

REFERENCE TITLE: Native American rodeo committee; appropriation

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Introduced by
Senators Hatathlie: Alston, Miranda; Representative Schwiebert

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 3, CHAPTER 8, ARTICLE 1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY
ADDING SECTIONS 3-1013 AND 3-1014; APPROPRIATING MONIES; RELATING TO THE
ARIZONA EXPOSITION AND STATE FAIR.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 3, chapter 8, article 1, Arizona Revised Statutes,
3 is amended by adding sections 3-1013 and 3-1014, to read:

4 3-1013. Arizona Native American rodeo committee; membership;
5 duties; annual report

6 A. THE ARIZONA NATIVE AMERICAN RODEO COMMITTEE IS ESTABLISHED
7 WITHIN THE ARIZONA EXPOSITION AND STATE FAIR BOARD CONSISTING OF FIVE
8 TRIBAL MEMBERS WHO ARE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR, NOT MORE THAN TWO OF
9 WHOM ARE MEMBERS OF THE SAME TRIBE. THE INITIAL MEMBERS SHALL ASSIGN
10 THEMSELVES BY LOT TO TERMS OF TWO, FOUR AND SIX YEARS IN OFFICE. ALL
11 SUBSEQUENT MEMBERS SERVE SIX-YEAR TERMS OF OFFICE. THE CHAIRPERSON SHALL
12 NOTIFY THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF THESE TERMS.

13 B. THE COMMITTEE SHALL:

14 1. ELECT A CHAIRPERSON FROM ITS MEMBERSHIP.

15 2. MEET AT LEAST ONCE DURING EACH CALENDAR YEAR AND ADDITIONALLY AS
16 THE CHAIRPERSON DEEMS NECESSARY.

17 3. FACILITATE AND OVERSEE AN ANNUAL ARIZONA NATIVE AMERICAN RODEO.

18 4. BE GIVEN PREFERENCE IN SELECTING THE DATES OF THE ANNUAL ARIZONA
19 NATIVE AMERICAN RODEO.

20 C. THE ARIZONA EXPOSITION AND STATE FAIR BOARD SHALL PROVIDE THE
21 COMMITTEE WITH ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT, A FACILITY FOR THE ARIZONA NATIVE
22 AMERICAN RODEO AND MEETING SPACE AS NEEDED.

23 D. MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE
24 COMPENSATION BUT ARE ELIGIBLE FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES PURSUANT TO
25 TITLE 38, CHAPTER 4, ARTICLE 2.

26 E. ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2025 AND EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, THE
27 COMMITTEE SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT OF ITS ACTIVITIES TO THE GOVERNOR, THE
28 PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
29 AND PROVIDE A COPY OF THIS REPORT TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

30 3-1014. Arizona Native American rodeo fund

31 THE ARIZONA NATIVE AMERICAN RODEO FUND IS ESTABLISHED CONSISTING OF
32 LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS. MONIES IN THE FUND SHALL BE FOR THE EXCLUSIVE
33 USE OF THE ARIZONA NATIVE AMERICAN RODEO COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED BY SECTION
34 3-1013. THE ARIZONA EXPOSITION AND STATE FAIR BOARD SHALL ADMINISTER THE
35 FUND. MONIES IN THE FUND ARE CONTINUOUSLY APPROPRIATED.

36 Sec. 2. Appropriation; Arizona Native American rodeo fund;
37 intent; exemption

38 A. The sum of \$300,000 is appropriated from the state general fund
39 in fiscal year 2023-2024 and each fiscal year thereafter to the Arizona
40 Native American rodeo fund established by section 3-1014, Arizona Revised
41 Statutes, as added by this act.

1 B. The legislature intends that the appropriation made in
2 subsection A of this section be considered ongoing funding in future
3 years.

4 C. The appropriation made in subsection A of this section is exempt
5 from the provisions of section 35-190, Arizona Revised Statutes, relating
6 to the lapsing of appropriations.