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## TOHATCHI PLANNING MEETING MINUTES

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**I. MEETING CALL TO ORDER: 10:15AM**

**II. ROLL CALL:** President Elvis Bitsilly, Vice President Lee Rodgers, Secretary/Treasurer Jean Crawfore, Grazing Officer Gerald Moore, CLUPC Member: Priscilla Duncan, Senior Council President: Beatrice Dennison.

**III. INVOCATION:** Vice President Lee Rodgers

**IV. REVIEW OF THE AGENDA**

**V. COMMUNITY REQUESTS AND PRESENTERS:**

1. **Cora Mae Joe** – VP Rodgers made a request on behalf of Cora Joe for a handicap ramp to be installed at her home. Application has been submitted along with required documents. The project may require an updated price quotes (3) from lumber companies.

2. **May Fern Dennison** – My house I live in was built back in 1978 and I want to have the septic system replaced, but they could not find the leach field. I had 2 separate IHS group come out to do an assessment on the septic replacement. I was given two names of individuals but to this day, I can't even contact one of them so I do know where my application is with IHS.

**Sonny Moore** – LDA: We can ask Janice, office specialist to see if she is on the list for septic system replacement.

**May Fern Dennison** – My brother, Patrick also needs a bathroom renovation. He needs grab bars installed into a walk-in shower, but I'm requesting to have the stucco on my house redone. I've submitted an application to Maria and all supporting documents, but I probably need an updated price quotes.

3. **Lucinda Barney** – We had a meeting on April 13<sup>th</sup> down on N9653 road. We have not heard when the work will begin on the washout which is getting worse each day. The prior chapter officials would keep us updated on any news regarding the work that needs to take place. We have not heard any news as of yet. I also would like to know if a sign in sheet was taken during this meeting so I can call up some of the individuals who attended the meeting. All I know was the director of NNDOT was present during this meeting.

**President Bitsilly** – As I recall, an assessment and survey of the site was completed on that day and they reminder everyone that this project would be put on their priority list. Roads and Transportation Department will be handling this project so I'll follow up with them.

**Priscilla Duncan** – Requested to add "update on the CHID mobile homes" to the community coordinator's report. My brother, Tommy received his home in February 2026 and we finally had someone people from the CHID home come out in April to clean around the mobile home and install steps to the front door. Tommy asked around getting a handicap ramp instead but they said they don't provide handicap ramps. So the chapter provided and installed a handicap ramp for Tommy. The electricity and septic system have not been installed. At As I recall the meeting with W/R, it was mentioned that everything will be included in setting up the new mobile homes for the families. This would the utilities and the septic system that was agreed upon.

**VI. REPORTS:**

**\*Council Delegate Report/LDA:**

1. **Sonny Moore** – LDA District 14: The Council are considering making Dr. Delores Greyeyes a permanent Director of Safety. The Council will be in summer session in the next couple of weeks and I usually listen out for legislation that effect the chapters.

**Secretary/Treasurer Crawford** – When we had a discussion with Council Delegate Notah at our last meeting, he stated funds for the waterline extensions, bathroom additions, and septic system replacement projects is on hold in W/R. I'm wondering if we have anyone advocating on our behalf for those funds so we can start on our projects for our community.

**Sonny Moore** – LDA: I'm not sure when those funds will be made available to the chapters, but we are planning a meeting with the FRF people from W/R at 9am. What we are trying to do is make the work easier for the CSC's are concerned. We would like to hire two project managers using those funds, but it sounds like we would have to legislate the funds for two project managers.

**Secretary/Treasurer Crawford** – I would like the community to know that President Nygren is coming to our chapter on Thursday. So, Priscilla this is an opportunity time to ask him about the CHID homes which were delivered but have not received utilities or septic systems. According to Vice President Rodgers, it was stated during a meeting with Mr. Patrick Dalgai, the Community Housing and Infrastructure Department (CHID) Manager that everything would be included like the utility, water extension, and septic system installation. Now, it sounds like they are not going to be held accountable for their statement.

**Sonny Moore** – LDA: There was a District 14 Council Delegate forum held at Twin Lakes recently and I don't think many of our community were there. I thought the forum was put together very well by Rhonda Herbert and Carol Muskett and also Vice President Rodgers was there as the time keeper. There was no controversy and everything was done fairly.

