

WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

AGENDA

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON STATE-TRIBAL RELATIONS (Senator Spencer Coggs, Chair)

June 4, 2009

Rib Mountain Municipal Center 3700 North Mountain Road Wausau, WI

10:00 a.m.* CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL.

10:05 a.m. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE DECEMBER 16, 2008 MEETING.

10:10 a.m. OPENING REMARKS AND INTRODUCTIONS.

10:15 a.m. MUTUAL ASSISTANCE BETWEEN TRIBAL AND COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES; INVITED PRESENTATION AND COMMITTEE DISCUSSION.

• Frank Taylor, Chief, St. Croix Tribal Police Department.

10:45 a.m. SCHOOL MASCOTS AND LOGOS DEPICTING AMERICAN INDIANS; INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND COMMITTEE DISCUSSION.

- Michele LaRock, President, Wisconsin Indian Education Association (WIEA) and Barbara Munson, Chair, WIEA "Indian" Mascot and Logo Task Force.
- Ritchie Plass, Green Bay.
- John Teller, Menominee Language Liaison, College of the Menominee Nation.
- Harvey and Carol Gunderson, Religious Americans Against Indian Nicknames and Logos, Osseo.

1:00 p.m. BRIEFING ON LEGISLATION TO CODIFY THE FEDERAL INDIAN CHILD WELFARE ACT IN THE WISCONSIN STATUTES:

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• Chris Goodwill, Tribal Attorney, Ho Chunk Nation.

1:15 p.m. OTHER BUSINESS.

1:25 p.m. PLANS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS.

1:30 p.m. ADJOURNMENT.

Other committee members: Sens. Fitzgerald, Hansen, and Jauch; Reps. Mursau, Sherman, and Soletski; and Public Members Adams, Brown, Duffek, Fish, Fleming, Hoeft, Mayo, Montano, and Shopodock.