CAMERON CHAPTER
RESOLUTION OF CAMERON CHAPTER
NAVAJO NATION, CAMERON CHAPTER ARIZONA

CAMJuly-17-19 #7  A RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO ENACT THE ENERGY INNOVATION AND CARBON DIVIDEND ACT OF 2019 (HR 763) THAT WILL REDUCE FOSSIL FUEL POLLUTION THAT FUels CLIMATE CHANGE.

WHEREAS:

1. Cameron Chapter is a recognized certified local government of the Navajo Nation, vested with the power and authority to advocate on behalf of its constituents for the improvement of health, education, safety and general welfare; And

2. Prudent stewardship of the economy and the environment is a critical responsibility in order to ensure that the resources of the Chapter and its natural environment are available for future generations; and

3. There have been marked increases in extreme weather events and drought across Navajo Nation including extreme heat, wildfires, wind, sand dune migration, and flooding, which are expected to further worsen; and

4. If left unaddressed, the consequences of a changing climate, including severe weather events, have the potential to increasingly adversely impact Navajo communities by reducing productivity of the land and the availability of water, harming economic sectors such as ranching and tourism and saddling future generations with economic and environmental burdens that will further add to challenges of living in the Chapter; and

5. The urgently needed transition from fossil fuels can be accomplished effectively with a national market-based policy, namely a revenue-neutral carbon fee and dividend; and

6. The bipartisan Energy Innovation and Carbon Dividend Act of 2019 (HR 763) is a revenue-neutral carbon fee and dividend bill introduced in the 116th Congress; and

7. The Act will reduce fossil fuel emissions by at least 40% in 12 years and 90% by 2050 which is the level called for by the International Panel on Climate Change; and

8. The Dividend will protect vulnerable Americans from rising energy costs as it stimulates the economy.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:
CERTIFICATION

We hereby, certify that the foregoing resolution was duly considered by Cameron Chapter at a duly called meeting in Cameron, Navajo Nation, Arizona, at which a quorum was present and the same was passed by a vote of \( \frac{1}{4} \) in favor, 0 opposed and 2 abstained on the 17th day of July, 2019.

Motioned:  
Milton Tso, President

Second:  
Emmett Kerley, Vice-President

Mable H. Franklin, Secretary/Treasurer

James Beard, Grazing Representative

Thomas Walker, Council Delegate