**Fern Spencer** – In Red Mesa, there are all these beautiful homes that were built on the right-hand side of the road. Where did they get all that money to build these homes. These are the kind of homes Tohatchi needs for their teachers, physicians, and nurses. I can't believe how much development is happening in that area and I remembered President Nygren. They have brand new facilities, roads, and even highway lighting and of course the tourist who come through there, but it's unbelievable.

The economy development meeting we had in W/R they talked about the 491 corridors and trying to develop our area for restaurants, gas station, highway lighting. Whoever will be coming in as the new delegate needs to be on top of that.

In regards to education, are they still putting money aside for the graduate program? It was like a scholarship fund, funds to help students who want to become doctors, lawyers, etc.?

**Sonny Moore** – LDA: I believe Rose Graham is still in charge of education, but I have not seen any legislation from the Navajo Nation for tribal colleges; NTU, Dine College. But individually, the ones that were requesting for funds for graduate programs, I have not heard if they had run out of money, but I can follow up with them.

Over in Red Mesa, it's not what you know it's who you know which explains all the development happening in Red Mesa. This would be a good question for President Nygren when he comes to visit our chapter. We do have some land for housing development here in Tohatchi. But as LDA's we were told we can't attend rallies.

**Sonny Moore** – LDA: Working as an LDA, it's like looking in from a different window, I really feel that the District 14 leadership can work together on some of these projects. Just like the \$5 million that were given to the chapters for roads. I like to see more collaboration and discussion between the chapters. As leadership, you can reach out to Rhonda from Naschitti and Carol from Mexican Springs who has her connection with the county and the state. They are willing to collaborate on these of these projects. Also, I setup meetings with David Quintana, Cabinet Secretary of Transportation, from Santa Fe back in June but Council Delegate was never available. Now, Mr. Quintana is wanting to meet with us in July. If we can setup a meeting with him maybe he can find us some funding for the highway lighting project for Tohatchi. Mexican Springs will have their highway lighting up soon and the cost is very expensive; for example, Twin Lakes Chapter's lighting is estimated at \$15 million at 3 locations and for Tohatchi, the cost is estimated a \$3.5 million. We have the road

safety audit completed and we know the total cost of the project.

**President Bitsilly** – We received \$3.5 million from the Navajo Nation for the 3 chapters. Legislation 0012-26 needs to be followed up. Navajo Nation also passed amendment and added another 1.5 million to give a total of \$5 million. The highway lighting has been an on-going project for several years and Mexican Springs will have their highway lit up maybe by late fall because they have the money and the plans. Tohatchi has plan and design funds and needs construction funds.

**\*Community Service Coordinator/Officials' Reports:**

**1. Auditor's Close Out Review –**

**Maria, CSC** – the closeout meeting was held on June 26<sup>th</sup> with the auditors and the officials. Out of the 12 findings, according to the auditors only 3 have been corrected. So, I have 9 more that's need to be corrected which is mainly documentation and records that are missing. We were given the next 6 months to work on making those corrections. Auditors will be back in December or maybe in January to go over the 9 findings which includes documentation. Auditors recommended training for the CSC, the AMS, and the officials as well.

**2. Bike Trail Project –**

**Maria, CSC** – Back on May 26<sup>th</sup>, the request for bids went out but no one submitted a bid. On May 29<sup>th</sup> the Community Development Department sent our paperwork to DOJ to request for "sole source." On June 26<sup>th</sup>, DOJ responded to the request for a sole source project and was approved. Currently, CPMD is reaching out to IMBA, Roxanna Martinez and go over the paperwork with them. Once that is completed, we can finally process the check for the bike trail. I also tried contacting Roxanna with no luck, but I did reach Josh with IMBA who is going to contact CPMD.

**3. Kitchen Repair updates –**

**Maria, CSC** – The kitchen is still closed due to the sewage drainage that needs to be replaced. This should have been done when the kitchen was remodeled. I'm not sure when the remodeling occurred, but the sewage drainage was not installed. We put a request for bids and we only receive one from the Chinle. They quoted over \$15,000 which is expensive. In the meantime, I am looking for another bid which is lower than the \$15,000. We do have the funds for the project but I'm looking to try to get the cost down below the \$15,000. As far as the NTEC grant funding to purchase a new stove, refrigerator, and table came to a total of \$26,739.14. The difference comes out to \$11,739.14 which the chapter would be responsible for. I'll need updated quotes for the appliances and we may not be able to purchase all the appliances mention here, but we need to spend the \$15,000.

