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CO-10-001-22

RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER

AMENDING AND APPROVING THE FY 2022 OPERATING BUDGET ALLOCATION IN THE AMOUNT OF TWO HUNDRED FORTY-SIX THOUSAND EIGHTY-SEVEN DOLLARS (\$246,087.00) APPROPRIATION FOR COPPERMINE CHAPTER ADMINISTRATION, PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES.

WHEREAS:

1. The Coppermine Chapter is a duly recognized and certified Chapter of the Navajo Nation government, pursuant to 26 NNC Section 3, 11 N.N.C., Part 1, Section 10; and
2. Pursuant to the title 26, N.N.C., Section 1 (B), The Coppermine Chapter is vested 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. The Navajo Nation Appropriations Act, 12 N.N.C, §§ 800 *et seq.*, is the primary Navajo Nation law which authorized the process of developing and implementing the annual Navajo Nation comprehensive budget. The Appropriations Act states that the Navajo Nation government has a fiduciary responsibility to:
 - Account for public funds.
 - Manage finances wisely.
 - Plan for the adequate funding of services desired by the Navajo people, including the provision And Maintenance of public facilities.
4. All proposed expenditures of Chapter funds must be contained in a duly-approved Chapter Budget and expended pursuant to the Chapter's written Policies and Procedures and consistent with applicable Navajo Nation law: and
5. Below is the SUMMARY OF BUDGET for the Chapter Budget which will be incorporated into FY 2022 operating Budget with the approval of the Annual Navajo Nation Budget by the Navajo Nation Council.

EXHIBIT A;

AMOUNT

CHAPTER PERSONNEL AND FRINGE BENEFITS	\$ 92,387.00
CHAPTER NON-ADMINISTRATIVE COST	\$ 99,652.00
STIPENDS	\$ 33,078.00
GENERAL LIABILITY CHAPTER PERSONNEL	\$ 231.00
GWA	\$ 2,755.00
SPECIAL REVENUE	\$ 17,288.00
WORKER'S COM CHAPTER OFFICIALS	\$ 232.00
WORKER'S COMP CHAPTER PERSONNEL	\$ 464.00
Total:	\$ 246,087.00

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

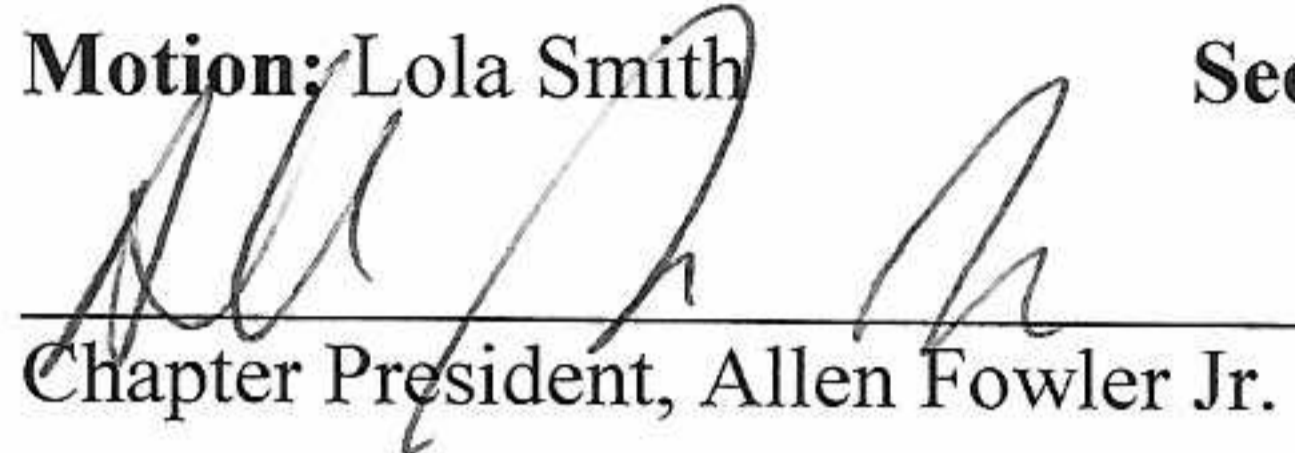
The Coppermine Chapter hereby approves the Fiscal Year 2022 General Fund Appropriation Funding by the Navajo Nation Council from the General Fund Revenue Projection Funding in the amount of Two Hundred Forty-Six Thousand Eighty-Seven Dollars (246,087.00) Appropriation for FY 2022 Coppermine Chapter General Fund Allocation.

