

**LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY SHEET**  
Tracking No. **0022-22**

**DATE:** January 23, 2022

**TITLE OF RESOLUTION: AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES, LAW AND ORDER, AND NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEES AND THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; AMENDING 2 N.N.C. § 1033 TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM MANAGER TO ADMINISTER THE VETERANS HOUSING PROGRAM**

**PURPOSE:** This resolution, if approved, will amend the Navajo Veteran Housing Program outlined at 2 N.N.C. § 1033. This legislation creates a housing program manager to administer the Navajo Veteran Housing Program.

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

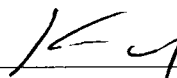
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Naabik'iyáti' Committee  
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Navajo Nation Council

PROPOSED NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL RESOLUTION

24<sup>th</sup> NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL – Fourth Year, 2022

INTRODUCED BY

  
(Prime Sponsor) *Kee Allen Begay Jr.*

TRACKING NO. **0022-22**

AN ACT

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COUNCIL; AMENDING 2 N.N.C. § 1033 TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM  
MANAGER TO ADMINISTER THE VETERANS HOUSING PROGRAM

BE IT ENACTED:

SECTION ONE. AUTHORITIES

- A. The Health, Education and Human Services Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council and has the power to review and recommend resolutions relating to veterans and veteran services. 2 N.N.C. §§ 400(A), 401(B)(6).
- B. The Law and Order Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council and has the power to review and make recommendations to the Navajo Nation Council on proposed amendments to and enactments in the Navajo Nation Code. 2 N.N.C. §§ 600(A), 601(B) (14)
- C. The Naabik'iyáti' Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council and has the power to review proposed legislation which requires final action by the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. §§ 700(A), 164(A)(9).
- D. The Navajo Nation Council is the governing body of the Navajo Nation. 2 N.N.C. § 102(A).

- 1 E. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 1036, amendments made to the Navajo Nation Veterans Act  
2 require a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Navajo Nation Council upon the recommendation  
3 from the Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council.  
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## 5 **SECTION TWO. FINDINGS**

- 6 A. The Navajo Veterans Housing Program was established by Resolution No. CJY-55-18,  
7 under the administration of the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration. 2 N.N.C. § 1033,  
8 as amended by CJY-55-18.
- 9 B. Resolution No. CJY-55-18 further established that the Veterans Housing Program  
10 Policies and Procedures shall be approved by the Health Education and Human Services  
11 Committee upon recommendation of the Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council. 2  
12 N.N.C. § 1033 (C), as amended by Resolution No. CJY-55-18.
- 13 C. Diné veterans have expressed the urgent need to expeditiously construct veteran homes  
14 and are concerned with the lack of progress made while the Veterans Housing Program  
15 is under the day-to-day administration of the Veterans Administration Executive Director  
16 who also oversees the entire Navajo Nation Veterans Administration.
- 17 D. The establishment of a Program Manager for the Veterans Housing Program will allow  
18 the Program to fully focus on building and renovating homes for Diné veterans and  
19 resolving related veterans housing issues.
- 20 E. Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 1036, amendments made to the Navajo Nation Veterans Act  
21 require a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Navajo Nation Council upon the recommendation  
22 from the Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council.
- 23 F. It is in the best interest of Diné veterans and the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration  
24 to establish a Program Manager to administer the Navajo Nation Veterans Housing  
25 Program.  
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## 27 **SECTION THREE. AMENDING 2 N.N.C. § 1033 TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM** 28 **MANAGER TO ADMINISNTER THE NAVAJO NATION VETERANS HOUSING** 29 **PROGRAM**

30 The Navajo Nation hereby amends the Navajo Housing Program as set forth below.

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**Title 2. Navajo Nation Government**

**Chapter 5. Executive Branch**

**Subchapter 1. Generally**

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**Article 3. Navajo Nation Veterans Administration**

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**§ 1033. Navajo Nation Veterans Housing Program**

- A. ~~There is hereby established a Navajo Nation Veterans Housing Program~~ is established within the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration.
- B. The Navajo Nation Veterans Housing Program shall be administered by the Navajo Nation Veterans ~~Administration~~ Housing Program Manager.
- C. Duties and Responsibilities of administering the Navajo Nation Veterans Housing Program shall ~~include administering the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration Housing Program~~ be established in Ppolicies and Pprocedures. ~~The Veterans Administration Housing Program Policies and Procedures shall be~~ as approved and amended by the Health, Education and Human Services Committee, upon the recommendation of the Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council.