**4. PEP/SYEP Update –**

**Maria, CSC** - As of June 30<sup>th</sup>, the laborers have been laid off due to lack of funding. They were able to complete the wheelchair ramps for a couple of families. They also installed a picnic table outside and we'll be getting two more for the front of the chapter once the vegetation from the garden bins has been harvested. The PEP workers will all be laid eventually, the receptionist will be laid off at the end of next week. In August, the Office Specialist will also be laid off as well. June 15-26 we hired 13 students, 5 of the students worked at the high school assisting the teachers boxing up their materials to move into the new school building. We also had some students here assisting the PEP laborers with the completion of the handicap ramps. Two of the college students worked in Gallup with a group therapy and the other in W/R with the Department of Health. I do have around \$6000 in funding left so I plan to hire 5 more students to work this summer. Workforce was hiring students for the summer but they are not hiring students quick enough so I've been picking them up for summer employment.

Summer employment for college students was opened back in May and closed on July 2<sup>nd</sup> at 4pm. I had 10 applicants, 2 freshmen, 2 sophomores, and 2 juniors, 2 seniors, and 2 undergraduates. Seven of the ten are

returning for work and the other 3 are new to the summer youth employment program. I have been letting my students know they will have to come to the Planning meeting to introduce themselves and to make a request for the Scholarship program with the chapter. I have a budget of \$7,851.00.

For Housing Discretionary, I have two people Cora Joe for wheelchair ramp and Mae Fern Dennison for renovation. On the State side, ICIP was opened at the beginning of April and closed on July 1<sup>st</sup> for new projects. The chapter submitted for two new projects; one for a new grader estimated cost around \$300,000 and the other one is for Red Willow's proposal for a solar project to be used for their water tank estimated cost around \$200,000. Both projects were submitted to the State within the timeline.

CHID Housing, so far 3 community members have received their mobile homes and we are still waiting to hear when the 4<sup>th</sup> mobile home will be delivered. Once they deliver the last mobile home, NTUA will come in and do the utility hookup. I am working with Tiffany for the utilities and Garrison for the water and septic system. Currently, they're applications were submitted to "light up Navajo" and hopefully they will fund this utility project for the 4 families. Garrison said when he comes out to the chapter he will have the request for water applications. NTUA would like to do all 4 families together at the same time. So in the meantime, I am waiting on the 4<sup>th</sup> home to be delivered, but I will be contacting the representative from CHID to get an update on this.

I also have four of the college students here who will be receiving Tohatchi Chapter financial assistance for school. I did not get the names of the individuals who introduced themselves. The only name I got was Ayrton Tababan, I also have Christopher Miller who is attending school in NY studying criminal justice who will be graduating this coming May 2027. Chastity Watson, sophomore Nursing student attending UNM, Charles Lynch senior studying physical therapy, Teagen Harvey sophomore majoring in business, Kimberly Sam freshman, and Leanne Yazzie who is majoring in Nursing.

**Secretary/Treasurer Crawford** – I want to ask about the work that is needed to repair the sewage drainage pipe that needs to be replaced. We had discussed this with Patricia Begay, and she stated the chapter can try to bid out the project again or the chapter can go with the only bid that was received from Chinle. I was wondering what you were planning to do with this project?

**Maria, CSC** – Yes, I'll try to bid out the project again if we don't get any responses, we'll do a sole source.

5. Bridge N108 update –

**President Bitsilly** – I attended the DNR Expo in Farmington and I spoke with Mr. Mike Halona, Byron Bitsoie with Land Department, and Calvin Murphy with the BIA. I wanted to follow up on our bridge project next to the old Post Office and housing development by the old BIA boarding school. The paperwork for these projects has been sitting on someone's desk for quite some time like the withdrawal and other information that was needed between BIA and the Navajo Nation. I scheduled meeting on July 9<sup>th</sup> with NNDOT, BIA, Chapter officials, Coordinator and Navajo Housing Authority. I'm waiting on Calvin to confirm the usage of their conference room in Gallup to discuss the housing portion.

