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Ethics and Rules Office announces 2nd Annual Standards of Conduct & Ethics Conference on April 28-29

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WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. — The Ethics and Rules Committee of the 21st Navajo Nation Council and the Ethics and Rules Office are pleased to announce the 2nd Annual Standards of Conduct & Ethics Conference scheduled for April 28-29 in Albuquerque, N.M.

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A wide array of topics focusing on ethics will be discussed, including: Navajo Ethics in Government Law, regulations and standards of conduct for elected officials, Navajo chapter sanctions, how to request for a chapter audit, employee benefits, recall and qualifications of elected officials and tribal fleet management.

Conference presenters include representatives from the Navajo Nation Office of the Auditor General, Navajo Elections Administration, Navajo Fleet Management, the Ethics and Rules Committee, the Budget and Finance Committee and the Navajo Nation Employee Benefits office.

John is thankful for sponsors of the conference.

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The conference will be held at Hotel Albuquerque, located at 800 Rio Grande Blvd. NW. For reservations and to receive the special conference rate of $80, call 1-800-237-2133. The deadline to receive the special rate is March 28. Lunch, door prizes and commemorative bags will be available for conference attendees.

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