

The following is a list of the more significant community issues addressed by this station for the quarter specified. This is by no means complete, now is the order in which these issues intended to imply any degree of priority of significance of the issues.

**QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST FOR: KTNN-AM 660/FM 101.5 KKNS 1310 AM-Q-3<sup>rd</sup> QUARTERLY REPORT 2021**

<b>ISSUES DESCRIPTION:</b>	<b>PROGRAM SEGMENT:</b>	<b>DATE:</b>	<b>TIME:</b>	<b>DURATION:</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION OF SEGMENT:</b>
Navajo Nation Council Approves the opening of Navajo Owned Businesses and in-person instruction.		7/1/2021	5 min		On Friday, during the 24 <sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council Pseical Session, Legislation No. 0104-21 was approved with a vote of 23 in favor and 0 opposed, which authorizes in-person instruction for schools operation withn the Navajo-owed businesses to Navajo Citizens and non-Navajo tourists.
Drive-up Fireworks events scheduled as Navajo Nation residents urged to stay local for the Fourth of July Holiday weekend due to Delta Variant.		7/2/2021			Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez and Vice President Myron Lizer announced that after over one year of the Covid-19 pandemic that led to the cancellation of numerous gatherings and celebrations, the Navajo Nation will mark the Fourth of July with fireworks drive-up events in Shiprock, Tuba City, Window Rock, and Chinle to encourage families to stay local for holidays weekend due to the growing spread of the Covid 19 delta variant. Families are encourage to enjoy the festivities safely for their vehicle or from home with Covid-10 protocal in place.
Budget & Finance Committee approves the three Branch Chief's recommendation for the Fiscal Year 2022 Navajo Nation Comprehensive Budget		7/6/2021			On June 29 <sup>th</sup> , the Budget and Finance Committee of the 24 <sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council appected the Navjao Nation Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 General Fund Reveue Projections, which establishes the FY-2022 General Funds Budge and the Three Branch Planning Allocations to prepare for the FY-2022 Navajo Nation Comprehensive Budget.
Delegate Kee Allen Begay Jr. meets with US Senator Kelly and other congressional delegations in Washington, DC.		7/9/2021			Delegate Kee Allen Begay Jr., traveled to Washington D.D. to meet with US Senator Mark Kelly (D-AZ) and other congressional delegate to discuss funding request for the various Navajo Nation community projects.
Online Town Hall Sceduled for Monday evening to provide information about the second phase on the Cares Act Hardship Program.		7/12/2012			The Navajo Nation Office of the President and Vice President, in coordination with the office of the Controller, will host an online town hall on Monday, July 12 <sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm to provide more information about the second phase on the CARES ACT Hardship Program. The town hall will air later in the week on local radio stations.

Crownpoint Chapter and Summer Youth Workers Celebrate the Delivery of New Heavy Equipment.	7/15/2012	On Tuesday, Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez, Miss Navajo Nation Shaandiin Parish, and Navajo Nation division of Community Development Executive Director Dr. Pearl Yellowman joined Crownpoint Chapter officials and summer youth employees to celebrate the arrival of new Heavy Equipment that will be used to assist Navajo Residents and to complete community based projects. Crownpoint Chapter received a new Backhoe and flatbed truck, while additional equipment is expected to arrive in the coming days.
President Nez and Delegate Slater advocate for Transportation System improvement and policy changes with U.S. Transportation Secretary Buttigieg.	7/19/2021	On Thursday, Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez, Council Delegate Carl Slater, and Navajo Division of Transportation Executive Director Garrett Silversmith were part of an Arizona tribal leadership roundtable with U.S. Sec. of Transportation Pete Buttigieg in the Gila River Indian Community, which focused on how tribal nations can work with the Biden-Harris Administration and the US Department of Transportation to develop policy changes that gives tribal nations more authority to improve transportation systems.
President Nez and Vice President Deliver the state of the Navajo Nation Address	7/21/2021	Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez and Vice President Myron Lizer presented the State of Union Address virtually to the 24 <sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council on Monday, during the opening day of Summer Council Session. The written report is available online at <a href="https://www.opvp.navajo-nsn.gov">https://www.opvp.navajo-nsn.gov</a> .
24 <sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council unanimously approved funding for phase one of the Western Navajo Water Pipeline.	7/23/2021	Speaker Seth Damon and members of the 24 <sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council debated for more than 4 hours over Legislation No. 0065-21 to fully fund the Western Navajo Water Pipeline Phase I using Sihasin Funds.
Construction of Hogan-Style Home Prototype Proceeds to help address housing challenges.	7/26/2021	On Saturday, Navajo Nation President Nez and Council Delegate Raymond Smith Jr., joined Navajo Nation Veterans Administration Executive James Zwielen, volunteers of the Southwest Regional Council of Carpenters from Arizona and New Mexico, Executive Branch Division directors, and the Hogan-Style home prototype in Tse Bonito, NM, which will serve as a model for potential Navajo homeowners.
Department of the Interior listens to concerns of the Navajo People.	7/30/2021	On Wednesday, members of the 24 <sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council (NNC), Vice President of the Navajo Nation, the Navajo Nation Eastern Agency (NNEA) allottees participated in a round table discussion with United States Department of Interior's (DOI) Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bryan Newland at T'iss Ts'oi Bi Olta Gymnasium in Crownpoint, NM.

