



**THE NAVAJO NATION
FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER**
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Navajo Nation President

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Fort Defiance Chapter
Chapter Meeting 3:00 PM
Monday June 22, 2026

AGENDA (updated 06/19/2026)

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. Tsehootsooi Medical Center – Patient Relations Department by Wendell Phillips
- b. Apache County Supervisor Alton Joe Shepherd

V. Reading of Last Chapter Meeting Minutes

- a. *May 2026*

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

VI. Financial Report Ending May 2026

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

VII. Old Business

- a. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Approving and Adopting the Fiscal Year 2026 Emergency Fund in the amount of \$101,500.00. Sponsor Shawn Goodluck

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

- b. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Approving and Adopting the Fiscal Year 2026 Gaming Trust Fund carry over in the amount of \$8,542.28 to be used toward Communications and Utilities Expense. Sponsor Shawn Goodluck

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

- c. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Approving and Adopting the Fiscal Year 2026 Navajo Nation Sales Tax Funds in the amount of \$137,816.00. Sponsor Shawn Goodluck

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

- d. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Approving and Adopting the Fiscal Year 2026 Unhealthy Food Tax Funds in the amount of \$28,894.00. Sponsor Shawn Goodluck

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 May 2026 in the amount of **\$1,755.60** 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 To support and recommend a Research Project entitled: “Ama Bidziil (Strong Mothers): Advancing maternal health through community-based Doula Support” to be conducted by the John Hopkins Center for Indigenous Health. Sponsor Tanya Jones - Family Spirit Program Supervisor

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

- c. RESOLUTION OF THE FORT DEFIANCE CHAPTER Approving a Chapter Referendum to reduce Chapter Meeting quorum from twenty-five (25) to twenty-one (21) registered voters for all chapter meetings in accordance to RDCD-127-12 of the Navajo Nation Local Governance Act. Sponsor President Tom White Jr.

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

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

- a. Chapter Manager
- 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 Agency Meeting June 13, 2026, at 9:00 AM Kinlichee Chapter
- b. Navajo Voters Coalition Conference Thursday June 18, 2026, at 7:30 AM at Twin Arrows Casino. Registration cost is \$10.00
- c. District 18 Council Meeting Saturday June 20, 2026, at 9:00 AM Nahata Dzil Chapter
- d. Fort Defiance Chapter Meeting Monday June 22, 2026, at 3:00 PM
- e. Fort Defiance Chapter Administration and Chapter Officials work session at Twin Arrows June 30 to July 2, 2026

XI. Adjournment

**** ALL RESOLUTIONS WILL NEED TO BE SUBMITTED TO CHAPTER SECRETARY STEWART BY THE 2nd FRIDAY OF THIS MONTH. OTHERWISE, THEY WILL BE PLACED ON THE NEXT MONTH AGENDA. REASON, IS COMMUNITY MEMBERS WISH TO REVIEW ALL RESOLUTIONS PRIOR TO MEETING DATE. SECOND, IS MEETING AGENDA AND RESOLUTIONS WILL BE POSTED ON THE CHAPTER WEBPAGE NOT ANY SOCIAL MEDIA PAGE. SOCIAL MEDIA PAGE WILL ONLY HAVE AGENDA POSTED NO RESOLUTIONS.**