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CO-06-044-24

RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER

AMENDING AND APPROVING THE FISCAL YEAR 2024 "UNHEALTHY FOOD TAX" BUDGET IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25,810.00

WHEREAS:

1. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 3 (A), the Coppermine Chapter is a duly recognized and certified chapter of the Navajo Nation Government; as listed at 11 N.N.C., Part 1, Section 10, and
2. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 1 (B), Coppermine Chapter is vested with the authority to review all matters affecting the Coppermine community and to make appropriate correction when necessary and make recommendations to the Navajo Nation and other local agencies for appropriate actions; and
3. The Fiscal Year 2024 "Unhealthy Food Tax" Fund will be used for Coppermine Chapter operation and activities to benefit Coppermine Community membership; and
4. The Coppermine Chapter approves the budgets ("Unhealthy Food Tax") in the best interest for the Coppermine Community. Listed below:

Unhealthy Food Tax	25,810.00
Grand Total Amount	25,810.00

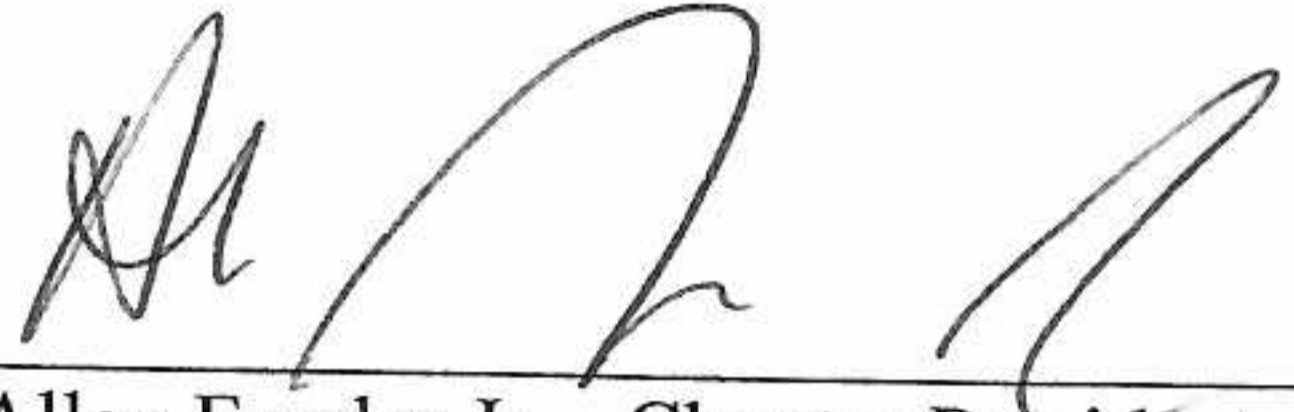
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Coppermine Chapter hereby approves and adopts the amended Fiscal Year 2024 "Unhealthy Food Tax" Budgets in the amount of \$25,810.00. Reference Exhibit 'A' – Resolution number CO-06-044-24 and Exhibit 'B' – Navajo Nation Budget Forms 1 through 6 as attachments.

CERTIFICATION

We, hereby, certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Coppermine Chapter at a duly called meeting at Coppermine Chapter (Navajo Nation), Arizona where a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of 28 in favor, 00 opposed and 07 abstained this 17th day of June 2024.

Motioned by: Floyd Stevens Seconded by: Cynthia Slim



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RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER OF THE NAVAJO NATION

APPROVING AND SUPPORTING THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER PARTNERSHIP WITH DIGDEEP. THE PARTNERSHIP WITH DIGDEEP WILL ALLOW FOR TO ASSIST THE COMMUNITY WITH ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY TO HOMES THAT DO NOT HAVE WATER INFRASTRUCTURE.

