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Joint Meeting of The State-Tribal Relations Committee

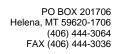
The Fort Belknap Indian Community Council Tribal Council Chambers, 656 Agency Main Street, Fort Belknap Agency

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2013

- 8:30 **Call to Order and Roll Call** — Senator Jonathan Windy Boy, STR Committee Chairman 8:30 Welcome and Introductions — Tracy King, Council President, and Chairman Windy Boy 8:40 Opening Blessing — Fort Belknap Councilman Ed "Buster" Moore State-Tribal Relations Committee Portion of Agenda **Language Preservation Pilot Program** — Brief update Mr. Casey Barrs, Legislative Researcher, Legislative Services Division
- 8:45
- 8:55 Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribes water compact — Brief update Mr. Casey Barrs, Legislative Researcher, Legislative Services Division
- 9:00 **Bison Management**

[NOTE: Each time slot includes presentation AND question period] Mr. Casey Barrs, Legislative Researcher, Legislative Services Division (Update on the Environmental Quality Council discussion of bison)

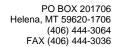
Mr. Mark Azure, Director, Fort Belknap Department of Fish and Wildlife 9:05 Mr. Mike Fox, Councilman, Fort Belknap Indian Community Council





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9:30	Mr. Ken McDonald, Wildlife Bureau Chief, Department of Fish, Wildlife and Parks			
10:00	Ms. Nicole Rolf, Eastern Bureau Federation	Ms. Nicole Rolf, Eastern Montana Regional Manager, Montana Farm Bureau Federation		
10:30		Mr. Leon LaSalle, Board Member (North Central District), Board of Directors, Montana Stockgrowers Association		
11:00	Mr. Jim Stone, Executive Director, InterTribal Buffalo Council			
11:30	Mr. Sean Gerrity, President, American Prairie Reserve			
12:00	Public Comment			
12:15	Lunch (Catered)	Lunch (Catered)		
Fort Belknap Indian Community Council Portion of Agenda				
1:00	Blaine County Road User Tax			
	Mr. John Healy, Directo	or, Fort Belknap Transportationer, Fort Belknap Transportation	-	
1:30		Fort Belknap Water Compact — Update Mr. Randy Perez, Director, Fort Belknap Water Resources Department		
2:30	_	Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Payments Ms. Kay Bell, Director, TANF/GA/477 Employment and Training Program		
3:00	Ammunition Tax Presenter T.B.A.			





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3:15 Right of Ways on Reservation Highways

Mr. Mark Azure, Director, Fort Belknap Department of Fish and Wildlife

3:30 Title IV-E Funding — Indian Child Welfare Issues

Mr. Basil Doney, Social Worker, Fort Belknap Department of Social Services

4:00 Office of Indian Affairs Work in Indian Country

Mr. Jason Smith Acting Director, Governor's Office of Indian Affairs

4:45 Adjourn

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2013

Aaniiih Nakoda College / Fort Belknap College Location T.B.A., Fort Be3lknap Agency

- 9:00 Campus Tour
- --:-- Aaniiih Nakoda Language Immersion Program

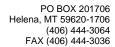
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- --:-- Transferability of Academic Credits between Tribal Colleges and the Montana University System
 - ✓ Mr. Neil Moisey, Deputy Commissioner, Academic, Research and Student Affairs, Office of the Commissioner of Higher Education
 - ✓ T.B.A.
- --:-- General Equivalency Diplomas

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--:-- Adult Basic Education

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Workforce Training

T.B.A.

Wrap Up — Chairman

Confirm issues for next meeting

Instructions to staff

Adjourn 1:00

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