

RESOLUTION OF THE  
BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE  
OF THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

24<sup>TH</sup> NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL - Fourth Year, 2022

AN ACTION

RELATING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE; APPROVING AND  
RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE THE FISCAL  
YEAR 2023 BUDGET FOR THE DIVISION OF HUMAN RESOURCES -  
RETIREMENT SERVICES, RETIREMENT FUNDS, AND RETIREMENT PLAN  
ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE, AND RELATED MATTERS, TO BE INCLUDED  
IN THE NAVAJO NATION'S FY2023 COMPREHENSIVE BUDGET

BE IT ENACTED:

SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY

- A. The Budget and Finance Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council, with oversight authority over the Division of Human Resources - Retirement Services, Retirement Funds, and Retirement Plan Administration Committee ("DHR/Retirement"). 2 N.N.C. § 300(A); 12 N.N.C. § 301(B) (13).
- B. Each Oversight Committee, including the BFC, shall review and make recommendations regarding the programs under its oversight responsibility, regarding the Navajo Nation's Comprehensive Budget for the upcoming Fiscal Year 12 N.N.C. § 840(A).

SECTION TWO. FINDINGS

- A. The BFC held a meeting and took relevant testimony relating to the FY2023 Budget for the DHR/Retirement.
- B. During these budget meetings, the BFC reviewed and considered the FY2023 Budget for the DHR/Retirement, as proposed by the Branch Chiefs and as commented upon by the public.

**SECTION THREE. APPROVING AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE THE FISCAL YEAR 2023 BUDGET FOR THE DIVISION OF HUMAN RESOURCES - RETIREMENT SERVICES, RETIREMENT FUNDS, AND RETIREMENT PLAN ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE, AND RELATED MATTERS**

- A. The Budget and Finance Committee hereby approves the proposed FY2023 Budget for the DHR/Retirement, as detailed in the "Fund Type Budget Summary" attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.
- B. The BFC hereby approves certain revisions to the Branch Chiefs' proposed FY2023 Budget amount for the DHR/Retirement, as shown in Columns D and E in the "General Fund Comparative Summary" attached hereto as **Exhibit B**.
- C. The BFC recommends certain changes to the General Fund Budget, as described in the attached **Exhibit C**.
- D. The BFC recommends certain Conditions of Appropriation and Legislative Concerns, as listed in **Exhibit D**.
- E. The BFC recommends that certain Unmet Needs for the DHR/Retirement be included in the Navajo Nation's FY2023 Comprehensive Budget, as explained in **Exhibit E**.
- F. The BFC hereby recommends that the Budget and Finance Committee approve the proposed FY2023 Budget for the DHR/Retirement, as well as all Committee recommendations, as set forth in the attached **Exhibits A-E**.
- G. As necessary and appropriate, the BFC hereby authorizes the BFC Chair and Vice-Chair to negotiate the BFC's recommendations herein with the Budget and Finance Committee, regarding the proposed FY2023 Budget for the DHR/Retirement.

**SECTION FOUR. EFFECTIVE DATE**

This Act shall become effective as provided in 2 N.N.C. § 189(A).

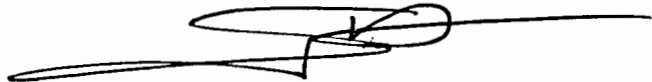
**SECTION FIVE. SAVINGS CLAUSE**

If any portion of this Action is determined invalid by the Navajo Nation Supreme Court, or by a District Court of the Navajo Nation without appeal to the Navajo Nation Supreme Court, or by a

District Court of the Navajo Nation without appeal to the Navajo Nation Supreme Court, the remainder of this Act shall be the law of the Navajo Nation.

**CERTIFICATION**

I, hereby, certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Budget and Finance Committee of the Navajo Nation Council at a duly called meeting held by teleconference at which a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of 4 in favor and 0 opposed, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of July 2022.

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Jamie Henio, Chairperson  
Budget and Finance Committee

Motion: Honorable Jimmy Yellowhair  
Second: Honorable Nathaniel Brown

**Fiscal Year 2023**

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**Branch:** Executive Branch **Division/Office:** Human Resources

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## BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

28 July 2022

Budget Hearing

### VOTE TALLY SHEET:

**Legislation No. 0139-22:** An Action Relating to the Budget and Finance Committee; Approving and Recommending to the Budget and Finance Committee the Fiscal Year 2023 Budget for the Division of Human Resources - Retirement Services, Retirement Funds, and Retirement Plan Administration Committee, and Related Matters, to be included in the Navajo Nation's FY2023 Comprehensive Budget  
*Sponsored by Jamie Henio, Amber Kanazbah Crotty and Nathaniel Brown, Council Delegates*

*Motion: Jimmy Yellowhair*


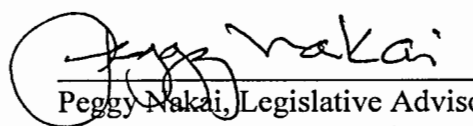
*Second: Nathaniel Brown*

*Vote: 4-0, Chairman not voting*

### Final Vote Tally:

Jamie Henio		
Raymond Smith Jr.	yea	
Elmer P. Begay	yea	
Nathaniel Brown	yea	
Amber K. Crotty		
Jimmy Yellowhair	yea	

*Absent: Amber K. Crotty*

  
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Jamie Henio, Chairman  
Budget & Finance Committee  
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Peggy Nakai, Legislative Advisor  
Budget & Finance Committee