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Sunday, August 8, 2010

Travel day.	Hotel check-in begins after 3pm
3:00pm to 5:00pm	Registration open Location: Grand Council North (Iroquois Complex) Vendor tables available
Evening	On your own

Monday, August 9, 2010

8:00am	Continental Breakfast & Registration Location: Grand Council North (Iroquois Complex)
Note: 8am to 5pm	Vendors and Displays in Grand Council North
10:00 to 11:00am	Pre-Conference NAGPRA Training Session “Using 43 CFR 10.11 to Return ‘Culturally Unidentifiable’ Native American Remains and Associated Funerary Objects” Overview of federal procedures regarding the determination that Native American human remains and associated funerary objects are “culturally unidentifiable” <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Museum and Federal agency preparation of an inventory of Native American human remains and associated funerary objects• Review committee compilation of an inventory of culturally unidentifiable human remains and associated funerary objects• The Culturally Unidentifiable Native American Inventories Database (CUNAID)
11:00am to noon	Review of the new regulations regarding the disposition of culturally unidentifiable Native American human remains (43 CFR 10.11).
Noon to 1:30pm	Lunch Break (on your own)

- 1:30 to 3:00pm Using the new regulatory provisions to seek the return of “culturally unidentifiable” Native American human remains and associated funerary objects
- Determining the geographical affiliation of culturally unidentifiable “Native American” human remains [*including requesting additional information from the museum/Federal agency*]
 - Establishing tribal land and aboriginal territory [discussion of the Indian Claims Commission decisions and other sources]
 - The question of associated funerary objects [*uses of state law*]
 - The question of non-federally recognized Native American groups
 - The question of other approaches to determining disposition [*state law, etc.*]
 - Notices of inventory completion
- 3:00 to 3:15pm Break
- 3:15 to 4:00pm Using the new regulatory provisions, continued
- 4:00 to 5:00pm Wrap-up discussion and remaining questions
- 6:00pm to 8:00pm Opening Reception. Location: Turtle Room

Tuesday, August 10, 2010

- 8:00am Continental Breakfast & Registration
Location: Grand Council North (Iroquois Complex)
- Note: 8am to 5pm Vendors and Displays in Grand Council North
- Note: 1:30pm to 4pm Government Accountability Office representatives available for individual consultations on Smithsonian repatriation issues, and Indian Arts & Crafts issues. Location: Michigan Room.
- 9:00am to 10:15am Welcome and Opening Remarks
Location: Grand Council North (Iroquois Complex)
- Posting of the Colors by the Wisconsin Indian Veterans Association. Ho-Chunk Nation Drum Group.
 - Opening Prayer by Richard Baird (Oneida)
 - Opening Remarks by Host Tribe
 - Opening Remarks by NATHPO
 - Attendee Introductions
 - Special Recognitions
- 10:15am to 10:30am Break
- 10:30am to 11:30am Keynote Address: M. Wayne Donaldson, Chairman, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, and California State Historic Preservation Officer

- 11:30am to 12noon Comments by Burton W. Warrington, Policy Advisor to the Deputy Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs, U.S. Department of the Interior
- Lunch Break Lunch provided. Location: Turtle Room
12noon to 1:30pm
- Speaker: Kathleen McLaughlin, US Army Policy, “Principles for Department of Army Interaction with Federally-Recognized Indian Tribes”
 - Speaker: Thomas Gates, “Cultural Landscapes in Indian Country”
- 1:30pm to 2:15pm “Incorporating Historic Preservation into Youth Programming”
This inspirational presentation highlights the successes of collaboration and emphasizes the efforts to incorporate aspects of preserving tribal history, culture and heritage into various tribal programming designed to assist and/or educate the youth. Collaborations include: Tribal Housing, Water Resources, Adolescent AODA, Summer Youth Employment Program, TRAILS, High School Ojibwe Language Class, Family Services Coordinated Services Team, Domestic Abuse Services, Head Start and other private schools and summer youth programs.
- Edith Leoso, THPO - Bad River Band of Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Tribal Historic Preservation Office
- 2:15pm to 3:00pm “National Park Service and Tribal Initiatives”
Many if not all parks in the national park system have cultural connection to Tribes and their heritage and history. As a matter of policy, NPS is seeking to strengthen its relations with adjacent or culturally affiliated tribes. Panelists will discuss current and emerging Park and Tribal issues and innovative partnerships, including gathering of plant materials for traditional uses; access to culturally significant sites, co-management, public education, and career development for tribal youth.
- Dr. Michael Evans, Acting Superintendent Effigy Mounds
 - Dr. Cyd Martin, Intermountain Region
 - Barbara West, Superintendent, Chaco Canyon
- Moderator: Destry Jarvis, President, Outdoor Recreation & Park Services
- 3:00pm to 3:15pm Break
- 3:15pm to 4:00pm “Establishing CRM Standards & Guidelines for Environmental Review of Non-Federally Regulated Projects – California’s Work in Progress”
- Janet P. Eidsness, MS, RPA, Blue Lake Rancheria THPO
 - Suntayea Steinruck, Smith River THPO
 - Patricia Garcia-Tuck, Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians THPO
- Description: Addresses current efforts to establish S&Gs for practice of archaeology pursuant to CEQA – which is the California State version of NEPA established in 1970 that requires assessment of effects on historical resources of proposed private, local & state government projects.
Discussion will include a history of this law including amendments, such as adoption of a California Register of Historical Resources to establish

