

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET

Tracking No. 0243-18

DATE: June 29, 2018

TITLE OF RESOLUTION: AN ACTION RELATING TO LAW AND ORDER COMMITTEE; APPROVING AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE THE PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2019 BUDGET FOR THE NAVAJO NATION OFFICE OF PUBLIC DEFENDER

PURPOSE: This bill will approve and recommend to the Budget and Finance Committee the proposed Fiscal Year 2019 Budget for the Navajo Nation Office of Public Defender.

This written summary does not address recommended amendments as may be provided by the standing committees. The Office of Legislative Counsel requests each Council Delegate to review each proposed resolution in detail.

PROPOSED STANDING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION
23rd NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL – Fourth Year, 2018

INTRODUCED BY



Herman Daves

(Prime Sponsor)

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BE IT ENACTED:

SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY

- A. The Law and Order Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 600(A).
- B. The Law and Order Committee is the oversight committee for the Navajo Nation Office of Public Defender. 2 N.N.C. § 601(C)(1).
- C. Each oversight committee shall review and make recommendations to the Budget and Finance Committee concerning the budget in accordance with the annual budget instructions. 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).

SECTION TWO. FINDINGS

- A. The Law and Order Committee held a budget hearing and took budget testimony regarding the Navajo Nation Office of Public Defender's Fiscal Year 2019 Budget. 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).

1 B. The Law and Order Committee recommends to the Budget and Finance
2 Committee a fiscal year budget for the Navajo Nation Office of Public Defender.
3 12 N.N.C. § 840 (A).
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5 **SECTION THREE. APPROVING AND RECOMMENDING TO THE BUDGET**
6 **AND FINANCE COMMITTEE THE PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2019 BUDGET**
7 **FOR THE NAVAJO NATION OFFICE OF PUBLIC DEFENDER**
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9 A. The Law and Order Committee hereby acknowledges the proposed Navajo Nation
10 Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 Budget for the Navajo Nation Office of Public Defender
11 recommended by the Office of the Navajo Nation President and Vice President, as
12 provided on the Fund Type Budget Summary, attached as **Exhibit A**.

13 B. The Law and Order Committee requests that the Budget and Finance Committee and
14 the Navajo Nation Council adopt the changes to the Budget, as set forth in the
15 General Fund Comparative Summary, **Exhibit B**, Recommended Changes to the
16 General Fund Budget, **Exhibit C**, Recommended Conditions of Appropriation and
17 Legislative Concerns, **Exhibit D**, and Recommended Unmet Needs, **Exhibit E**.

18 C. The Law and Order Committee authorizes the Committee Chairperson or Vice-
19 Chairperson to meet and negotiate with the Budget and Finance Committee on these
20 recommendations.
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