

# THE NAVAJO NATION

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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-69-22, *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 Elmer P. Begay's Delegate Region (Chapters: Dilkon, Indian Wells, Teesto, Whitecone, Greasewood Springs)*

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-69-22 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 24<sup>th</sup> 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.

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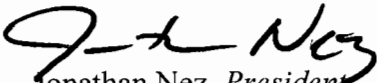
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JONATHAN NEZ | PRESIDENT MYRON LIZER | VICE PRESIDENT



Pursuant to the authority vested in the Navajo Nation President, I am signing Resolution CD-69-22 into law.

Sincerely,

  
Jonathan Nez, *President*  
THE NAVAJO NATION

  
Myron Lizer, *Vice President*  
THE NAVAJO NATION

RESOLUTION OF THE  
NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL  
24<sup>th</sup> 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 ELMER P. BEGAY'S DELEGATE REGION  
(CHAPTERS: DILKON, INDIAN WELLS, TEESTO, WHITECONE, GREASEWOOD  
SPRINGS)

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. Elmer P. Begay's Delegate Region Projects Plan, attached as **Exhibit A**, have been deemed Fiscal Recovery Fund eligible by NNDOJ. In addition, Hon. Elmer P. Begay'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. Elmer P. Begay's Delegate Region Chapters and communities to approve and adopt the Navajo Nation Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Hon. Elmer P. Begay's Delegate Region (Chapters: Dilkon, Indian Wells, Teesto, Whitecone, Greasewood Springs) as set forth in **Exhibit A**.

#### **SECTION THREE. APPROVAL OF HON. ELMER P. BEGAY'S DELEGATE REGION PROJECT PLAN**

- A. The Navajo Nation hereby approves the Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate Region Project Plan for Hon. Elmer P. Begay's Delegate Region (Chapters: Dilkon, Indian Wells, Teesto, Whitecone, Greasewood Springs) 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 24<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 21 in Favor, and 00 Opposed, on this 29<sup>th</sup> day of December 2022.



Honorable Otto Tso, Speaker  
24<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council

*12.30.2022*

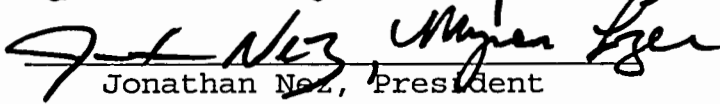
DATE

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 10th 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.

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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.

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Jonathan Nez, President  
Navajo Nation

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

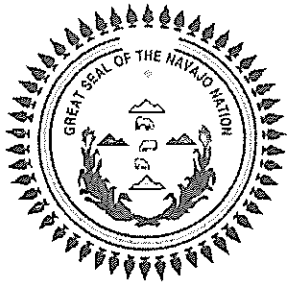
**COUNCIL DELEGATE: Delegate Elmer P. Begay**

**CHAPTERS: Dilcon, Indian Wells, Teesto, Whitecone, Greasewood Springs**

FUNDING RECIPIENT	SUBRECIPIENT	EXPENDITURE PLAN / PROJECT	ADMIN OVERSIGHT	FRF CATEGORY	DOJ REVIEW #	AMOUNT
Division of Community Development	NONE IDENTIFIED	White Cone Chapter Community Cemetery Clearance Needs	Division of Community Development	6.1	HK0227	\$ 1,000.00
Division of Community Development	*Greasewood Springs Chapter	Greasewood Springs Chapter Reservoir/Aquifer Recharge Project	Division of Community Development	2.22	HK0240	\$ 200,000.00
Division of Community Development	*Teesto Chapter	Teesto Chapter Heavy Equipment Purchase (John Deere 724P)	Division of Community Development	6.1	HK0244	\$ 317,445.81
Division of Community Development	*Teesto Chapter	Teesto Chapter Feasibility Studies for All Washes in Teesto Service Area	Division of Community Development	2.22	HK0245	\$ 300,000.00
Division of Community Development	*Teesto Chapter	Teesto Chapter 2021 John Deere 324G with 2021 JRB 48FORKS	Elmer Clark, Teesto Chapter President	6.1	HK0247	\$ 53,828.20
Division of Community Development	NONE IDENTIFIED	Indian Wells Chapter Housing Renovations	Division of Community Development	2.18	HK0250	\$ 1,760,468.00
Division of Community Development	*Dilkon Chapter	Dilkon Chapter Home Rehabilitation Project	Division of Community Development	2.18	HK0252	\$ 1,760,467.00
Division of Community Development	NONE IDENTIFIED	White Cone Chapter House Repair & Improvement	Division of Community Development	2.18	HK0296	\$ 1,759,468.00
Division of Community Development	*Teesto Chapter	Teesto Chapter ADA Bathroom Additions for 10-Families	Division of Community Development	1.14	HK0299	\$ 73,291.00
		UN-ALLOCATED AMOUNT				\$ 2,576,371.99
					<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$ 8,802,340.00</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 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 #:** HK0227

**Date & Time Received:** 11/21/22

**Date & Time of Response:** 5 December, 2022; 12:04 pm

**Entity Requesting FRF:** White Cone Chapter

**Title of Project:** Community Cemctery Clearance Needs

**Administrative Oversight:** Division of Community Development

**Amount of Funding Requested:** \$1,000

**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:** 6.1 Provision of Government Service.

**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: The expenditure code for this project has been updated. The expenditure code originally submitted, 2.2. Strong Healthy Communities: Neighborhood Features that Promote Health and Safety, is only appropriate for expenditures such as parks, recreation facilities, or sidewalks.

