

# REGIONAL TRIBAL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE SUMMER MEETING – TRIBAL CAUCUS



#### Pioneer Crossing Convention Center 11 North Main Street Yerington, NV 89447 Tuesday, July 17, 2018

8:30 - 8:45 AM	RTOC Orientation for New Meeting Participants – This session will assist new meeting participants in understanding RTOC
9:00 – 9:10 AM	Opening Prayer – Yerington Paiute Tribe
9:10 – 9:20 AM	Welcome - Yerington Paiute Tribe
9:20 – 9:40 AM	Introductions/RTOC Co-Chair Report – Alan Bacock, Tribal RTOC Co-Chair
9:40 – 10:30 AM	GAP Evaluation Small Group Exercise – Tribal Caucus Gathering Recommendations for GAP Guidance Revisions
	BREAK 10:30 – 10:45 AM
10:45 – 11:15 AM	GAP Evaluation Small Group Report Out and Identification of Specific Comments – Tribal Caucus
11:15 – 12:00 PM	National Tribal Operations Committee Report – Paula Britton (CA), Alex Cabillo, (AZ), Mervin Wright Jr. (NV), Ronnie Ben (Navajo)  Provide a report of activities of the NTOC along with the current and future topics of concern
	the NTC is working through and desiring comment  LUNCH 12:00 – 1:00 PM
1:00 – 1:30 PM	Organizing of Native Nations Regarding Off Shore Oil Drilling Proposal – Learn about an opportunity to move in solidarity with other Native Nations to protect marine areas and migratory species from off shore oil drilling
1:30 – 1:50 PM	Pesticide Tribal Assessment – Nina Hapner, Kashia Band of Pomo Indians Review of updated Pesticide Tribal Assessment
1:50 – 2:00 PM	Regional Interagency Solid Waste Group Update – Rob Roy, La Jolla Band of Luiseno Indians
2:00 – 2:45 PM	Regional Transition Update and Discussion of Priorities - Alan Bacock, Tribal RTOC Co-Chair
	BREAK 2:45 – 3:00 PM
3:00 – 3:30 PM	Regional Workgroups Update
3:30 – 4:00 PM	National Partnership Groups Update
4:00 – 4:30 PM	Success Story – How a Tribe is Engaged in National Activities which Positively Impact their Tribal Community
4:30 – 5:00 PM	Review of Issues for EPA – RTOC Representatives
5:00	Adjourn
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Note: The Tribal Caucus Agenda items are solely selected by the tribal participants without any input from EPA. EPA neither sanctions nor endorses any individuals or organizations speaking during the Caucus. Furthermore, the opinions expressed during the Caucus are those of the speaker and do not necessarily represent the opinions of EPA.



# REGIONAL TRIBAL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE SUMMER MEETING – FIELD TRIP/BREAKOUT SESSIONS



#### Wednesday, July 18, 2018

TIME	SESSION			
8:00 – Noon	Anaconda Mine Field Trip – More details on meeting location and specific times will be announced			
Yerington Paiute Tribe Cultural Presentation and Lunch Noon – 1:30PM				
Yerington Paiute Tribe Administrative Center 171 Campbell Lane Yerington, NV 89447	Community Center	Housing Office	Council Chambers	
1:30 – 2:30 PM	GAP Workgroup	Cultural Resource Protection Panel (tentative)	OW National Updates regarding Waters of the US, Study on Oil and Gas Extraction Wastewater Management	
BREAK (10 MIN)				
2:40 – 3:40 PM	Solid Waste Workgroup	Workshop: Budget Development David Lewis		
BREAK (10 MIN)				
3:50 – 4:50 PM	Workshop: Developing Pilot Programs Under GAP	Interactive Grants Workshop: Including a Grants.Gov demonstration, a presentation on the Top 10 Audit Findings and How to Prevent Them, and with an opportunity for Q&A (Presenters: Angela Mendiola, Tribal Lead Senior Grants Specialist, and Julie		
			and Training Specialist)	



### REGIONAL TRIBAL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE SUMMER MEETING – FULL RTOC



Pioneer Crossing Convention Center 11 North Main Street Yerington, NV 89447 Thursday, July 19, 2018

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8:00 - 8:05 AM	Opening Prayer - Yerington Paiute Tribe		
8:05 – 8:15 AM	Welcome – Yerington Paiute Tribe		
8:15 – 8:25 AM	Roll Call – RTOC Co-Chairs		
8:25 – 8:30 AM	EPA Opening Remarks – Alexis Strauss, USEPA		
8:30 – 8:50 AM	Issues Review from Previous RTOC – RTOC Facilitator		
8:50 – 9:00 AM	Tribal Caucus Report – Alan Bacock, RTOC Tribal Co-Chair		
9:00 - 10:00 AM	EPA Response to Tribal Caucus Report – Jeff Scott, RTOC EPA Co-Chair		
BREAK 10:00 – 10:10 AM			
10:10 – 10:30 AM	Tribal Caucus Issues of Importance During the Transition to the New Regional Administrator – Tribal Caucus		
10:30 – 11:00 PM	Region 9 Transition Updates: Q&A Session with Alexis Strauss		
11:00 –12:00 PM	Tribal Environmental Success Stories - Tribal Caucus		
<b>LUNCH (on your own)</b> 12:00 – 1:00 PM			
1:00 – 1:30 PM	Annual Conference Planning: Brainstorming Useful Sessions for Tribes		
1:30 – 2:00 PM	Developing Pilot Programs Under GAP: Key Takeaways from Workgroup Session - USEPA		
2:00 – 2:30 PM	OGD Policy Updates - EPA's Office of Grants and Debarment (OGD) and Grants Management Office (GMO) will present grant policy updates (Presenters: Angela Mendiola, Tribal Lead Senior Grants Specialist, and Julie Milazzo, Grants Policy and Training Specialist, USEPA)		
<b>PPBREAK</b> 2:30 – 2:45 PM			
2:45 - 3:15 PM	National Tribal Operations Committee Report - Paula Britton (CA), Alex Cabillo, (AZ), Mervin Wright Jr. (NV), Ronnie Ben (Navajo)		
3:15 – 3:30 PM	Review New Issues/Action Items, Meeting Facilitator, EPA		
3:30 – 3:40 PM	Closing Comments, RTOC Co-Chairs		
3:40 PM	Announce Next RTOC Meeting Location/ADJOURN		
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