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The Shelly-Jim Administration Announces Leadership and Service
Internship Program for Navajo Students

Window Rock, AZ—The Shelly-Jim Administration today announced they are accepting student applications for the President’s Program for Leadership and Service, a year-round internship and mentorship program within the executive office. It was created to help young professionals gain invaluable work experience and to build leadership skills.

President Shelly said, “We looking to recruit future Navajo leaders from high schools and colleges, who want to gain hands-on experience by working with our executive staff and learn how our three-branch tribal government operates.”

The internship program will train students to handle daily office duties, utilize writing, research and computer skills, attend public meetings, and network with other divisions and departments.

Interested high school students and enrolled college students can apply through the Navajo Nation’s Workforce Development and Summer Youth Employment Program at: (928) 871-6974, ask for Janis Damon or email: jdamon@ndwd.org. Please list the president’s office as your work preference, as space is limited.

Applicants must submit the following:

- A one-page work resume (name, address, phone, and work experience)
- Two letters of recommendation (council/chapter officials, teachers, coaches, mentors, etc.)
- 300-500 word essay: As a future leader of the Navajo people, what would you do to positively change our Nation?

Mail applications to: Alray Nelson, Program Director, Office of the President & Vice President, The Navajo Nation, P.O. Box 7440, Window Rock, AZ 86515. For more information call: (928) 810-8505 or email: anelson@navajo-nsn.gov. Applications will be accepted year-round.

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