. Stewart, Jr.'s Delegate Region Projects Plan does not exceed the amount of \$8,802,340, as set forth in CJN-29-22, Section Three (F).
- D. The Navajo Nation Council hereby finds that it is in the best interest of the Navajo Nation and the Hon. Wilson C. Stewart, Jr.'s Delegate Region Chapters and communities to approve and adopt the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Hon. Wilson C. Stewart, Jr.'s Delegate Region (Chapters: Crystal, Fort Defiance, Red Lake, Sawmill) as set forth in **Exhibit A**.

SECTION THREE. APPROVAL OF HON. WILSON C. STEWART, JR.'S DELEGATE REGION PROJECT PLAN

- A. The Navajo Nation hereby approves the Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Hon. Wilson C. Stewart, Jr.'s Delegate Region (Chapters: Crystal, Fort Defiance, Red Lake, Sawmill) 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 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).

SECTION FIVE. EFFECTIVE DATE

This legislation shall be effective upon its approval pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 221(B), 2 N.N.C. § 164(A)(17), and 2 N.N.C. §§ 1005(C)(10), (11), and (12).

SECTION FIVE. 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 24th 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 21 in Favor, and 00 Opposed, on this 29th day of December 2022.



Honorable Otto Tso, Speaker
24th Navajo Nation Council

12.30.2022

DATE

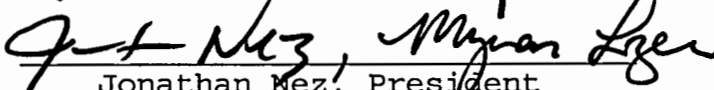
Motion: Honorable Jamie Henio

Second: Honorable Eugene Tso

Speaker Otto Tso not voting

ACTION BY THE NAVAJO NATION PRESIDENT:

1. I, hereby, sign into law the foregoing legislation, pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 1005 (C) (10), on this 6th day of January, 2023.


Jonathan Nez, President
Navajo Nation

2. I, hereby, veto the foregoing legislation, pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 1005 (C) (11), on this _____ day of _____, 2022 for the reason(s) expressed in the attached letter to the Speaker.

Jonathan Nez, President
Navajo Nation

3. I, hereby, exercise line-item veto pursuant to the budget line-item veto authority delegated to the President by vote of the Navajo People in 2009, on this _____ day of _____, 2022.

Jonathan Nez, President
Navajo Nation

NAVAJO NATION FISCAL RECOVERY FUND DELEGATE REGION PROJECT PLAN

EXHIBIT

A

Tables

COUNCIL DELEGATE: Delegate Wilson Stewart, Jr.

CHAPTERS: Crystal, Fort Defiance, Red Lake, Sawmill

FUNDING RECIPIENT	SUBRECIPIENT	EXPENDITURE PLAN / PROJECT	ADMIN OVERSIGHT	FRF CATEGORY	DOJ REVIEW #	AMOUNT
Division of Community Development	NONE IDENTIFIED	Sawmill Chapter Renovation Phase III	Division of Community Development	2.22	HK0257	\$ 500,000.00
Division of Community Development	NONE IDENTIFIED	Sawmill Chapter Bathroom Additions	Division of Community Development	1.14	HK0260	\$ 500,000.00
Division of Community Development	NONE IDENTIFIED	Sawmill Chapter Sandstone Housing Corporation	Division of Community Development	2.15	HKD0001	\$ 750,311.00
Division of Community Development	*Chinle Chapter	Chinle/Ft. Defiance Alcohol and Substance Abuse Recovery Centers - Day At A Time Club, Inc.	NN Department of Health	1.13	HK0203	\$ 529,736.00
		UN-ALLOCATED AMOUNT				\$ 6,522,293.00
					TOTAL:	\$ 8,802,340.00

*Per C.JN-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 DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

DOREEN N. MCPAUL
Attorney General

KIMBERLY A. DUTCHER
Deputy Attorney General

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

RFS/HK Review #: HK0257

Date & Time Received: 12/5/22 at 09:19

Date & Time of Response: 12/12/2022 5:00 PM

Entity Requesting FRF: Sawmill Chapter

Title of Project: Chapter Renovation Phase III

Administrative Oversight: Division of Community Development

Amount of Funding Requested: \$500,000

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: 2.22 (Strong Healthy Communities: Neighborhood Features that Promote Health and Safety)

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: _____

Name of DOJ Reviewer: MacArthur Stant

Signature of DOJ Reviewer: 

Disclaimers: An NNDOJ Initial Eligibility Determination will be 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.

