

1 A MEMORIAL

2 REQUESTING ASSISTANCE FOR THE PLANNING, DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION
3 AND EQUIPPING OF THE KINTEEL RESIDENTIAL CAMPUS IN AZTEC.

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5 WHEREAS, the Kinteel residential campus in Aztec was
6 formerly known as Aztec high school dormitory; and

7 WHEREAS, construction of the dormitory was completed in
8 the spring of 1964, and it is about to celebrate its fiftieth
9 anniversary; and

10 WHEREAS, the facility has a long and proud history of
11 housing children, and at one point one hundred twenty-eight
12 students resided there; and

13 WHEREAS, the building is now a health and safety hazard
14 for students and staff alike; and

15 WHEREAS, with five million dollars (\$5,000,000), a new
16 one-hundred-twelve-bed residential dormitory could be built
17 to provide safe and appropriate student housing;

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE
19 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the senate support the dormitory
20 project in Aztec; and

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the New Mexico congressional
22 delegation be requested to aid in the effort to financially
23 support the planning, design, construction and equipping of
24 the Kinteel residential campus in Aztec; and

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be

1 transmitted to the New Mexico congressional delegation, the
2 United States department of the interior bureau of Indian
3 education, Navajo Nation President Ben Shelly, the Navajo
4 Nation department of Dine' education, the governor of New
5 Mexico, the secretary of public education, the San Juan county
6 board of county commissioners and the New Mexico legislative
7 council. _____

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