2017 Tribal Environmental Program Management Conference

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Conference Agenda

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
(EPA) Region 5 – 12th Floor
Ralph Metcalfe Building • 77 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL

Track 1	Water - Lake Michigan Room
Track 2	Air - Lake Superior Room
Track 3	Land - Illinois Room (Waste, Brownfields, Toxics)
Track 4	Multi-Media - Lake Huron Room
Computer Room B	STORET/WQX Training By appointment with Jonathan Burian, burian.jonathan@epa.gov, (312) 886-2916
Indiana Room	Barbara Wester, Office of Regional Counsel - Available upon request
Lake Erie Room	Tribal Highlights and Information Room (Posters, Video/Slide Show, Handouts, Pamphlets will be available)

MONDAY, April 3, 2017

8:30 am - 5:00 pm	**Tribal Mercury Workshop** Includes an hour for lunch (Lake Michigan Room)
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	**Overview of Tribal Governments in Region 5** Douglas Cox, Menominee Tribe; Allison Smart, Little River Band of Ottawa Indians; Nancy Schuldt, Fond du Lac Band (Illinois Room)
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	**Training: 8-hour Hazwoper Refresher (Part I)** (Part 2 of the 8-hour training is at 1 - 5 pm on Thursday afternoon) John Glover, Shanna Horvatin and Rebecca Iversen, Resources Management Division (RMD), EPA Region 5 (Lake Huron Room)
5:00 pm	Adjourn

TUESDAY, April 4, 2017

8:00 am - 9:00 am	On-Site Registration (12th Floor)			
9:00 am - 9:45 am	**Welcome and Introductions** Cheryl Newton, Acting Deputy Regional Administrator, EPA Region 5 Anthony Greenwater, Director, Tribal and International Affairs Office, EPA Region 5 (Lake Michigan Room)			
9:45 am - 10:45 am	**Climate Change Monitoring Strategy** Shane Bowe, Red Lake Band and Kyle Powys Whyte, Michigan State University (Lake Michigan Room)			
10:45 am - 11:00 am	Morning Break			
11:00 am - 11:30 am	**Pre- and Post-Monitoring of a Stream Restoration Project** James L. Snitgen, Oneida Nation	**Air Program Welcome and Question & Answer (Q & A) with Senior EPA Air Program Leaders** Ed Nam, EPA Region 5; Pat Childers, EPA Headquarters	**Going Organic** Carol Staniec, Region 5 Land and Chemical Division (LCD), EPA Region 5; Kyle Boone, Pokagon; Stan Ellison, Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community	**Effective Grants Management: Overview of Desk Reviews and Other Common Tribal Grant Issues** Sharon Green and Karen Sykes, RMD, EPA Region 5
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	**Manoomin on Lake Lac Vieux Desert as Traditional Cultural Property** Roger LaBine, Lac Vieux Desert Band			**Reducing Mercury Exposures in Babies** Patricia J. Mccann, MDH
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch Break Water Division Brown Bag - Lake Ontario Room			
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	**Environmental Justice in Region 5** Alan Walts, Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance, EPA Region 5 (Lake Michigan Room)			
2:00 pm - 2:30 pm	**DIY Robotic Water Quality Monitoring Pontoon** Ole Olmanson, Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community	**Interagency Indoor Health Initiative** Andrew Meindl, ARD, EPA Region 5	**Pollinator Protection in Indian Country** Margaret Jones, EPA R5; Shannon Judd, Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa; Michael Arce, Oneida Nation; Victoria Ranua, Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community	**Working Session: Cultural Significant Resources** Jeff Mears, Oneida Nation; Celeste Hockings, Lac du Flambeau Band; Roger LaBine, Lac Vieux Desert Band; Jennifer Ballinger, GLIFWC; Jessica Snyder, EPA Headquarters OLEM Facilitator: Christopher Black
2:30 pm - 3:00 pm	**Increasing Upstream Wild Rice Habitat through Downstream Construction of Bridges** Nathan Podany, Sokaogon Chippewa Community			
3:00 pm - 3:15 pm	Afternoon Break			

