



**DR. BUU NYGREN** *PRESIDENT*  
**RICHELLE MONTOYA** *VICE PRESIDENT*

The Navajo Nation | Yideeskáądi Nitsáhákees

November 8, 2023

**TRANSMITTAL**

TO : Arbin Mitchell, Executive Director  
 Division of Community Development (DCD)

FROM : CSMJ  
 Cordell Shortey, Contracting Officer  
 Contracts & Grants Section (CGS) / OMB

SUBJECT : BU on Projects / Activities for Becenti Chapter, Lake Valley Chapter, Nahodishgish Chapter, Tse'ii'ahi Chapter, Whiterock Chapter, Huerfano Chapter, Nageezi Chapter, and Crownpoint Chapter- ARPA Funds Allocated to Delegate Danny Simpson

**I. Information on Contract (per Original Award):**

Becenti Chapter, Lake Valley Chapter, Nahodishgish Chapter, Tse'ii'ahi Chapter, Whiterock Chapter, Huerfano Chapter, Nageezi Chapter, and Crownpoint Chapter	U.S. Treasury American Recovery Plan Act (ARPA)	21.027
_____	_____	_____
Title of Contract	Funding Agency	CFDA No. - Federal
CJY-65-23; CMY-42-23	2022	03/11/2021 to 12/31/2026
Grant No.	Amount	Term - Begin and End Date
	\$ 8,802,340.00	

**II. Data Entered in FMIS Regarding:**

New Contract or Grant Company No. 8059 Business Unit (K#) K2115290 to K2115315

Contract Mod No. \_\_\_\_\_ Internal Modification No. 1

Amt of Budget Increase \$4,600,557.00 \$1,872,319.00 to \$6,472,876.00

AMOUNT FROM TO

Budget Period - Extend End Date: From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

Other, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**Authorizing Document - Attached:**

Contract / Agreement - Date executed \_\_\_\_\_

NNC / Committee Resolution - No. & Date \_\_\_\_\_

Other, specify: NN Council Resolution CJY-65-23

**III. Comments by CGS:**

This transmittal documents 2nd budget entered in FMIS on \$8.8 mil ARPA funds allocated to CD Danny Simpson Region. Y-T-D budget in FMIS for CD Danny Simpson totals \$6,472,876. Information on Section I. of Transmittal above reflects \$8,802,340 ARPA funding allocated for distribution to Chapters the respective Council Delegate service aka Region.

*Attachment*  
 Copy: Contract files  
 Contract Accounting / OOC / DPM  
 Tom Platero, Executive Director - NN FRF Office

**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

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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
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Becenti Chapter Hazard/Premium Pay for Essential Workers	Division of Community Development	4.1	HK0498	\$ 115,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Becenti Chapter Bathroom Additions and Renovation Project	Division of Community Development	1.14	HK0481	\$ 178,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Nageezi Chapter Purchase of Heavy-Duty Equipment Project	Division of Community Development	6.1	HK0517	\$ 250,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Nageezi Chapter Warehouse Project	Division of Community Development	1.14	HK0516	\$ 200,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Nageezi Chapter Community Cemetery Project	Division of Community Development	6.1	HK0518	\$ 50,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Crownpoint Chapter Septic Cleaning Project	Division of Community Development	5.5	HK0502	\$ 30,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Crownpoint Chapter Cleaning Supplies Project	Division of Community Development	1.14	HK0514	\$ 50,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Crownpoint Chapter Utility Assistance Project	Division of Community Development	2.2	HK0289-2	\$ 150,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Crownpoint Chapter Half-Acre Homesite Project	Division of Community Development	2.23	HK0290-2	\$ 300,000.00

**TOTAL: \$ 3,195,319.00**

\*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."

