



NWIHA Quarterly Meeting Agenda

Virtual Meeting

May 18-19, 2021



Tuesday, May 18, 2021 (all times PDT)

9:00 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call to Order and Opening Remarks: Laurie Ann Cloud (Nez Perce), Chairwoman • Welcome/Invocation: • Roll Call: Diana Phair (Lummi), Secretary • Approval of Agenda: Laurie Ann Cloud • Approval of Minutes (January 26-27, 2021): Laurie Ann Cloud • Treasurer's Report: Joani Dugger (Grand Ronde), Treasurer
9:30 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AMERIND Update: Ron Ryan, Amerind Liaison; Derek Valdo, Amerind CEO
10:00 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NAIHC Update: Douglas Marconi, Sr. (Colville), Alternate NAIHC Liaison
10:30 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ATNI Update: Shonn Leno (Grand Ronde), ATNI Liaison
11:00 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Other Business <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth Scholarship Awards • Amerind Safety Poster Awards • David Berenbaum, OHC Deputy Assistant Secretary • Call for Executive Committee Members and Liaisons (elections in September)
11:30 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Associate Member Introductions
12:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recess Business Meeting

Wednesday, May 19, 2021 (all times PDT)

9:00 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call to Order and Opening Remarks: Laurie Ann Cloud (Nez Perce), Chairwoman
9:05 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emergency Rental Assistance (ERA) and Homeowner Assistance Fund (HAF) Programs: Ed Goodman, Partner with NWIHA member Hobbs Straus Dean & Walker, LLP, has been instrumental in developing a policy for use with these programs. Ed will provide an overview of suggested policies that members should consider in administering the ERA and HAF.
10:00 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northwest ONAP: Administrator Tom Carney, Director of Field Operations Gary Cooper, and NwONAP staff will be joining us to provide an update on NAHASDA and other HUD Programs, with an emphasis on responding to member questions related to recent IHBG, ICDBG, ARP, and CARES Act programs.
10:45 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RAC Tribal Housing Excellence Academy: Erica Holzhauer of Rural Community Assistance Corporation (RCAC) will be providing information about The Tribal Housing Excellence Academy, a multi-year initiative to work with innovative rural TDHEs and Tribal departments to develop their capacity to leverage funds and manage the housing development process.
11:00 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indian Health Service: Dr. Thomas Weiser, Area Medical Epidemiologist, and CDR Chris Fish, Area Division of Environmental Health Services Director, will be providing an overview of COVID-19 considerations including an Overview of the pandemic in the Pacific Northwest; a discussion of indoor air quality and infection prevention considerations for households, and employee safety and health considerations.
12:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adjourn Meeting

SAVE THE DATE!

Fall Meeting: September 14-15, 2021

Northern Quest Resort, Airway Heights (Spokane), WA