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**SECTION FOUR. DIRECTIVES**

- A. The Navajo Nation Veterans Administration shall present a revised Navajo Nation Veterans Administration Plan of Operation, including Organizational Chart, and revised Navajo Nation Veterans Housing Policies that reflect the amendments made herein to the Health Education and Human Services Committee within thirty (30) days of enactment of this legislation.
- B. The Navajo Nation Veterans Administration shall work with the Department of Personnel Management to develop and post a job announcement on the Department of

1 Personnel website for the Navajo Nation Veterans Housing Program Manager position  
2 within forty-five (45) days of enactment of this legislation.  
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4 **SECTION FIVE. EFFECTIVE DATE**

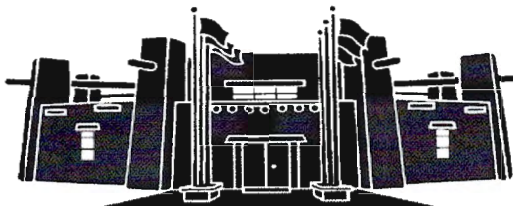
5 This legislation and the Navajo Nation Code amendments enacted herein shall become  
6 effective pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 221(B).  
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8 **SECTION SIX. CODIFICATION**

9 The provisions of this legislation which amend or adopt new sections of the Navajo Nation  
10 Code shall be codified by the Office of Legislative Counsel. The Office of Legislative Counsel  
11 shall incorporate such amended provisions in the next codification of the Navajo Nation Code.  
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13 **SECTION SEVEN. SAVINGS CLAUSE**

14 Should any provisions of this legislation be determined invalid by the Navajo Nation Supreme  
15 Court, or the District Courts of the Navajo Nation, without appeal to the Navajo Nation  
16 Supreme Court, those portions of this legislation which are not determined invalid shall remain  
17 the law of the Navajo Nation.  
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## MEMORANDUM

TO : Kee Allen Begay, Jr., Sponsor  
24<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council

FROM:   
Chad Abeyta, Attorney  
Office of Legislative Counsel

DATE : January 23, 2022

RE : **AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES, LAW AND ORDER, AND NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEES AND THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; AMENDING 2 N.N.C. § 1033 TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM MANAGER TO ADMINISTER THE VETERANS HOUSING PROGRAM**

As requested, I have prepared the above-referenced proposed resolution and associated legislative summary sheet pursuant to your request for legislative drafting. The resolution as drafted is legally sufficient. Regarding substance, as with any legislation, it can be subject to review by the courts in the event of proper challenge. Please ensure that this particular resolution request is precisely what you want.

If you are satisfied with the proposed resolution, please sign it as "sponsor" and submit it to the Office of Legislative Services where it will be given a tracking number and sent to the Office of the Speaker for assignment. If the proposed resolution is unacceptable to you, please contact me at the Office of Legislative Counsel and advise me of the changes you would like made to the proposed resolution. Ahéhee'.

THE NAVAJO NATION  
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INTERNET PUBLIC REVIEW PUBLICATION



LEGISLATION NO: \_0022-22\_

SPONSOR: Kee Allen Begay, Jr.

