



33rd ALASKA TRIBAL COURT DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE 2016

AUGUST 9-11, 2016 | WESTMARK HOTEL
813 NOBLE STREET | FAIRBANKS, ALASKA

“FAIRNESS IN JUSTICE”

DAY 1, TUESDAY, AUGUST 9, 2016

- 8:00 – 8:30** **Coffee and Breakfast***
- 8:30 – 9:00** **Opening Prayer, Welcome and Introductions**
Will Mayo, Director Tribal Gov’t & Client Services, Tanana Chiefs Conference
Victor Joseph, President, Tanana Chiefs Conference
Lisa Jaeger, Tribal Government Specialist, Tanana Chiefs Conference
- 9:00 – 10:15** **Fairness in Justice, Tribal and State Settings**
Reverend Shirley Lee, Director, Housing First Fairbanks
Representative of the Fairbanks Four
Mike Williams, mental health counselor, sobriety and subsistence advocate
Jerry Isaac, Native Leader, Tanacross
Moderator: Lisa Jaeger, Tribal Government Specialist, Tanana Chiefs Conference
- 10:15 – 10:35** **Break**
- 10:35 – 12:00** **Opportunities for Tribal-State Collaboration in Criminal Justice**
Magistrate Judge Dacho Alexander, Fort Yukon
Lisa Jaeger, Tribal Government Specialist, Tanana Chiefs Conference
Chief Judge Michelle Demmert, Central Council Tlingit & Haida
Chief Judge Kimberly Sweet, Kenaitze Tribal Court
Moderator: Holly Handler, Supervising Attorney, Alaska Legal Services
- 12:00 – 1:30** **Lunch on Your Own**
- 1:30 – 3:00** **Tribal Courts as Fair and Impartial Tribunals**
Professor Kevin Illingworth, University of Alaska Tribal Management Program
Mishal Gaede, Tribal Court Facilitator, Tanana Chiefs Conference
The Honorable Thor Hoyte, Faculty, National Tribal Judicial Center
Tribal Judge David Voluck, Aleut Community of St. Paul Island Tribal
Government / Sitka Tribe of Alaska
Moderator: Lisa Jaeger, Tribal Government Specialist, Tanana Chiefs Conference
- 3:00 – 3:20** **Break**
- 3:20 – 5:00** **Fairness in Justice, Restorative Justice Circles**
David Raasch, former Chief Judge, Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Court
Curt Shuey, Tribal Circle Coordinator, Kenaitze Indian Tribe
Joe Garoutte, Intensive Case Manager, Cook Inlet Tribal Council
Moderator: Lisa Jaeger, Tribal Government Specialist, Tanana Chiefs Conference



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DAY 2, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 2016

- 8:00 – 8:30** **Coffee and Breakfast***
- 8:30 – 8:45** **Recap from Yesterday**
- 8:45 – 10:15** **Strategies for Addressing Drug and Alcohol Abuse in the Villages**
Jerry Isaac, Native Leader, Tanacross
Helen Gregorio, Tribal Court Clerk, Traditional Village of Togiak
Mike Williams, mental health counselor, sobriety and subsistence advocate
Tribal Judge David Voluck, Aleut Community of St. Paul Island Tribal
Government / Sitka Tribe of Alaska
Moderator: Lisa Jaeger, Tribal Gov't Specialist, Tanana Chiefs Conference
- 10:15 – 10:35** **Break**
- 10:35 – 12:00** **Strategies for Addressing Domestic Violence in the Villages**
Holly Handler, Supervising Attorney, Alaska Legal Services
Jody Potts, Village Public Safety Officer Coordinator, Tanana Chiefs Conference
Tonya Esmailka, Rural Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Coordinator, TCC
Tami Jerue, Tribal Administrator, Anvik
Moderator: Danielle Pensley, Tribal Gov't Specialist, Tanana Chiefs Conference
- 12:00 – 1:30** **Lunch on Your Own**
- 1:30 – 3:30** **Protecting Alaska Native Children**
Christy Lawton, Division Director Office of Children's Services, ADHSS
Linda Feichtl, N. Region ICWA Specialist, Office of Children's Services, ADHSS
Ray DeWilde, Substance Abuse Counselor
Moderator: Mishal Gaede, Tribal Court Facilitator, Tanana Chiefs Conference
- 3:30 – 3:50** **Break**
- 3:50 – 5:00** **Protecting Alaska Native Elders and Vulnerable Adults**
Danielle Pensley, Tribal Government Specialist, Tanana Chiefs Conference
Reverend Anna Frank, Archdeacon of the Interior for the Episcopal Diocese
David Raasch, former Chief Judge, Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Court
Moderator: Professor Kevin Illingworth, UA Tribal Management Program



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DAY 3, THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 2016

- 8:00 – 8:30** **Coffee and Breakfast***
- 8:30 – 8:45** **Recap from Yesterday**
- 8:45 – 9:00** **Progress and Challenges in Tribal-State Relations**
Will Mayo, Director Tribal Gov't & Client Services, Tanana Chiefs Conference
- 9:00 – 10:30** **Distinguished Speakers from the State and Federal Government**
Governor Bill Walker, State of Alaska
Honorable Craig Stowers, Chief Justice Alaska Supreme Court
Jahna Lindemuth, Attorney General, State of Alaska
Senator Lisa Murkowski, United States Congress
- 10:30 – 10:45** **Break**
- 10:45 – 12:15** **Distinguished Speakers from the State and Federal Government**
Senator John Coghill, Alaska State Legislature
Valerie Davidson, Commissioner, Alaska Department of Health & Social Services
Walt Monegan, Commissioner, Alaska Department of Public Safety
Tricia Tingle, Assoc. Director, Office of Justice Services, Bureau of Indian Affairs
- 12:15 – 12:30** **Closing**
David Raasch, former Chief Judge, Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Court

SAVE THE DATE:

***THE NEXT TRIBAL COURT DEVELOPMENT
CONFERENCE IS SCHEDULED FOR:***

APRIL 24-26, 2018

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** The food and beverages at all three days of this event are provided solely by Tanana Chiefs Conference.*