

REGIONAL TRIBAL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE WINTER MEETING-SPECIAL  
SESSION:

Orientation for Tribal Caucus Representatives & Strengthening RTOC Discussion

Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup> 2018

**\*Note: due to security processes, please, arrive at least 15 min prior to session start time each day\***

TIME	ROOM	SESSION TITLE
9:00 – 12:00 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Orientation for Tribal Caucus Representatives</b>
<i>Lunch 12:00 – 1:00 PM</i>		
1:00 – 4:00 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Strengthening RTOC Discussion: Tribal Caucus and RIPSC Representatives</b>  <i>1:00-1:30 PM: Icebreaker Activity</i> <i>1:30-2:00 PM: Overview of the history, goals, and strategic plan of RTOC</i> <i>2:00- 4:00 PM: facilitated discussion- identifying goals for the next 1-2 years, and developing an action plan for reaching those goals</i>

# REGIONAL TRIBAL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE WINTER MEETING – TRIBAL CAUCUS

Tuesday, February 6<sup>th</sup> 2018

TIME	ROOM	SESSION TITLE
9:00 – 9:05 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Opening Prayer</b>
9:05 – 9:30 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Welcome/Introductions</b> – Alan Bacock, RTOC Tribal Co-Chair
9:30 – 10:15 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Environmental Managers Reports – RTOC Tribal Reps</b>
10:15 – 10:30 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Tribal Caucus Rep Report from 2/5 Morning Meeting</b> – Alan Bacock, RTOC Tribal Co-Chair
<b>Break 10:30 – 10:45 AM</b>		
10:45-11:15 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Introduction of the Native Farm Bill Coalition</b> – Keir Johnson, InterTribal Agriculture Council
11:15 AM – 11:45 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>NTOC Report/Updates</b> – Alex Cabillo, (AZ), Paula Britton (CA), and Clifford Banuelos (NV)
<b>Lunch 11:45 – 1:15 PM</b>		
1:15 – 1:45 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>TENTATIVE CalEPA Consultation Protocol Policy</b> – Yana Garcia, CalEPA
	Guam	<b>Election for Nevada Tribal Rep on the National Tribal Caucus</b> – Nevada Tribes
2:15 – 2:45PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>National Partnership Group Updates</b> – Tribal leads
<b>Transportation to Off-Site Tour &amp; Service Project via Public transport</b>		
3:30 – 4:30PM	Off-site	<b>Tour of Presidio’s Composting Program</b>

*Note: The Tribal Caucus Agenda items are solely selected by the tribal participants without any input from EPA. EPA neither sanctions nor endorses any individuals or organizations speaking during the Caucus. Furthermore, the opinions expressed during the Caucus are those of the speaker and do not necessarily represent the opinions of EPA.*

# REGIONAL TRIBAL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE WINTER MEETING – FULL CAUCUS

Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> 2018

Webinar: <http://epawebconferencing.acms.com/winterrtoc2018/>

Conference Line: (866)299-3188 (Participant Code: 8433117)

