



September 7-9, 2011
 Bismarck Civic Center Exhibition Hall
 South Fifth and Front Avenue, Bismarck, ND
**“Tribal Challenge: Provide a Safe, Secure Environment for
 Living and Learning with Limited Resources”**

~Agenda~

Wednesday, September 7, 2011

7:15 A.M.	Registration Opens Lower Level, Bismarck Civic Center Exhibition Hall
9:00-11:00 A.M.	Opening Ceremonies (Prairie Rose Room 103-105) Presiding Chair Honorable & United Tribes Technical College Invocation Tribal Elder - Russell Gillette –Mandan, Hidatsa, Arikara Nation Honor Song Presentation of Colors Introductions and Agenda Review David M. Gipp, President United Tribes Technical College

	<p>Opening Welcoming Remarks</p> <p>Charles W. Murphy, Chairman, Standing Rock Sioux Tribe</p> <p>Tex G. Hall, Chairman, Mandan, Hidatsa, Arikara Nation</p> <p>Merle St. Claire, Chairman, Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa</p> <p>Robert Shepherd, Chairman, Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyaté</p> <p>Roger Yankton, Sr., Chairman, Spirit Lake Tribe</p> <p>N.D. Governor Jack Dalrymple</p> <p>Honorable John Warford, Mayor, City of Bismarck</p> <p>Honorable Tim Helbling, Mayor, City of Mandan</p> <p>Kelvin Hullet, President, Bis/Man Chamber of Commerce</p> <p>Other dignitaries and honored guests</p>
11:00-11:15 A.M	Break (Upper Level Exhibition Hall)
11:15-Noon	<p>Presiding Chair -Tex Hall (Mandan, Hidatsa, Arikara Nation) (Prairie Rose Room 103-105)</p> <p><i>Future of Federal Funding</i></p> <p>ND Senator John Hoeven Julie Fedorchak- Deputy State Director for Senator Hoeven</p> <p>ND Senator Kent Conrad John Fetzer – Conrad Representative (tentative)</p> <p>Congressman Rick Berg (invited)</p>
Noon-1:30 P.M.	<p>Luncheon :</p> <p>Award Presentation - Recognition of John Irby, Editor of the Bismarck Tribune</p> <p>Miss Indian Nations Candidates</p>
1:30-2:15 P.M.	<p>Presiding Chair – Roger Yankton (Spirit Lake Tribe) (Prairie Rose Room 103-105)</p> <p><i>Tribal Leader Panel- Past, Present and Future Tribal leaders and the roles they play within Indian Country</i></p> <p>Chairman Merle St. Claire, Turtle Mt. Band of Chippewa Vice Chairman Mike Faith, Standing Rock Sioux Tribe Twila Martin Kekahbah – TMK Consulting <i>Tribal Federal Relationship and Tribal Government Structure Guides</i></p>
2:15 - 2:30 P.M.	Break (Upper Level Exhibition Hall)
2:30 – 3:30 P.M.	<p><i>Taxation and Tribal Nations</i></p> <p>Tex G. Hall, Chairman - Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara Nation Mark Fox, Tax Director - Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara Nation</p>

4:00-5:00 P.M.	<p>TCU Presidents- Addressing Realities in Federal Funding</p> <p>Cynthia Lindquist-Mala, President - Candeska Cikana Community College Laurel Vermillion, President - Sitting Bull College Jim Davis, President -Turtle Mt. Community College Jim Shanley, President - Fort Peck Community College Russell Mason, President - Fort Berthold Community College Steve Heyd, President - Sisseton Wahpeton College Lionel Bordeaux, President - Sinte Gleska University</p>
5:00 P.M.	<p>Networking Event – Appetizers and Beverages (Exhibit Hall A)</p> <p>McKenzie Marcellais Miss Indian Nations Candidates Allen Demaray-Flute</p>

Thursday, September 8, 2011

8:00-4:00 P.M.	<p>Registration</p>
9:00-10:00 A.M.	<p>Presiding Chair – Charles W. Murphy (Standing Rock Sioux Tribe) (Prairie Rose Room 103-105)</p> <p>Law Enforcement Past, Present, and Future</p> <p>Monty Gibson, Associate Director - Division of Professional Standards - BIA- Office of Justice Services Randy Seiler, First Assistant US Attorney of State of South Dakota Chuck Daenzer, Division Chief - FLETC Elmer Four Dance, Special Agent in Charge – District I Office- BIA Law Enforcement</p>
10:00-10:15 A.M.	<p>Break (Upper Level Exhibition Hall)</p>
10:15-11:00 A.M.	<p>Domestic Violence</p> <p>Cecilia Fire Thunder- First Nations Women’s Alliance Carmen O’Leary, Exec. Dir. - Native Women’s Society of the Great Plains Linda Thompson, Executive Director - First Nations Women’s Alliance Julie Beston Sage, Domestic Violence Coordinator - United Tribes Technical College</p>
11:00-11:55 A.M.	<p>Suicide Prevention Panel</p> <p>Jennifer Giroux, MD,MPH - Northern Plains Tribal Epidemiology Center- Great Plains Tribal Chairman’s Health Board Roslyn Fast Horse, Director - Standing Rock Sioux Tribal Wellness Program Mark C. Little Owl, MSW - MHA Nation Behavioral Health Director Minne-Tohe Health Center</p>
Noon-1:30 P.M.	<p>Presiding Chair – Merle St. Claire (Turtle Mt. Band of Chippewa)</p> <p>Luncheon –Keynotes</p> <p>Tim Purdon - ND US Attorney</p>

