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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

NEVADA INDIAN COMMISSION

**Monday, July 25, 2022**  
**9:30 am**

This Meeting will use Zoom:

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## AGENDA

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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 Nuwuvi, 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. Introductions of New State/Partner Employees – Stacey Montooth

VI. Initial Public Comment

VII. Approval of April 25, 2022, Commission Meeting Minutes  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)

VIII. Executive Director Report – Stacey Montooth  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)

IX. Stewart Indian School Cultural Center & Museum Report – Bobbi Rahder  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)

X. Stewart Father’s Day Powwow – Sarina Nez  
(For Discussion and Possible Action)

XI. Report: *2020 US Census for Nevada's American Indian Population* – Jessica Imotichey,  
US Census Bureau Tribal Relations Specialist

XII. Report: *Smart-From-The-Start Energy Planning* – Peter Gower, The Nature Conservancy,  
Strategy Director

XIII. New Business (For Discussion and Possible Action)

A. Water Rights – Commissioner Staci Emm

B. Food Sovereignty – Commissioner Staci Emm

C. Native Vote Outreach Education – Commissioner Tammi Tiger

XIV. Old Business (For Discussion and Possible Action)

A. Indian Education Advisory Committee (IEAC) Indian Education Strategic Plan Update –  
Chair Kostan Lathouris

B. Stewart Indian School Preservation Alliance (SISPA) – Commissioner Kelly Krolicki

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

Needed Workshop Dates  
AB264 Writing Policy  
*Understanding Nevada's Legislative Process*  
*What New Laws Do Our Tribal Communities Need?*

Other Important Dates:

**Remembrance Run 2022**

Runners leave Yerington Paiute Reservation - Saturday, August 13 at 5 a.m.  
Runners arrive at Stewart Indian School - Sunday, August 14 at 3 p.m.

**Closing; Inheritance: Basketry and Art of the Great Basin**

Stewart Indian School Cultural Center & Museum  
Friday, September 30 at 5 p.m.

**NIC Commissioners' Quarterly Meeting**

Monday, October 24 at 9:30 a.m.

**Nevada General Election**

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

**Nevada Day Parade**

October 29

**Native American Heritage Month**

November

**Nevada General Election Day**

Tuesday, November 8

**Nevada Tribes Legislative Day**

February 14, 2023

**41st Annual Protecting Our Children Conference**

**Indian Child Welfare Association**

April 2–5, 2023 — Reno, Nevada

- XVII. Final Public Comment

- XVIII. Adjournment