TIME	ROOM	SESSION TITLE
8:15 - 8:45 AM	GUAM	RTOC Orientation for new tribes: <i>Alan Bacock, RTOC Tribal Co-Chair</i>
9:00 - 9:05 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Opening Prayer</b>
9:05 - 9:20 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Introductions/Roll Call</b> – <i>Alan Bacock, RTOC Tribal Co-Chair &amp; Jeff Scott, RTOC Co-Chair</i>
9:20 - 9:45 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>EPA Opening Remarks</b> - <i>Acting Regional Administrator Alexis Strauss</i>
9:45 – 10:45 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Regional Updates on National Strategic Priorities-</b> <i>Jeff Scott (Land Division Director) &amp; Region 9 Tribal Program Managers</i>
<b>Break 10:45 – 11:00 AM</b>		
11:00 – 11:15 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>NTOC Report and Updates</b> – <i>NTOC Representatives</i>
11:15 – 11:30 AM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Issues Review from Fall RTOC</b> – <i>EPA Facilitator</i>
11:30 AM – 12:00 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Tribal Science Council Presentation:</b> The Process & Funding Applications of Defining TSC Priorities- <i>Destinee Cooper (US EPA) , Javier Silva (Sherwood Valley) &amp; Jose Zambrana (National TSC EPA Co-Chair)</i>
<b>Lunch 12:00 – 1:30 PM</b>		
1:30 – 1:45 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Strengthening RTOC Update from Monday Special Session-</b> <i>RTOC Facilitator</i>
1:45 – 2:00 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Lead and Copper Rule:</b> Proposed Revisions and Tribal Consultation Process
2:00 – 3:00 PM	Havasupai 19-310	<b>Tribal Leaders Listening Session:</b> <i>Acting Regional Administrator Alexis Strauss, Division Directors &amp; Tribal Leaders- coffee &amp; tea provided</i>
2:00 – 2:05 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Tribal Caucus Report:</b> <i>Alan Bacock, Tribal Co-Chair</i>
2:05 – 2:35 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Water Quality Impacts and Ongoing Water Quality Monitoring Related to CA Wildfires:</b> <i>Bruce Macler, USEPA Toxicologist</i>
2:35 – 3:35 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Workgroup Leads Report Out:</b> Recent Activities, Planned Meetings, and Goals for the Year
<b>Break 3:35 – 3:45PM</b>		
3:45 – 4:00 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>EPA Response to Tribal Caucus Report</b>
4:00 – 4:15 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Review New Issues/Action Items</b> – <i>Kate Fenimore, GAP Project Officer, Land Division, Region 9, US EPA</i>
4:15 – 4:30 PM	CA/AZ/NV	<b>Closing Comments &amp; Announce Next RTOC Meeting Location:</b> RTOC Co-Chairs

REGIONAL TRIBAL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE WINTER MEETING – BREAKOUT  
SESSIONS

Thursday, February 8<sup>th</sup> 2018

TIME	SESSION TITLE		
	California Room	Arizona Room	Nevada Room
9:00 -10:00 AM	CA Issues Workgroup [Topic A: 9-9:30] <b>Human and animal health hazards of exposure to harmful algal blooms in lakes and rivers in California</b>	<i>ITCN Technical Support for NV Tribes</i>	<i>Tribal Science Council: Discussion on Determining Priorities</i>
10:00 – 11:00 AM	Susan Paulukonis, Epidemiologist, Tracking California/CDPH		<i>EPA Toxics Release Inventory Program: Toxic Release Inventory Tool Demo</i>
11:00 – 11:30 AM	[Topic B: 9:30-11:30] <b>Integrating Tribal Water Monitoring Results into Regional Basin Plans</b> Topics include regional boundaries, beneficial uses, regional triennial reviews, advocacy of Tribal water quality needs and process for incorporation into Regional Basin Plans. into Regional Basin Plans in CA.	<i>EPA Safe Drinking Water Office: Lead and Copper Rule Revisions Tribal Coordination</i>	<i>Outreach &amp; Education Projects: Demonstration Open House-</i>  <b>Meyo Marrufo</b> , Guidiville Indian Rancheria <b>Terri McCartney</b> , Hopland Band of Pomo Indians <b>Jill Perez</b> , Ely Shoshone Tribe <b>Ginny Hatch</b> , Yerington Paiute Tribe of the Yerington Colony & Campbell Ranch <b>EPA R9</b> , Indoor Environment Team
11:30 – 12:00 PM	Grants.gov Workspace Training	<i>EPA Office of Water (Headquarters): Waters of the United States Rule Revisions and Tribal Engagement</i> Including further details, opportunities for tribal engagement, and Q&A	
<b>Lunch 12:00 – 1:30 PM</b>			
1:30 – 2:30 PM	<i>Air Workgroup: VW Settlement Funds for Tribes</i>	<i>CWA Workgroup: Topics include the recent tribal Assessment and Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Tracking and Implementation System (ATTAINS) pilot. To submit any other Clean Water</i>	<i>Generator Improvement Rule: An overview of the RCRA Hazardous Waste generator rule and the 60 revisions included in the update.</i>

		Workgroup discussion topics or to join our email list, please contact Kate Pinkerton ( <a href="mailto:pinkerton.kate@epa.gov">pinkerton.kate@epa.gov</a> ).	
2: 30 – 3:30 PM	<b>GAP Workgroup:</b> <b>Reflect on 1/17 Call</b> <b>Unobligated/Deobligated Funds Discussion</b> <b>GAP Guidance Revisions</b>		

**Note:** Project Officers will be available for Office Hours by appointment. Please note your interest in meeting with a particular Project Officer on your registration form and they will contact you to arrange the meeting.