President Nez approves \$2 Million appropriation for the Expansion of the Canoncito Band of Navajo Health Center.	8/3/2021	Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez, Vice President Myron Lizer, and First Lady Phefelia Nez were joined by 24 <sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council Delegate Jamie Henio, To'hajiilee Chapter officials, Conancito Band of Navajos Health Center, Inc., Board Members and staff, and community members in To'hajiilee, NM on Sunday as they signed Resolution CJY-40-20 into law, which allocated \$2 million from the Sihasin Fund for the expansion of the current Canoncito Band of Navajos Health Center.
Local Elders Celebrate “ A Dream Come True” with the approval of funding to pave roadways between pinon and Hard Rock Communities.	08/06/21	Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez , Vice President Myron Lizer, and Council Delegate Jimmy Yellowhair joined community members and local leaders at Hard Rock Chapter on Thursday, to finalize a resolution that appropriates \$19.5 million to pave existing dirt roads between the communities of Hard rock and Pinon an initiative that many leaders and local residents have supported for many years.
Approval of Policy Changes for the Navajo Veterans Housing Program will expand housing Options	08/09/21	Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez , Vice President Myron Lizer, were joined by Navajo Nation Veterans advisory Council Members, Navajo Nation Veteran administration Executive Director James Zwierlein, and Navajo Nation Public Safety Executive Director Jesse Delmar on Thursday, as they signed Resolution CJY-46-12 into law, which expands the opportunities of the Navajo Veterans Housing under the Navajo Veterans administration.
Navajo Nation to return to Orange Status starting on Monday due to the increase in Covid-19 Cases.	08/13/21	On Thursday,the Navajo Department of Health issued three new Public Health Emergency Orders decalring “Orange Status” for businesses, schools, and revising in-person gathering limits for certain events in response to the recent increase in Covid-19 cses on the Navajo Nation. The new public health emergency orders will go into effect on Monday, August 16, 2021. The Navajo Nation's mask mandate remain in effect. There is no daily curfew or lock down in effect.
Delegate Kee Allen Begay Jr. meets with US Senator Kelly and other congressional delegations in Washington, DC.	08/18/21	A Navajo Nation Council Resolution on July 5 was signed that appropriates \$19.5 to pave 15 miles of dirt road between Hard Rock, Arizona, and Pinon. This is a project that local leaders and resident have supported for many years.

Bashas' Dine Market to add Starbucks in Navajo Nation Stores.	08/19/21	Responding to community feedback, grocery stores in Tuba City and Kayenta Arizona to open new Cafe' locations this year.
Navajo Nation meets with Red Lake Natio on Criminal Justice Complex.	08/24/21	Last Friday, Speaker Seth Damon of the 24th Navajo Nation Council sponsored Legislation No. 0190-21 that will allocate over \$1.8 million dollrs from the Unreserved, Undesignated fund Balance (UUFB) to address unmet needs for the Navajo Nation Judicail Branch and Navajo Election Administration for FY-2022.
Infections rising, health Advisory Lists 36 Chapters/All Employees must be vaccinated by Sept. 29.	08/26/21	The Navajo Department of Health issued a health advisory notice on Monday reporting uncontrolled spread of Covid-19 in 36 chapters, 15 in New Mexico and 21 in Arizona/ On Sunday a new Executive order was signed that calls for all Navajo Nation Employees and workers at chapters and enterprises to be fully vacinated again Covid-19 by Sept. 29.
16 <sup>th</sup> Annual government to government violence against women tribal conslutation.	08/30/21	Last Friday, the Office on Violence Against Women (OVM) hosted a telconfence on behalf of the U.S. Attorney General. As an office in the U.S. Department of Justice, it is exploring ways to implement a new pilot program that would provide grants to victim sercie providers, tribal organization, and other possible entities ahtat provide flexiabile financial assistance to victims of secul assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking.
Navajo Nation Department of Personnel Managment to Host Job Fairs in September.	08/31/21	The Navajo Nation Department of Personnel Management DPM will host five agency job fairs during the month of September to extend employment opportunities at the following locations and time.
Construction of New Bridge proved safe route for Tse Si Ani Community	09/02/21	Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez, Navajo Nation Council Members, Navajo Area Bureau of Indian Affairs Regional Director Gregory Mehojah, and Tse Si Ani Chapter Official and reidents gathered on Wednesday, to celebrate the completion of the construction of a new two lane concrete bridge along N9402 in community of Tse Si Ani, located approximately 22 miles south of Window Rock, AZ. The New Bridge replaces a deteriorated wooden bridge that was constructed over 40 years ago and often created transportation challenges for local residents, school buses, first responders, and others.

