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## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**

### **NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF NATIVE AMERICAN AFFAIRS**

**Tuesday, March 17, 2026**  
**1 PM – 4:30 PM**

**Shoshone-Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley Indian Reservation**  
Tribal Council Chambers  
1825 Idaho Street, Owyhee, NV 89801

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## **AGENDA**

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- I.** Convene meeting, roll call, and establish quorum – Chair Staci Emm  
DNAA Executive Director Stacey Montooth
- II.** Invocation – Dr. Art Martinez
- III.** Welcome and Land Acknowledgement – Chair Emm  
*“I would like to begin our Nevada Department of Native American Affairs (DNAA) meeting by acknowledging that we gather today on the ancestral homelands of the Numu, and the Neve 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.”*
- IV.** Initial Public Comments
- V.** Approval of Meeting Minutes from quarterly meeting: Dec. 22, 2025, and Jan. 30, 2026  
(For Discussion and Possible Action) – Chair Emm
- VI.** Strategic Plan Next Steps – Dr. Joshua Bonde  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)
- VII.** Commissioners – Oral Reports  
(For Discussion)  
Agriculture and Natural Resources – Chair Emm  
Economic Development – Commissioner Andrea Martinez  
Education – Dr. Arlie Stops  
Health and Human Services – Dr. Martinez  
Sovereignty, Civic Engagement, Remediation and Inequities – Commissioner Tiger
- VIII.** Executive Director’s Report – Stacey Montooth (For Discussion)
- IX.** Stewart Indian School Cultural Center & Museum Director’s Report – Dr. Bonde  
(For Discussion)
- X.** Powwow Report – Sarina Nez
- XI.** American Rescue Program Act Subgrants Report – Management Analyst Janet Davis  
(For Discussion)
- XII.** Presentation: U.S. Census Bureau – Tribal Relations Program Overview and 2030  
Census Update – Alaina Capoeman Davis
- XIII.** Presentation: Congressionally Directed Spending Request – Ashley Martinez, Regional  
Representative and State Community Development Coordinator

- XIV.** Presentation: Western Resource Advocates – Nadene Hubbard (Navajo), Tribal Engagement Fellow, Sydney Welter, Regional Markets Policy Advisor
- XV.** Introduction to The Carter Center – NEON (Nevada Election Observation Network) – Stacy Shinn, Democracy Program Consultant and Andrea Martinez, Nevada Deputy Manager and Tribal Liaison
- XVI.** Final Public Comment
- XVII.** Adjournment – Chair Emm

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