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: Sawmill Chapter Date prepared: 9/20/2022

Chapter's mailing address: P.O Box 1786 Fort Defiance, AZ 86504 phone/email: 928-729-4433 website (if any): sawmill@navajochapters.org

This Form prepared by: Jammie Billiman phone/email: 928-729-4433
Community Service Coordinator sawmill@navajochapters.org
CONTACT PERSON'S name and title *CONTACT PERSON'S info*

Title and type of Project: Chapter Renovation - Phase III

Chapter President: Woodie Bennett phone & email: 928-729-4433/wbennett@navajochapters.org

Chapter Vice-President: Lewis Shirley phone & email: 928-729-4433/lshirley@navajochapters.org

Chapter Secretary: Shawn Livingston phone & email: 928-729-4433/slivingston@navajochapters.org

Chapter Treasurer: Shawn Livingston phone & email: 928-729-4433/slivingston@navajochapters.org

Chapter Manager or CSC: Jammie Billiman phone & email: 928-729-4432/jbilliman@nncchapters.org

DCD/Chapter ASO: Derek Echohawk phone & email: 928-871-7515/ddechohawk@nndcd.org

List types of Subcontractors or Subrecipients that will be paid with FRF (if known): Navajo Contractors/Sub-Contractors
 document attached

Amount of FRF requested: \$500,000.00 FRF funding period: 11/23 - 12/30/26
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:

to construct major renovation of the Sawmill Chapter Building, Sawmill AZ. The Renovation will include the exterior side of the building, land scape and kitchen appliances upgrades. The Chapter will work with the Navajo Nation Procurement regulations and the Navajo Nation will be the Fiscal Agent.

document attached

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

The project will benefit approximately 5,000 community members. The improvements to the building are needed to meet safety and health standards and to improve the quality of life of the community members who use the building.

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:

The Sawmill Chapter will work with Fiscal Recovery office and the division of community development to ensure project is completed by the deadline of December 31, 2026.

document attached

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

The Sawmill Chapter and Division of Community Development

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:

The Sawmill Chapter will be responsible for the operations and maintenance cost of the chapter facility.

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 Provision of Government Services

document attached

Part 3. Additional documents.

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

Supporting Resolution
Cost Estimate

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: Jammie Bell
signature of Preparer/CONTACT PERSON

Approved by: [Signature]
signature of Chapter President (or Vice President)

Approved by: Jammie Bell
signature of CSC

Approved by: [Signature]
signature of Chapter ASO

Approved to submit for Review: [Signature]
signature of OCD Director

THE NAVAJO NATION
PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY

PART I. Business Unit No.: <u>New</u>		Program Title: <u>Sawmill Chapter Renov. Phase III</u>		Division/Branch: <u>Community Development</u>	
Prepared By: <u>Jammie Billman</u>		Phone No.: <u>928-729-4433</u>		Email Address: <u>sawmill@navajochapters.org</u>	

PART II. FUNDING SOURCE(S)	Fiscal Year / Term	Amount	% of Total	PART III. BUDGET SUMMARY	Fund Type Code	(A) MNC Approved Original Budget	(B) Proposed Budget	(C) Difference or Total
Chapter Building Renovation / ACPA Phase III	10/1/22 - 12/31/25	500,000.00	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	500,000	500,000	500,000
				7000 Special Transactions				
				8000 Public Assistance				
				9000 Capital Outlay				
				9500 Matching Funds				
				9500 Indirect Cost				
TOTAL:						\$0.00		

PART IV. POSITIONS AND VEHICLES	(D)	(E)
Total # of Positions Budgeted:	-	-
Total # of Vehicles Budgeted:	-	-

PART V. I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS BUDGET PACKAGE IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE.

SUBMITTED BY: <u>SonLatsa Jim-Martin, Department Manager</u> Program Manager's Printed Name <u><i>SonLatsa Jim-Martin</i></u> 10/25/2022 Program Manager's Signature and Date	APPROVED BY: <u>Dr. Pearl Yellowman, Division Director</u> Division Director / Branch Chief's Printed Name <u><i>Pearl Yellowman</i></u> 10-31-22 Division Director / Branch Chief's Signature and Date
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PART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION:
 Business Unit No.: New Program Name/Title: Sawmill Chapter Renov. Phase III

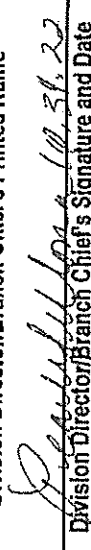
PART II. PLAN OF OPERATION/RESOLUTION NUMBER/PURPOSE OF PROGRAM:

PART III. PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA:

	1st QTR		2nd QTR		3rd QTR		4th QTR	
	Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual
1. Goal Statement:								
Phase III Chapter Building Renovation								
Program Performance Measure/Objective:								
Construct Major Renovation to Sawmill Chapter Building - Exterior/Landscaping/ Kitchen Appliances								
2. Goal Statement:								
Program Performance Measure/Objective:								
3. Goal Statement:								
Program Performance Measure/Objective:								
4. Goal Statement:								
Program Performance Measure/Objective:								
5. Goal Statement:								
Program Performance Measure/Objective:								

PART IV. I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY REVIEWED.