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

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FUNDING RECIPIENT	SUBRECIPIENT	EXPENDITURE PLAN / PROJECT	ADMIN OVERSIGHT	FRF CATEGORY	DOJ REVIEW #	AMOUNT
		TOTAL AMOUNT from PAGE 01.....				\$ 3,195,319.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Crownpoint Chapter Water-Point Upgrade Project	Division of Community Development	5.11	HK0515	\$ 25,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Lake Valley Chapter Septic-Cleaning Project	NN Environmental Protection Agency	5.5	HK0439	\$ 100,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Lake Valley Chapter Employ of Waterline/Powerline ROW Agent	Division of Community Development	2.18	HK0571	\$ 50,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Tse'ii'ahi Chapter Heavy Equipment (Major Parts) Replacement (Blades, Bucket, Tires) Project	Division of Community Development	6.1	HK0543	\$ 10,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Tse'ii'ahi Chapter Septic Tank Cleaning Project	Division of Community Development	5.5	HK0574	\$ 40,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Tse'ii'ahi Chapter Home Renovations Project	Division of Community Development	2.18	HK0575	\$ 402,644.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Tse'ii'ahi Chapter Bathroom Additions (ADA Compliant) Project	Division of Community Development	1.14	HK0576	\$ 300,000.00
Division of Community Development	*White Rock Chapter	White Rock Chapter Community Home/Bathroom Renovations Project	Division of Community Development	2.18	HK0577	\$ 600,000.00
Division of Community Development	*White Rock Chapter	White Rock Chapter Warehouse Project	Division of Community Development	1.14	HK0578	\$ 150,000.00

**TOTAL: \$ 4,872,963.00**

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FUNDING RECIPIENT	SUBRECIPIENT	EXPENDITURE PLAN / PROJECT	ADMIN OVERSIGHT	FRF CATEGORY	DOJ REVIEW #	AMOUNT
		TOTAL AMOUNT from PAGE 02.....				\$ 4,872,963.00
Division of Community Development	*White Rock Chapter	White Rock Chapter Community Rural Addressing Project	Division of Community Development	1.14	HK0579	\$ 75,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Huerfano Chapter Bathroom Additions/Waterlines Project	NN Department of Water Resources	5.11	HK0580	\$ 77,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Huerfano Chapter Solar System Project	Division of Community Development	2.18	HK0581	\$ 174,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Huerfano Chapter Septic System Cleaning Project	Division of Community Development	5.5	HK0602	\$ 33,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Huerfano Chapter Waterline Extension/Septic System Installation for Home Upgrades Project	NN Department of Water Resources	5.11	HK0603	\$ 182,885.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Becenti Chapter Housing Renovation Project	Division of Community Development	2.18	HK0582	\$ 255,000.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Nahodishgish Chapter Home Improvements Project	Division of Community Development	2.18	HK0614	\$ 753,028.00
Division of Community Development	None Identified	Crownpoint Chapter Hazard/Premium Pay for Employees Project	Division of Community Development	4.1	HK0538-2	\$ 50,000.00
		UN-ALLOCATED AMOUNT				\$ 2,329,464.00

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





**The Navajo Nation** **DR. BUU NYGREN** *PRESIDENT*  
**Yideeskáądi Nitsáhákees** **RICHELLE MONTOYA** *VICE PRESIDENT*

August 4, 2023



Honorable Crystalyne Curley, Speaker  
Navajo Nation Council  
Post Office Box 3390  
Window Rock, AZ 86515

RE: *CJY-65-23 An Action Relating to The Naabik'iyáti' 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 Delegate Region*

Dear Speaker Curley,

I am pleased to sign into law this resolution CJY-65-23 approving the Fiscal Recovery Funds Delegate Regional Project Plan for Honorable Simpson's Delegate Region in the amount of \$4,600,557.

My Administration supports the plans of these Chapters who have worked very hard to put together their Regional Plans and is working very closely with the Fiscal Recovery Fund Office to ensure that these funds are put to use. As such, when Chapters are running into roadblocks in expending their Fiscal Recovery Funds and the roadblock is coming from the Executive Branch, I encourage them to reach out to the Office of the President and Vice President and inform my office of the roadblock and we will work to overcome those roadblocks.

I do want to take the moment to express my concern that any amendments to the Regional Plans must be approved by the Council. In addition, the prior Navajo Nation Council has set the expectation that Fiscal Recovery Funds be encumbered by June 30, 2024. This deadline is not far off. As a construction expert, I know that there are unpredictable factors that can prevent even the best of plans from moving forward on the proposed timeline. We should be designing systems that are flexible, accountable, and transparent. We do not currently have that system and I look forward to working with you and the entire Council to improve the Navajo Nation systems, so we are supporting our communities to take advantage of this historic funding.

Now let's get to work!

Sincerely,



Dr. Buu Nygren, *President*  
**THE NAVAJO NATION**

RESOLUTION OF THE  
 NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL  
 25<sup>th</sup> NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL - FIRST YEAR, 2023

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 DELEGATE REGION

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 ("NNERF") 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).
- D. Navajo Nation Council Resolution No. CMY-42-23, herein by reference, mandates 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).