3:15 pm - 3:45 pm		**Engaging and Educating Students through the Community Learning Center Afterschool Program** Celeste Hockings and Patricia Moran, Lac du Flambeau Band	**Tribal Participation in Clean Diesel and Volkswagen Settlement** Pat Childers, Office of Air and Radiation, EPA Headquarters; Lucita Valiere, Office of Air and Waste, EPA Region 10	**Conducting Waste Characterizations** Dolly Tong, LCD, EPA R5; John LeBlanc, Red Lake Band; Linda Nguyen, Red Cliff Band	**Brownfields 128(a) Program Overview** Rosita Clarke and Kirstin Kuenzi, Superfund Division, EPA Region 5
3:45 pm - 4:15 pm		**Story Maps** Angela Waupochick, Stockbridge-Munsee Community			
4:15 pm - 4:45 pm		**Tribal Natural Resources Department and Tribal College Collaboration: Assessing Sacred Fish Habitats** Andrew T. Kozich, Ph.D., Keweenaw Bay Ojibwa Community College	**Supplemental Environmental Projects Opportunities for Tribes** Avi Lapp, ARD, EPA Region 5	**Tribal Solid Waste Program Costing Tool Demonstration** Shem-Mong Chou and Dolly Tong, LCD, EPA Region 5	**UST/LUST Question-and-Answer Session** Mark Restaino, Bob Egan and Sherry Kamke, LCD, EPA Region 5; John LeBlanc, Red Lake Band
4:45 pm		Adjourn			

WEDNESDAY, April 5, 2017

8:00 am - 9:00 am	On-Site Registration (12th Floor)			
9:00 am - 10:00 am	**Tribes and Federal Environmental Program Authorities** Barbara Wester, Office of Regional Counsel; Ann McCammon-Soltis, Great Lakes Indian Fish & Wildlife Commission (GLIFWC); Shane Bowe, Red Lake Band; Nancy Schuldt, Fond du Lac Band; Naomi Tillison, Bad River Band; Brandy Toft, Leech Lake Band; Margaret Watkins, Grand Portage Band (Lake Michigan Room)			
10:00 am - 10:30 am	**North Liberty Wetlands Property Restoration** Grant Poole and Jennifer Kanine, PhD, AWB®, Pokagon Band of Potawatomi	**Tribal Pilot Project: Air Sensors** Brandy Toft, Leech Lake Band	**Oneida's Property Profile Database - Integrating Data for Environmental Management** Victoria Flowers, Oneida Nation	**Pesticide General Permit for Discharges from the Application of Pesticides** Jason Hewitt, WD, EPA R5
10:30 am - 11:00 am	**Using Technology to Advance Invasive Species Management** Michael Arce, Oneida Nation			**Clean Water Act Section 404 Assumption** Shane Bowe, Red Lake Band; Melanie Burdick and Kerryann Weaver, WD, EPA R5
11:00 am - 11:30 am	**Restoration of the Former Badger Army Ammunition Plant, Ho-Chunk Nation** Randy Poelma, Ho-Chunk Nation	**Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 105 TAS** Ben Giwojna, ARD and Barbara Wester, Office of Regional Counsel, EPA Region 5	**Bed Bugs on Tribal Lands** Don Baumgartner, LCD, EPA R5; Kathleen Brosemer, Sault Ste. Marie Tribe	**Environmental Justice Screening Tool** Alan Walts, OECA, EPA R5
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	**Trace Levels of Pharmaceuticals in Surface Waters on Menominee Reservation** Josh Pyatskowit Menominee Indian Tribe		**The Revised Farmworker Protection Standard and Its Applicability to Tribal Lands** Don Baumgartner, EPA Region 5	
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch Break -- Brownfields Lunch Outing (Meet in Building Lobby) and Water Division Brown Bag - Lake Ontario Room			
1:00 pm - 2:30 pm	**Region 5 Tribal Caucus Meeting** (Lake Michigan Room)			
2:30 pm - 5:00 pm	**Leadership Roundtable** (Tribal Leadership and EPA managers)			
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Availability of Water Division Technical Contacts and Project Officers, and Barbara Wester, ORC (Lake Ontario Room)	**Guidance on E-Enterprise Workload Tradeoffs Using PPGs and Individual Grants** Glynis Zywicki, RMD	**Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act on Tribal Lands** James Entzminger, SFD, EPA Region 5	**Working Session: Mining in EPA Region 5** Douglas Cox, Menominee Tribe; Nancy Schuldt, Fond du Lac Band; John Coleman, GLIFWC; Melanie Burdick, Krista McKim, Charmagne Ackerman, and Barbara Wester, EPA Region 5
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5:00 pm	Adjourn

Thursday, April 6, 2017

8:00 am - 9:00 am	On-Site Registration (12th Floor)	
9:00 am - 12:00 pm		**Region 5 Tribal Operations Committee Meeting** (Lake Michigan Room)
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm		Working Lunch (Paid by Participants)
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm		**Region 5 Tribal Operations Committee Meeting** (Lake Michigan Room)
2:00 pm - 2:30 pm		Afternoon Break
2:30 pm - 4:30 pm		Open Office Hours: Please contact EPA Staff to set up appointments
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm		**Training: 8-hour Hazwoper Refresher (Part II)** (Part 1 of the 8-hour training was on Monday afternoon) (Lake Huron Room)
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