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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

NEVADA INDIAN COMMISSION

**Monday, October 24, 2022**  
**9:30 am**

This meeting will be held at the:  
**Hung A Lel Ti Community**  
96 B Washo Blvd.  
Markleeville, CA 96120

This meeting also will use Zoom:

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## AGENDA

- Agenda items may be taken out of order at the discretion of the Chair in order to accommodate persons appearing before the Commission and/or to aid in the time efficiency of the meeting.
- Items may be removed from the agenda at any time. Also, items may be combined for consideration by the Commission.
- Public comment is welcome by the Commission but may be limited to five minutes per person at the discretion of the Chair.
- Public comment is for discussion only, and action may not be taken on any matter brought up under this agenda item until scheduled on an agenda for action, per NRS 241.020.
- Action items are noted by the phrase "For Possible Action."
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- I. Convene meeting, roll call, and establish quorum – Chair Kostan Lathouris
- II. Invocation
- III. Welcome and Land Acknowledgement – Chair Kostan Lathouris  
*“I would like to begin our Nevada Indian Commission meeting by acknowledging that we gather today from the ancestral homelands of the Numa, the Newe, the Nurwvi, and the Wa She Shu who have lived in the Great Basin since time began. Please join me in expressing our deepest respect and gratitude to our four major Indigenous groups; the Northern Paiute, the Shoshone, the Southern Paiute, and the Washoe--not just the original caretakers of the land we now call Nevada--but for their enduring stewardship and protection of our shared lands and waterways. Today, the Nevada Indian Commission reaffirms its commitment to improve the quality of life for our 27 Tribal Nations, Bands, Colonies, and the 62,000-plus Urban Indians who chose to make Nevada their current home.”*
- IV. Introductions of Meeting Participants – Chair Kostan Lathouris
- V. Initial Public Comment
- VI. Approval of July 25, 2022, Commission Meeting Minutes  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- VII. Executive Director Report – Stacey Montooth  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- VIII. Stewart Indian School Cultural Center & Museum Report – Bobbi Rahder  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- IX. Stewart Father’s Day Powwow Report – Sarina Nez  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- X. Indian Education Advisory Committee Report – Fawn Hunter  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- XI. Stewart Indian School Preservation Alliance (SISPA) Report – Commissioner Kelly Krolicki  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- XII. Presentation by the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services Office of Analytics – Alexia Benshoof, Health Bureau Chief
- XIII. Presentation on the Silver State Health Insurance Exchange: *The State Agency That Operates the Online Marketplace Known as Nevada Health Link* – Ryan High, Executive Director and/or Katie Charleson, Communications Officer
- XIV. New Business (For Discussion and Possible Action)
- XV. Old Business (For Discussion and Possible Action)
  - A) Consultation Writing Policy
  - B) Organized Effort to Create Position Paper on Tribal Water Rights for the State of Nevada

- XVI. Agenda items for future meetings (For Discussion and Possible Action)
- XVII. Reminder and Plan, future 2022 Nevada Indian Commission Commissioners' meeting  
Monday, January 30 – 9:30 am;  
Monday, April 23 – 9:30 am; Tentatively at Ft. Mojave  
Monday, July 24, – 9:30 am;

Upcoming Important Dates

**Dancing for the Earth, Dancing for the People: Powwow Regalia and Art of the Great Basin**  
Stewart Indian School Cultural Center & Museum – Great Basin Native Artists Gallery  
Open through May 26, 2023, Monday – Friday 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

**Nevada General Election**

Early Voting, Saturday, October 22 through Friday, November 4

**Nevada Day Celebration at Stewart Indian School Cultural Center & Museum**

Alumni and family share your Stewart memorabilia and photos  
Saturday, October 29 - 1-5 p.m.

**Native American Heritage Month**

November

**Nevada General Election Day**

Tuesday, November 8

**Stewart Father's Day Powwow Committee Arts and Craft Fair**

Friday, November 18 and Saturday, November 19  
Stewart Indian School New Gymnasium

**Stewart Indian School Exhibit**

Reno Tahoe Airport, Departures Art Gallery Concourse C  
Tuesday, November 22, 2022-Monday, January 23, 2023

**50<sup>th</sup> Annual Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada Convention**

*Healing, Strength & Unity*  
Thursday, December 15  
Grand Sierra Resort & Casino, Reno, Nevada

**NIC Commissioners' Quarterly Meeting**

Monday, January 30 at 9:30 a.m., Location TBD

**Nevada Tribes Legislative Day**

Carson City, Nevada  
Tuesday, February 14, 2023

**41st Annual Protecting Our Children Conference**

Indian Child Welfare Association  
Sunday, April 2–5, 2023 — Reno, Nevada

XVIII. Final Public Comment

XIV. Adjournment