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. 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. S 164(A) (17) and 2 N.N.C. §§ 1005(C) (10), (11), and (12).
- E. 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).
- F. 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 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 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.**

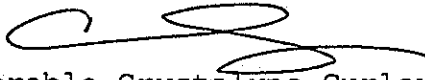
This legislation shall be effective upon its approval pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 221(B), 2 N.N.C. § 164(A)(17), and 2 N.N.C. §§ 1005(C)(10), (11), and (12).

#### **SECTION 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 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 18 in Favor, and 00 Opposed, on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 2023.

  
Honorable Crystalyne Curley, Speaker  
25<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council

7/27/23


DATE

Motion: Honorable Shaandiin Parrish  
Second: Honorable Brenda Jesus

Speaker Crystalyne Curley 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 4 day of August, 2023.

  
Buu Nygren, President  
Navajo Nation

2. I, hereby, veto the foregoing legislation, pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 1005 (C)(11), on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023 for the reason(s) expressed in the attached letter to the Speaker.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Buu Nygren, 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 \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

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Buu Nygren, President  
Navajo Nation

**NAVAJO NATION**

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Navajo Nation Council Summer Session

7/19/2023  
07:24:07 PM

<b>Amd# to Amd#</b>	Legislation 0133-23: Amending	<b>PASSED</b>
MOT Parrish, S	CMY-42-23, the Navajo Nation	
SEC Jesus, B	Fiscal Recovery Fund Delegate	
	Region Project Plan for....	

<b>Yeas : 18</b>	<b>Nays : 0</b>	<b>Excused : 1</b>	<b>Not Voting : 4</b>
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**Yea : 18**

Begay, H	Daniels, H	Nez, R	Simpson, D
Begay, N	James, V	Notah, N	Slater, C
Charles-Newton, E	Jesus, B	Parrish, S	Tolth, G
Claw, S	Johnson, C	Simonson, G	Yazzie, C
Crotty, A	Nez, A		

**Nay : 0**

**Excused : 1**

Damon, S

**Not Voting : 4**

Arviso, S	Aseret, L	Tso, O	Yanito, C
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**Presiding Speaker: Curley, C**



**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 #: HK0518

Date & Time Received: 5/24/23 at 16:13

Date & Time of Response: 5/24/23 at 17:00

Entity Requesting FRF: Nageezi Chapter

Title of Project: Nageezi Chapter Community Cemetery Project

Administrative Oversight: Division of Community Development

Amount of Funding Requested: \$50,000.00

**Eligibility Determination:**

- FRF eligible
- FRF ineligible
- Additional information requested

**FRF Eligibility Category:**

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

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**U.S. Department of Treasury Reporting Expenditure Category:** \_\_\_\_\_  
6.1: Provision of Government Services

**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: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Name of DOJ Reviewer: Navalyn R. Platero

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 NNDOJ Initial Eligibility Determination is based on the documents provided, which NNDOJ will assume are true, correct, and complete. Should the Project or Program change in any material way after the initial determination, the requestor must seek the advice of NNDOJ. An initial determination is limited to review of the Project or Program as it relates to whether the Project or Program is a legally allowable use – it does not serve as an opinion as to whether or not the Project or Program should be funded, nor does it serve as an opinion as to whether or not the amount requested is reasonable or accurate.

**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: Post Office Box 100 phone/email: (505) 960-7200  
Nageezi NM 87037 website (if any): \_\_\_\_\_  
This Form prepared by: Ervin Chavez, Chapter President phone/email: (505) 960-7200  
\_\_\_\_\_  
CONTACT PERSON'S name and title CONTACT PERSON'S info

Title and type of Project: Nageezi Chapter Community Cemetery Project

Chapter President: Ervin Chavez phone & email: (505) 960-7200 nageezi@navajochapters.org  
Chapter Vice-President: Rory Jaquez phone & email: (505) 960-7200 nageezi@navajo.chapters.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: Casey Begay phone & email: (505) 786-2091 casey\_begay@nndcd.org

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

Amount of FRF requested: \$50,000 FRF funding period: 1/01/2023 - 9/30/2026  
Indicate Project starting and ending/expense 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 Cemetery project is needed as adjacent cemeteries to Nageezi Chapter are; at capacity or near capacity. During COVID-19, Nageezi was directly impacted by death from this virus and victim's families had to resort to the nearest cemetery which caused the cemeteries to reach it's capacity. This cemetery project will directly address the need of Nageezi Community.**

document attached

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

**This project will assist and directly benefit the Navajo Nation and its citizens. The Navajo Nation experienced substantially greater COVID-19 mortality rate compared to other ethnic groups.**

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:  
According to the funding source the project will be completed by September 30, 2026 with all funds being incurred by September 30, 2024.

document attached

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

Nageezi Chapter Community Service Coordinator will be responsible to implete the project in accordance with NN ARPA and Navajo Nation procurement process.