WHEREAS:

1. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 3, and 11 N.N.C., Section 10 the Coppermine Chapter is a duly recognized and certified chapter of the Navajo Nation Government; and
2. Pursuant to the Title 26, N.N.C., Section 1 (B), The Coppermine Chapter is vested with the governmental authority to review all matters affecting the community and to make appropriate correction when necessary and make recommendation to the Navajo Nation and other local agencies for appropriate actions; and
3. Pursuant to the Title 26, N.N.C., Chapter 1, Navajo Nation Chapter, Section 1, Amendment (B) (1) (2), the Navajo Nation Council delegated to Chapter governmental authority with respect to local matters to make decisions to govern with respect to local matters to make decisions to govern with responsibility and accountability to the community membership; and
4. The Coppermine Chapter is concerned with the continuous drought conditions affecting and impacting the community that has caused a depletion of resources such as water resources; and
5. The Coppermine Chapter recognizes the need for adequate water supply for families who continue to live without hot and cold water in their homes. The Chapter also recognizes the need to ensure the safety, health and well-being of the community is met. Especially during the coronavirus pandemic.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

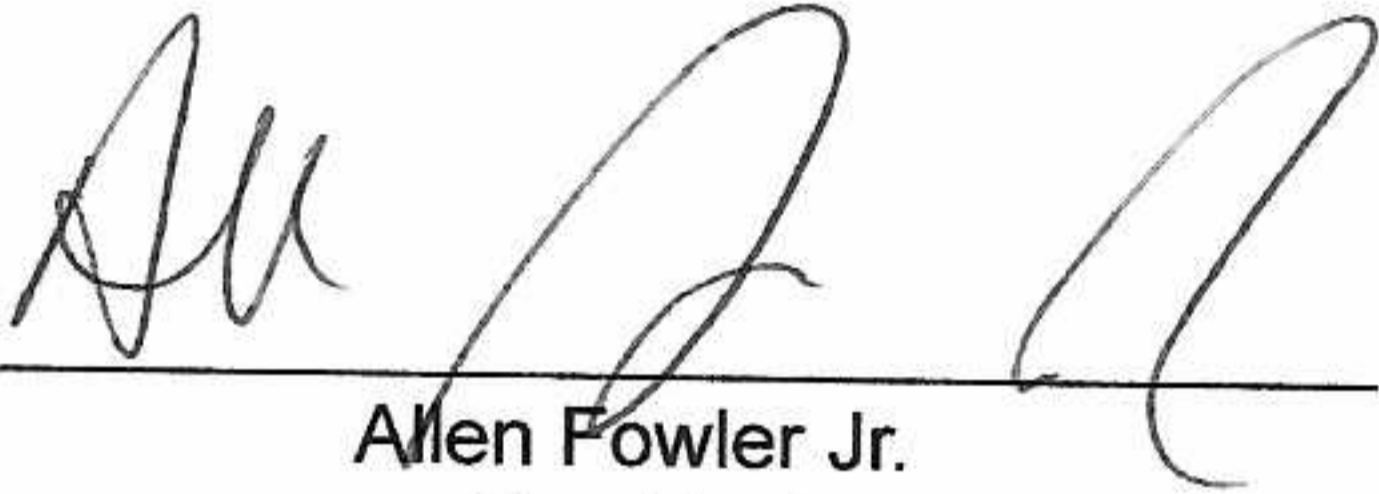
1. The Coppermine Chapter hereby approves and supports the Coppermine Chapter in partnership with DigDeep Right to Water Project. The project will consist of cistern system installments and training on the system with the homeowners. The 1200 gallons cistern tank will be refilled once a month, by DigDeep.,
2. The Coppermine Chapter will assist DigDeep Right to Water Project by providing names of individuals who will be served. This could be done by a Chapter Resolution or a letter.
3. The Dilkon DigDeep, Project Manager will provide quarterly reports to the Coppermine Chapter.

