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Dear Friends,

As Lieutenant Governor of the State of Utah, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the 2010 Native American Summit. This summit promises to be a valuable opportunity for highly qualified individuals to lead discussions with conference participants. The Native American Summit is an important forum for the exchange of ideas between participants, presenters and others who participate in this event.

The Native American Summit Committee has done a great job planning this year’s conference. Over the next two days you will have the opportunity to network and learn from some of the brightest leaders. Lance Morgan is certain to be a wonderful keynote speaker and will introduce interesting discussions on the role of economic development. You are sure to have an unforgettable experience, and the knowledge gained will be a tremendous asset to moving rapidly forward to the future.

On behalf of the State of Utah, I thank you for participating in this historic gathering. I’m dedicated to the success of this Summit and have made available members of my staff for this program. I look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Greg Bell
Lieutenant Governor
State of Utah
Wednesday, September 1, 2010

7:30 am  Booth Set-Up

8:00 am  Check-In / Registration

8:30 am  Welcome - Greg Bell, Lieutenant Governor
          Ceremonial Prayer - Navajo Nation

8:45 am  Cultural Performance
          •  Navajo Nation

9:00 am  State of Indian Affairs
          •  Forrest S. Cuch, Director, Division of Indian Affairs
          •  Bill Guevara, Oweesta First Nations Corporation

10:00 am  Break

10:15 am  U.S. Department of Agriculture
          •  Jessica Zufolo, Deputy Administrator, Rural Utilities Service
          •  Jay Mashburn, Rural Community Assistance Corporation

12:00 pm  Lunch

12:15 pm  Keynote Speaker
          •  Leonard Gorman, Executive Director Navajo Nation Human
            Rights Commission

1:00 pm  Education
          •  Christine Kearl, Education Director, Governors Office
          •  Dr. Larry Shumway, Utah State Superintendent of Public Instruction
          •  Dr. Chuck Foster, American Indian Education Specialist, USOE
          •  Clayton Long, Director Bilingual Education, JOM Programs, San Juan School District
• Paul Peterson, Data Steward, Utah State Office of Education
• Ed Napia, Indian Walk In Center, Salt Lake City, Utah
• Robert DePoe, Director Paiute Education, Cedar City, Utah
• Wrap up - Dr. Chuck Foster

2:45 pm  Homeland Security
• Earl Lee, Emergency Manager Utah Navajo Strip Utah Tribal Emergency Response Committee Representative Program
  Highlights

3:45 pm  Break

4:00 pm  Native American Legislative Liaison Committee
• Public Meeting

5:00 pm  Adjourned – Greg Bell, Lieutenant Governor
Thursday, September 2, 2010

7:00 am  Walk/Run - UIHAB

8:00 am  Check-In / Registration

8:30 am  Welcome: Greg Bell, Lieutenant Governor
         Ceremonial Prayer: Navajo Nation

9:00 am  Governmental Addresses
         •  Joe Shirley Jr., President, Navajo Nation
         •  Rupert Steele, Chairman, Confederated Tribes of the
            Goshute Reservation
            Gwen Davis, Chairwoman, Northwestern Band of Shoshone
         •  Jeanine Borchardt, Chairwoman, Paiute Indian Tribe
         •  Marlinda Moon, Acting Chair, Skull Valley Band of Goshute

10:00 am  Break

10:15 am  Governmental Addresses
         •  Francis Poowegup, Vice Chair, Ute Indian Tribe
         •  Ernest House Sr., Chairman, Ute Mountain Ute Tribe
         •  Gary R. Herbert, Governor, State of Utah

11:00 am  Governor Meets Privately with Tribal Leaders
          Booth Presentations

12:00 pm  Lunch

12:15 pm  Keynote Speaker
          •  Lance Morgan, President/CEO, Ho-Chunk Incorporated

1:00 pm  Economic Development
          •  Joe Kalt, Professor, Native Nations Institute

