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Lewanda Ben, AMS
Roland Tso, Grazing Committee

Many Farms Chapter Meeting
January 13, 2020
10:00 a.m.

A G E N D A

- I. Call Meeting to Order, Invocation & Announcements
- II. Review and Adopt the Chapter Meeting Agenda
- III. Read and Accept Chapter Meeting Minutes for December 2019
- IV. New Business Items:
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 2. **Resolution** — Respectfully Requesting Navajo Division of Transportation to Blade and Maintain Tribal Road N8418.
 3. **Resolution** — Requesting the Arizona State Legislature to appropriate General Fund to the Community of Many Farms (Apache County), Arizona for Local School Bus Road Improvements.
 4. Approve Financial Report for Month of December 2019.
- V. Reports:
 - A. Council Delegate/LDA – Kee Allen Begay, Jr./Estelle Benally
 - B. Farm Board – Marlene Thomas
 - C. Grazing Official – Roland Tso
 - D. Veterans Organization – Perry Slivers
 - E. Planning & Zoning Commission – Roland Tso
 - F. Service Providers
 - G. Many Farms Chapter Administration – Francine Harrison, CSC
- VI. Adjournment

Announcement: Planning Meeting February 5, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

*Effective February 2020 and on Chapter Meeting(s) will be scheduled at 10:00 a.m.



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Chapter Meeting
January 13, 2020**

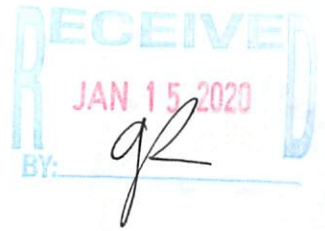
Sign-In Sheet

"A Legal Quorum is 17 Registered Voters"

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| 1. President: <u>Kathy</u> | 31. _____ |
| 2. Vice President: <u>Ajit</u> | 32. _____ |
| 3. Secretary/Treasurer: <u>Jay</u> | 33. _____ |
| 4. Council Delegate: _____ | 34. _____ |
| 5. Grazing Committee: <u>Salvador O.</u> | 35. _____ |
| 6. Farm Board: <u>Billy Begay</u> | 36. _____ |
| 7. Farm Board: <u>Malone Moon</u> | 37. _____ |
| 8. Farm Board: _____ | 38. _____ |
| 9. CSC: _____ | 39. _____ |
| 10. <u>Dorothy M. Dahl</u> | 40. _____ |
| 11. <u>Lenny Platerio</u> | 41. _____ |
| 12. <u>Wilmer Bahr</u> | 42. _____ |
| 13. <u>Charles</u> | 43. _____ |
| 14. <u>Tiare Tso</u> | 44. _____ |
| 15. <u>Yolanda Tso</u> | 45. _____ |
| 16. <u>Trevon Tso</u> | 46. _____ |
| 17. <u>Larry Norcia - Apache City Recorder</u> | 47. _____ |
| 18. <u>Leo M. B. B.</u> | 48. _____ |
| 19. <u>Kee Chan</u> | 49. _____ |
| 20. <u>Dary</u> | 50. _____ |
| 21. <u>Marie</u> | 51. _____ |
| 22. <u>Dary</u> | 52. _____ |
| 23. <u>Susie Oh</u> | 53. _____ |
| 24. <u>J. Anthony</u> | 54. _____ |
| 25. <u>Dennis B.</u> | 55. _____ |
| 26. <u>Iman</u> | 56. _____ |
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Many Farms Chapter Meeting
January 6, 2020
1:00 p.m.
A G E N D A

Meeting postponed by Katherine O. Arthur at 3:15PM. Chapter Meeting will be on January 12, 2020 at 10:00AM.

- I. Call Meeting to Order, Invocation & Announcements
- II. Review and Adopt the Chapter Meeting Agenda
- III. Read and Accept Chapter Meeting Minutes for December 2019
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Announcement: Planning Meeting February 4, 2020

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**Many Farms Chapter Meeting
January 13, 2020
10:00 a.m.**

MINUTES

- I. **Meeting Called to Order by Katherine O. Arthur at 11:21 a.m., Invocation done by Jacqueline Begaye. Announcements:**
Katherine O. Arthur -Chapter Meeting time was discussed during planning meeting it will change to 10:00a.m starting February 2020.
- II. **Aljerino Tsedah Reviewed Chapter Meeting Agenda**
Motion: Yolanda Tso Second: Gary Sam
Katherine O. Arthur - Are there any questions or comments, if none let's put it to a vote:
Vote: Favor-15 Oppose-00 Abstain-02
- III. **Jacqueline Begaye read Chapter Meeting Minutes from December 2019**
Motion: Tiara Tso Second: Trevor Tso
Katherine O. Arthur -Are there any questions or comments, if none let's put it to a vote:
Vote: Favor-16 Oppose-00 Abstain-01
- IV. **New Business Items:**
 1. **Resolution — Requesting Five (5) Acres Located a Quarter Mile East of Mile Post 457.9 off US Highway 191 in Many Farms to be withdrawn for Community Development.**
Katherine O. Arthur Explained the resolution in Navajo Language. Indicating the land will be used for a cemetery.
Motion: Marie Nez Second: Tiara Tso
Marlene Thomas- Who consented? Are they here?
Roland Tso- Veronica consented, permit holders closest are invalid, no tally has been done. Went to Billy and he said he does not use that land.
Marlene Thomas- Only one consented. I don't know.
Hank Platerio -Who will maintain it? Will we be charged \$350.00 like Chinle. It's ok if only one person consent.
Roland Tso- only one valid permit the other for 24 years. Billy Begay didn't want nothing to do with it. Upkeep we will need to seek funding. Policies need to be done as well. Charging? Last week as of Monday DOJ said no more charging to bury someone, that no one should be charged to be buried on trust land. Chinle was told not to charge. We can't either we will be accepting people even from Rough Rock. There are 17 bodies already buried in the area. I am working with another family on the east side to request for land. Down the valley, dogs or coyote got into the remains, that is why we need to be careful where we bury our love one.