Name of DOJ Reviewer: Adjua Adjei-Danso

Signature of DOJ Reviewer:  \_\_\_\_\_

Disclaimers: This Initial Eligibility Determination is based on the documents provided which we have assumed are true, correct, and complete. Should the Project or Program change in any material way after this initial determination, the requestor must seek the advice of NNDOJ. This 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: White Cone Chapter Data prepared: 08/19/2022

Chapter's mailing address: 28 N Hwy 7, PMB 5120 phone/email: (928) 654-9300  
Holbrook, Arizona 86025 website (if any): whitecone@navajochapters.org

This Form prepared by: Virda M. Yazzie phone/email: (928) 401-9341  
Community Services Coordinator vmy\_1981@hotmail.com  
*6.01 CONTACT PERSON'S name and title* *CONTACT PERSON'S info*

Title and type of Project: Community Cemetery Clearance Needs

Chapter President: Robert Salabye phone & email: (928) 227-6863  
Chapter Vice-President: Linda M. Yazzie phone & email: (480) 245-9021  
Chapter Secretary: Lavida B. Maestas phone & email: (505) 731-9406  
Chapter Treasurer: Lavida B. Maestas phone & email: (505) 731-6406  
Chapter Manager or CSC: Virda M. Yazzie phone & email: (928) 401-9341  
DCD/Chapter ASO: Eunice Begay phone & email: (628) 654-3933

List types of Subcontractors or Subrecipients that will be paid with FRF (if known):  
unknown at the moment  document attached

Amount of FRF requested: 1,000 FRF funding period: 10/1/23 to 12/30/24  
*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:

This project will allocate \$1,000.00 for land survey and biological clearance services that are needed to secure a land withdrawal for the White Cone Community cemetery. The location of this project is 5 miles NE of White Cone Chapter House. COVID-19 showed the need for cemetery services, especially when Navajo Nation was on lockdown. This project can address end of life needs for the community near the community.

document attached

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

This project will provide a community service that will benefit the community via end of life needs, while supporting community members knowing that their loved ones will be close to home.

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:

Advertise RFP for land surveyor and biological clearance services: March 2023 to June 2023  
Contracted work: June 2023 to September 2023  
Land withdrawal application submission: September 2023 to December 2023

document attached

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

The Chapter administration and Grazing officer will be responsible for planning and monitoring the project, as well as working with DCD for their oversight.

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 White Cone Chapter administration will be responsible for operating and maintaining the completed project, in conjunction with the local churches.

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:

This projects falls under expenditure category 2.22 Strong Healthy Communities: Neighborhood Features that Promote Health and Safety. This project will strengthen the White Cone community by providing a community service that addresses the full circle of life for a community member while providing peace of mind for their surviving family members, knowing that their loved ones are near.

document attached

Part 3. Additional documents.

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

Chapter resolutions approving and accepting on the community project.

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: William Zane  
signature of Preparer (OWNER PERSON)

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

Approved by: William Zane  
signature of CSC

Approved by: E. Bey SPS / Toni Mera, ASO  
signature of Chapter ASO

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

THE NAVAJO NATION  
PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY

PART I. Business Unit No.: <u>NEW</u>		Program Title: <u>White Cone</u>		Division/Branch: <u>Executive White Cone</u>	
Prepared By: <u>Vinda M. Yazzie</u>		Phone No.: <u>928-684-9300</u>		Email Address: <u>whitecone@navajochapters.org</u>	
Fiscal Year / Term: <u>10/1/22 - 9/30/24</u>		PART III. BUDGET SUMMARY		Fund Type Code	
Amount: <u>1,000.00</u>		% of Total: <u>100%</u>		MVC Approved Original Budget	
MVC Approved Original Budget		Proposed Budget		Difference or Total	
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					
7000 Special Transactions					
8000 Public Assistance				<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>
9000 Capital Outlay					
9500 Matching Funds					
9500 Indirect Cost					
TOTAL				\$0.00	1,000.00
PART IV. POSITIONS AND VEHICLES					
TOTAL # of Positions Budgeted:				(D)	(E)
TOTAL # of Vehicles Budgeted:				0	0
TOTAL:				0	0

