

ITMA

WORKING AGENDA

TRIBAL and INDIVIDUAL TRUST FUNDS & RESOURCES ISSUES “LISTENING CONFERENCE”

HOSTED BY
BLACKFEET TRIBE OF MONTANA
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BLACKFEET COMMUNITY COLLEGE
[Beaver Painted Lodge Student Commons]
Browning, Montana

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April 5-6, 2005

TUESDAY, April 5, 2005

8:30 a.m.CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
Sponsored by the Blackfeet Nation

9:00 a.m. Opening.....Betty Cooper
Blackfeet Tribal Council

Invocation.....“The Crazy Dog Society”

Welcome Remarks.....Honorable William Talks About
Chairman, Blackfeet Nation

Introductions.....Betty Cooper

9:30 a.m. ITMA Trust Reform/Settlement Efforts.....Honorable Jim Gray
Osage Chief & ITMA Chairman

10:00 a.m. Overview of ITMA Agenda & Purpose of Conference.....Mary Zuni
ITMA Executive Director

10:15 a.m. Office of the Special Trustee/ITMA Trust Reform Liaison.....
Marcella Giles, Esq.

10:30 a.m. 15 minute Break

10:45 a.m. Office of the Special Trustee Report & Open Discussion
Special Trustee for American Indians, Ross O. Swimmer
Donna Erwin, Principal Deputy Special Trustee, Albuquerque, NM
Robert Upton, Regional Trust Administrator, Albuquerque, NM
Carrie Moore, Office of External Affairs, Washington, DC
Patricia Gerard, Office of External Affairs, Albuquerque, NM
Lisa Bullshoe, Fiduciary Trust Officer for Blackfeet Tribe

11:00 a.m. Report on "To-Be" Trust Reform Initiatives.....
Honorable John Berrey, Chairman, Quapaw Tribe
Karole Overberg, Assinibone Sioux – Tribal Rep.
Geri Small, Northern Cheyenne – Tribal Rep.

11:15 a.m. Bureau of Indian Affairs Report & Open Discussion
Representative – Washington, DC (confirmed, individual tba)
Regional Director Keith Beartusk & Staff
Superintendent – Blackfeet Agency, Ross Denny
Deputy Superintendent – Blackfeet Agency, Cliff Hall

OST and BIA STAFF WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR ON-SITE FOR
CONSULTATION WITH INDIVIDUALS REGARDING THEIR IIM ACCOUNTS
THROUGHOUT LISTENING CONFERENCE

12:00 p.m. Lunch ~ Hosted by the BLACKFEET NATION

1:00 p.m. TRIBAL & INDIVIDUAL TESTIMONIALS - LISTENING SESSION
Panel #1 – 10 Minute Testimonials

Tribal Representative _____
Tribe _____

Tribal Representative _____
Tribe _____

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Tribe _____

Tribal Representative _____
Tribe _____

OST & BIA RESPONSES TO PANEL

2:30 p.m. 15 Minute Break

3:00 p.m.

Panel #2

Indian Landowner _____
Tribe _____

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Indian Landowner _____
Tribe _____

OST & BIA RESPONSES TO PANEL

3:30 p.m.

Panel #3 - “On site” Registrations – As Time Permits

Indian Landowner _____
Tribe _____

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Indian Landowner _____
Tribe _____

OST & BIA RESPONSE TO PANEL

4:30 p.m. 30 Minute Break

**5:00 p.m. *Dinner provided by Blackfeet Nation*
*Open microphone session***

WEDNESDAY, April 6, 2005

8:30 a.m.CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

9:00 a.m. Reconvene..... Honorable Jim Gray, Osage
ITMA Chairman

Invocation.....Blackfeet Representative

9:10 a.m. Special Trustee for American Indians, Ross O. Swimmer
Office of the Special Trustee

9:30 a.m. TRIBAL & INDIVIDUAL TESTIMONIALS - LISTENING SESSION #2
Panel #1

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OST & BIA RESPONSE TO PANEL

10:30 a.m. 15 Minute Break

10:45 a.m.
Panel #2

Indian Landowner _____
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12 noon Lunch

1:30 p.m.
Panel #3

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OST & BIA RESPONSE TO PANEL

2:30 p.m. 15 Minute Break

2:45 p.m.
Panel #4 - "On site" Testimonials - As Time Permits

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OST & BIA RESPONSE TO PANEL

4:00 p.m. Closing Remarks & Adjournment

***5:00 p.m. Dinner provided by Blackfeet Nation
Open microphone session***