2:30 pm  Break
2:45 pm  Healthcare

Utah Indian Health Advisory Board (UIHAB)

Welcome  Selwyn Whiteskunk, UIHAB Chairperson
Indian Health in UT; 2009-2010 focus
•  Preparedness & H1N1
•  Health & Wellness Promotion
•  Mental Health & Substance Abuse (DHS)
•  Electronic Billing for Medicaid
•  Health Care Reform

Introductions  David N. Sundwall, MD
Executive Director, UDOH

Indian Health Services  Kathleen Annette, MD
Deputy Director, IHS

Health Care Reform & IHS
•  Role of IHS
•  Recommendation(s) for UT

Indian Health Care Improvement Act  NIHB
•  Reauthorization
•  Impacts to Indian Country
•  Role of the National Indian Health Board
•  Recommendation(s) for UT

Health and Human Services  Marguerite Salazar
Director, HHS Region

•  New Leadership
•  Role of HHS in Health Care Reform
•  Recommendation(s) for UT

Questions/Discussions/Wrap up  David Sundwall, MD
Executive Director, UDOH

5:00 pm  Adjourned – Lieutenant Governor Greg Bell
What Does the Division of Homeland Security Do?

Floods, tornadoes, earthquakes, severe storms, landslides, droughts, hazardous material spills, search and rescue. These are just a few examples of emergencies in Utah in which the Division of Homeland Security (HLS) has played an active role. But what does the agency do when there isn't a disaster?

HLS coordinates emergency management efforts between federal, state and local governments. These efforts include preparedness, recovery, response and mitigation.

HLS helps prepare individuals and communities for disasters through outreach and training programs. The division trains nearly 1,000 emergency responders annually in areas such as domestic preparedness, hazardous material, the Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program, professional development and others. Thousands of Utahans receive emergency preparedness education material from HLS. This information helps families prepare to be self-reliant during a disaster situation.

Come and hear how your Tribe can participate in the Be Ready Utah and other programs the Division of Homeland Security has to offer.
Joseph P. Kalt is the Ford Foundation Professor of International Political Economy at the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University. Along with Profs. Stephen Cornell and Manley Begay of The University of Arizona, he directs the Harvard Project on American Indian Economic Development. In addition, he is the author of numerous studies on nation building in Indian Country, co-editor (with Stephen Cornell) of What Can Tribes Do? Strategies and Institutions in American Indian Economic Development, and a principle author of the Harvard Project’s The State of the Native Nations. Since 1987, the Harvard Project has worked for and with tribes and tribal organizations, providing research, advisory services, and education on issues of nation building.

Since 2005, Prof. Kalt has been a visiting professor at The University of Arizona’s Eller College of Management. He is also faculty chair for nation building programs at The Native Nations Institute for Leadership, Management and Policy, which is housed at The University of Arizona’s Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy. He is a trustee of the White Mountain Apache Tribe’s Fort Apache Heritage Foundation, and has represented various tribes in the negotiation of contracts, the rewriting of tribal constitutions, the reform of tribal governments, the design of tribal enterprises, and the securing of compensation for treaty violations and land confiscation. In 2005, Professor Kalt received the National Center for American Indian Enterprise Development’s First American Leadership Award for his contributions to research in public policy affecting Native peoples.

Prof. Kalt is a native of Tucson, Arizona. He and his wife, Judy Gans, have two children. He received his Ph.D. (1980) and M.A. (1977) in Economics from the University of California at Los Angeles, and his B.A. (1973) in Economics from Stanford University.
American Indian Education Programs

Clayton Long, Director Bilingual Education & JOM Programs, San Juan School District
“Holistic Education Concept”

The Four Directions concept will provide a framework for Utah’s American Indian Education Program in Utah. This framework will further the work of the American Indian/Alaskan Native Strategic Plan, while the concept is being integrated into the education framework of the plan.

