



**THE NAVAJO NATION
 FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER**
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Fort Defiance Chapter
 Chapter Meeting 3:00 PM
 Monday March 16, 2026

AGENDA

I. Meeting Call to Order/Invocation

II. Roll Call P = Present A = Absent

Tom White Jr., President	_____
Michele Dineyazhe, Vice President	_____
Wilson C Stewart Jr., Sec./Treas.	_____
Roger Dahozy, Grazing Official	_____
Dr. Andy Nez, Council Delegate	_____

III. Review & Adopt Agenda

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___Yay ___Nay ___ Abstain

IV. Presentations (**TIME LIMIT OF EIGHT (08) MINUTES**)

- a. Play Space by Center for Indigenous Family Spirit by Kimberly Belone
- b. Tsehootsooi Medical Center HPDP Department by Dee Weber & Mycal Blackgoat
- c. Presenter Marlo McCabe
- d. Apache County Support on HB 2306 9842 by Julius Elwood

V. Reading of Last Chapter Meeting Minutes

- February Chapter meeting on Tuesday February 17, 2026

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___Yay ___Nay ___ Abstain

VI. Financial Report Ending February 2026

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___Yay ___Nay ___ Abstain

VII. Old Business

- a. RESOLUTION FOR THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Supporting Arizona House Bill 2287 (HB2287) for an Appropriation Submission for the N9073 Phase 2 Rockfall/Roadway Project in Fort Defiance, AZ. Sponsor Delegate Andy Nez

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___Yay ___Nay ___ Abstain

- b. RESOLUTION FOR THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Supporting Arizona House Bill 2285 (HB2285) for an Appropriation submission for the Solar Street Light Project in Fort Defiance, AZ. Sponsor Delegate Andy Nez

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___ Yay ___ Nay ___ Abstain

- c. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Supporting Tribal Infrastructure Fund (TIF) Application for the Fort Defiance Asbestos-Concrete Waterline Replacement Project to provide a safe, reliable water system for chapter members. Sponsor Andrew Robertson, SMA

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___ Yay ___ Nay ___ Abstain

- d. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Supporting Arizona Senate Bill 1482 (SB 1482); An Appropriation submission for the Fort Defiance Senior Center in Fort Defiance, Arizona, Apache County, Navajo Nation. Sponsor Delegate Andy Nez

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: _____ Yay ___ Nay ___ Abstain

VIII. New Business

- a. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Approving and Adopting the Budget to Revenues Collected from February 2026 in the amount of **\$1,886.31** to comply with the Five Management System Policies and Procedures. Sponsor Wilson C Stewart Jr/Gina Chischilly

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___ Yay ___ Nay ___ Abstain

- b. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Supporting and Approving the New Trash Disposal Rates. Sponsor Shawn Goodluck, Chapter Manager

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___ Yay ___ Nay ___ Abstain

- c. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Supporting the Hunters Point Boarding School, INC for a continuance to operate the following Educational Programs; ISEP, Title Programs, Special Education, Transportation, Facilities Management Operations, Facilities Management Maintenance, Minor Projects and Improvements, and Administration Costs under Public Law 100-297, Beginning July 01, 2026, through June 30, 2028. Sponsor Geneieve Jackson

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___ Yay ___ Nay ___ Abstain

- d. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Supporting and Approving Community-Based Land Use Planning Committee (CLUPC) request for Fiscal Year 2026 Budget allocation second monthly stipend payments using the Navajo Nation Sales Tax Fund 23-6605. Sponsor Deborah Dineyazhe – CLUPC President (tabled in December 2025.)

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___ Yay ___ Nay ___ Abstain

- e. Supporting and Approving a Budget Transfer within the Fiscal Year 2025 Carry over allocation account fund (10-6603) to fund (10-6605) from Professional Services Contract To Committee Stipends in the amount of \$2,000.00. Sponsor Deborah Dineyazhe (tabled in December 2025.)

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ___ Yay ___ Nay ___ Abstain

- f. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Supporting the Congressional Direct spending request for 2,000,000 from UNITED STATES SENATORS MARK KELLY AND RUBEN GALLEGO'S Office for Fiscal Year for the N9037 Roadway/Rockfall Project; Fort Defiance, ARIZONA

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: __ Yay __ Nay __ Abstain

- g. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Support Resolution for Arizona HB 2306 Appropriation in the amount of \$665,000 for the Apache County Rural School Bus Route Enhancement and Soil Stabilization Pilot Project

Motion: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: ____ Yay __ Nay __ Abstain

IX. Reports (TIME LIMIT OF 5 MINUTES) reports should be written and available for distribution

- a. Apache County Report
- b. Chapter Officials
- c. Council Delegate
- d. Grazing Official
- e. CLUPC
- f. Business Resource
- g. Senior Center
- h. CHR
- i. Day At A Time

X. Announcements

- a. Fort Defiance Saint Mary's Food Distribution Tuesday March 10, 2026
- b. Fort Defiance Chapter Twin Warriors Society Meeting Wednesday March 11, 2026, at 1300 hours
- c. Fort Defiance Chapter Outdoor Flea Market Friday March 13, 2026 at 10:00 AM
- d. District 18 Meeting Saturday March 14, 2026, at 9:00 AM at Oak Springs Chapter
- e. Fort Defiance Chapter meeting Monday March 16, 2026, at 3:00 PM
- f. Fort Defiance Agency Council Meeting April 11, 2026, at 9:00 AM at Navajo/Red Lake #18 Chapter
- g. Fort Defiance Chapter Planning Meeting Monday April 6, 2026, at 3:00 PM

XI. Adjournment

*** All chapter resolutions must be submitted to Chapter Secretary Stewart by the second Monday of each month. Resolutions received after this deadline will be placed on the following month's agenda. This process ensures that Fort Defiance community members have time to review all resolutions before the meeting date. Additionally, the meeting agenda and resolutions will be posted on the Fort Defiance Chapter webpage only. The chapter's social media page will share the agenda, but not the resolutions.*