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:

Nageezi Chapter 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:

1.7 Capital Investments or Physical Plant Changes to Public Facilities that respond to the COVID-19 public health emergency

Adjacent cemeteries to Nageezi are at capacity or near capacity. During COVID-19, Nageezi was directly impacted by death from this virus and victim's families had to resort to the nearest cemetery which caused the cemeteries to reach it's capacity. This cemetery project will directly address the need of Nageezi Community.

document attached

**Part 3. Additional documents.**

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

Budget Forms and 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: *Christ H.*  
signature of Preparer/CONTACT PERSON

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

Approved by: *Christ H.*  
signature of CSC

Approved by: *[Signature]*  
signature of Chapter ASO

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



**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 23-040**

**APPROVING THE PROPOSED BUDGET OF \$50,000 FOR A COMMUNITY CEMETERY IN WHICH THE APPROPRIATION IS 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 Dzilith-na-o-dith-hle, being one of the largest land based Navajo Chapter in Eastern Navajo Agency of the Navajo Nation; and,

Nageezi Chapter experienced a sad tragic turn for many community members who loss their lives, since 2020, in the COVID 19 pandemic which left many families to care for children who loss both set of parents and many others.

Nageezi Chapter community has been utilizing four (4) Christian Mission cemeteries in Lybrook, Escrito LDS, and Brethern In Christ Mission cemeteries as resources. The Chapter have been notified that by these missions that they will start charging families for any grave request or even close the cemetery due to lack of land.

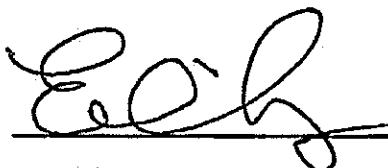
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT** Nageezi Chapter approves the proposed budget of \$50,000 for a community cemetery to develop a cemetery on tribal trust land from Regional Council Delegate Projects.

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 23-040** was duly presented and discussed at duly called meeting of Nageezi Chapter, Navajo Nation, (New Mexico), at which a quorum was present, motioned by Johnny Russell seconded by , was voted on with 14 in favor, 00 opposed and 01 abstained, this 06<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023

ATTEST: NC 23-040



Ervin Chavez, Chapter President



Rory Jaques, Chapter Vice President or  
Jessica Platero Chapter Secretary



**NAGEEZI CHAPTER  
EASTERN NAVAJO AGENCY  
District 19**

*Sam Nigren*  
*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*

Job K2115294 US TREASURY-NAGEEZI CEMETERY

Project

Cost Code	Cost Type	Description	L P M D E C U M	Original Budget Amt	Revised Budget Amt	Actual Amount	Open Commit Amount	Budget Balance	% Revised Spent	% Revised Remaining
1710	Program Revenue	6 B N		50,000.00-	50,000.00-			50,000.00-		1.00
1710	Program Revenue	6 T		50,000.00-	50,000.00-			50,000.00-		1.00
1705	CG Revenue	5 T		50,000.00-	50,000.00-			50,000.00-		1.00
1700	External C/G Revenue Source	4 T		50,000.00-	50,000.00-			50,000.00-		1.00
1000	Revenues	3 T		50,000.00-	50,000.00-			50,000.00-		1.00
8500	Infrasture (non cap)	6 B N		50,000.00	50,000.00			50,000.00		1.00
8500	Infrasture (non cap)	6 T		50,000.00	50,000.00			50,000.00		1.00
8010	Public	5 T		50,000.00	50,000.00			50,000.00		1.00
8000	Assistance	4 T		50,000.00	50,000.00			50,000.00		1.00
2000	Expenses	3 T		50,000.00	50,000.00			50,000.00		1.00

FY 2023

THE NAVAJO NATION  
DETAILED BUDGET AND JUSTIFICATION

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BUDGET FORM 4

PART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION:			
Program Name/Title: <u>Navajo Chapter - Community Cemetery Project</u>		Business Unit No.: <u>NEW K2115294</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)
8000	Assistance		
8500	Infrastructure (non cap) 8555 - Chapter Projects	50,000	50,000
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TOTAL		50,000.00 -	50,000.00 -

