



2008 EPA Region 10 Tribal Leaders Summit Conference Agenda

Squaxin Island Tribe, Kamilche, Washington, USA

	MONDAY, APRIL 21, 2008 State Caucuses				CULTURAL EVENTS
8:00 am – 9:00 am	Registration				
	Morning Sessions				
9:00 am – Noon	Alaska - <i>Sah-Heh-Wamish</i>	Idaho - <i>Little Skookum Ballroom (A-B)</i>	Washington - <i>Grand Ballroom (A-C)</i>		
Noon – 1:30 pm	Lunch (Events Center)				
	Afternoon Sessions				Squaxin Reclaimed Water Facility Tour— <i>Dan Neelands</i> 1:30 & 3:30 pm
1:30 pm – 4:30 pm	Alaska - <i>Sah-Heh-Wamish</i>	Oregon - <i>T'Peeksin</i>	Idaho - <i>Little Skookum Ballroom (A-B)</i>	Washington - <i>Grand Ballroom (A-C)</i>	
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	RTOC Meet and Greet				



TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 2008—AT EVENTS CENTER		
8:00 am – 9:00 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast	
8:30 am – 9:30 am	Summit Opening	Moderator: Fran Wilshusen, <i>Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Jim Peters, <i>Squaxin Tribal Council Chair & Co-host</i> ◇ Elin Miller, <i>EPA Region 10 Administrator & Co-host</i> ◇ Billy Frank, <i>NWIFC Chair</i>
9:30 am – 9:45 am	Break	
10:00 am – Noon	Keynote on Indian Trust Doctrine, Government-to-Government Relations & Panel Perspectives	Moderator: Fran Wilshusen, <i>NWIFC</i> Keynote: Charles Wilkinson, <i>University of Colorado Law School</i> Panel: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Chuck Clarke, <i>Seattle Public Utilities</i> ◇ Joe Edgell, <i>EPA Office of Enforcement & Compliance Assurance</i> ◇ Heather Kendall-Miller, <i>Native American Rights Fund</i> ◇ Ron Whitener, <i>University of Washington Law School</i>
Noon- 1:00 pm	Lunch	
12:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Innovation in Government-to-Government Relations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ WA Skokomish WWTP ▪ OR Umatilla Fish Consumption Rates ▪ ID Nez Perce Ag Burning ▪ AK Sandpoint Abandoned Drum Removal 	Moderator: Fran Wilshusen, <i>NWIFC</i> Presenters: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ David Frey, <i>Skokomish Tribal Nation</i> ◇ Rick George, <i>Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation</i> ◇ Julie Simpson, <i>Nez Perce Tribe</i> ◇ Heather Thompson, <i>Unga Tribe & Karen Pletnikoff, Aleutian/Pribilof Islands Association</i>
3:00 pm – 3:15 pm	Break	
3:15 pm – 5:00 pm	State Caucus Reports & Tribal Leaders Discussion	Moderator: Fran Wilshusen, <i>NWIFC</i>
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Squaxin Welcome & Dinner	



	WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 2008—AT EVENTS CENTER		CULTURAL EVENTS	
8:00 am – 9:00 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast			
8:00 am – 9:30 am	Updates	Moderator: Fran Wilshusen, <i>NWIFC</i> ♦ EPA Region 10 Issues, Elin Miller, <i>EPA Region 10</i> ♦ EPA National GAP Direction, Carol Jorgensen, <i>EPA American Indian Environmental Office</i> ♦ EPA Region 10 GAP Issues, Sally Thomas, <i>EPA Region 10 Tribal Trust & Assistance Unit</i> ♦ Tribal Leaders Perspectives, Jim Peters, <i>Squaxin Island Tribe</i>	South Sound Boat Tour – <i>Scott Steltzner & Joe Peters</i>	
9:30 – 10:30 am	ROTC/NTC	♦ Regional Tribal Operations Committee Issues: Gwen Carter & other <i>RTOC members</i> ♦ EPA ROTC Participation, Michelle Pirzadeh, <i>EPA Region 10</i> ♦ National Tribal Caucus Issues: Brian Cladoosby & other <i>NTC members</i>		
11:00 am – Noon	Next steps for EPA Indian Programs	<i>Panel:</i> ♦ Elin Miller, <i>EPA Region 10</i> ♦ Carol Jorgensen, <i>EPA AIEO</i> ♦ Billy Frank, <i>NWIFC</i>		
Noon – 1:00 pm	Lunch and Keynote on Climate Change - Larry Mercurieff, <i>Seven Generations Consulting</i>			
1:15 pm – 4:15 pm	Climate Change Forum	Moderator: Michelle Davis, <i>EPA Alaska Program</i> <i>Speakers:</i> ♦ Terry Williams, <i>Tulalip Tribes</i> ♦ Orville Huntington, <i>Alaska Science Council</i> ♦ Deborah Williams, <i>Alaska Conservation Council</i> ♦ Elin Miller, <i>EPA Region 10</i> ♦ Laura Whitely Binder, <i>Climate Impacts Group</i> ♦ Hedia Adelman, <i>Washington State Department of Ecology</i> ♦ Jose Aguto, <i>EPA AIEO</i>	South Sound Boat Tour –	Goldsborough Dam Tour –
4:30 pm – 5:30 pm	Sense of the Summit	Closing Discussion ♦ Elin Miller, <i>EPA Region 10</i> ♦ Carol Jorgensen, <i>EPA AIEO</i> ♦ Billy Frank, <i>NWIFC</i>	<i>Scott Steltzner & Charlene Krise</i>	<i>Jeff Dickison</i>
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm	Dinner Banquet			
8:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Keynote: Sherman Alexie			



	THURSDAY, APRIL 24, 2008 TECHNICAL BREAK-OUT SESSIONS				CULTURAL EVENTS	
8:00 am – Noon	<p>Toxics in Traditional Foods</p> <p>Moderators: <i>Kathleen Feehan & Lon Kissinger</i></p> <p>◆────────────────◆</p> <p><i>Grand Ballroom A</i></p>	<p>Air Quality</p> <p>Moderators: <i>John Morris & Mary Manous</i></p> <p>◆────────────────◆</p> <p><i>Little Skookum Ballrooms (A-B)</i></p>	<p>Historic Preservation</p> <p>Moderator: <i>Wenona Wilson</i></p> <p>◆────────────────◆</p> <p><i>Grand Ballroom B</i></p>	<p>Solid Waste Management</p> <p>Moderators: <i>Rosie Kalastook & Fran Stefan</i></p> <p>◆────────────────◆</p> <p><i>Grand Ballroom C</i></p>	<p>South Sound Boat Tour - <i>Scott Steltzner & Charlene Krise</i></p>	<p>Nisqually Estuary Tour - <i>Jeanette Dorner</i></p>
Noon – 1:00 pm	Lunch (on your own)					
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm	<p>Gathering Traditional Plants & Foods</p> <p>Moderators: <i>Lelani Chubby & Michelle Davis</i></p> <p>◆────────────────◆</p> <p><i>Grand Ballroom A</i></p>	<p>Children's Environmental Health</p> <p>Moderators: <i>Helen Goodteacher & Margo Young</i></p> <p>◆────────────────◆</p> <p><i>Little Skookum Ballrooms (A-B)</i></p>	<p>Resource Extraction</p> <p>Moderators: <i>Millie Hawley & Tami Fordham</i></p> <p>◆────────────────◆</p> <p><i>Grand Ballroom B</i></p>	<p>Grants Administration</p> <p>Moderator: <i>Armina Nolan</i></p> <p>◆────────────────◆</p> <p><i>Grand Ballroom C</i></p>	<p>South Sound Boat Tour - <i>Scott Steltzner & Joe Peters</i></p>	<p>Skokomish Estuary Tour - <i>Alex Gouley</i></p>
	Dinner (on your own)					