CERTIFICATION

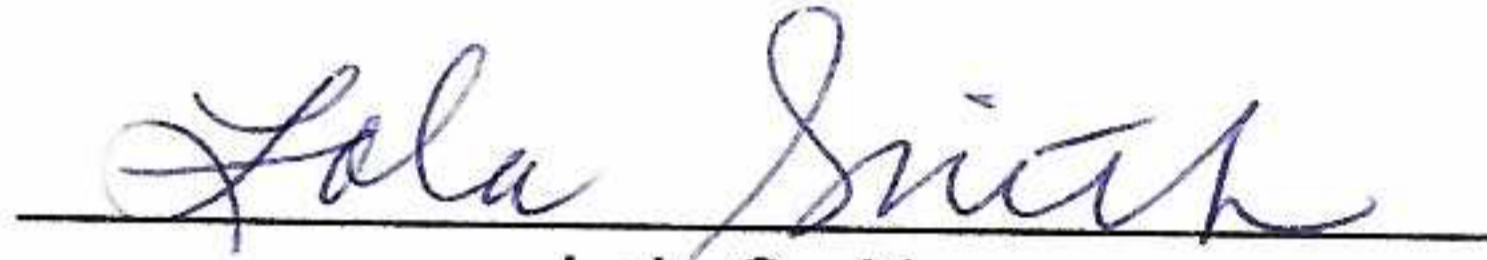
We, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered at a duly-called meeting of the Coppermine Chapter, Coppermine (Navajo Nation), Arizona, at which a quorum was present and the same was passed by a vote of 26 in favor, 00 opposed, 16 abstained on this 17th day of June, 2024.

Motioned by: Debra Saliego

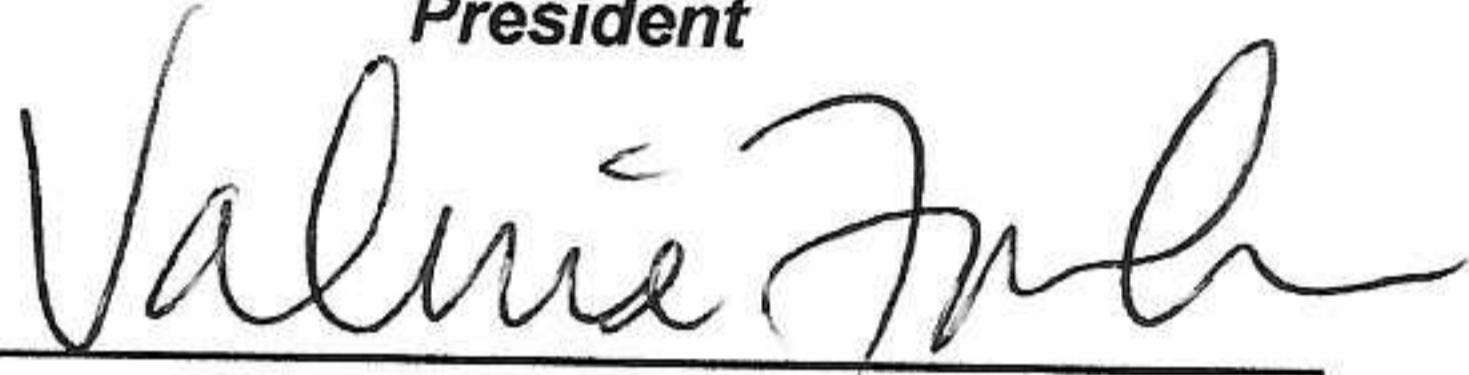
Seconded by: Lee Clizzie



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CO-06-046-24

RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER

AUTHORIZING THE APPROVAL OF THE CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP GENERAL FUND FOR THE FOLLOWING TWO (2) PART TIME STUDENTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$250.00 EACH UTILIZING THE SCHOLARSHIP GENERAL FUND ACCOUNT 13:6721

WHEREAS:

1. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 3 and 11 N.N.C., Section 10, the Coppermine Chapter duly recognized and certified chapter of the Navajo Nation Government; and
2. Pursuant to 26, N.N.C., Chapter 1, the Navajo Nation Chapters, Section 1, Amendment, (B) (1) (2), the Navajo Nation Council delegates to Chapter government authority with respect to local matter consistent with Navajo Law, including custom and tradition allows chapter to make decisions to govern with responsibility and accountability to community membership: and
3. Navajo Tribal Council CJ-21-21-53 established the Navajo Higher Education Scholarship Fund and provide for its Administration through the Advisory Committee of Navajo Tribal Council Resolution ACA-63-53 which adopted the rules and regulations for the operation of the funds: and
4. The Coppermine Chapter has established so that each student requesting chapter scholarship financial assistance will be given in the amount of \$500.00 from the Chapter Scholarship Fund for financial assistance: and
5. Each student will be required to fill out the Chapter Scholarship Application and follow its guidelines and stipulation which requires students to turn in their official final grades before a check is issued out: and
6. The following students has completed the Chapter Scholarship Application and is eligible to receive Financial Assistance Chapter General Scholarship:

Name of Student:

Rochelle Curley
Hunter Martin

Name of School:

Rio Salado College
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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

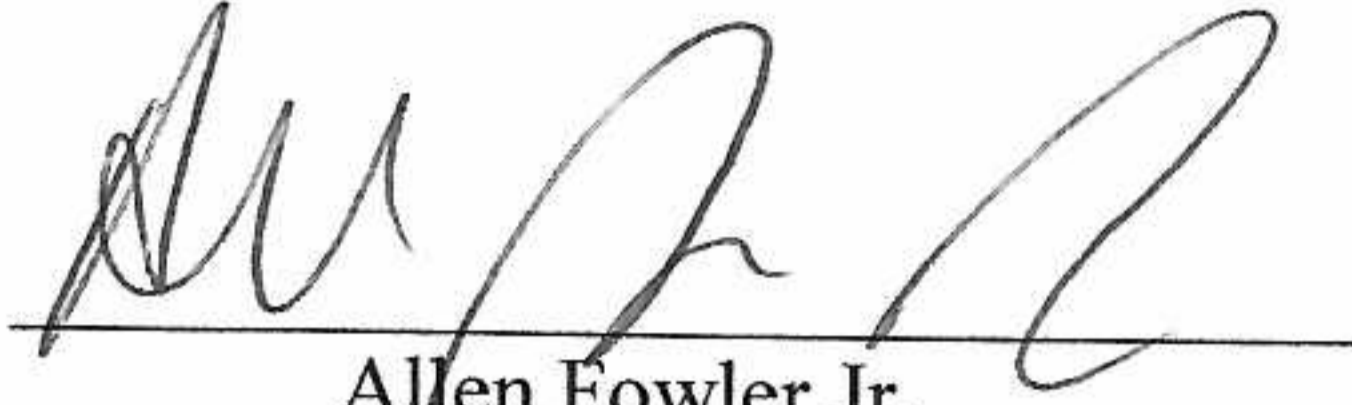
The Coppermine Chapter hereby, authorizes and approves the Chapter General Activity Fund Scholarship Assistance to Two (2) part-time students listed above in the amount of \$250.00 each utilizing Account 13:6721

CERTIFICATION

We, hereby, certify that the foregoing resolution was considered at a duly-called meeting of the Coppermine Chapter, Navajo Nation, (Arizona) at which a quorum was present and the same was passed by a vote of 35 in favor 00 opposed, 00 abstained on this 17th day of June 2024.