Tonalea Families to Receive Long-Awaited Power Line Extensions with signing of Agreement by President Nez	09/07/21	On Saturday, Navajo Nation President Nez was joined by elders and families in Tonalea, Arizona. As he finalized a subgrant agreement between the Navajo Nation and Navajo Tribal Utility Authority to extend power lines to homes in the community of Tonalea, AZ., which will provide long awaited electricity to at least 23 families, many of whom lived their entire lives without electricity.
Preserving History; Miss Navajo Donates Items to Museum	09/08/21	She wanted only to win the best butcher title that year but she achieved more than expected. Shaandiin Paul Parrish won the best butcher, Miss Photogenic, People's Choice, Miss Congeniality and the coveted Naabeeho Bich eeki Crown becoming the 2019-2020 titleholder on Sept 7, 2019.
Niagara Rockbridge Crowned Miss Navajo Nation 2021-2022	09/13/21	On Saturday, Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez, First Lady Phefelia Nez, Second Lady Dottie Lizer, a Chief Justice JoAnn B. Jayne joined Miss Navajo Nation Shaandiin Parrish as she crowned the 2021-2022 Miss Navajo Nation Niagara Rockbridge of Tselani/Cottonwood and Pinon Communities during a live virtual coronation ceremony at the Navajo Nation Museum in Window Rock.
Delegate Tells painful stories during budget Debate.	09/16/21	Painful stories by Delegates were revealed during a discussion over budget matters late Thursday. Delegate Amber Crotty reported that 27 child-sex cases were declined by US Attorney Office.
Speaker Damon and Council Delegates welcome Dine Saanii for Justice advocates to the Capital.	09/20/21	Today, Dine Saanii for Justice marchers made their way to the Navajo Nation Council Chambers to speak on the injustice women on the Navajo Nation Comprehensive Budget Hearing where amendment three (3) would have re-allocated \$86,806.00 from the Navajo Nation Washington Office to the Navajo Nation Office of the Prosecutor
Speaker Seth Damon Sponsors Bill allocating \$1.8 Million for Election Administration & Navajo Nation Judicial Branch.	09/21/21	Last Friday, Speaker Seth Damon of the 24 <sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council sponsored Legislation No. 0190-21 that will allocate over \$1.8 million dollars from the Unreserved, Undesignated fund Balance (UUFB) to address unmet needs for the Navajo Nation Judicial Branch and Navajo Election Administration for FY-2022.

Veterans Join Navajo Nation Council to address Critical Shortfalls with the Veterans administraton

09/27/21

Today, Speaker Seth Damon (Baahaali, Chichiltah, Manuelito, Red Rock, Rock Springs, Tseyatoh) and members of the 24<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Concil joined a gathering of veterans and their families to discuss their grievances and the shortfalls of direct services offered by the Navajo Nation Veterans Administration (NNVA). Veterans and surviving spouses shared their frsutration with the lack of support provided by tribal, state, federal agencies during the pandemic.

Navajo Nation's FY 2022 Comprehensive Budget approval includes funding for veterans, prosectors and direct services.

09/28/21

On Monday Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez was joined by Vice President Lizer in Many Farms, Arizona as he signed into law the Navajo Nation's Fiscal Year 2022 Comprehensive Budget throught Resolution CS-49-21, which includes full funding for veterans, prosectors, and many more direct services for elders, youth, and community needs. The FY'2022 Comprehensive Budget was approved by the 24<sup>th</sup> Navajo Nation Council by a voite of 18-3 on Sept 10, and will go into effect on Oct. 01. The three branch chiefs allocated approximately \$177 million in General Funds for the branches of government.