Katherine O. Arthur – (Interpreted Roland response in Navajo Language). Including getting a tally is important, and all the studies and surveys that need to be done. Entrance and the fencing area will need to be planned. Any other questions, if none let's put it to a vote.

Vote: Favor- 13 Oppose-00 Abstain-06

2. Resolution — Respectfully Requesting Navajo Division of Transportation to Blade and Maintain Tribal Road N8418.

Motion: Yolanda Tso Second: Tiara Tso

Katherine O. Arthur – Any questions or comments. We will vote;

Vote: Favor-19 Oppose-00 Abstain-01

3. Resolution — Requesting the Arizona State Legislature to appropriate General Fund to the Community of Many Farms (Apache County), Arizona for Local School Bus Road Improvements.

Katherine O. Arthur – Explained in Navajo Language. This will be going to Arlando Teller. He meant with the governor requesting for funding.

Motion: Tiara Tso Second: Dorothy Clah

Katherine O. Arthur - One million we are asking for to improve bus roads under Apache County. Both representatives are supporting us, they are working for us. Any questions comments or discussion.

Vote: Favor-18 Oppose-00 Abstain-02

4. Approve Financial Report for Month of December 2019.

Motion: Tiara Tso Second: Trevor Tso

FUND	ACCOUNT	BEGINNING BALANCE	EXPENSE/ DEBT(-)	REVENUE CREDIT(+)	ENDING BALANCE(=)
01	Chapter Activity	\$4,785.82	\$2,656.56	\$764.80	\$2,894.06
02	NN General Fund	\$2,329.94	\$1,244.55	0	\$1,085.39
03	Land Claims	\$16,250.76	\$1,228.78	0	\$15,021.98
07	Grazing Comm.	\$15.69	0	0	\$15.69
08	SYETP	\$14,944.66	0	0	\$14,944.66
09	Housing Discretionary	\$18,025.51	0	0	\$18,025.51
10	LGA Grant	\$752.39	0	0	\$752.39
12	Chapter Official	\$22,264.38	\$3,000.00	0	\$19,264.38
13	Scholarship- General	\$8,499.00	\$3,900.00	0	\$4,599.00
14	Scholarship- Claims	\$3,546.00	\$2,750.00	0	\$796.00
15	PEP Fund	\$103,612.11	\$11,925.95	0	\$91,686.16
16	Veterans Fund	0	0	0	0
17	Emergency	\$71,231.99	\$5,751.71	\$1.05	\$65,481.33
23	Navajo Nation Sales Tax	\$264,188.25	\$18,960.62	0	\$245,277.63

25	Navajo Nation 180,000 CIP	\$230,619.10	\$17,634.05	0	\$212,985.05
26	Farm Board	\$88.06	0	0	\$88.06
27	Navajo Nation 200,000 CIP	\$16,130.15	\$525.00	0	\$15,605.15
40	Unhealthy Food Tax	\$71,091.00	0	0	\$71,091.00
50	Postal Fund	\$1,520.49	\$1,065.72	\$1,218.75	\$1,673.52
	TOTAL:	\$781,236.96	\$70,642.94	\$1,984.60	\$781,236.96

Katherine O. Arthur – Are there any questions Comments?

Marlene Thomas- I have a question on the farm board. How did this money come about?

Katherine O. Arthur – When I got here the Navajo Tribe gave money for stipend to the farm board and grazing official. This amount, I believe was \$150.00. We are unable to pay because we do not have enough to make deductions. Any other questions.

Marlene Thomas- There is sales tax, Navajo Nation supplemental. When Danny was still here he made arrangements for Irvin. PEP are short term employees, that's what they are hired for not for a long time. Danny requested CIP funds be paid for Irvin Sam salary, I didn't vote at the time. Why does he get paid?

Katherine O. Arthur – Why does he get paid? He gets paid because he works.

Marlene Thomas- The funds is not for salary it is for improvements I don't know how it's used. I am still going to ask at community development what is allow-able and disallowable.

Katherine O. Arthur - Auditor General was asked about this and it was cleared any other questions? If no others we will vote.

Vote: Favor-18 Oppose-00 Abstain-05

Katherine O. Arthur – Grazing Official and Farm Board are excused. Larry Nobel gave a report on Voting before the meeting started. Chapter meeting will be at 10:00a.m. due to the time change and weather. AMS and Chapter Manager are at a training in Albuquerque.

V. Reports: No reports done no audience.

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VI. Meeting Adjourned at 12:13 p.m. by Katherine O. Arthur

Respectfully and to the best of my knowledge submitted by:


Jacqueline Begaye, Secretary/Treasurer