

RESOLUTION OF THE
NAVAJO BOARD OF ELECTION SUPERVISORS

**Canvassing and Certifying the Whitehorse Lake Chapter
Referendum Election Results; Declaring Passage of Referendum**

WHEREAS:

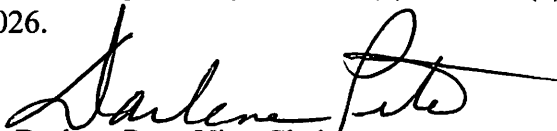
1. The Navajo Board of Election Supervisors is empowered by 11 N.N.C. §321 (A)(1) “to administer, implement, and enforce the Navajo Election Code.”
2. Pursuant to 11 N.N.C. §408 (D), the Navajo Board of Election Supervisors is required to canvass, upon every election, written statements of election results from each polling place and shall total the election results.
3. Pursuant to 11 N.N.C. §408 (E), the Navajo Board of Election Supervisors, no less than ten (10) days following an election, must certify election results (voting results).
4. On July 21, 2026, a referendum election was conducted at Whitehorse Lake Chapter. Voters of the chapter considered the issue of whether its quorum requirement should be changed, lowered from the present 25 to 15 registered voters. The results of the referendum election have been canvassed and attached respectively hereto as **Exhibit “A.”**
5. The Navajo Board of Election Supervisors deems it in the best interest of voters to canvass and certify the aforementioned referendum election results.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Navajo Board of Election Supervisors hereby canvasses and certifies the Whitehorse Lake Chapter Referendum Election Results for lowering quorum requirements, attached and incorporated herein as **Exhibit “A”** and declares the referendum passed by a majority of votes cast.

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by the Navajo Board of Election Supervisors at a duly called meeting within the Navajo Nation in Window Rock, Arizona, during which a quorum was present and the same was passed by a vote of (6) in favor, (0) opposed, and (0) abstained, this 27th day of August 2026.


Darlene Pete, Vice-Chairperson
Navajo Board of Election Supervisors

Motion: Norman L. Begay
Second: Lula Neztosie

WHITEHORSE LAKE REFERENDUM ELECTION

Official Results
July 21, 2026

**SHALL THE CURRENT QUORUM REQUIREMENT FOR
WHITEHORSE LAKE CHAPTER MEETINGS BE REDUCED FROM
25 TO 15 CHAPTER MEMBERS?**

YES	126
NO	57

RESOLUTION OF THE
NAVAJO BOARD OF ELECTION SUPERVISORS

Canvassing and Certifying the July 21, 2026
Special Election Results for Tooh Haltsooi Council of Naatani President Position
and Tsé ałnáonzt'í'í Chapter President Position

WHEREAS:

1. The Navajo Board of Election Supervisors are delegated by 11 N.N.C. §321 to supervise all Navajo Nation elections and ensure that such elections are conducted in a fair and unbiased manner, and that the rights of voters are protected.
2. A special election to fill the vacant position on the Tooh Haltsooi and Tsé ałnáonzt'í'í was held on July 21, 2026. The counting of the votes cast at Chapter polling place has been completed by the Chief Poll Judge.
3. The canvassed results of July 21, 2026, special election is attached and incorporated herein as **EXHIBIT A**.
4. Pursuant to 11 N.N.C. §84(B) the Navajo Board of Election Supervisors shall canvass and certify the written statement of the election results from each polling place and total the results; and pursuant to 11 N.N.C. §85, "not less than 10 days following each election, and at a regular meeting, the Board shall certify the names of candidates elected in such election."
5. The Navajo Board of Election Supervisors deems it is in the best interest of Tooh Haltsooi and Tsé ałnáonzt'í'í that results of the Special Election conducted on July 21, 2026, for its vacant Council of Naatani President position and Tsé ałnáonzt'í'í Chapter President position be canvassed and certified.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Navajo Board of Election Supervisors of the Navajo Nation hereby canvasses and certifies election results for July 21, 2026, Special Election for the one vacant Tooh Haltsooi Council of Naatani President position and Tsé ałnáonzt'í'í Chapter President position. Canvass results and certification of election, as referenced and documented, are attached and incorporated herein as **EXHIBIT A**.
2. The Navajo Election Administration shall arrange the necessary Oath of Office. Upon such Oath, the Navajo Election Administration shall issue official certificates attesting the Oath.

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

I hereby certify that the following resolution was duly considered by the Navajo Board of Election Supervisors at a duly called meeting within the Navajo Nation in Window Rock, Arizona, during which a quorum was present and that the same was passed by a vote of () in favor, () opposed, and () abstained, this 27th day of August 2026.



Darlene Pete, Vice-Chairperson
Navajo Board of Election Supervisors

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EXHIBIT A

Navajo Nation Chapter President Results

Navajo Nation *Official Results*

Primary Election - Tuesday, July 21, 2026

COUNCIL OF NAATAANI PRESIDENT

043 - TOO H HALTSOOI CHAPTER - Vote for One

1. Kristy Dempsey	76	28.46%
2. Pattie Sam	68	25.47%
3. Esther R Yazzie	65	24.34%
4. Louise Charley	58	21.72%

TSE ALNÁOZT'I' I CHAPTER PRESIDENT

042 - TSE ALNÁOZT'I' I CHAPTER - Vote for One

1. Jourdan Washburn-Moore	273	35.32%
2. Ruthda Thomas	213	27.55%
3. Nelson Begay	160	20.70%
4. Eloise Brown	91	11.77%
5. Ramnita Henderson	36	4.66%