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NOTICE OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING OF THE NAVAJO NATION BOARD OF EDUCATION Thursday, July 3, 2025, at 9:00 AM

Via In-Person and Teleconference
[Zoom Link](#)

PRESIDING: Nadine Chatto, President | Freda Nells, Vice President | Andrea Thomas, Secretary
PLACE: Department of Diné Education, Sunrise Conference Room, Window Rock, Arizona 86515

The Department of Diné Education is encouraging members of the public to view and access the Governing Board meeting at the following link: <https://zoom.us/j/95632487086?pwd=yAzq44MYEa1miRoGHm3B3H9C0rlZfs.1>

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The Navajo Nation Board of Education has the right to call an executive session, if necessary, to discuss personnel, legal and confidential matters.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

2. ROLL CALL:

___ Dr. Pauletta White	___ Sharon Toadecheenie	___ Nadine M. Chatto
___ Andrea K. Thomas	___ Freda K. Nells	___ Spencer W. Willie
___ Dr. Henry Fowler	___ Joan A. Gray	___ Emerson John

3. INVOCATION:

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

5. PUBLIC COMMENT (3 MINUTES OR LESS): *(Requires a Public Comment Form)*

6. REPORTS/DISCUSSION ON ACTION ITEMS: *(15 MINUTES OR LESS):* *(Documents Provided in Hyperlinks)*

A. **Approval:** Minutes - NNBOE Regular Board Meeting – May 1, 2025

B. **Approval:** Minutes - NNBOE Regular Board Meeting – June 4, 2025

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Claudia Edgewater-Russell, **(A) Superintendent of Schools**

- C. **Approval:** Minutes - NNBOE Special Board Meeting – June 6, 2025
- D. **Resolution** - Supporting and Approving Linda M. Yazzie as the District 3 (Window Rock District) Community Representative to the Navajo Head Start Policy Council
- E. **Resolution** - Supporting and Approving the Navajo Head Start's Implementation of the Navajo Head Start School Year 2025-2026 Weekly Menu Cycle for Head Start and Early Head Start
- F. **Resolution:** Approving the Return of Control and Authority to the Tsé Nitsaa Deez'ahi Diné Bi'Olta', Inc. (Rock Point Community School, Inc.)
- Assumption of Control Resolution: [NNBEMA-1041-2025 \(March 6, 2025\)](#)
- G. **Resolution:** Approving the Return of Control and Authority to the Dilcon Community School, Inc.
- Assumption of Control Resolution: [NNBEMA-1042-2025 \(March 6, 2025\)](#)
- H. **Extension Request** - Approving an Extension of the Reauthorization of the Wide Ruins Community School, Inc. (One Month, Ending July 31, 2025) (Incomplete)
- [2024 Audit](#) [2023 Audit](#) [Academic Data](#) [Current Resolution](#) (NNBEMY-994-2024)
- I. **Resolution** - Approving the Reauthorization of the Many Farms Community School, Inc.
- [2024 Audit](#) [2023 Audit](#) [Academic Data](#) [Current Resolution](#) (NNBEMY-990-2024)
- J. **Resolution** - Approving the Reauthorization of the Ramah Navajo School Board, Inc.
- [2024 Audit](#) [2023 Audit](#) [Academic Data](#) [Reauthorization Presentation](#)
[DLPA Assessment Data](#)

7. EXECUTIVE SESSION: (Legal, Personnel, Other Matters, etc.)



A. Legal and Personnel Matters

8. RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION; Action Item(s) Resulting from Executive Session
A.

9. REPORTS: (15 MINUTES OR LESS)

- A. Superintendent Report – Claudia Edgewater-Russell
- B. Navajo Head Start [Assistant Superintendent's Report](#) – Dr. Florinda Jackson
- C. Navajo Nation [Board of Education Budget Report \(6-27-2025\)](#)

10. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

-  National Indian Education Association [\(NIEA\) 56th Annual Convention & Tradeshow](#) - Spokane, WA (October 8-11, 2025)
-  National Johnson-O'Malley Association [\(NJOMA\) Conference](#) - Denver, CO (November 8-10, 2025)

11. NEXT BOARD MEETING:

- ✚ August 4, 2025 (Thursday) at 9:00 a.m., NNBOE Regular Meeting (Window Rock, AZ)
- ✚ September 4, 2025 (Thursday) at 9:00 a.m., NNBOE Regular Meeting (Window Rock, AZ)

12. ADJOURNMENT:

APPROVED:



Nadine Chatto, NNBOE President