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# Wednesday, September 10, 2014

### Meeting of The State-Tribal Relations Committee Capitol Building, Room 102 Helena, MT

- **10:00 Call to Order and Roll call** Senator Jonathan Windy Boy, Chairman, STR Committee
- 10:00 Governor's Office of Indian Affairs Work in Indian country
  - ✓ Mr. Jason Smith, Acting Director, Governor's Office of Indian Affairs

# 10:30 Language Preservation Pilot Program — Final reports

- ✓ Mr. Casey Barrs, Legislative Researcher, Legislative Services Division
- ✓ Mr. Casey Lozar, Director, State-Tribal Economic Development Commission, Department of Commerce
- 11:00 LC-0001: A bill removing term "half-breed" and "breed" from signage and geological features
  - ✓ Mr. Casey Barrs, Legislative Researcher, Legislative Services Division
  - ✓ Representative Nicholas Schwaderer
  - ✓ Public comment
  - $\checkmark$  Committee action

# 11:30 LC-348: A resolution urging Congress to allocate federal excise taxes to tribes

- ✓ Mr. Casey Barrs, Legislative Researcher, Legislative Services Division
- ✓ Senator Jonathan Windy Boy
- ✓ Public comment
- $\checkmark$  Committee action

# 12:00 LC-0002: A resolution urging support of CSKT water compact process

- ✓ Mr. Casey Barrs, Legislative Researcher, Legislative Services Division
- ✓ Senator Bruce Tutvedt
- ✓ Public comment
- $\checkmark$  Committee action

## 12:30 Adjourn

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