Darryl Bradley with NNDOT gave an update on the N108 bridge. The bridge and roadway plans are complete. Cultural and biological resources and environmental documents are complete. Tribal Authorization (TAA) the right-of-way was approved by Navajo General Land Department. The NNDOT will advertise the project for construction on July 9<sup>th</sup>.

6. Old BIA Housing Development –

**President Bitsilly** -As far as housing development, I suggest working with Housing Authority on building affordable and professional housing for our community. We do have other areas of land here in our community that can be withdrawn for housing development, but of course, there has to be infrastructure in place like water, electricity, and sewage ponds. Housing is a big priority and we need to start looking into how we can get new housing in our community.

## 7. Navajo Gallup Water Supply Project (NGWSP) –

**President Bitsilly** – This project has been in the works for many years and the funding came from the San Juan Water Settlement and the Bureau of Reclamation. Now, they are working on the completion of this water supply project. There is a shortfall for Tohatchi and Mexican Springs for them to tap into this waterline and Mexican Springs applied for funding from Tribal Infrastructure funds (TIF) with the State and were approved for \$4.6 million which includes Tohatchi. We will be expending these funds and moving the project forward and the project is estimated to be completed in 2028.

The Petroleum Gas Station here in Tohatchi is owned by Navajo Oil and Gas. We've had meetings with them but they have been uncooperative and unwilling to work with us. We also had a meeting last week with DED (Economy Development) and I personally made a request to them to follow up on the gas station to get it moving. We don't want it vacated because we need the business in our community. The 1<sup>st</sup> Responders building did not receive any TIF funding this year but we did get \$4 million prior and another \$1,050,000.00 from Capital Outlay from our State Legislators. Currently, we have \$5 million plus for the construction of the 1<sup>st</sup> Responders facility.

**Vice President Rodgers** – We met on the water drilling project on June 29<sup>th</sup> and did a walk through. The project is nearing completion. Lucinda Barney's place needs an RO filter and we were asked to look into locating a plumber to address the RO filter. Maria CSC, I hope you are listening, they have not heard from Theresa or Vincent regarding their plumbing and they also want to try again at the Badonie residence to drill for water. What they found the 1<sup>st</sup> time was muddy water and toxic minerals in the water. They went back to look at the funds available in the budget and it is enough to try to drill for water again. They had the Council Delegate sign off on another permit for drilling so the Badonie project is still active. I also attended the meeting with the people who are working on the 1<sup>st</sup> Responders facility and we went through all the plans. The issue that was brought forth was there is only one meter for the entire facility and a suggestion was made by all 3 departments, EMS, Police and Fire Department to have their own meter install so they won't be responsible for the others utility expenses. My question to that was who pays for the shared spaces within the facility like the kitchen, conference room, and weight room.

**Sonny Moore – LDA:** On the eastflats water drilling, there was a resolution put in place that states the remaining funds from the drilling project will go into an account for future maintenance and repairs per Mr. Collin Daly's suggestion.

**Vice President Rodgers** – We did mention to Collin the remaining funds from this project will be put in Tohatchi Chapters name for \$10,000 plus. It needs to be clearly stated when money is returned to W/R.

**Priscilla Duncan** – I would like an update on the rural addressing. I think we should be training for the installation portion of the project.

**President Bitsilly** – The materials needed for the rural addressing is stored here at the Chapter. We need laborers to install the signs. Because the PEP laborers have been laid off, so the project will be put on pause. SDR will be coming in to provide the training.

**Fern Spencer** – How many employees do we need to do the installation and I thought we were all set to go?

**President Bitsilly** – They don't have the staff to do the installation but they will provide the maps to identify the roads. They will do that when they come here to do the training.

**Sonny Moore – LDA:** We are going to have to find our own laborers, but we can use some funding from Sales Tax to hire some people to do the training and installation. We need to identify how many laborers will be needed to complete this project. We do have the funds.

**Vice President Rodgers** – We do have Sales Tax money, but I think the chapter kitchen needs to be addressed as priority. We received grant funds from NTEC to purchase kitchen appliances. The sewer system here at the chapter needs to be repaired which will cost the chapter \$15,000.00. We may have funding for

both projects but we need to take another look at Sales Tax funds.

**Secretary/Treasurer Crawford** – I think we need to find out where we are exactly with this rural addressing project. I agree with Fern, we've been waiting for this project to start and we need to know what the hold up is. I know people who would be willing to volunteer for this project, but we need the training from whoever is spearheading this project.