CERTIFICATION

We, hereby, Certify that the foregoing Resolution was considered at a duly call Chapter Meeting at Coppermine Chapter, Navajo Nation (Arizona) where a quorum was present and that same was passed by A vote of 4 in favor 0 opposed and 0 Abstained this 28th day of October, 2021.

Motion: Lola Smith

Second: Stanford Fowler


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CO-10-002-22

RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER

APPROVING AND AMENDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2021 COPPERMINE CHAPTER CARRYOVER FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$599,004.14 FOR COPPERMINE CHAPTER AS THE CARRYOVER BUDGET FOR FY 2022.

WHEREAS:

1. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 3(A), and 11 N.N.C., Section 10, The Coppermine Chapter is 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 Title 26, N.N.C., Section 1 (B), The Coppermine Chapter is vested the governmental authority to review all matters affecting the community ant to make appropriate correction when necessary and make recommendation to the Navajo Nation and other local agencies for appropriate actions; and
3. At the end of each fiscal year The Coppermine Chapter finds it necessary to make amendments to the previous annual Fiscal Year Navajo Nation Comprehensive Budget to Carryover remaining budget amounts to continue to implement its goals and objectives; and
4. All proposed expenditures of Chapter funds must be contained in a duly-approved Chapter Budget and expended pursuant to the Chapter's written Policies and Procedures and consistent with the applicable Navajo Nation law; and
5. The remaining balance of the Coppermine Chapter FY 2021 Budget is \$599,004.14 this amount will be carried over into FY 2022 Operating Budget for Coppermine Chapter.

ACCOUNTS	AMOUNTS	ACCOUNTS	AMOUNTS
01: Chapter Activities	\$ 20,049.53	15: PEP Funds	\$ 6,308.11
03: Land Claims Trust	\$ 2,597.47	16: Veterans	\$ 4,660.37
08: Supplemental Youth	\$ 33,140.23	17: Emergency	\$ 0.00
09: Housing Discretionary	\$ 4,505.46	23: N.N. Sales Tax	\$ 134,303.30
10: LGA Grant	\$ 22,493.98	28: Chapter Projects	\$ 272,097.28
12: Chapter Stipend	\$ 7,585.55	40: Unhealthy Foods	\$ 83,852.86
			Total: \$599,004.14

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Coppermine Chapter hereby approves the Fiscal Year 2021 Coppermine Chapter Carryover Funds in The amount of \$599,004.14 for Coppermine Chapter as the Carryover Budget for Fiscal Year 2022.

CERTIFICATION

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CO-10-003-22

RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER

APPROVING AND ACCEPTING FISCAL YEAR 2022 AGRICULTURAL INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$31,610.48 FOR THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER.

WHEREAS:

1. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 3(A), and 11 N.N.C., Section 10, The Coppermine Chapter is 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 Title 26, N.N.C., Section 1 (B), The Coppermine Chapter is vested 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. At the end of each fiscal year The Coppermine Chapter finds it necessary to make amendments to the previous annual Fiscal Year Navajo Nation Comprehensive Budget to Carryover remaining budget amounts to continue to implement its goals and objectives; and
4. All proposed expenditures of Chapter funds must be contained in a duly-approved Chapter Budget and expended pursuant to the Chapter's written Policies and Procedures and consistent with the applicable Navajo Nation law; and
5. A budget will be developed utilizing above funds in the amount of \$31,610.48 in FY 2022 for the Coppermine Chapter.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Coppermine Chapter hereby approves Fiscal year 2022 agricultural infrastructure funds in the amount of \$31,610.48 for the Coppermine Chapter.