PART V. I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS BUDGET PACKAGE IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE.  
 Submitted By: Sonlatsa Jim-Martin, Department Manager II  
 Approved By: Dr. Pearl Yellowman, Division Director  
 Date: 9/20/22  
 Signature: [Signature] Division Director / Branch Chief's Printed Name  
 Signature: [Signature] Branch Chief's Signature and Date

THE NAVAJO NATION  
PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

FY 2023

PART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION:		Business Unit No.: <u>NEW</u>		Program Name/Title: <u>White Cone Community Cemetery</u>					
PART II. PLAN OF OPERATION/RESOLUTION NUMBER/PURPOSE OF PROGRAM: The White Cone Chapter Resolution #WCCSE-20 22-XXX to approved ARPA Fiscal Recovery Fund for the White Cone Community House Renovations.									
PART III. PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA:									
1. Goal Statement:		1st QTR		2nd QTR		3rd QTR		4th QTR	
	Establish a White Cone Community Cemetery	Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual
	Program Performance Measure/Objective: Meet once a month to develop the cemetery with the required documents.	3		3		3		3	
2. Goal Statement:									
	Program Performance Measure/Objective:								
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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.									
		Sonlata Jim-Martin, Department Manager-II		Dr. Pearl Yellewman, Division Director					
		Program Manager's Printed Name		Division Director/Branch Chief's Printed Name					
		<u>Sonlata Jim</u> 9/20/22		<u>Pearl Yellewman</u> 9.20.22					
		Program Manager's Signature and Date		Division Director/Branch Chief's Signature and Date					

THE NAVAJO NATION  
DETAILED BUDGET AND JUSTIFICATION

FY 2023

PART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION: Program Name/Title: <u>White Cone Community Cemetery</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)
8555 9500 7-6 Infrastructure (non-cap) Community Cemetery	Chapter Projects The White Cone Chapter Administration and Chapter Officials will get the require documents (Letter of Application or Cover Letter; Legal Survey or GPS Coordinates; Supporting Chapter Resolution and Letter from Grazing Officer stating there are no valid grazing permittees in the use area. The Community Cemetery will be in NPL area 1.5 miles Southeast of White Cone Peak.	1,000	1,000
TOTAL		1,000	1,000







## WHITE CONE CHAPTER

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VICE-PRESIDENT  
Lavida B. Maestas  
SECRETARY/TREASURER  
Justin Yazzie  
GRAZING MEMBER  
Elmer P. Begay  
COUNCIL DELEGATE

### RESOLUTION OF WHITE CONE CHAPTER

WCC-2022-005

**REQUESTING, ACCEPTING, AND APPROVING CJN-29-22, AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARPA) FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,760,468.00 FOR WHITE CONE CHAPTER TO BE UTILIZED FOR NAVAJO NATION DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE APPROVED PROJECTS, WHICH COULD INCLUDE: COMMUNITY CEMETERY NEEDS AND/OR HOME REPAIR/IMPROVEMENT/WEATHERIZATION CONSTRUCTION**

#### WHEREAS:

The White Cone Chapter is a recognized Chapter of the Navajo Nation and recognized as a local governmental entity vested with certain authority and responsibilities to consider and act on matters of local concern that are in the best interest of health, safety and welfare of the Chapter members and residents; and

Pursuant to 26 NNC, Navajo Nation Local Governance Act (LGA), the Navajo Nation Council delegates Chapters governmental authority with respect to local matters consistent with Navajo Nation Laws including customs and tradition to make decision over local matter and to govern with responsibilities and accountability to the local citizens; and

The White Cone Chapter appreciates the 24th Navajo Nation Council and Office of President and Vice President in passing and signing of CJN-29-22; and

The White Cone Chapter community members have requested expenditure for Community Cemetery Clearance Needs project and/or home repair/improvement/weatherization construction; and

The White Cone Chapter recognized the need for these projects to improve quality of life for its residents while combating and recovering from COVID-19; and


#### NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT

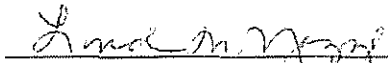
The White Cone Chapter requests, accepts and approves the CNJ-29-22 funding amount of \$1,760,768.00 for Community Cemetery Clearance Needs, and/or Home Repair Improvement/Weatherization Construction.

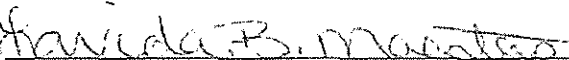
CERTIFICATION

We, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the White Cone Chapter at White Cone, Arizona at a duly called meeting where a quorum was present and the same passed by a vote of 6 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstained on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2022.

Motion By: Lavida B. Maestas    Second By: Linda M. Yazzie

  
Robert Salabye, President

  
Linda M. Yazzie, Vice-President

  
Lavida B. Maestas, Secretary/Treasurer

  
Justin Yazzie, Grazing Officer