**Fern Spencer** – Are we going to push this project? I know some of these people will come forth to volunteer. I can't believe we are still waiting on this. We attended the workshops and we still don't have our signs up. I have people asking me all the time, when the signs going to be put up for rural addressing.

**President Bitsilly** – We'll start with Donica Sharp, the representative. I'll give her a call and maybe get a training scheduled soon. It should be a simple training not more than 2-3 hours. If we are going to hiring personnel for this project, it's going to require more steps. But we'll try asking for volunteers.

**Vice President Rodgers** – I would like to get a list started for the people who want to volunteer for this project.

**Jordan Craig** – Works with the Crownpoint Judicial District and also Pueblo Pintado. I was previous a court clerk there but now I'm the Office Tech. I was asked to attend the Planning Meeting because our district is looking at hosting a power point for Probate and Quiet Title regarding homesite leases, grazing permits, and things that need to be transferred over. I would like to request to be added to the next meeting to give a 20-minute PowerPoint regarding probate and quiet title. We will try to answer as many questions as possible but if it is a legal question, those will be referred to an attorney. We will provided attorneys who deal with this type of cases.

**Sonny Moore, LDA:** This is the 1<sup>st</sup> time I'm hearing about this presentation. It sounds like its going to take some time, maybe we should consider a separate meeting or even a work session.

**Vice President Rodgers** – I've seen this on FB and I'm wondering how long this presentation will be? But once people start asking questions, it may run much longer.

**Jordan Craig** – We've done this presentation Pueblo Pintado, Huerfano, and Chichiltah Chapters and it has been averaging 20 minutes. We are looking into a bigger and more in-depth presentation but for now we are wanting to hit all the chapters locally.

**Lucinda Barney** – There is an advertisement for this presentation on July 22nd at St. Michaels which is from 10am-3pm.

**Jordan Craig** – St. Michaels falls under W/R and they are doing the same thing with their agency chapters. Since the pandemic, the probate process has become a big issue, so we are trying to share and educate people on the processes in place. We are also reminding the communities jurisdiction between the different courts and what's required at the time of filing, also what we can help with and what we can't help with.

**Mr. Anaya** – The presentation will cover the process of probates and will you provide a template of a will? Just a general will so people can understand what a will is and the importance of a will. Also, can you share something in writing that shows the cost of probate that's with and without a will and attorney?

**Jordan Craig** – I would have to run that by our staff attorney and the cost is a straight \$35 filing fee regardless if you have an attorney or not. Probates are a lengthy application and process. We will provide brochures on that day which will outline the processes and what we do cover in Crownpoint and Pueblo Pintado.

**Grazing Office Moore** – We deal with a lot of probates and quiet titles and transfers through the Grazing Program. Tohatchi, Mexican Springs, Coyote Canyon, and Twin Lakes all report to Crownpoint. Naschitti is in our district but they have to go to Shiprock to file. The 1<sup>st</sup> step is having the individual come to a grazing meeting and making a request for quiet title. Then we give them a letter of recommendation from our grazing committee. Homesites are totally different.

**\*Red Willow Farm Report:**

**Geneva Begay** – On June 25<sup>th</sup>, we had a tree planting workshop. We learned how to plant trees and planted windbreakers. We were able to use the portable building on that day which is still without electricality. We served Navajo Tacos and gave away prizes. Also, we need some help to water the plants outside the chapter since we have been busy. We are still looking for a secretary for Red Willow. Our next meeting is on July 14<sup>th</sup> and the BRCF was approved and we are working with BIA to get the last signature. INCA's representative, Mr. Wallace Tsosie supplied the trees and sponsored us on that day. Also, we were wanting to apply for a grant for Red Willow, but we found out that there is not portal for grants for agricultural on the Navajo Nation. This is an issue and barrier for the Agricultural department. So we had to ask Maria, CSC to apply for funds for us through the State ICIP for matching funds. We are also looking for a contract to fix up the diversion dam.

**\*CLUPC Report:**

**Priscilla Duncan** – We had a representative from W/R come out last month who went through our Manuel and we are near completion. I believe we will be reviewing 8 sections and when that is completed, the Manuel should be completed. It will then go to the RDC committee for approval.

