



**TOOH HALTSOOI COUNCIL OF NAATAANII CHAPTER**  
**September 19, 2025 ~ 9:00 a.m.**  
**Chapter Meeting**  
**MINUTES**

**1. MEETING CALL TO ORDER**

*Meeting call to order at 9:29 a.m. with a quorum present*

**2. INVOCATION**

*Blessings provided by Tommy Sandman*

**3. ROLL CALL**

P\_ Earnest Smith, Vice President

P\_ Adrienne Joe, Secretary

Amber K. Crotty, Council Delegate

Jimson Bryant, Grazing Official

Kevin Begay, Executive Manager

Brian Yazzie, President

**4. REVIEW & APPROVE CHAPTER MEETING AGENDA**

*Agenda reviewed by Adrienne Joe, Chapter Secretary. Motion to approve agenda and open by Elenore Jim, seconded by Kristy Dempsey. Vote 15-0-1*

**5. REVIEW & APPROVE AUGUST 19, 2025, CHAPTER MEETING MINUTES**

*Chapter Meeting minutes was read and reviewed by Adrienne Joe, Chapter secretary. Motion to approve and accept the minutes by Micheal Joe, seconded by Robert Johnson. Vote 14-0-3.*

**6. PRESENTERS:**

- a) Information regarding CCSD Bond question and 3 ways to vote for 2025 Regular Local Election on November 4, 2025.  
*Arlenta Horse-Dickie, Office Manager. San Juan County Clerk Office*

*Presented by Marianne Benally. Handouts on 3 ways to Vote and flyer on the Regular Local Election. 3 ways to vote 1. Absentee, 2. Early voting, In person on election day. The only thing this Chapter will be voting on the CCSD school bond. The bond is regarding the remodeling and furnishing school buildings, including teacher housing amount of \$20, 000, 000.*

*Concerns of who to vote for as we don't know the person. Ms. Benally indicated that it's up to you to vote on who you want to vote for, you don't have to. I am here to distribute information on how to vote. I will relay the information forward.*

**7. OLD BUSINESS:**

- a) TC-2025-046  
Accepting and Approving the Tooh Haltsooi Council of Naataanii Chapter's amendment to the Roberts rules of order, title 26 of the Navajo Nation Code.

*How many for quorum? Do we have to go with this version? How will the planning meeting be conducted. A work session is recommended. Questions on when did the planning meeting require a quorum Motion to table until which time there was a work session completed and present on the next meeting by Louise Charley seconded by Micheal Joe, Vote 13-0-5.*

## **8. NEW BUSINESS:**

### **a) Resolutions**

#### **1. TC-2025-056**

Accepting and Approving the Tooh Haltsooi Council of Naataanii Chapter Financial Report for the month of JULY 2025.

#### **2. TC-2025-057**

Accepting and Approving the Tooh Haltsooi Council of Naataanii Chapter revenue receipts collected in the amount of \$2,738.68 for the month of JULY 2025. The revenue receipts are to be posted in Account 01- Chapter activities general fund. The revenues receipts are from chapter facility and equipment rentals; copies/faxes; showers; proof of residencies; and chapter land lease.

*Financial reports were reviewed by Adrienne Joe, Chapter Secretary.*

*Questions: We need PEP to bring down wood. The chapter is currently looking for laborers, office help and ask your children and kids to apply. We get no applicants, which is why the same individual's work.*

*More funds in PEP, Youth supplemental funds and Emergency funds. How is the chapter going to assist with woods and coal? That will be available for emergency purposes.*

*Comments: The children need to be able to assist their parents and grandparents. During the summer children are just sitting here looking at presentations and should be doing much more.*

*Senior Center holds bingos in hopes to assist with woods and coal for the elders.*

*Motion to approve the financial report and combine by Ariel Joe, seconded by Ervin Platero. Vote 16-0-2.*

#### **3. TC-2025-058**

The Tooh Haltsooi Council of Naataanii Chapter Supporting the Navajo Transitional Energy Company Community Benefit Fund Chapter Proposal for Community Healing Garden.

*Reviewed by April Begay. This resolution is for funding and creating a healing garden. Education, youth development, cultural and healing. Submitting a proposal for \$6,000. This is a competitive grant and a grant for one year. Plans are to plant flowers, install sidewalks and benches, canopy, etc. Motion to approve by Louise Charley, seconded by Virginia Henry. Vote 14-0-2.*

## **9. REPORTS:**

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| a. Chapter Administration                | f. Sheep Springs Senior Center Council       |
| b. Honorable Council Delegate            | g. Tooh Haltsooi Veterans Organization       |
| c. Grazing Representative                | h. Tooh Haltsooi Community Center            |
| d. Community Development Committee (CDC) | i. Northern Navajo Fair Board Representative |
| e. Along the Chuska Mountain (ATCM)      |  |

*Roberta Roberts presented on the Community Center been having issues with trash and food, alcohol containers and more. This is very concerning. This morning, I noticed that the front lights were broken. We need to secure the doors. If the community center is broken into it will be a tremendous loss. I'm reaching out to the chapter officials to assist with*

*No other reports made due to adjournment for Veterans meeting to begin.*

#### **10. ANNOUNCEMENTS :**

- September 19, 2025: 12:00 p.m. Veteran's Meeting
- September 20, 2025: 9:00 a.m. Northern Agency Council Meeting
- Sept 23-26, 2025: Metal smithing class at Community Center
- September 28, 2025: 9:00 a.m. CDC Meeting
- Every Sundays at 4:00 p.m.: AA Meetings
- Every Mon., Wed., Fri.: 1:00 p.m. Quilting Project
- ~~Every Thursday at 5:00 p.m.: Archery~~
- September 15, 2025: Accepting Application for Office Assistant, Laborer, Equipment Operator. Close on October 3, 2025.

*No announcements made.*

#### **11. ADJOURNMENT**

*Motion to adjourn the meeting by Michael Joe.*

*Adjourn at 12:02 p.m. by President Yazzie*

***Minutes respectfully submitted by***

 9/19/25

***Adrienne Joe, Chapter Secretary.***