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***Date posted:*** January 27, 2022 at 6:32PM

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Office of Legislative Services  
P.O. Box 3390  
Window Rock, AZ 86515  
(928) 871-7586

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<b>Comments Supporting</b>	<b>1.) Calvin Charlie 2.) Northern Navajo Veterans' Organization</b>
<b>Comments Opposing</b>	<b>1.) Marie Zwierlein</b>
<b>Comments/Recommendations</b>	<i>None</i>

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**Legislative Tracking Secretary  
Office of Legislative Services**

**February 3, 2022; 9:00 AM**  
**Date/Time**



0022-22

Calvin Charlie <ccharlie4969@gmail.com>

Tue 2/1/2022 1:11 PM

To: comments <comments@navajo-nsn.gov>;

Yá'át'ééh, from TeecNosPos King/Clark CVO we are in favor of the establishment of the Program Manager whose sole duty will be administering the housing program for veterans needing homes. Thus the Manager will devote his/her undivided attention getting homes built for veterans. Áhé'héé  
Calvin Charlie, TeecNosPos CVO cmdr

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## NORTHERN NAVAJO VETERANS' ORGANIZATION

Commander: Elouise Brown

Co-Commander: Vern Lee

Vice Commander: Calvin Charley

Secretary: Vacant

### Resolution of Northern Navajo Veterans Organization

NNVO-02-22

NORTHERN NAVAJO VETERANS' ORGANIZATION SUPPORTS LEGISLATION RELATING TO HEALTH EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES, LAW AND ORDER, AND NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEES AND THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; AMENDING 2 N.N.C. § 1033 TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM MANAGER TO ADMINISTER THE VETERANS HOUSING PROGRAM

#### Whereas:

1. Pursuant to the Navajo Nation Veterans Act, Section One. Findings paragraph D. The purpose of this legislation is to establish a Veterans' administration under the Office of the President and Vice-President, which effectively and efficiently provides outreach, services and benefits to veterans; and

2. Pursuant to the same Act, Section One. Findings paragraph E. The legislation established Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council to recognize veterans and ensure participation in policies and data system development; and

3. Pursuant to the same Act, Section One. Findings paragraph M. There is a need to ensure that Navajo veterans have direct involvement in policy-making decisions regarding veteran's services and benefits; and

4. The **Northern Navajo Veterans Organization** is locally, regionally and Navajo Nation wide recognized to address concerns, issues and advocate for its veterans; and

5. The **Northern Navajo Veterans Organization** supports Navajo Nation Veterans Housing Program be established within the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration with Duties and Responsibilities of establishing Policies and Procedures; and

#### NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

NORTHERN NAVAJO VETERANS' ORGANIZATION SUPPORTS LEGISLATION RELATING TO HEALTH EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES, LAW AND ORDER, AND NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEES AND THE NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL; AMENDING 2 N.N.C. § 1033 TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM MANAGER TO ADMINISTER THE VETERANS HOUSING PROGRAM

#### C-E-R-T-I-F-I-C-A-T-I-O-N

The **Northern Navajo Veterans Organization** Hereby Certifies the Foregoing Resolution that was Considered at a Duly Call Meeting at San Juan College, Farmington, NM and that the same was approved and passed with a vote of 32 in Favor; 1 Opposed and 2 Abstain on the 14th of January 2022.

Motioned: Jerry Todacheenie  
Seconded: Tommy Sandman

  
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Commander, Elouise Brown

# Legislation 22-22

Marie Zwierlein <maz016@hotmail.com>

Mon 1/31/2022 4:56 PM

To: comments <comments@navajo-nsn.gov>;

## Legislation 22-22

1. Since when is it a council members job to decide a Navajo Nation division, program, administration or departments organizational chart.
2. This legislation should be considered outside the realm of council for they are not the entity that decided what positions are needed, this is the job of the program, departments, division, administration who know the job duties, who have to write the PCQ's, the JVA's, and solicited funds for the position.
3. The Veterans housing program is administered by the NNVA thru law, again here is another example of the sponsor not taking the time to learn and understand the process and has not taken the time to sit down with the administration to find out if there is a need for this position. I can tell you there is not. The housing program already has a program supervisor which in this case will suffice.
4. Please tell the sponsor to make the effort to get informed before wasting your time on frivolous legislations and vote No to this and any other legislations that involve Veterans.