CERTIFICATION

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CO-10-004-22

RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER

ACCEPTING A WATER TRUCK FROM THE NAVAJO NATION WATER RESOURCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER

WHEREAS:

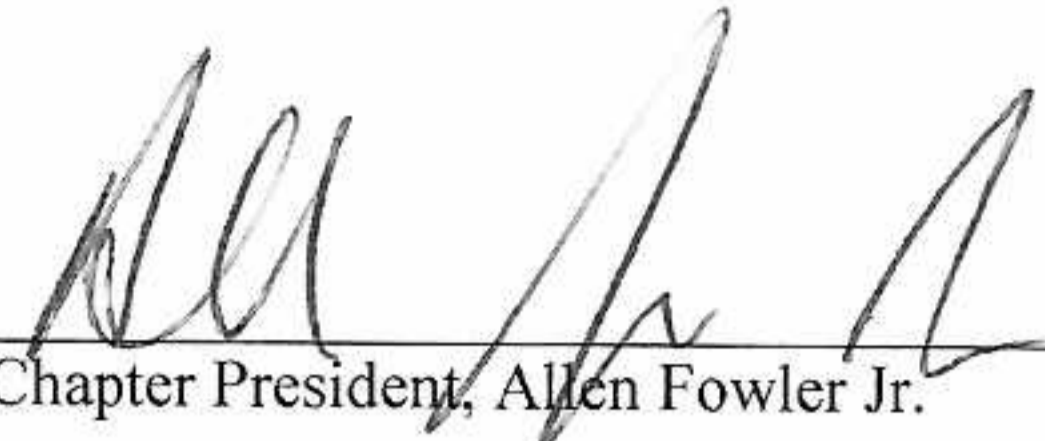
1. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C. § 3, the Coppermine Chapter, hereinafter "Chapter", is a duly certified chapter of the Navajo Nation and under § (1 (B)1), the Chapter has governmental authority with respect to local matters consistent with Navajo law, including custom and tradition; and
2. The Coppermine Chapter fully understands that a water truck will benefit the community as a whole. The water truck will help the community needs of limited water supply for household and livestock purposes. The Chapter fully understands that the Navajo Nation for many years has had a lack water and it has become an issue in our immediate community.
3. The Chapter believes that a water truck will be an essential instrument for our community.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Coppermine Chapter hereby supports the acceptance of the proposal of the Navajo Nation government for a water truck in the Coppermine Chapter.
2. The Coppermine Chapter hereby thanks the Navajo Water Resources Department, and the Department of Agriculture, for funding the sources for a water truck.
3. The Coppermine Chapter hereby recommends and urges Grazing Permittees and other Customary Land Users to help the Chapter Community and the Navajo Nation to achieve a sustainable way of life for Navajo Citizens by investing in a water truck.
4. The Coppermine Chapter recommends and urges to the Navajo Nation government to supply the community with a water truck which is an essential element of agriculture and livelihood to the immediate community.

CERTIFICATION

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CO-10-005-22

RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING COCONINO COUNTY PROPOSED #LDF050 AND #LDF501 LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING MAPS.

Whereas;

1. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C., Section 3(A), and 11 N.N.C., Section 10, The Coppermine Chapter is 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 Title 26, N.N.C., Section 1 (B), The Coppermine Chapter is vested 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. Legislative redistricting has broad implications and impacts including representation of our community members at the Arizona Legislature and at the U.S. Congress; and
4. The Voting Rights Act is an important piece of legislation and upholding it is critical to indigenous Communities' right to representation and preserving the important majority-minority district reflective of the large Native American population in Northern Arizona; and
5. Covid-19 has touched Native American communities particularly hard and has impacted our community members' ability to appear in public at the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission's meetings and to Provide comments on redistricting; and
6. Reliable internet and phone connectivity in Native American communities is a significant challenge and Impacts our ability to participate in virtual meetings and hearings; and
7. The Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission has submitted draft maps for legislative and congressional districts; and
8. We do not believe the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission's **Version Adopted as Final Draft Legislative Map 10.0** reflects the comments made to the Commission in Northern Arizona or meets the Commission's criteria for drawing new districts; and
9. The Coconino County Board of Supervisors have submitted maps that assist the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission to better meet their constitutional criterial; and
10. Coconino County's submitted map have proposed a revised LD6, Map #LDF050, and a revised LD7 Map #LDF051. Both revisions would allow the Arizona Redistricting Commission to better meet the criteria of competitiveness and preserving communities of uniqueness; and
11. The proposed revised LD7 in Coconino County's map, #LDF051 meets the goals of Native American Communities having a majority-minority district. Coconino County's data shows deviation is-6.73 %. Using the standard voting age population (VAP), the LD7 VAP of Native Americans is 57.97%, which would allow Native American voters to elect a candidates of choice; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOVED THAT:

