

A Guide to the 5-Day Comment Period

Introduction	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6
Process & Assign No.— Legislation Posted	24-hour Hold	24-hour Hold	24-hour Hold	24-hour Hold	24-hour Hold	Eligible for Action -1 st Committee

- The five (5) day comment period begins at 12:00 am of the day following the posting of the proposed legislation.
- During the five (5) day comment period, you can recommend and/or express “support for,” “opposition,” or “comments/recommendations” to a particular piece of legislation.
 - * Comments must be related to the specific legislation and identified by the legislation number or the specific topic in the subject line. All others will not be forwarded.
 - * Comments will not be edited. The Office of Legislative Services will not publish comments that contain vulgar language, personal attacks of any kind, offensive terms that target protected classes, are off-topic, promote services/products or commercial websites, or make unsupported accusations.
 - * To protect your privacy and the privacy of others, please do not include personal phone numbers, addresses and/or census numbers in the body of the comments. If included, they will be removed prior to publishing.
- The information submitted is considered a public record.
- At the conclusion of the five (5) day comment period, the Office of Legislative Services will compile comments submitted and prepare a comment review sheet (Internet Public Review Summary).
- Information submitted will be electronically available to all members of the Standing Committee(s)/Navajo Nation Council.
- The Internet Public Review Summary will be attached to the legislation and referred to the first Committee assigned and shall be added to the Committees’ next meeting agenda for consideration.
- Comments will continue to be accepted and forwarded to the respective Committee(s) throughout the duration of the proposed legislation.