Marie Zwierlein

USMC Veterans/ Eastern Agency

maz016@hotmail.com

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**SPONSOR: Honorable Kee Allen Begay Jr.**

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**Posted: January 27, 2022 at 6:32 PM**

**5 DAY Comment Period Ended: February 1, 2022**

**Digital Comments received:**

<b>Comments Supporting</b>	<b>1.) Freda Johnson</b>
<b>Comments Opposing</b>	<i>None</i>
<b>Comments/Recommendations</b>	<i>None</i>

*VSRedhorse*

**Legislative Tracking Secretary  
Office of Legislative Services**

**February 9, 2022; 3:00 PM**

**Date/Time**

# LEGISLATION NO: 0022-22 Comments

Johnson, Freda <fj588120@ohio.edu>

Mon 2/7/2022 12:54 PM

To: comments <comments@navajo-nsn.gov>;

Yatahey 24<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council

I am submitting my comment to support Delegate Kee Allen Begaye Jr. as he recently sponsored - Legislation 0022-22 to support Navajo Veterans. I support this as the Housing Program for the Navajo Nation Veterans has failed and desperately needs accountability. This program has failed the Navajo Nation Veterans by neglecting Veteran needs. Studies have shown that Veterans in rural settings are being neglected. As the pandemic wages on, Navajo Veterans needs to be supported. This Housing Program needs to be administered properly with the support from Navajo Veterans.

We have an obligation to our Navajo Veterans. Sadly, many who were on the original list of needing homes have likely deceased. I have a positive outlook for the Navajo Veterans program, and I hope to see it thrive.

Freda Johnson  
Navajo Veteran

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<b>Comments Supporting</b>	<b>1) Nazlini Chapter Government</b>
<b>Comments Opposing</b>	<i>None</i>
<b>Comments/Recommendations</b>	<i>None</i>

  
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**Legislative Tracking Secretary  
Office of Legislative Services**

**February 24, 2022; 5:44 PM**  
**Date/Time**





# NAZLINI CHAPTER GOVERNMENT



LEE V. BIGWATER  
CHAPTER PRESIDENT

JOSEPH DEDMAN  
CHAPTER VICE-PRESIDENT

JOANN DEDMAN  
SECRETARY/TREASURER

KEE ALLEN BEGAY, JR.  
COUNCIL DELEGATE

IRVIN SHIRLEY  
GRAZING REPRESENTATIVE

## NAZLINI CHAPTER RESOLUTION NAZL-FEB-22-027

### SUPPORTING VETERANS RELATED LEGISLATIONS 0021-22, 0022-22 AND 0024-22 SPONSORED BY HONORABLE KEE ALLEN BEGAY JR. OF THE 24<sup>TH</sup> NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

#### WHEREAS:

- 1) Pursuant to N.N.C., Title 26, Section 101, and the Navajo Nation Council Resources and Development Committee Legislation #RDCF-0052-15 dated February 17, 2015, Nazlini Chapter Government was recognized as an LGA Certified Chapter and delegated with the responsibility and authority to make decisions over local chapter matters; AND
- 2) Honorable Kee Allen Begay Jr., 24<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council Delegate is sponsoring three (3) Navajo Veterans related legislations as follows; AND

0021-22	An Act relating to Health, Education and Human Services, Law and Order and Naabikiyati Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending the Selection Process for the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration Executive Director: and amending 2 N.N.C. §§ 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036 relating to the Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council.
0022-22	An Act relating to Health, Education and Human Services, Law and Order and Naabikiyati Committees and the Navajo Nation Council: Amending 2 N.N.C. § 1033 to establish a program manager to administer the Veterans Housing Program.
0024-22	An Action relating to the resources and Development, Health, Education and Human Services, Budget and Finance, Law and Order and Naabikiyati Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending the Navajo Nation Veterans Trust Fund at 12 N.N.C. § 1176 to create separate business unit numbers when funding Navajo Veterans Organizations.

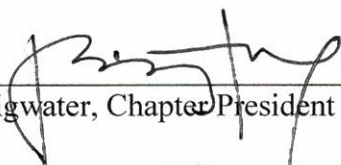
- 3) Nazlini Chapter supports Honorable Kee Allen Begay Jr.'s efforts to amend Navajo Nation laws that will benefit our Navajo Veterans and the services they are entitled to.

#### NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:


- 1) The Nazlini Chapter hereby supports Navajo Veterans related legislations 0021-22, 0022-22 and 0024-22 sponsored by Honorable Kee Allen Begay Jr. of the 24<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council.

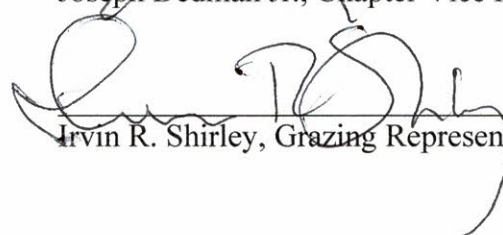
### CERTIFICATION

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered and moved for adoption by Leo Mann Jr., seconded by Irvin R. Shirley and passed by a vote of 8 in favor, 0 opposed, 1 abstained, this 16th day of February 2022.

  
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Lee V. Bigwater, Chapter President

  
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JoAnn Dedman, Chapter Secretary/Treasurer

  
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Joseph Dedman Jr., Chapter Vice President

  
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Irvin R. Shirley, Grazing Representative



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**5 DAY Comment Period Ended: February 1, 2022**

**Digital Comments received:**

<b>Comments Supporting</b>	<b>1) Fort Defiance Agency Veterans' Organization</b>
<b>Comments Opposing</b>	<i>None</i>
<b>Comments/Recommendations</b>	<i>None</i>

  
**Legislative Tracking Secretary  
Office of Legislative Services**

**April 22, 2022; 10:25 AM**  
**Date/Time**



**FORT DEFIANCE AGENCY VETERANS' ORGANIZATION  
AGENCY MEETING**

**P.O. Box 430**

**Window Rock, Arizona, 86515**

**Commander: Olin T. Kleyoomla**

**Vice Commander: Cassandra Morgan**

**Secretary: Lionel Allen**

**Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council Representative: Linda Roanhorse- Onesalt**

**RESOLUTION**

**Supporting Legislation 0022-22; An Act Relating To Health Education And Human Services, Law And Order, And Naabik'iyati Committees And The Navajo Nation Council; Amending 2 N.N.C. §1033 To Establish A Program Manager To Administer The Veterans Housing Program.**

**FDAVO-02-22-02**

**WHEREAS:**

1. Pursuant to The Navajo Nation Veterans Act; Title II, Section One (E,I,M,N,O,R,T); SS 1032 (B-5,9,10), The Ft. Defiance Agency Veterans Organization is duly recognized by the Navajo Nation through resolution of the Veterans Agency; and
2. Pursuant to Navajo Nation Council Resolution CMA-25-71; The Navajo Veterans were recognized and a Navajo Nation Veterans Administration was established under the Executive Branch of the Navajo Nation Government- Office of the President and Vice President of the Navajo Nation; and
3. The Ft. Defiance Agency Veterans Organization is duly recognized by the Navajo Nation with a Plan of Operation to address the issues, concerns and advocate for all Navajo Veterans; and
4. The Ft. Defiance Agency Veterans Organization recognizes and acknowledges that it is entrusted to strive toward unification of all Navajo Nation Veterans and Local Leadership to provide leadership and coordinate with the needs of the veterans; and
5. In 1942, the Navajo Nation Council passed a resolution to aid and defend the United States against all subversive and assisted in the United States Selective Services Board to draft the eligible Navajo to serve in the United States Armed Services and reaffirm allegiance to the United States and expression of patriotism; and
6. The Ft. Defiance Agency Veterans Organization recognizes, understands and acknowledges the need for these changes to happen and to be established in order for the Navajo Nation Veterans Housing Program to function appropriately, and
7. The Ft. Defiance Agency Veterans Organization recognizes, understands and acknowledges that the current housing system and positions are not adequate and are NOT functioning properly; and
8. The Ft. Defiance Agency Veterans Organization recognizes, understands and acknowledges the need for housing and construction to start in order for the Navajo Veterans to be served; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

1. The Ft. Defiance Agency Veterans Legislation 0022-22; An Act Relating To Health Education And Human Services, Law And Order, And Naabik'iyati Committees And The Navajo Nation Council; Amending 2 N.N.C. §1033 To Establish A Program Manger To Administer The Veterans Housing Program.