significance criteria (mirroring that of the National Register) that now includes recognition of Traditional Cultural Places; “best practices” drawn from the NHPA Section 106 process, including Tribal Consultation (although not required under CEQA), to build legally defensible cultural resource assessments; and examples of the “good, bad and ugly” sides of archaeological consultants that market CEQA related services.

4:00pm to 4:45pm “Wisconsin Inter-Tribal Repatriation Council Tribal Monitoring”
The Wisconsin Tribes will talk about their monitoring efforts as a panel discussion. Discussion to include the Hwy 29 Project, which is within the Oneida reservation boundaries and is a Section 106 project that culminated in a MOA thru consultation.

- Corina Burke, Oneida Tribe of Wisconsin THPO
- Bill L. Quackenbush, Ho-Chunk Nation THPO

Evening On your own

Wednesday, August 11, 2010

8:00am Continental Breakfast & Registration
Location: Grand Council North (Iroquois Complex)

Note: 8am to 5pm Vendors and Displays in Grand Council North
Note: 10am to 4pm Government Accountability Office representatives available for individual consultations on Smithsonian repatriation issues, and Indian Arts & Crafts issues. Location: Michigan Room.

Note: 10am to 4pm i-Ten Associates, Photogrammetry Operations & Remote Sensing Demonstration available for individual consultations. Location: Ontario Room.

9:00to 9:45am “Cerberus Action Update: The Four Corners Artifact Trafficking Case”
Update on the joint BLM and FBI investigation into the looting of archaeological sites and trafficking in artifacts and Native American cultural items in the Four Corners Region.

- Emily S. Palus, National Curator & NAGPRA Coordinator, Bureau of Land Management, Interior Department, Wash., DC
- Daniel Love, Special Agent, BLM

9:45to 10:30am “Government Accountability Office Report, ‘Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act: After Almost 20 Years, Key Federal Agencies Still Have Not Fully Complied with the Act’”
GAO representatives discuss their findings, conclusions, and recommendations of their recently issued report. GAO is working on two other reviews: Smithsonian repatriation efforts, and the Indian Arts & Crafts Act.

- Jeff Malcom, Assistant Director, GAO Natural Resources and Environment Team
- Mark Keenan, Senior Analyst, GAO Natural Resources and Environment Team
- Emily Hanawalt, Senior Analyst, GAO Natural Resources and Environment Team

10:30am to 10:45am	Break
10:45am to 12noon	Bureau of Indian Affairs Update on CRM Work
	<p>Topic: "Legacy of Keex Kwaan: A Historic Structures Survey of Kake, Alaska"</p> <p>Description: BIA Alaska Region Division of Environment & CRM/Arch and Alaska Office of History and Arch produced a pamphlet that identifies historic buildings in Kake's built environment and develops associative and architectural contexts for those buildings. The pamphlet also provides recommendations on whether or not historic buildings form a historic district eligible for inclusion in the National Register or if a district should be considered at the local level. This project is intended to serve as a vehicle for integrating historic preservation into future community planning.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rob Meinhardt, BIA Alaska Region
	<p>Topic: "Archaeological Investigations and Site Conservation on the Chippewa Flowage, Lac Courte Oreilles Reservation, Wisconsin"</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • William Kurtz, BIA Midwest Regional Archaeologist
	<p>Topic: Continuation of discussion of the Bureau of Indian Affairs working with THPO programs in Indian country.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marvin Keller, BIA Federal Preservation Officer
Lunch Break 12noon to 1:30pm	<p>Lunch provided. Location: Turtle Room</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regina Cravatt Berna, Director, Chickasaw Nation Museums and Historic Sites • Rita Lara, Director, Oneida Nation Museum
1:30pm to 2:15pm	<p>"Working with Wisconsin Inter-Tribal Repatriation Committee and Wisconsin Museums"</p> <p>Panel discussion on their work of the past year that was made possible by a NAGPRA grant</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WITRC Committee Members • Danielle M. Benden, Academic Curator, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Department of Anthropology
2:15pm to 3:00pm	<p>"The National NAGPRA Program: Databases and Discussion"</p> <p>National NAGPRA will guide participants through the updated (culturally unidentifiable inventories, NACD, etc.), and the new databases (culturally affiliated inventories and notices of intended disposition). At that time, a test Summaries database may also be available for introduction to participants. The use of the culturally unidentifiable inventories (CUI) rule since the finalization on May 14, 2010, will be discussed. Participants will be invited to talk about what actions they are taking to implement this rule as a tribe, museum or federal agency. In addition, an outline of the steps for CUI that are not under the rule will also occur. An update on the various Program activities will also be presented to the participants, including additional training opportunities, such as webinars.</p>

Finally, participants will be encouraged to share strategies and best practices in their NAGPRA duties.

