

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Tentative Agenda

**TRIBAL AND STATE RELATIONS COMMITTEE**

Tuesday, October 10, 2006

Tribal Council Chamber, Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara (MHA) Nation Administration Building  
404 Frontage Road (directly west of the Four Bears Casino and Lodge)  
New Town, North Dakota

9:00 a.m. Call to order  
Roll call  
Consideration of the minutes of the May 8, 2006, meeting

**DELIVERY OF SERVICES AND CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES IN INDIAN COUNTRY**

9:05 a.m. Presentation by Ms. Maggie Anderson, Director, Medical Services, Department of Human Services, concerning the applicability of the long-term care bed moratorium to the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians

**CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT IN INDIAN COUNTRY**

9:15 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Mike R. Schwindt, Director, Child Support Enforcement Division, Department of Human Services, concerning child support enforcement in Indian country

**OIL AND GAS RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT**

9:45 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Rick Larson, Director of Minerals Management, Land Department, concerning the ownership of oil and gas resources under the bed of Lake Sakakawea

10:00 a.m. Coffee break

**WATER ISSUES**

10:15 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Dale Frink, State Engineer, State Water Commission, concerning water issues in Indian country

**GAME AND FISH ISSUES IN INDIAN COUNTRY**

10:30 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Roger Rostvet, Deputy Director, Game and Fish Department, concerning implementation of 2005 Senate Bill No. 2041 which dealt with hunting on Indian land

**METHAMPHETAMINE ISSUES**

10:45 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Jerry Kemmet, Director, Bureau of Criminal Affairs, Attorney General's office, concerning the methamphetamine problem and how the state and tribes can work together to confront the methamphetamine epidemic in North Dakota

**LAW ENFORCEMENT ISSUES IN INDIAN COUNTRY**

11:00 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Bob Bennett, Assistant Attorney General, Attorney General's office, concerning cross-deputization of law enforcement officers between non-Indian and tribal law enforcement agencies

**EDUCATION IN INDIAN COUNTRY**

11:20 a.m. Presentation by Dr. Chris Keller, Associate Professor of Biology and Past President of the Council of College Faculties, Minot State University, Minot, concerning the activities of the P-16 Task Force

11:40 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Chad Daylen, Superintendent, Twin Buttes Public Schools, Twin Buttes, concerning high school tuition shortfalls

12:00 noon Luncheon recess

- 1:00 p.m. Presentation by the following representatives of the state's tribal colleges concerning tribal education issues:
- Mr. Russell Mason, Jr., President, Fort Berthold Community College, New Town
  - Dr. Cynthia Lindquist, President, Cankdeska Cikana Community College, Fort Totten
  - Dr. David Gipp, President, United Tribes Technical College, Bismarck
  - Dr. Laurel Vermillion, President, Sitting Bull College, Fort Yates
  - Mr. Larry Henry, Dean of Academics, Turtle Mountain Community College, Belcourt

**GOVERNMENT-TO-GOVERNMENT RELATIONS**

- 2:00 p.m. Discussion by committee members, members of the Native American Tribal Citizens' Task Force, and other interested persons in attendance concerning government-to-government relations
- 2:15 p.m. Staff directives
- 2:30 p.m. Adjourn

**Committee Members**

Senators Bob Stenehjem (Chairman), Randel Christmann, Stanley W. Lyson, David O'Connell  
Representatives Rick Berg, Duane DeKrey, Kenton Onstad