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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF NATIVE AMERICAN AFFAIRS

**Friday, April 11, 2025
1:30 pm**

DNAA Commissioners Meeting
Las Vegas Paiute Tribe's
Multipurpose Room
1399 Sackett St
Las Vegas, NV 89106

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AGENDA

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- I. Invocation
- II. Welcome and Land Acknowledgement –
“I would like to begin our Nevada Department of Native American Affairs (DNAA) meeting by acknowledging that we gather today from the ancestral homelands of the Pipa Aha Macay and the Nuwuvi, who have lived in the Great Basin since time began. Please join me in expressing our deepest respect and gratitude to all five of our major Indigenous groups; the Mojave, 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 DNAA reaffirms its commitment to improve the quality of life for our 28 Tribal Nations, Bands, Colonies, and the 62,000-plus Urban Indians who choose to make Nevada their current home.”
- III. Introductions of Meeting Participants
- IV. Introductions of new DNAA Staff
Tribal Health Program Specialist - Opioid Prevention Coordinator – Lawanda Jones
Museum Director – Dr. Joshua Bonde
- V. Election of Commission Chair
- VI. Approval of Meeting Minutes from quarterly meeting on Feb. 10, 2025
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- VII. Executive Director’s Report – Stacey Montooth
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- VIII. Stewart Indian School Cultural Center & Museum Director’s Report – Dr. Joshua Bonde
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- IX. Stewart Father’s Day Powwow Report – Program Officer, Sarina Nez
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- X. American Rescue Program Act Subgrants Report – Management Analyst, Janet Davis
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- XI. Presentation – Governor’s Office of Federal Assistance, Shana Rhinehart, Executive Grant Analyst and Grant Matching Program Administrator (For Discussion and Possible Action)
- XII. Presentation – Brian Wadsworth, Chief Operating Officer, Native Public Media. Federal Communications Commission’s Missing and Endangered Persons (MEP) Event Code
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- XIII. Goal Setting and Scheduling for Strategic Plan
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- XIV. Future Agenda Items
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- XV. Final Public Comment
- XVI. Adjournment

April

- > UNLV Powwow for the Planet, Las Vegas, April 12-13
- > NABS Project, Grand Sierra, April 21 –25, NEED 23 elders
- > Screening of “Remaining Native” Documentary, Nevada Museum of Art, Thursday, April 24, 6 pm
- > Screening of “Remaining Native” Documentary, UNR Joe Crowley Student Union, Friday, April 25, 4 pm
- > Threads of Tradition: Community Day, Celebrating 25 Years of the Great Basin Native Basketweaves Association, NMA, April 26, 10 am - 4 pm

May

- > Newe Waipaipian 4th Annual MMIW Awareness Conference May 3-6th
- > Radley Davis: Pit River Cultural Traditions, NMA, Friday, May 9, noon
- > Waší-šiw Guwá? | The Work of the Washoe People, featuring basketry of weaver Datsolalee in the Under One Sky Basketry Gallery, Nevada State Museum, May 15
- > Nevada Tribal Food & AG Summit, Maverick Casino & Hotel, Elko NV, May 20-22
- > Lucy Lippard and Judith Lowry on Storytelling and Indigenous Feminisms, Friday, May 23, virtual at noon

June

- > Stewart Father’s Day Powwow, Evening Session, Friday, June 13
Elders/Alumni Brunch, Saturday, June 14
Grand Entry, noon and 7 pm, Saturday, June 14
Grand Entry, noon, Sunday, June 15
- > Peggy Berryhill and Judith Lowry: On the Power of Storytelling, June 12, Nevada Museum of Art, 6 pm
- > UNLV Native Youth College Camp, June 22-26

July

- > ITCN Convention, Reno, July 13-18

October

- > Western Museum Association Conference, Reno, Oct. 1-4

November

- > Artist and Curator Meet and Greet, NMA, Saturday, November 15, 2 pm
- > Mary McCloud’s Birthday in Schurz, TBA November

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- > Nevada Water Resources Association Conference, Las Vegas, February 2026