Motioned by: Roger Curley

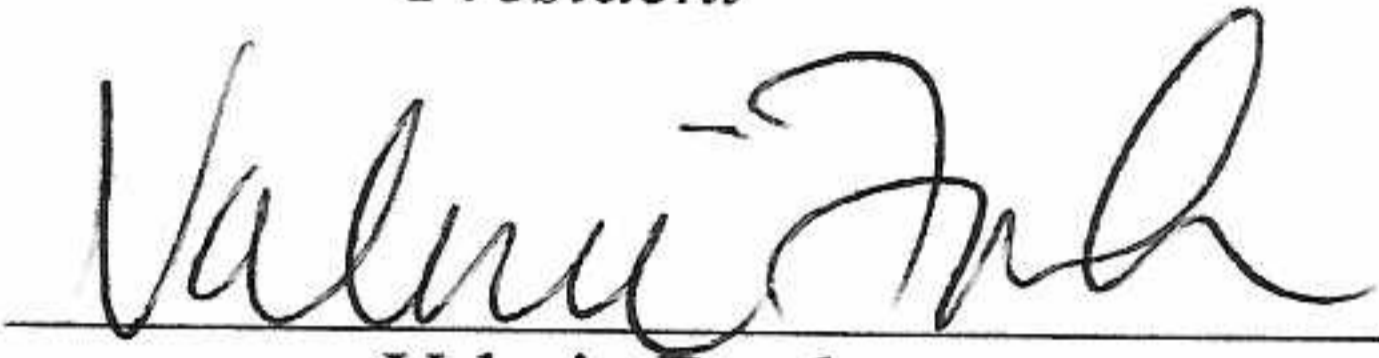
Seconded by: Debra Saliego



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RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER OF THE NAVAJO NATION

THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER SUPPORTS AND ENDORSES THE SUBMISSION OF FIVE (5) QUALIFIED COMMUNITY MEMBERS TO THE NAVAJO HOPI LAND COMMISSION OFFICE FOR EVALUATION FOR ELIGIBILITY IN THEIR ARPA AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROGRAM

WHEREAS:

1. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 3, and 11 N.N.C., Section 10 the Coppermine Chapter is a duly recognized and certified chapter of the Navajo Nation Government; and
2. Pursuant to the Title 26, N.N.C., Section 1 (B), The Coppermine Chapter is vested with the governmental authority to review all matters affecting the community and to make appropriate correction when necessary and make recommendation to the Navajo Nation and other local agencies for appropriate actions; and
3. Pursuant to the Title 26, N.N.C., Chapter 1, Navajo Nation Chapter, Section 1, Amendment (B) (1) (2), the Navajo Nation Council delegated to Chapter governmental authority with respect to local matters to make decisions to govern with respect to local matters to make decisions to govern with responsibility and accountability to the community membership; and
4. The Coppermine Chapter recognizes the need for housing due to the Former Bennett Freeze Area being restricted to build or repair homes; and
5. The Navajo Hopi Land Commission Office is requesting for five (5) qualified community members to address families in need of homes that are dilapidated or not financially viable due to the effects of COVID-19; and
6. The Navajo Hopi Land Commission Office will conduct evaluations to assess eligibility and prioritize accordingly; and
7. The five (5) eligible community members will need to provide the following documents for their evaluation: a certified and sign finalized homesite lease, along with a Coppermine Chapter Voter's Registration card; and
8. The Coppermine Chapter will adhere to the Navajo Nation Privacy Act NNC Title 2 §85(1) which safeguards client confidentiality and prohibits sharing or disclosing information to the public without the client's consent.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Coppermine Chapter hereby Supports and Endorses the Submission of Five (5) Qualified Community Members to the Navajo Hopi Land Commission Office for Evaluation for Eligibility in their ARPA Affordable Housing Program.

CERTIFICATION


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Motioned by: Roger Curley

Seconded by: Debra Saliego



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RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER NAVAJO ELECTION ADMINISTRATION Poll Official Recommendation

At a duly called meeting at Coppermine Chapter, this 17th day of June, the chapter recommended the following names of individuals pursuant to 11 NNC Section 328.

1. Chief Poll Judge

Name: _____
Address: _____

Census: # _____
Telephone: # _____

2. Poll Judge

Name: Katie Jones
Address: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Census: # [REDACTED]
Telephone: # [REDACTED]

3. Poll Judge

Name: Helena Stevens
Address: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Census: # [REDACTED]
Telephone: # [REDACTED]

CERTIFICATION

We, hereby, certify that these individuals meet all qualifications set forth in the Poll Official Manual.

