Special session of Navajo Council to convene Monday

Fiscal 2008 budget amendment and measure to remove Navajo Attorney General on agenda

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. — A special session of the 21st Navajo Nation Council is scheduled to meet at 10 a.m., June 30, at the Navajo Nation Council Chamber in Window Rock.

The Council will consider the following legislations:

OLD BUSINESS

No. 0711-07 An action relating to Resources and Finance; amending the Navajo Nation 2008 Fiscal Year Budget by approving a supplemental appropriation in the amount of $125,000 as a grant to the All Indian Rodeo Cowboys Association Inc. from the Unreserved, Undesignated Fund Balance for sponsorship of the 50th Annual AIRCA Rodeo and Third Annual International Indian Finals Rodeo, waiving 12 NNC Section 820 and other applicable Navajo Nation Laws. The measure was sponsored by Curran Hannon (Oak Springs/St. Michaels). On April 25, 2008, Roy Laughter tabled the legislation with Kenneth Maryboy seconding the motion.

No. 0174-08 Relating to Intergovernmental Relations; approving the Navajo Nation Human Rights Commission Plan of Operation. Speaker Lawrence T. Morgan (Pinedale/Iyanbito) sponsored this legislation.

No. 0201-08 An action relating to Judiciary; confirming the appointment of William J. Platero as a probationary district court judge of the Navajo Nation. Kee Allen Begay (Many Farms/Round Rock) and Ernest Yazzie Jr. (Breadsprings/Church Rock) co-sponsored this legislation.

NEW BUSINESS

No. 0274-08 An action relating to Resources and Economic Development; approving the purchase of the Inn of Gallup. George Arthur (Burnham/San Juan/Nenahnezad) sponsored this legislation.

No. 0341-08 An action relating to Government Services; removing Louis Denetsosie from the position of Navajo Nation Attorney General.

In a memo to the 88 council delegates, Speaker Morgan advised that pursuant to 2 NNC Section 183(F), council delegates are required to attend all regular and special sessions of the Navajo Nation Council and urged them to make the necessary arrangements to attend the special calling of the Navajo Nation Council.

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