



Indian Country Energy & Infrastructure Working Group

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AGENDA

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 2014

CONFERENCE ROOM: SEMINOLE F

DOE-IE conference line available all day.

<p>7:45 – 8:30 a.m.</p>	<p>REGISTRATION & FULL BREAKFAST (Hot breakfast will be provided onsite.)</p>
<p>8:30 – 9:15 a.m.</p>	<p>ICEIWG ADMINISTRATION MATTERS (closed)</p> <p>ICEIWG Co-Chairs: Jim Manion, Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon Director Tracey LeBeau, U.S. DOE Office of Indian Energy (IE)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Opening Prayer by Pastor Paul Buster, First Seminole Baptist Church ➤ Welcome: Max Osceola, Jr., Seminole Tribe and ICEIWG Co-Chairs ➤ Discussion of ICEIWG – Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) ➤ Discussion of ICEIWG Goals ➤ Correspondence Items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recommendations to Secretary Moniz & Director LeBeau • ICEIWG/STGWG request for DOE Tribal Summit • Waste-to-energy letter • White House Native American Affairs Council (WHNAAC) Subgroup on Energy ➤ Other Business Matters



9:15 – 10:00 a.m.	UPDATE FROM WHITE HOUSE DOMESTIC POLICY COUNCIL (open) <i>Special Policy Advisor Jodi Gillette</i> , Native American Affairs at the White House Domestic Policy Council (by phone) <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Discussion and Q&A
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	INDIAN ENERGY UPDATES: ICEIWG <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Overview of Agenda and Meeting Goals➤ Review of Past Meeting Summary and Accomplishments to Date➤ ICEIWG Initiatives and Priorities: <i>“Indian Energy, the Next Frontier”</i>
10:30 – 10:45 a.m.	BREAK
10:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	FEDERAL UPDATES DOE Indian Energy Program & Budget Updates <i>Director Tracey LeBeau & Deputy Director Pilar Thomas</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ START & Technical Assistance Programs➤ Capacity Building Programs➤ Financial Assistance Program DOE Departmental Updates <i>Director David Conrad</i> , DOE Office of Congressional & Intergovernmental Affairs <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Inter-Agency Coordination Initiatives➤ DOE National Calls (Update)➤ DOE Quadrennial Energy Review & DOE Focus Areas➤ Promise Zones Report
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	NETWORKING LUNCH (Buffet provided at hotel for participants in the adjacent room.)
1:30 – 2:45 p.m.	TRIBAL POLICY AND PROJECTS DISCUSSION National Legislative/Tribal Energy & Climate Change Policy Updates <i>Associate Director Raina Thiele</i> , White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs (by phone), and <i>N. Dean Polchies</i> , NCAI, to discuss active, national legislative proposals and discussions related to energy and climate change matters in Indian Country. Open Discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Re: NCAI Updates➤ President Obama’s State, Local and Tribal Leaders Task Force on Climate Preparedness and Resilience



	➤ White House Native American Affairs Council / Subgroup on Energy
2:45 – 3:00 p.m.	BREAK
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.	SEMINOLE TRIBE PROJECT(S) OVERVIEW, PRESENTATIONS AND Q&A <i>Board Representative Steve Osceola, Seminole Tribe of Florida, Inc., Board of Directors</i>
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	REVIEW, NEXT STEPS AND WRAP-UP ➤ Future Tribal Leader Forums – calendar discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none">• DOE-USDA Rural Energy Development in Indian Country• Financing Tribal Energy – Clean Energy & Infrastructure• Utility• Biomass, waste-to-energy and carbon sequestration ➤ Future ICEIWG meetings – calendar discussion (D.C. Meeting in conjunction with NCAI Executive Council Winter Session in March 2014; others) ➤ Next Steps and Action Items ➤ Final Remarks and Wrap-Up