Ed Napia, Substance Abuse Programs, Indian Walk In Center
“Behaviors Associated with Substance Abuse”

The 2009 American Indian Students Prevention Needs Assessment (PNA) Report is available through the Student Health and Risk Prevention (SHARP) Survey which is conducted every two years under contract with Bach Harrison Survey, Research and Evaluation Services.

Students in grades 6, 8, 10, 12 were randomly selected who identified themselves as American Indians were analyzed and compared with non-native students. The PNA Survey was designed to assess the adolescent’s substance use, their anti-social behavior, and the risk and protective factors that predict these measures.” (American Indian Students Statewide Ethnicity Profile Report, 2009). The data collected will present an alarming trend regarding the concerns of substance use and behaviors. It will also present the value of the SHARP survey and how and why tribal leaders, community leaders, and educators can and should be involved in the survey process.
American Indian Education Programs

Robert DePoe, Director Paiute Education Programs
“Partnerships and Research Initiatives
With the Paiute Tribal Education Programs”

Last year the Paiute Indian Tribe of Utah and Southern Utah University signed an MOU that established a formal partnership between the two organizations. The formal partnership developed a working collaborating Council that exposed and developed research initiatives that benefitted both SUU and the Tribal community. This brief presentation will highlight the success and lessons learned from this partnership.

Paul Peterson, Data Steward, Utah State Office of Education
“Data and Demographic of Utah’s American Indian Students”

Data will show the trends and objectivity in which the American Indian students develop their paths to success. This composite will give an indication on the areas for improvement.
American Indian Summit 2010
Health Committee Presentation Overview

Over the last five years, American Indian Health representatives from Utah’s 7 Tribal Nations, Indian Health Services (IHS) clinics serving Utah, Urban Indian programs, State agency staff and other community stakeholders have dedicated themselves to improve the overall health status of American Indian communities throughout Utah.

This past year has brought significant new federal policy changes and challenges, as well as fruition and completion of several health promotion projects initiated over the last several years. This year, the Health Committee is honored to have speakers from three distinct federal and national organizations address significant health reform changes and challenges Utah’s American Indian Nations and communities will be addressing. There will also be a brief summary of the accomplishment made to improve health promotion, and access to health programs, services and activities over the last year.
Marguerite Salazar
Regional Director – Region VIII
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Biography

Marguerite Salazar was appointed Regional Director for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services – Region VIII on May 1, 2010. As Regional Director she will play a vital role in the Department’s effort to effectively implement the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.

Marguerite served as President/CEO of Valley Wide Health Systems, Inc. (VWHS) since 1989. VWHS is one of the largest rural Community Health Centers in the country, providing primary care to over 40,000 residents of the San Luis, Lower Arkansas and Upper Arkansas Valleys in Southern Colorado. VWHS is recognized for exceptional outcomes with prenatal care and reducing emergency room utilization through Convenient Care in some of the poorest areas of Colorado.

Previously, Ms. Salazar directed Access Social Work Service, a firm that contracted with local public health departments, hospitals and nursing homes to provide social work services.

Ms. Salazar is a Fellow in the National Hispana Leadership Institute as well as a Livingston Fellow in the Bonfil Stanton Foundation and was a Trustee for the Temple Hoyne Buell Foundation and was appointed by Governor Bill Ritter, Jr. to the Board of Governors for the Colorado State University System. She was appointed by Governor Bill Owens to serve as a Policy Board Member for the Colorado Children’s Basic Health Plan. In 1999, she was awarded the Bernie Valdez Award for Excellence in Health from the Latin American Research and Service Agency (LARASA).

She holds a Master's degree in counseling psychology and undergraduate degrees in psychology, sociology and gerontology from Adams State College in Alamosa, CO and she is a Certified Alcohol and Drug Abuse counselor, CAC II. She has been married for 33 years to her husband Arnold, has two children and two grandchildren.
Kathleen R. Annette, M.D., a member of the white Earth Band of Chippewa, has served as the Indian Health Service (HIS) Acting Deputy Director for the Field Operations since February 2009. In this position, Dr. Annette oversees all 12 HIS Area offices. She also provides operational and management information and expertise for the formulation of policies, goals and operational strategies in program and resources allocations that impact on the HIS.