Motioned by: Katy Jones

Seconded by: Lula Tsinnijinnie

[Signature]
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RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER OF THE NAVAJO NATION

IN THE MATTER CEASE-AND-DESIST ORDER ON THE ANY FURTHER PLANS OR ACTION BY RYE DEVELOPMENT, LLC. ON THE PROPOSED PUMP STORAGE #2 PROJECT NO. 15315 DEVELOPMENT

WHEREAS:

1. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 3, and 11 N.N.C., Section 10 the Coppermine Chapter is a duly recognized and certified chapter of the Navajo Nation Government; and
2. Pursuant to the Title 26, N.N.C., Section 1 (B), The Coppermine Chapter is vested with the governmental authority to review all matters affecting the community and to make appropriate correction when necessary and make recommendation to the Navajo Nation and other local agencies for appropriate actions; and
3. Pursuant to the Title 26, N.N.C., Chapter 1, Navajo Nation Chapter, Section 1, Amendment (B) (1) (2), the Navajo Nation Council delegated to Chapter governmental authority with respect to local matters to make decisions to govern with respect to local matters to make decisions to govern with responsibility and accountability to the community membership; and
4. Rye Development, LLC. filed a preliminary Permit Application to assess the feasibility of their proposed Pumped Storage Project #2, Project No. 15315 with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) on June 9, 2023; and
5. The project is located on the borders of Coppermine and Bodaway – Gap Chapters along the Echo Cliffs; and
6. An issuance of public notice for public comments and intervention was made but some were strongly opposed in denying the permit application through Resolution CO-02-024-24 dated February 22, 2024; and
7. Many of cited reasons for FERC's and others comments are mutual such as adverse impacts. Pending water rights, environmental effects on wildlife, plant, and aquatic resources, government-to-government relationships, interests, and concerns; and
8. Other reasons cited were grazing lands loss, cultural, archeological, and historical preservation; and
9. Local residents of the area feel insulted by the lack of consultation, consent, and input by tribal departments and Rye Development.
10. For these reasons, Coppermine Chapter implores a cease – and – desist order on any further plans and actions on the proposed development.

NOW, THEREFORE BE RESOLVED THAT:


Coppermine Chapter hereby implores a cease – and – desist order on any further plans or actions on the proposed Pump Storage #2 Project No. 15315 development.

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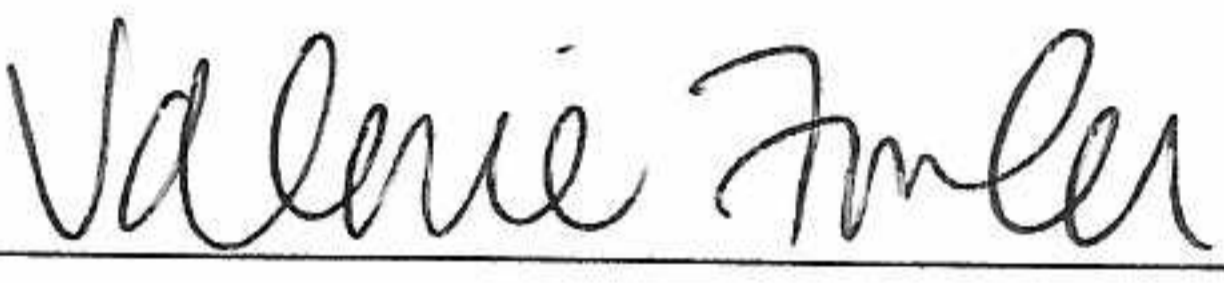
We, hereby, certify the foregoing resolution was considered at a duly called Chapter Meeting at Coppermine Chapter, Navajo Nation (Arizona) at which a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of 33 in favor 00 opposed and 16 abstained, this 17th day of June 2024.

Motion by: Alex Whitehair

Second by: Sherry Stevens


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Honorable Council Delegate – Helena Nez-Begay