

RESOLUTION OF THE
NAABIK'ÍYATI' COMMITTEE OF THE
NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL

23RD Navajo Nation Council -- Second Year, 2016

AN ACTION

RELATING TO HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES AND NAABIK'ÍYATI'; SUPPORTING STATE OF NEW MEXICO HOUSE BILL 109, "AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO FUND COUNTY AND TRIBAL HEALTH COUNCILS' EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY AND ADDRESS LOCAL COMMUNITIES' HEALTH NEEDS"

WHEREAS:

- A. The Navajo Nation established the Health, Education and Human Services Committee (HEHSC) as a Navajo Nation Council standing committee and as such empowered HEHSC to review and recommend resolutions regarding certain matters, including health, education and social services. 2 N.N.C. §§ 164 (A)(9), 400 (A), 401 (B)(6)(a) (2012); see also CO-45-12.
- B. The Navajo Nation established the Naabik'íyati' Committee as a Navajo Nation Council standing committee and as such empowered Naabik'íyati' Committee to coordinate all state programs, including those of the state of Arizona. 2 N.N.C. §§ 164 (A)(9), 700 (A), 701 (A)(4) (2012); see also CO-45-12.
- C. House Bill 109 is introduced in the legislature of the state of New Mexico. This bill is entitled "AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO FUND COUNTY AND TRIBAL HEALTH COUNCILS' EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY AND ADDRESS LOCAL COMMUNITIES' HEALTH NEEDS." See attached Exhibit "A."
- D. Health is a major issue on the Navajo Nation. It is in the best interest of the Navajo Nation to support state of New Mexico Senate Bill 46.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Navajo Nation hereby supports state of New Mexico House Bill 109 entitled "AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO FUND COUNTY AND TRIBAL HEALTH COUNCILS' EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY AND ADDRESS LOCAL COMMUNITIES' HEALTH NEEDS."

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Naabik'íyáti' Committee of the 23rd 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 11 in favor and 0 oppose, this 11th Day of February, 2016.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "LoRenzo Bates", with a large, stylized initial "L" and "B".

Honorable LoRenzo Bates, Chairperson
Naabik'íyáti' Committee

Motion: Walter Phelps
Second: Norman M. Begay

(Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. §700 (D), Two members from each committee)

NAVAJO NATION

RCS# 304

Naa'bik'iyati Committee

2/11/2016

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Legislation No. 0029-16

PASSED

MOT Phelps

Supporting State of NM House

SEC Begay, NM

Bill 109, "An Act Making Approp
to Dept of Health to Fund County

Yea : 11

Nay : 0

Not Voting : 13

Yea : 11

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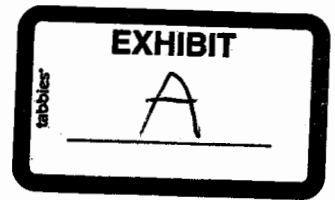
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HOUSE BILL 109

52ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2016

INTRODUCED BY

Sharon Clahchischilliage

AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO FUND
COUNTY AND TRIBAL HEALTH COUNCILS' EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY AND
ADDRESS LOCAL COMMUNITIES' HEALTH NEEDS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--Seven hundred thousand dollars
(\$700,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
department of health for expenditure in fiscal year 2017 to
fund county and tribal health councils' identification of local
communities' health needs and development of strategies to
address those needs pursuant to the Maternal and Child Health
Plan Act. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at
the end of fiscal year 2017 shall revert to the general fund.
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