

2026-2027 Nez Perce Tribal Executive Committee

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Alexis Walker, Member

Regular NPTEC Meeting – 2nd Tuesday 8:00am-4:30pm – *NPTEC Support – Interims Vestal Smith
and Leslie Spencer*
Special NPTEC Meeting – 4th Tuesday 9:00am-4:30pm

Human Resources Subcommittee – 1st & 3rd Monday 8:30am-12:00pm

CHAIRMAN – Marsan Lawyer
VICE-CHAIRMAN – Alexis Walker
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Ryan Oatman
Ashton Picard
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Natural Resources Subcommittee – 1st & 3rd Tuesday 8:30am-12:00pm

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Budget & Finance Subcommittee – 1st & 3rd Wednesday 8:30am-12:00pm

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Law & Order/Intergovernmental Affairs Subcommittee – 1st & 3rd Monday 2:00pm-4:30pm

CHAIRMAN – Aaron Gould
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NPTEC Support – Keely Collins

Land Enterprise Commission Subcommittee – 1st & 3rd Tuesday 2:00pm-4:30pm

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Climate Change/Energy Subcommittee – 1st & 3rd Wednesday 2:00pm-4:30pm

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Legistar Upload, Microsoft Teams Submission and Emailed Editable Resolutions
are due by 12:00pm the Wednesday before Subcommittees
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