The Coppermine Chapter hereby, urge the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission seriously consider and adopt Coconino County's Submitted maps-#LDF050 and #LDF051- as revisions to the final draft map proposed LD7 and LD6. Both keep Communities of interest whole-specifically in relationship to our workforce, watershed, natural resources, ranching communities; and adhere to the requirement of Proposition 106 to establish Competitive districts to the largest extent possible.


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CO-10-006-22

RESOLUTION OF THE COPPERMINE CHAPTER

RECOMMENDING AND SUPPORTING A FIBER OPTIC BROADBAND BUILD OUT AND ESTABLISHMENT OF BRANCH LIBRARIES AT THE CHAPTER TO BE FUNDED BY FCC E-RATE FUNDING AND OTHER FUNDING SOURCES.

WHEREAS:


1. Pursuant to 26 N.N.C. § 3, the Coppermine Chapter, hereinafter "Chapter", is a duly certified chapter of the Navajo Nation and under § (1 (B)1), the Chapter has governmental authority with respect to local matters consistent with Navajo law, including custom and tradition; and
2. The Chapter fully understands that furthering broadband telecommunication and data connectivity within the Navajo Nation will help to create and economic infrastructure of thriving businesses with permanent sustainable jobs, greater community involvement in health care delivery and services, educational enhancements, increase effectiveness of public safety services, increase consumer buying power, and overall betterment of Navajo Citizens by promoting greater cultivation, growth, and development of Navajo culture and language through establishing a branch library in each chapter house; and
3. The Chapter fully understands that the Navajo Nation for many years has had negative statistics in regard to health issues, including diabetes and cardiovascular disease, alcoholism, and drug abuse, and that the Nation continues to have substandard housing, high drop out rates, and high rates of unemployment; and
4. The Chapter believes that a successful broadband build out of essential communications infrastructure and establishing a branch library in each chapter house will help to reverse these negative statistics;


NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Coppermine Chapter hereby supports the proposal of the Navajo Nation government for a fiber optic broadband build out to the Navajo Nation's chapter houses and establishing a branch library in each chapter house within the Chapter's jurisdiction, including the Navajo Nation's initiative to plan, coordinate, develop, and implement an open architectural network of underground fiber and aerial fiber broadband utility infrastructure, in order to meet the needs of all the unserved and underserved areas within the Navajo Nation.
2. The Coppermine Chapter hereby urges the Federal Communications Commission, states of Arizona, New Mexico and Utah, Department of Commerce, NTIA, and the Department of Agriculture, RUS, as the funding sources for broadband stimulus monies, to take all steps necessary to insure that the Navajo people receive funding and consideration appropriate and fair to their circumstances as some of the poorest rural United States citizens who are all unserved or underserved by broadband.
3. The Coppermine Chapter hereby recommends and urges Grazing Permittees and other Customary Land Users to help the Chapter Community and the Navajo Nation to achieve economic development, improve education and health care, better public safety, and the improved harmony and balance of Navajo Citizens, Navajo relationships and the Navajo Life Way; by consenting to the uses of their customary land areas which is necessary to a successful broadband build out.
4. The Coppermine Chapter recommends and urges to the Navajo Nation government that in return for giving any requisite consent for use of their lands, and Customary Land Users whose customary use lands are adversely impacted by the broadband build out shall have those lands, where at all possible, returned to their natural state, and the Customary Land Users shall also receive appropriate priority consideration and assistance in the connection and use of the broadband infrastructure, including education, training, and provision of end user goods and services.


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