	Cultural Group-Ecuadorian group Chayag
1:30-2:30 P.M.	<p><i>Youth Panel-Moving towards the future solutions and expectations from emerging leaders current students and leaders for surrounding communities (Prairie Rose Room 103-105)</i></p> <p>Genevive Carmona, Heather Belgarde, Dana Jetty - Spirit Lake Tribe Minnie Two Shields, Wilbur Wilkinson Jr.- Mandan, Hidatsa, Arikara Nation</p>
2:30-2:45 P.M.	Break (Upper Level Exhibition Hall)
2:45-3:30 P.M.	<p><i>Environmental Panel-COUP Proposed Climate, Weather Extremes and Emergency Preparedness</i></p> <p>Moderator: Bob Gough - Intertribal Council On Utility Policy (Coup) Doug Kluck - National Oceanic and Atmospheric Admin (NOAA) and the National Weather Service (NWS) Chad McNutt - NOAA's National Integrated Drought Information System Raj Pandya - University Corporation of Atmospheric Research (UCAR)'s Office Education and Outreach</p>
3:30-4:15 P.M.	<p><i>Indian Gaming</i></p> <p>Mark Van Norman, Executive Director – National Indian Gaming Association Ernie Stevens Jr., President - National Indian Gaming Association Kurt Luger, Executive Director – Great Plains Indian Gaming Association</p>
4:15-5:00 P.M.	<p><i>Lakota Berenstain Bears Presentation</i></p> <p>Sunshine Archambault-Carlow, Tribal Education Manager – Standing Rock Sioux Tribe</p>
4:00 P.M.	<i>Pow Wow Ground Blessing</i>

Friday, September 9, 2011

8:30-9:45 A.M.	Presiding Chair – Robert Shepherd (Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate) (Prairie Rose Room 103-105) <i>Leveraging Assets</i> <i>Native Businesses Panel - How to sustain competitive edge</i> Minority Construction Firm Award – NABEC/MBDA –Rising Sun NADC PTAC – Remarks Jason Smith, Director – MT State & Econ. Dev. Commission Anne Jennings - Office of Indian Energy and Economic Development
9:45-10:00 A.M.	Break (Upper Level Exhibition Hall)
10:00-11:00 A.M	<i>Federal Funding Resources</i>
11:00-12 Noon	<i>Contracting Opportunities with State, Local and Tribal Governments</i>
1:30-3:00 P.M.	UTTC Board of Directors Meeting
9:00 –12:00 Noon 3:00 – 5:00 P.M.	Great Plains Tribal Chairman’s Association

Wednesday, September 7th

Environmental Forum- North Dakota Association Tribal Colleges

Continuing the Discussion Towards Solutions: Climate Change and It’s Impact on ND Reservations
Prairie Rose Room 101(Upper level Exhibition Hall)

TTAP

Prairie Rose Room 102 (Upper level Exhibition Hall)

Tribal Leaders Summit

Prairie Rose Room 103-105 (Upper level Exhibition Hall)

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Tribal Leaders Summit

8:30 a.m. to 12 noon

Prairie Rose Room 105 (Upper level Exhibition Hall)

U.S. Probation and Pretrial Services Meeting

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Prairie Rose Room 103 (Upper level Exhibition Hall)

TTAP

Prairie Rose Room 102 (Upper level Exhibition Hall)

COLT-Coalition of Large Tribes

9:00 a.m. to 12 noon

Prairie Rose Room 101 (Upper level Exhibition Hall)

Procurement

1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Prairie Rose Room 104 (Upper level Exhibition Hall)

United Tribes BOD Meeting

1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Prairie Rose Room 101 (Upper level Exhibition Hall)

GPTCA

3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Prairie Rose Room 101 (Upper level Exhibition Hall)

Suicide Prevention Meeting

All Day

Linden and Maple (Main level West Side)

Other Events:

Thursday-Sunday:

40th Annual United Tribes International Powwow
UTTC Campus, Lone Star Arena

Friday

Youth Day

9:00 A.M. UTTC Campus

UTTC Teeing Off for Academic Success Golf Tournament

12:00 P.M. Registration; 1:00 P.M. Shotgun Start

Apple Creek Country Club

Saturday:

UTTC Parade of Champions

8:30 A.M. Staging at North Dakota Capitol Grounds

10:00 A.M. Parade

Saturday-Sunday:

Softball Tournament

10:00 A.M. Clem Kelly Softball Diamonds