

RESOLUTION OF THE
NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' STANDING COMMITTEE
24th NAVAJO NATION COUNCIL -- Fourth Year, 2022

AN ACTION RELATING TO THE NAABIK'ÍYÁTI' COMMITTEE; EXPRESSING GRATITUDE AND APPRECIATION TO THE NAVAJO AREA INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE MEDICAL SERVICE PROVIDERS; AND APPRECIATING ALL FRONT LINE AND ESSENTIAL WORKERS FOR THEIR VALOR, COMMITMENT, AND CONTINUED SERVICE TO THE NAVAJO NATION

WHEREAS:

- A. The Naabik'íyáti' Committee is a standing committee of the Navajo Nation Council. 2 N.N.C. § 700(A).
- B. On January 30, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the Coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak a Public Health Emergency of International Concern. Thereafter, on March 11, 2020, the Navajo Nation declared a Public Health State of Emergency in response to the rampant spread of the COVID-19 disease around the world and in the United States. See CEM-20-03-11.
- C. Since declaring the Public Health State of Emergency, the Navajo Nation government immediately responded and continues to mitigate the spread of the COVID-19 disease by implementing policies, public health orders, support services, medical services, and financial assistance to the Navajo people.
- D. The Navajo Nation recognizes that families throughout the Navajo Nation have experienced or are experiencing the negative effects of COVID-19. It is with a heavy heart to know that many family members have passed away from the COVID-19 disease and understands that family members continue to grieve. Many tribal members have also recovered and continue to recover from the effects of the COVID-19 disease.
- E. The Navajo Nation recognizes the tireless effort and commitment from Navajo Area Indian Health Service medical service providers, front line, and essential workers for their sacrifices each day in combating the COVID-19 disease.
- F. The Navajo Nation appreciates all the hard work from health care professionals including front line and essential workers in providing care and comfort to our Navajo people and their families during this unprecedented time.

G. The Navajo Nation also recognizes the high-stress and the shortages of health care workers throughout the Navajo Nation and is grateful for those who continue to provide service under these conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED

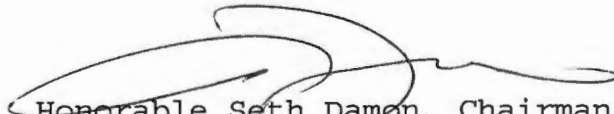
The Navajo Nation hereby expresses its gratitude and appreciation to the Navajo Area Indian Health Service medical service providers and all front line and essential workers for their valor, commitment, and continued service to the Navajo Nation.

T'áá íiyisíí ahéhee' nitsxaago nihi azee'ííł'íní jí' ndaálnishaígíí áádóó nihíká análwoiígí Diné bikéyah bihádzoígí. Ayóó nihil'íłí áádóó baa ahééh adlı́.

(Thank you very much to the health care workers and for providing services to the Navajo Nation. It means a lot to us and we appreciate it.)

CERTIFICATION

I, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Naabik'íyáti' Committee of the 24th 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 20 in Favor, and 00 Opposed, on this 10th day of March 2022.


Honorable Seth Damon, Chairman
Naabik'íyáti' Committee
March 11, 2022
Date

Motion: Honorable Eugenia Charles-Newton
Second: Honorable Nathaniel Brown

Chairman Seth Damon not voting

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Naa'bik'iyati' Committee Regular Meeting

3/10/2022

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Amd# to Amd#	New Business - (CONSENT AGENDA)
MOT Charles-Newton	Legislations: 0026-22, 0025-22
SEC Brown	0037-22 ,0039-22, & 0044-22

PASSED

Yeas : 20

Nays : 0

Excused : 1

Not Voting : 2

Yea : 20

Begay, K	Daniels	Slater, C	Tso, O
Begay, P	Freeland, M	Smith	Walker, T
Brown	Halona, P	Stewart, W	Wauneka, E
Charles-Newton	Henio, J	Tso, D	Yazzie
Crotty	James, V	Tso, E	Yellowhair

Nay : 0

Excused : 1

Nez, R

Not Voting : 2

Tso, C

Begay, E

Presiding Speaker: Damon