*Ashle Alvin Hale*



FY 2023



**THE NAVAJO NATION  
PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY**

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BUDGET FORM 1



**PART I.** Business Unit No.: K2115294 NEW Program Title: Nageezi Chapter Community Cemetery Project Division/Branch: Executive  
 Prepared By: Ervin Chavez, Chapter President Phone No.: (505) 960-7200 Email Address: nageezi@navajochapters.org

PART II. FUNDING SOURCE(S)	Fiscal Year /Term	Amount	% of Total	PART III. BUDGET SUMMARY	Fund Type Code	(A)	(B)	(C)
						NNC Approved Original Budget	Proposed Budget	Difference or Total
NN Fiscal Recovery Funds	1/1/2023-9/30/2026	50,000.00	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	<del>6</del>	<del>0</del>	<del>50,000</del>	<del>50,000</del>
				7000 Special Transactions				
				8000 Public Assistance	6	0	50,000	50,000
				9000 Capital Outlay				
				9500 Matching Funds				
				9500 Indirect Cost				
				<b>TOTAL</b>		50.00	50,000.00	50,000
				<b>PART IV. POSITIONS AND VEHICLES</b>		(D)	(E)	
				Total # of Positions Budgeted:		0	0	
				Total # of Vehicles Budgeted:		0	0	
		<b>TOTAL:</b>	550,000.00	100%				

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

SUBMITTED BY: James Adakai, Deputy Director APPROVED BY: Calvin Castillo, Division Director  
 Program Manager's Printed Name Division Director / Branch Chief's Printed Name  
 5-14-23  5/19/23  
 Program Manager's Signature and Date Division Director / Branch Chief's Signature and Date

THE NAVAJO NATION  
PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

<b>PART I. PROGRAM INFORMATION:</b>									
Business Unit No.: <u>NEW K2115294</u>			Program Name/Title: <u>Nageezi Chapter Community Cemetery 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 Nation</u>									
<b>PART III. PROGRAM PERFORMANCE CRITERIA:</b>									
		1st QTR		2nd QTR		3rd QTR		4th QTR	
		Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual	Goal	Actual
1. Goal Statement:									
<u>Develop a community cemetery</u>									
Program Performance Measure/Objective:									
<u>Provide community cemetery for Nageezi Chapter</u>		1		1		1		1	
2. Goal Statement:									
<u> </u>									
Program Performance Measure/Objective:									
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3. Goal Statement:									
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Program Performance Measure/Objective:									
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4. Goal Statement:									
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Program Performance Measure/Objective:									
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5. Goal Statement:									
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Program Performance Measure/Objective:									
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<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> 5-19-23</u>				<u> 5/19/23</u>					
Program Manager's Signature and Date				Division Director/Branch Chief's Signature and Date					

**THE NAVAJO NATION  
PROJECT BUDGET SCHEDULE**

<b>PART I. Business Unit No.:</b> <u>NEW K2115294</u> <b>Project Title:</b> <u>ARPA Funds Nagleez Chapter - Cemetery Project</u> <b>Project Description:</b> <u>Nagleez Chapter Cemetery Project - Construct Cemetery</u>													<b>PART II. Project Information</b> <b>Project Type:</b> <u>ARPA Funds Construction</u> <b>Planned Start Date:</b> <u>January 01, 2023</u> <b>Planned End Date:</b> <u>30-Sep-26</u> <b>Project Manager:</b> <u>Ervin Chavez, Chapter President</u>																		
<b>Check one box:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Budget <input type="checkbox"/> Budget Revision <input 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. Use Fiscal Year (FY) Quarters to complete the information below. O = Oct.; N = Nov.; D = Dec., etc.</b>																														
	<b>FY 2024</b>												<b>FY 2025</b>						<b>Expected Completion Date if project exceeds 8 FY Qtrs.</b> Date: <u>9/30/2026</u>												
	1st Qtr.			2nd Qtr.			3rd Qtr.			4th Qtr.			1st Qtr.			2nd Qtr.			3rd Qtr.			4th Qtr.									
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Cemetery Project																															
Land Withdrawal																															
Service Contract Agreement																															
Close Out																															
<b>PART V.</b>	\$			\$			\$			\$			\$			\$			\$			\$			PROJECT TOTAL						
Expected Quarterly Expenditures	10,000.00			10,000.00			10,000.00			10,000.00			10,000.00															\$50,000.00			

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