SonLatsa Jim-Martin, Department Manager 10/25/2022
 Program Manager's Printed Name Program Manager's Signature and Date


Dr. Pearl Yellooman, Division Director 10/31/22
 Division Director/Branch Chief's Printed Name Division Director/Branch Chief's Signature and Date


PART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION: Program Name/Title: <u>Sawmill Chapter ARPA</u> Business Unit No.: <u>New</u>			
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)
6960	Construct major renovation of the Sawmill chapter building in Sawmill, Arizona. The renovation will include the exterior side of the building, land scape and kitchen appliance upgrades. The chapter will work with the Navajo Nation procurement regulations and the Navajo Nation will be the fiscal agent.	500,000	
6500	Contractual Services (LOD 4)		500,000
TOTAL		500,000	500,000

THE NAVAJO NATION
PROJECT BUDGET SCHEDULE

PART I. Business Unit No.: <u> New </u> Project Title: <u> Chapter Renovation - Phase III </u> Project Description: <u> Construct major Renovation of the Sawmill Chapter Building, Sawmill AZ </u> <u> The Renovation will include the exterior side of the building, land scape and kitchen appliances. </u> Check one box: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Budget <input type="checkbox"/> Budget Revision <input type="checkbox"/> Budget Reallocation <input type="checkbox"/> Budget Modification	PART II. Project Information Project Type: <u> Renovation </u> Planned Start Date: <u> 11/123 </u> Planned End Date: <u> 12/30/24 </u> Project Manager: _____
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PART III. List Project Task separately; such as Plan, Design, Construct, Equip or Furnish. Construct major renovation of the sawmill chapter building phase III construct exterior side of the building including landscaping and purchase of kitchen appliances	Expected Completion Date if project exceeds 8 FY Qtrs.	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td colspan="10" style="text-align: center;">FY 2022</td> <td colspan="10" style="text-align: center;">FY 2026</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="width: 10%;">1st Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">2nd Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">3rd Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">4th Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">1st Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">2nd Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">3rd Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">4th Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">1st Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">2nd Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">3rd Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">4th Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">1st Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">2nd Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">3rd Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">4th Qtr.</td> <td style="width: 10%;">Date</td> </tr> <tr> <td>O</td> <td>N</td> <td>D</td> <td>J</td> <td>F</td> <td>M</td> <td>A</td> <td>M</td> <td>J</td> <td>Jul</td> <td>A</td> <td>S</td> <td>O</td> <td>N</td> <td>D</td> <td>J</td> <td>F</td> <td>M</td> </tr> <tr> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> </tr> </table>	FY 2022										FY 2026										1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	Date	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	Jul	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M																		
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Wanda Bennett, President
Luis Shitky, Vice President
Sharon Livingston, Sec. Treasurer
Patrick Martinez, Grazing Representative
Wilson Stewart Jr, Council Delegate

Sawmill Chapter

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RESOLUTION OF THE SAWMILL CHAPTER NAVAJO NATION

SAW-09-19-22-01

APPROVING THE REQUEST FOR FUNDING FROM THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARPA) FUNDING FOR ADDITIONAL PROJECTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,800,000.00

WHEREAS:

1. The Sawmill Chapter, a recognized certified local government of the Navajo Nation, vested with the power and authority to advocate on behalf of its constituents for the improvement of health, education, safety, and general welfare; and
2. The Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Funding Office, Division of Community Development and the Navajo Department of Justice are responsible for reviewing and determining the eligibility for chapter projects for ARPA funding; and
3. The Sawmill Chapter has identified seven additional projects for the American Rescue Plan Act funding in the amount of \$3,800,000.00; and
4. The additional seven projects are as follows:
 - A. Chapter Renovation - \$500,000.00
 - B. Motor Grader - \$300,000.00
 - C. Cistern System - \$500,000.00
 - D. Bathroom Additions - \$500,000.00
 - E. Head Start Building - \$500,000.00
 - F. Senior Citizen Center - \$500,000.00
 - G. Street Light Project - \$1,000,000.00
5. The Sawmill Chapter requests the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Office, Division of Community Development, and the Navajo Department of Justice to consider the seven additional projects for the Sawmill Community.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Sawmill Chapter hereby approves and requests funding through the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding for additional seven projects in the total amount of \$3,800,000.00
2. The Sawmill Chapter has determined that the seven additional projects are construction ready and meet the requirements pursuant to BFS-31-21.

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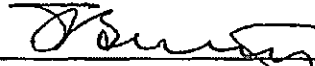
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CERTIFICATION

We, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Sawmill Chapter at a duly called meeting in (Navajo Nation), Arizona at which a quorum was present and that same was passed by a vote of **9 in favor, 0 opposed and 1 abstained on this 19th day of September, 2022.**

Motioned by: Larry Foster

Seconded by: Patrick Martinez



Woodie Bennett, President