- Jaime Lavalley, Notice Coordinator, National NAGPRA Program, National Park Service, Washington, DC

3:00pm to 3:15pm	Break
3:15pm to 4:00pm	<p>“Tribal Considerations in the Develop and Execution of a FEMA Prototype Programmatic Agreement”</p> <p>Discuss FEMA pursuit of a prototype PA in accordance with 36 CFR 800.14 and whether such an agreement would be appropriate to address tribal issues and concerns.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• William "Eric" Breitreutz, FEMA Historic Preservation Specialist• Peter Thomas, FEMA Historic Preservation Specialist
4:00pm to 4:30pm	<p>"Tribal Preservation: A NPS Program Report"</p> <p>Presentation of tribal preservation program achievements, changes, current status of the NPS program, and a look at what lies ahead for FY2011.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• James Bird, NPS, Chief, Tribal Preservation Program Manager
4:30pm to 5:30pm	<p>“‘Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act: Back to Basics,’ a report by the National Trust for Historic Preservation”</p> <p>The National Trust for Historic Preservation is finalizing a report that will include recommendations on how to improve federal agency Section 106 consultation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Elizabeth S. Merritt, Deputy General Counsel National Trust for Historic Preservation
Evening	On your own

Thursday, August 12, 2010

Bus Tour Options (sign-up required):

Meet in the lobby of the Radisson Hotel and participate in one of two tour choices:

But Tour One. Depart at 8:00am and return to Radisson no later than 5:00pm:

- a. Forest County Potawatomi Cultural Center, Library & Museum, Mike Alloway, Sr., Director
 - b. Menominee Cultural Museum and Menominee Logging Museum, Dave Grignon, Menominee Nation THPO
 - c. Oneida Nation Museum, Rita Lara, Director
- Maximum capacity: 56 people

Bus Tour Two. Depart at 8:00am and return to Radisson no later than 1:00pm:

- a. Oneida Nation Museum
- b. Log Homes
- c. Tshyhewka Store
- d. Long House
- e. Pamperin Park Excavation Site
- f. Farmers Market (lunch on your own)

6:00pm to 8:00pm Dinner and Social Dance. Location: Turtle Room

Friday, August 13, 2010

- 8:00am Coffee
Location: Grand Council North (Iroquois Complex)
- 9:00am to 9:45am “Strategic Approaches for Tribes to Bring Cultural Preservation and Services Learning Together”
Several Indian tribes have managed to gain significant federal funds for projects that address their cultural and historic preservation needs with a service learning approach. Learn more about service learning and the opportunities available within the Federal government.
- Anthony Guy Lopez, Native American Program Assistant, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation
 - Donna Gourd, Cherokee Education Services, Program Director of the Cherokee Nation Learn and Serve, & Americorps
- 9:45am to 10:15am "Tribes and the FCC: Preservation Partners in the Review of Communication Towers"
Description: Discuss the important role that THPOs have in the Sec 106 review of communications and broadcast towers. FCC wishes to have a more-involved relationship with the Tribes; FCC wants to ensure that THPOs have the tools and knowledge to effectively review tower projects.
- Stephen Delsordo, AICP, Federal Preservation Officer, Federal Communications Commission
- 10:15am to 10:30am Break
- 10:30am to 11:15am “Community Engagement through the Power of Media”
Learn how you can utilize television, radio and internet resources to engage your community. NAPT has resources such as documentary films with viewer guides included, educational materials for the classroom, radio theater programs, and an educational website that you can utilize in your facilities.
- Georgiana George Lee, Assistant Director, Native American Public Telecommunications
- 11:15am to 12noon “21st Century Cultural Resource Documentation”
An introduction to 3D laser scanning/surveying for cultural resource documentation and protection.
- Eric Stone, III, LSIT, GISP, RPP, i-Ten Associates, Minority owned small business. Photogrammetry Operations & Remote Sensing Manager
 - Dennis Thomas, i-Ten Associates
 - Jessee Cowell, i-Ten Associates
- 12noon Conclusion of 12th Annual Meeting
- Retire the Colors by the Wisconsin Indian Veterans Association

Safe travels!

Agenda as of August 3, 2010