**FORT DEFIANCE AGENCY VETERANS' ORGANIZATION  
AGENCY MEETING**

**P.O. Box 430**

**Window Rock, Arizona, 86515**

**Commander: Olin T. Kleyoomia      Vice Commander: Cassandra Morgan      Secretary: Lionel Allen  
Navajo Nation Veterans Advisory Council Representative: Linda Roanhorse- Onesalt**

2. This resolution, if approved, will amend the Navajo Nation Veterans Hosing Program outlined at 2 N.N.C. §1033. This legislation creates a housing program manager to administer the Navajo Veteran Housing Program.
3. That all Navajo Nation Veterans that are incomplete be categorized as top priority and be finished, as well as home that were not adequately built or completed; and
4. All (26) Chapter Veteran Organizations were educated, informed, provided afforded time to discuss and debate and implement resolutions of support and or opposition.

**C-E-R-T-I-F-I-C-A-T-I-O-N**

The Ft. Defiance Agency Veterans Hereby Certifies the Foregoing Resolution, that was Considered at a Regular Duly Called Meeting in Nahata Dzill, Arizona (Navajo Nation) and that same was approved and passed with a vote of 37 in Favor; 00 Opposed and 00 Abstain on the 02<sup>ND</sup> day of **FEBRUARY 2022**.

**Motioned: Lorenzo Lee, Dilkon**

**Seconded: Samuel Joe, Klageto**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Olin T. Kleyoomia", written over a horizontal line.

**Olin T. Kleyoomia- Commander  
Ft. Defiance Agency Veterans Organization**

**HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE  
24<sup>TH</sup> NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL**

**FOURTH YEAR 2022**

**COMMITTEE REPORT**

Mr. Speaker,

The **HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE** to whom has been assigned:

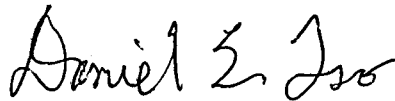
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**Sponsor:** Council Delegate Kee Allen Begay, Jr.

Has had it under consideration and reports the same with the recommendation that it **DO PASS with no amendment.**

And thence is referred to the Law and Order Committee.

Respectfully submitted,



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Daniel E. Tso, Chairman  
Health, Education and Human Services Committee  
24<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council

Date: May 18, 2022

Main Motion:

Motion: Honorable Carl R. Slater

Second: Honorable Edison J. Wauneka

Vote: 3-0-0

## HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

Regular Meeting  
May 18, 2022

**Legislation # 0022-22:** An Act Relating to Health, Education and Human Services, Law and Order, and Naabik'iyáti' Committees and the Navajo Nation Council; Amending 2 N.N.C. §1033 to Establish a Program Manager to Administer the Veterans Housing Program

**Sponsor:** Council Delegate Kee Allen Begay, Jr.

### VOTE TALLY SHEET:

Main Motion:

Motion: Honorable Carl R. Slater

Second: Honorable Edison J. Wauneka

Yea: Carl R. Slater; Charlaine Tso; Edison J. Wauneka

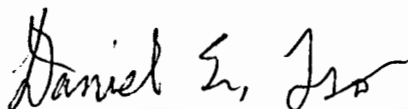
Nay:

Not Voting: Daniel E. Tso (Presiding Chairman); Paul Begay, Jr.; Pernell Halona

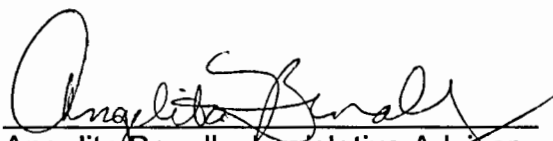
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Absent:

Vote: 3-0-0



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