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LeChee Chapter Regular Meeting Minutes

Monday, December 8, 2025, 5:00 pm Page

1. Meeting called to order: 5:21 PM Moment of silence
2. Roll call: Holly Phillips
3. Review and Adoption of the December 1, 2025 Planning Chapter Meeting Agenda.
Sponsor: Holly Phillips
Ammend # 4 to reflect regular chapter meeting, and numerical
Add resolution to New business.
 - a. RESOLUTION OF LECHEE CHAPTER LC12082025B: THE LECHE COMMUNITY
RESOLUTION TO THE TUBA CITY REGIONAL HEALTH CARE CORPORATION
ADMINISTRATION AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO KEEP THE LECHEE CLINIC OPEN,
ALL CURRENT SERVICES PROVIDED, AFTER THE OPENING OF ECHO CLIFFS
HEALTH CARE CENTER.
Add Sharon Watson from Page UD under reports #7-f
Add Announcement
Motion: Joanne Pioche Second: Roberta Lyons
Favor : __16__ Oppose: __0__ Abstain: __1__
4. Review and Adoption of the November 10, 2025 Regular Chapter Meeting Minutes.
Sponsor: Holly Phillips
Motion: Christina Gamble Second: Roberta Lyons
Favor : __15__ Oppose: __0__ Abstain: __2__
5. Review Financial Report: Month of November 2025.
Sponsor: Holly Phillips
Motion to defer to next meeting in January 2026. Administration is currently working on this.
Motion: Roberta Lyons Second: Ray Dugi
Favor : __17__ Oppose: __0__ Abstain: __1__
6. Reports and Presentation: (5 minutes time limit per subject):
 - a. Council Delegate Helena Nez Begay/LDA Tom Franklin Jr.
 - b. Tuba City Regional Hospital Board of Directors Lyonel Tso
Provided verbal: updates, regarding LeChee clinic. Covid shots are still being administered here in LeChee and in Tuba City - Monday through Friday. "Protect your family". Some project funding was affected with government shut down, getting back on track. We have had a few delays with turning on water, they are working on getting these to code to get water running. Echo Cliffs will open in October 2026'. Staff housing is arriving; they are modular housing, they are very sturdy and durable. The Board has new board members, President is Dolly Lane, Vice President Ronald and secretary Carmalita Homer. There have been rumors about the closure of LeChee Clinic, these are currently rumors as there is no

decision as to what is going to happen to the clinic. A presentation was provided to members about financial gains/deficiencies and LeChee members were counted to fund Echo Cliffs. There is an upcoming resolution from a community member to have LeChee members be heard. There are unused modular clinics in Bodaway Gap that are not being used. Pharmacy is going to stay open. Community discussion

- c. LeChee Veteran Committee Michell Alex
The Veterans meeting was on Saturday. Paid out 35 Veterans at a total of \$62,075.00 delivered 45 bags to veterans in Sholow. The next Veterans meeting is 2/8/2026. Lionel gives a big thank you to Michell Alex for servicing two years on the board as the Secretary. This is a big position with completing Agenda's, Minutes and keeping track of the budget, Michelle has done a great job.
- d. Glen Canyon Outdoor Academy Niki Jaborski, School Liaison
Requested to move to the Month of January.
- e. Liver Cancer Prevention Roberta Lyons
Provides a verbal and written report.
- f. Page Unified District Sharon Watson
Student Support services, we are like a social service program that services all the schools. Our homeless population went up from 101 to 107. We help children with sports fees, starting in January the sports fees will go up. Our goal this year was to get 100 turkeys for low income families and we collected 125 turkeys. Also, local tour companies have donated financially, we will be passing out what we have remaining for Christmas. We also promote adopting families, and if anyone is interested please reach out (Flyer posted in chapter studentsupport@opageud.org 928-660-0701.). We are worried this year due to the economic struggles of our community members and believe people needing help will come closer to the holidays. The school district is promoting awareness in Mental Health and Suicids prevention, any community member can be trained to identify mental health.

7. OLD BUSINESS: No Old Business

8. NEW BUSINESSES:

- b. RESOLUTION OF LECHEE CHAPTER LC12082025A SUPPORTING THE INTRAGOVERNMENTAL SPACE USE AGREEMENT WITH B4 ENTERPRISES LLC REGARDING A LOT SPACE ON THE CHAPTER COMPOUND

Sponsor: Renee Tsosie

Motion: Joann Pioche

Second: Roberta Lyons

Favor : __21__

Oppose: __0__

Abstain: __5__

- c. RESOLUTION OF LECHEE CHAPTER LC12082025B: THE LECHE COMMUNITY RESOLUTION TO THE TUBA CITY REGIONAL HEALTH CARE CORPORATION ADMINISTRATION AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO KEEP THE LECHEE CLINIC OPEN, ALL CURRENT SERVICES PROVIDED, AFTER THE OPENING OF ECHO CLIFFS HEALTH CARE CENTER.

Sponsor: Renee Tsosie

Motion: Modesta Lewis

Second: Mae Rose Yazzie

Favor : __25__

Oppose: __0__

Abstain: __2__



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9. LeChee Chapter Staff and Officials report: (4 mins allotment time per request)

a. President Irene Nez Whitekiller

November 12, 2025 I attended the Kaibeto Veterans Meeting at 1:00 PM, by invitation of the Kaibeto chapter.

November 6, 2025 Conconino Community College Student invited me to attend the Navajo Shoe Game from 5:30 pm to 8:00 PM.

November 9, 2025 I received an invitation to a Community Recovery Interactive session at Navajo Parks and Recreation building from 2:00PM- 4:00 PM by County Supervisor Lena Fowler.

b. Vice-President Herman Pioche

Written report provided.

c. Secretary/Treasurer Holly Phillips

Water Safe Project Handout provided- "It is important to revamp this program for community members that need this resource. In the coming months community members will see the proposed LeChee Land use plan along with reaffirming resolutions in regards to homesite lease by laws, dangerous animals and community beautification.

d. Grazing Official Tyler Manson

Not present.

e. Chapter Manager Renee Tsosie

Verbal report provided and written report attached.

Sponsor: Holly Phillips

Motion: Roberta Lyons

Second: Joann Pioche

Favor : __18__ Oppose: __0__ Abstain: __2__

10. Announcements: (are subject to change)

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| a. District 1 Meeting (LeChee Chapter) | 12/09/2025, 10:00 AM |
| b. Community Dinner | 12/10/2025, 5:00 PM |
| c. Community Cake Walk | 12/12/2025, 5-7 PM |
| d. Western Agency Meeting (Flagstaff) | 12/13/2028, 9:00 AM |
| e. Zumba | 12/16/2025, 6:30-7:30 PM |
| f. Eve's Place Community Services | 12/16/2025, 1:00 PM |
| g. Christmas Bizarre | 12/19/2025, |
| h. Christmas Eve (Office Closed) | 12/24/2025, 1-5 PM |
| i. Christmas (Office Closed) | 12/25/2025-12/26/2025 |

11. Adjournment:

Sponsor: Irene Whitekiller

Motion: Roberta Lyons

Second: Julia Begay

Favor : __17__ Oppose: __0__

Abstain: __1__

Completed by: Holly Phillips
Holly Phillips 12/8/2025

Shirley Fletcher