Dr. Annette began her career with the HIS in 1986 as a medical officer at the Leech Lake Service Unit at Cast Lake, Minnesota. She subsequently held various positions of increasing responsibility, including Clinical Director of the Leech Lake Service Unit and Chief Medical Officer for the Bemidji Area of the HIS.

Selected as the Director of the HIS Bemidji Area in 1990, Dr. Annette managed a varied health care program. The Bemidji Area provides health services for more than 90,000 American Indians from the 34 federally recognized Tribe in Minnesota, Michigan, and Wisconsin. Health care is provided through direct care, contact care, or tribally operated facilities. Health facilities range from urban health clinics to programs, the Bemidji Area also contributes to the support of five urban health programs located in Minneapolis, Minnesota; Detroit, Michigan; Green Bay and Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and Chicago, Illinois.
Dr. Annette also served on a national strategic planning committee for the HIS, and is a frequent speaker on Indian health topics at medical schools and other institutions. She is a member of the HIS Director’s Executive Council, which is a decision-making body for the Agency on board issues of policy, programs and public health advocacy.

A graduate of the University of Minnesota, Dr. Annette holds a bachelor of arts degree in chemistry and a doctor of medicine. She obtained her residency training at the Duluth Family Practice Center, receiving board certification in 1986. Professional affiliations includes the Association of American Indian Physicians.

In 2000 and 2008, Dr. Annette was selected as a recipient of Presidential Rank Awards. These prestigious awards are presented annually to top federal managers for extended, exceptional performance the Federal government. Dr. Annette’s other recognitions include the U.S. Public Health Service Outstanding Service Award; the American Indian Service Awards; the Mead Johnson Award from the American College of Family Practice; the Association of American Indian Physicians Recognition Award for Endeavors in America Indian Education on AIDS; the Jake White Crow Award; induction into the Academy of Science and Engineering at the University of Minnesota (she is the first woman to be so honored); and induction into the Northwest Minnesota Woman’s Hall of Fame for significant contributions in her career field. In 2005, she was the first woman and only the third person to be bestowed honoray membership in the Red Lake Nation.
Leonard Gorman, Executive Director, Navajo Nation Human Rights Commission, Legislative Branch, Navajo Nation:

Leonard Gorman, a citizen of the Navajo Nation who was born and raised on the Navajo Nation, is Kinnaazt’ii, born for Deesch-chii’nii.

In 2008, he was hired as the Executive Director for the Navajo Nation Human Rights Commission which is located in St. Michaels, Navajo Nation (Arizona). As the Executive Director, he oversees a staff of six individuals to “conduct public hearings in and near border towns to assess the state-of-affairs between Navajos and non-Navajos, investigate written complaints involving discrimination of Navajo citizens, network with local, state, national, international groups, and advocate for recognition of Navajo human rights and educate the public about human rights and the Navajo Nation’s intolerance of human rights violations.” Mr. Gorman has served as the Legislative Chief of Staff for the Office of the Speaker for the Navajo Nation and as the Executive Director of the Office of Legislative Services for the Navajo Nation. While serving the Navajo Nation as Legislative Chief of Staff and the Executive Director of the Office of Legislative Services, since 2002, Mr. Gorman also served as part of the Navajo Nation’s delegation that participated in the review and development of the U. N. Draft Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples and the Organization of American States’ Draft Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples.
Lance Morgan is a member of the Winnebago Tribe. He is the President and one of the initial founders of Ho-Chunk, Incorporated, the development corporation for the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska. Ho-Chunk, Inc., was begun in 1994 to diversify the tribe’s business interests away from gaming. Ho-Chunk, Inc. is now significantly larger than the tribe’s casino with business interests ranging from home manufacturing, retail, distribution, construction, hotels, apartments, and Internet companies, including Indianz.com and AllNative.com.

