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AGENDA

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June 5 & 6, 2024

Meeting locations are noted within each portion of the agenda

Please note: Agenda item times are approximate. Some items may take more or less time than is allotted.

Site Visits: The site visit tours listed below in italics are limited to committee members and confirmed guests. Space is limited. Guests must register by noon on May 29. If you wish to participate in these visits, please contact Casey Pallister (406-444-3067 or casey.pallister@legmt.gov)

Wednesday, June 5 – Northern Cheyenne and Crow Tribes

- 8:30 a.m. *Guided community tour via Northern Cheyenne Transit (Meet at Littlewolf Capitol Building, 600 Cheyenne Avenue, Lame Deer, MT)*
- 10:30 a.m. Meet with Northern Cheyenne Tribal Leaders in Tribal Council Chambers (Littlewolf Capitol Building)
- STRC call to order, roll call, opening prayer and welcome
 - Greetings; introductions
 - Successes, concerns, questions related to state-tribal or local government-tribal relations
- 11:45 a.m. Public comment on any matter within STRC's jurisdiction; STRC adjourn
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch for STRC and Tribal Leaders; STRC travel to Crow Agency
- 2:00 p.m. *Tour Little Bighorn Battlefield and meet with Crow Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Aaron Brien (Meet at Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument, 756 Battlefield Tour Rd, Crow Agency, MT).*
- 3:45 p.m. Meet with Crow Tribal Leaders (Little Bighorn College Cultural Lodge, 8645 Weaver Drive, Crow Agency, MT)
- STRC call to order, roll call, opening prayer and welcome
 - Greetings; introductions
 - Successes, concerns, questions related to state-tribal or local government-tribal relations

- 5:15 p.m. Public comment on any matter within STRC's jurisdiction; STRC adjourn
- 5:30 p.m. Dinner for STRC and Crow Tribal Leaders

Thursday, June 6 – Billings

- 8:30 a.m. STRC call to order, roll call, opening prayer and welcome (Rocky Mountain Tribal Leaders Council, 2929 3rd Ave N Suite 300, Billings, MT)
- 8:45 a.m. Meet with Rocky Mountain Tribal Leaders Council (RMTLC)
- Greetings; introductions
 - Intro to RMTLC, Services, Overview of Health Programs, Collaboration efforts
- 9:15 a.m. Property Taxes: Overview and Impacts on Indian Country
- Robin Rude, Deputy Administrator, Montana Department of Revenue Property Assessment Division
- 10:00 a.m. Public comment
- 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:30 a.m. STRC Business Meeting (RMTLC meeting room)
- Administrative matters (Casey Pallister)
 - HJ 1: Study of Missing Youth (Casey Pallister)
 - State-Tribal Consultation (Casey Pallister)
 - PL-280 Updates (Casey Pallister)
- 12:30 p.m. Public comment on any matter within STRC's jurisdiction; STRC adjourn

Please note:

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