

AGENDA

63rd Meeting of the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Review Committee
 October 17-19, 2018, Yates Auditorium, Department of the Interior, Washington, DC

Wednesday, October 17, 2018 (morning)

8:30	Call to order and Roll Call by DFO	Melanie O'Brien, Designated Federal Official (DFO)
	Invocation	TBD
	Welcome	<i>Ryan Hambleton, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Fish, Wildlife and Parks</i>
9:00	REPORT: National NAGPRA Program	Melanie O'Brien, National NAGPRA Program
9:45	ACTION ITEM: Subcommittee Review	Melanie O'Brien, National NAGPRA Program
10:00	ACTION ITEM: Initial discussion of the Review Committee's Report to Congress	RC Subcommittee: Heather Edgar and Patrick Lyons
10:15	PRESENTATIONS: (15 minutes per request)	
	U.S. Dept. of the Interior, Office of Hawaiian Relations	Kaiini Kaloi, Director
	U.S. Dept. of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, Alaska	Robert King, State Cultural Lead Emily Palus, Deputy Division Chief for Cultural, Paleontological Resources and Tribal Consultation
	U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Forest Service (1 File: Presentations)	Wendy Sutton, FS NAGPRA Coordinator and R3 Deputy Regional Archaeologist
	U.S. Government Accountability Office	Anne-Marie Fennell, Director, Natural Resources and Environment team
11:30	Lunch Break/Subcommittee Work	

National NAGPRA Program Staff will be attending the meeting. Feel free to introduce yourself!

We welcome questions or discussions on scheduled breaks during the meeting, or contact us anytime at 202-354-2201 or nagpra_info@nps.gov.

- Melanie O'Brien – Program Manager and Review Committee DFO
- Sarah Glass – Notices and Grants
- Laurie Jennings – Documents and Reports
- Mariah Soriano – Inventories, Summaries, Databases and Website
- David Tarler – Training, Civil Enforcement, and Regulations
- Lesia Koscielski – Review Committee

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1:30	ACTION ITEMS: Review and Finding Related to the Cultural Affiliation of Human Remains	
	Missouri Department of Natural Resources	Heather Gibb, Review, Compliance, Records Coordinator, State Historic Preservation Office Rebecca McKinstry, Legal Counsel
3:00	PRESENTATIONS: (15 minutes per request)	
	U.S. Dept. of Defense, Air Force	Otis L. Hicks, Jr., Director, Environmental Policy and Programs
	U.S. Dept. of Defense, Navy	William Manley, Deputy Federal Preservation Officer Bryana Schwarz, Archaeologist, Navy Cultural Resources Program
4:00	WRITTEN COMMENT/PUBLIC COMMENT: The Review Committee is interested in receiving comments concerning progress made, and any barriers encountered, in implementing NAGPRA. Public comments will inform the Review Committee's Annual Report to Congress.	
	The Review Committee is particularly interested in receiving comments from Indian tribes, Native Hawaiian organizations, museums, and Federal agencies on how funding, infrastructure, and capacity are affecting their ability to fully implement or comply with NAGPRA in a timely manner. (1 File: Written Comments)	
4:45	Traditional closing	TBD
5:00	ADJOURN	

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8:45	ACTION ITEMS: Recommendation on Disposition Requests	
	Traverse City, MI (Western Plains) (1 File: Requests)	Penny Hill, City of Traverse City Colleen Medicine, Sault Ste. Marie Tribe William Johnson, Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe Shannon Martin, Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe Sydney Martin, Match-e-be-nash-she-wish Band of Potawatomi Indians Jan Bernstein, Bernstein & Associates
	Office of the State Archaeologist, University of Iowa (1 File: Requests)	Lara Noldner, Bioarchaeology Director
9:45	PRESENTATIONS: (15 minutes per request)	
	U.S. Dept. of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management	Emily Palus, Deputy Division Chief for Cultural, Paleontological Resources and Tribal Consultation
	U.S. Dept. of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs	Annie Pardo, Museum Program Manager/NAGPRA Coordinator
	U.S. Dept. of State, International Boundary and Water Commission – U.S. Section	Mark Howe, Cultural Resources Specialist
	U.S. Dept. of Defense, Army Corps of Engineers	Jennifer Riordan, NAGPRA Coordinator, Mandatory Center of Expertise (MCX CMAC)
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11:30	ACTION ITEM: Subcommittee Discussion	Review Committee
11:45	Traditional closing	TBD
12:00	ADJOURN/Subcommittee Work	

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8:45	PRESENTATIONS: (15 minutes per request)	
	History Colorado	Sheila Goff, NAGPRA Liaison/Curator of Archaeology
	Center of Southwest Studies, Fort Lewis College	Shelby Tisdale, Director Kathleen Fine-Dare, Tribal Liaison and Chair, FLC NAGPRA Committee
	Association on American Indian Affairs (1 File: Presentations)	Shannon Keller O'Loughlin, Executive Director
	U.S. Dept. of the Interior, National Park Service	Mary Carroll, Chief, Park NAGPRA
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10:15	ACTION ITEMS Subcommittee Discussion Outstanding Items from Meeting	Review Committee
11:00	ACTION ITEM: Continued discussion of the Review Committee's Report to Congress	Review Committee
11:30	Closing Comments	Melanie O'Brien, Designated Federal Official (DFO)
11:45	Traditional closing	TBD
12:00	ADJOURN	