BEST PRACTICES IN TRIBAL GOVERNANCE JULY 17-18, 2014

KWATAQNUK RESORT, POLSON, MT

DAY ONE UNDERSTANDING THE INDIAN CIVIL RIGHTS ACT

Thursday, July 17, 2014

7:00 -8:00 a.m. Registration

8:00-8:10 a.m. Opening remarks and Prayer

8:10- 9:45 a.m. History and overview of Indian Civil Rights Act (ICRA)

Stephen Pevar

9:45- 10:30 a.m. Litigation and challenges to the ICRA

Maylinn Smith

10:30- 10:45 a.m. Break

10:45- Noon Traditional Dispute Resolution and the ICRA Panel Discussion

Jim Taylor, Ann Sherwood, Leonard Gray(invited), Tony Incashola (invited) and Patty LaPlant(invited)

Noon- 12:15 p.m. Break

12:15- 1:15 p.m. Luncheon Speaker- Accessibility to tribal law

Judge Marvin Youpee

1:15- 3:00 p.m. Due Process and Transparency

Legal Overview- Maylinn Smith Panel Judicial Independence

Panel Legislative/ Executive Independence

3:00-3:15 p.m. Break

3:15- 4:00 p.m. Issues in Implementing Tribal Law and Order Act(TLOA) and Violence

Against Women Act (VAWA)

Danna Jackson

4:00- 5:00 p.m. Ethics for Tribal governance and judicial systems

Jim Taylor

DINNER ON YOUR OWN

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COURT, ACLU OF MONTANA, INDIAN LAW SECTION OF MONTANA STATE BAR AND
UMLS-MARGERY HUNTER BROWN INDIAN LAW CLINIC

DAY TWO TRIBAL GRANTS/CONTRACT COMPLIANCE & OIG INVESTIGATIONS

Friday, July 18, 2014

8:00 - 8:15 a.m.	Welcome, Opening Prayer Dan Belcourt and Senator Jonathan Windy Boy(invited)
8:15-10:15 a.m.	Contracting & Compliance issues Pat O'Brien, Dan belcourt and [Tribal and Federal representatives Invited]
10:15-10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30- Noon	Federal Audits & Compliance Issues under ISDEAA Self-Determination Contracts & Self-Governance Compacts Ryan Rusche, Anna Whiting-Sorrell and [Federal Representatives Invited]
12:15- 1:15 p.m.	Luncheon Speaker –Tribal sovereignty and Title IV-E contracting Fred Fisher- Casey Family Programs
1:15- 1:30 p.m.	Break
1:30- 3:00 p.m.	Working with Federal Agencies to Keep Federal Investigations Away & Understanding the Consequences of Federal Investigations Pat O'Brien, Dan Belcourt and [Federal Representatives Invited]
3:00-3:15 p.m.	Break
3:15- 5:00 p.m.	Protecting your Legal Rights When Investigators Come Knocking and Related Ethical Issues Tony Gallagher

PLEASE COMPLETE THE EVALUATIONS