He has spoken at over 75 national and regional conferences on various tribal economic development subjects. He is currently a partner in a Native American law firm of Fredericks, Peebles and Morgan.

Lance served as an instructor for the Arizona State Law School, and economic advisor to the BIA, a member of the Federal Reserve Consumer Advisory Committee, and does legal and consulting work on Tribal Economic Development and board member of several corporate entities. He is a member of American Bar Association, Minnesota Bar Association. Mr. Morgan has a law degree from Harvard University and business degree in economics from the University of Nebraska, at Lincoln.

Ho-Chunk, Inc. Awards include the following:

“1999 Indian Country’s 20 Effective Indian Economic Development Projects & Practices” award by National Congress of American Indians,

“2000 ‘Honoring Nations Distinction Award’ award by Harvard University Project on American Indian Economic Development

“2001 Innovations in American Government Award ” award by Harvard University Institute of Government,

American Express
The American Express Center for Community Development (CCD) is a leader in addressing the economic challenges that face Utah’s low- and moderate-income communities. One of the CCD’s main goals is to form partnerships with government agencies, nonprofit organizations, tribal entities, and community organizations to provide long-term relationships that foster community growth and development through solid investment practices such as affordable housing, economic development, and community revitalization. Our association with these community partners has allowed us to work with many talented and dedicated people and to share in the satisfaction of helping to improve the quality of life of residents in our communities.

BYU
The BYU Multicultural Student Services office has 2 college preparation/recruitment programs. The first is called Foundations, and is for 8th, 9th, and 10th graders. Students and parents are invited to participate in a FREE one-day event that occurs the third Saturday in May. Our biggest college preparation/recruitment program is called Summer of Academic Refinement (SOAR). SOAR is a week-long event which prepares and informs students of the educational benefits and expectations at Brigham Young University. SOAR provides ACT preparation, admissions and college success information, and in introduction to Multicultural Student Services. Registration for both programs is done online at http://multicultural.byu.edu.
Division of Homeland Security
Description: Are you really Ready? The State of Utah's Be Ready Utah Campaign focuses on preparing our State's families, schools, businesses and communities to Be Ready for natural and man-made disasters. We encourage people to have an emergency plan in place, to prepare an emergency kit for the home, car, workplace and school, to be informed about the types of disasters to prepare for in Utah, and to get involved in emergency preparedness in your local community. Stop by the Be Ready Booth for information on how to prepare your home, school, business or community and visit www.BeReadyUtah.gov

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

The American Indian Strengthening Families Program is a 14-session, evidence-based skills, children’s life skills and family skills training program that involves both the parents and the children.

Tribes Using American Indian SFP
Some American Indian tribes that have been trained to implement the strengthening Indian Families include: Mashantucket Pequot, Ojibwa, Navajo, Southern Ute, Tohono O’Odham, Shoshone/Bannock, Coeur d’Alene, ad Acoma/Laguna. Sfp 6-11 and 12-16 version is currently being successfully used by the Southern Ute tribe working with families in the Tribal court system.

Culturally specific and age specific versions
Preschool 3-5 Years
Elementary 6-11 Years
High School 12-16 Years
Goals & Objectives:
- Decreased use and Intention to use tobacco, alcohol and illicit drugs.
- Decreased children’s behavior problems
- Decreased parental drug use, stress, and depression
- Increased family cohesion. Communication and organization.
- Increased children’s social and life skills
- Increased in resilience, assets, and protective factors.

Proven Results
- Twice as effective in decreasing alcohol, tobacco and other drugs use as any other prevention program.
- Improves parent/child attachment and family relations, communication and origination.
- Improves adult’s parenting skills, reductions in excessive punishment or lax discipline and improves parenting self efficacy.
Reduced youth behavior problems (i.e., substance use, conduct disorders, aggression, violence, and juvenile delinquency) as well as reduced emotional problems such as depression and psychosomatic disorders.

For program information and Trainings please contact
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