



# **Annual Financial Schedule and Report on Compliance Year Ended June 30, 2025**

## **Navajo Nation, Navajo Technical University —State of Arizona Funding Compact**

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**Lindsey A. Perry**  
Auditor General

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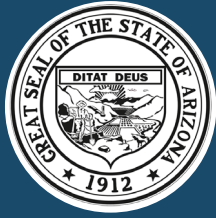
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## ARIZONA AUDITOR GENERAL

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### Independent accountants' report

Members of the Arizona State Legislature

The Honorable Katie Hobbs, Governor, State of Arizona

The Honorable Buu Nygren, President, Navajo Nation

Dr. Elmer Guy, President, Navajo Technical University

We have examined the accompanying schedule of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance of the Navajo Nation, Navajo Technical University—State of Arizona Funding Compact, for the year ended June 30, 2025, and the related notes to the schedule. Navajo Technical University's management is responsible for presenting this schedule based on the criteria described in Note 2. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this schedule based on our examination.

We conducted our examination in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we plan and perform the examination to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the schedule is based on the criteria described in Note 2 in all material respects. An examination involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about the schedule. The nature, timing, and extent of the procedures selected depend on our judgment, including an assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the schedule, whether due to fraud or error. We believe that the evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

We are required to be independent and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to the engagement.

In our opinion, the schedule referred to above is presented based on the criteria described in Note 2 in all material respects.

*Lindsey A. Perry*

Lindsey A. Perry, CPA, CFE  
Auditor General

January 15, 2026

# Navajo Nation, Navajo Technical University-State of Arizona Funding Compact

## Schedule of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance

Year ended June 30, 2025

### Revenues:

Intergovernmental (Note 2)	\$	328,030
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### Expenditures:

Maintenance, renewal, and capital expenditures (Note 2)		<u>0</u>
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Revenue in excess of expenditure		328,030
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Fund balance, July 1, 2024		<u>14,767</u>
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Fund balance, June 30, 2025	\$	<u><u>342,797</u></u>
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# **Navajo Nation, Navajo Technical University-State of Arizona Funding Compact**

## **Notes to schedule of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance Year ended June 30, 2025**

### **Note 1**

Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) §42-5031.01 allows transaction privilege tax revenues (TPT) collected on the Navajo Nation to be transferred to Navajo Technical University. This statute restricts the use of this revenue for the maintenance and renewal of buildings and infrastructure and capital construction costs of new buildings, structures, and site improvements expenditures of Navajo Technical University campuses operating in the State of Arizona. The statute also requires that the State of Arizona and the Navajo Nation enter into a compact requiring Navajo Technical University to account for the use of these monies. The Navajo Nation entered into the current compact in June 2018 for the period of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2040. Navajo Technical University must reimburse the State of Arizona, or the State may withhold future payments, for any amounts not used for maintenance, renewal, or capital expenditures at Navajo Technical University campuses operated in the State.

### **Note 2**

The schedule of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance is presented based on the revenue and expenditure criteria described in A.R.S. §42-5031.01(A) and (C). Under this statute, the Arizona State Treasurer is required to transfer TPT revenues collected on the Navajo Nation to Navajo Technical University monthly. In each fiscal year, no more than \$875,000 or more than five percent of the TPT revenues received from all sources located on the Navajo Nation, whichever is less, may be transferred. In addition, the funding compact requires the University to annually submit a work plan to the Arizona Department of Administration (ADOA) to propose its yearly building maintenance, renewal, and capital expenditures plans, and ADOA must conclude on the work plan's financial feasibility for the University to receive up to \$875,000 of TPT revenues for the year. The State transferred \$328,030 in TPT revenues to Navajo Technical University for the year ended June 30, 2025. Navajo Technical University did not incur any maintenance, renewal, or capital asset expenditures, including goods and services received during the year ended June 30, 2025, regardless of when payment was made.





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### **Independent accountants' report on compliance with the Navajo Nation, Navajo Technical University—State of Arizona Funding Compact**

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The Honorable Buu Nygren, President, Navajo Nation

Dr. Elmer Guy, President, Navajo Technical University

We have examined Navajo Technical University's compliance as to whether during the year ended June 30, 2025, transaction privilege taxes collected on the Navajo Nation and distributed in prior years by the Arizona State Treasurer to Navajo Technical University pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) §42-5031.01 were used solely for the maintenance, renewal, and capital expenditures of Navajo Technical University campuses operating in the State of Arizona as prescribed by A.R.S. §42-5031.01. Navajo Technical University's management is responsible for compliance with the specified requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Navajo Technical University's compliance with the specified requirements based on our examination.

We conducted our examination in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we plan and perform the examination to obtain reasonable assurance about whether Navajo Technical University complied, in all material respects, with the specified requirements referenced above. An examination involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about whether Navajo Technical University complied with the specified requirements. The nature, timing, and extent of the procedures selected depend on our judgment, including an assessment of the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error. We believe that the evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

We are required to be independent and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to the engagement. Our examination does not provide a legal determination on Navajo Technical University's compliance with the specified requirements.

In our opinion, Navajo Technical University complied, in all material respects, with the specified requirements referenced above during the year ended June 30, 2025.

*Lindsey A. Perry*

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January 15, 2026