**Fern Spencer** – This Manuel will cover from the beginning of our chapter all the way to present. It opened my eyes to different things that have happen. This Manuel took some time to put together with information like how many people live in our community, what our needs are, and how many schools we have and the list goes on. This is Manuel is something to treasure and we will be sharing it with you once we get it completed.

**Fern Spencer** – I had mentioned there was a Mckinley County Board meeting here in Tohatchi, but unfortunately there were only 8 of us at the meeting. There are things that are going on in your schools that the parents and grandparents don't know about. Mr. Mitchell, our board member was there. The way they had the questioning setup was they had us post our questions on the board and they would get to it later. They had us sitting in groups and they will give you a question and you can comment on the question. Supposedly, this is given to the public after they finished. This is how they had the meeting setup, but previously you could ask questions at the end of the meeting. My concern and question were on substitute teachers and how they are allowed to have substitute teachers teach Math for a whole semester. My other concern is the Special Education department; we just don't have Special Education teachers anymore. These students need good teachers to help them. We really need to get involved as parents, grandparents, and as a community. Just to mention, there is going to be a District 14 meeting in Naschitti this evening at 5pm.

**\*Grazing Officer Moore:**

**Grazing Officer Moore** – Last week we had a District 14 Farm & Ranch workshop and a few of you attended. The new alert is about the new world screwworm and the update is they are finding them in Laredo, Texas and sighting and detection was in San Angelo, TX. On June 7<sup>th</sup> screwworms were found on a dog in Lea County, NM. Presentation was given by the University of Arizona extension agent and they gave examples on how to identify it on your herd or on dogs even in humans. These flies can travel for 15-20 miles a day. The life span of a fly is short, up to 21 days and can lay over 200 eggs. This is the reason why the horse roundup was shut down because they can't transport livestock across the border and that is why there is an increase in beef prices. So we hope this screwworm will be contained and eradicated. We also provided assessment of livestock, gave vaccination, and medication. Also, the reason why you find dirt in your bale of hay is because of the rodents who dig up the earth. So when they bale the hay, the dirt is picked up along with the hay. There is a big problem with prairie dogs and gophers.

**\*Tohatchi Veteran's Report:**

**Rosie Deschiney** – We are scheduled to have an agency meeting this Friday and Tohatchi will be hosting for the 1<sup>st</sup> time. On August 14<sup>th</sup> is National Code Talkers Day and we have a few veterans who were code talkers in our area. Right now, we are finding it difficult locating these individuals' families. We know of Mr. James Nakai, John Pinto, Roy Becenti, Thomas Sandoval, Frank Willetto Sr, and Tom B Yazzie. We will contact the families of these individuals and recognized them in August as Navajo Nation Code Talkers.

**\*Senior Center Report:**

**Beatrice Dennison – Senior Council President:** Supervisor is working on opening up Mexican Springs

Senior Center, but it looks like it's not going to happen any time soon. They are dealing with mice at the Center. is also waiting on the sanitation permit and once the mice problem is resolved she can ask OEH to come back to do another walk through.

Senior Center did open up to breakfast which will only be served on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Breakfast will start at 8:30am to 10:00am. On the Council side, we are advertising for a new Vice President. The previous Vice President resigned. So, if you are interested or know of anyone who is interested, please refer them to me or the Senior Center. The nomination will close on Friday and next week Tuesday when we have our meeting, we will be voting on electing a new Vice President, if we get nominations.

**Secretary/Treasurer Crawford** – Just to follow up on the issue with the Senior Center purchasing food and T&R not accepting their checks. Is this this an issue?

**Beatrice Dennison** – I'm not sure, but I know they had purchased grocery and their check was approved, but there are still issues with checks. It's just difficult to get assistance from the higher ups like the Director of Aging and Long Term.

## **VII. RESOLUTIONS:**

## **VIII. ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Secretary/Treasurer Crawford** – President Buu Nygren will be here at our chapter on Thursday for a campaign rally and Mr. Justin Jones will be here on July 12<sup>th</sup> for a rally as well. I would also like to remind everybody today is the last day to request for an absent ballot.

## **IX. NEXT CHAPTER MEETING DATE: July 17, 2026 (Regular Chapter Meeting) at 10am.**

## **X. ADJOURNMENT: 12:54pm**