

The 2010 American Indian and Alaska Native Program

State-Recognized Tribes and American Indian and Alaska Native Organizations Working Meeting

Agenda

Tuesday, August 26, 2008

Doubletree Hotel, Coral Ballroom, Albuquerque, NM

This agenda is intended to facilitate discussion and dialogue between the U.S. Census Bureau and state-recognized tribal leader delegates, rural and urban American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) centers, and AIAN organizations. This agenda will be flexible to ensure maximum discussion and input from tribal delegates. Some of the expectations for this working meeting are as follows:

- Provide a forum for communication between the U.S. Census Bureau, state-recognized tribal governments, rural and urban AIAN centers, and AIAN organizations.
- Facilitate open discussion and gain state-recognized tribal government input on effective implementation of tribal specific programmatic and operational activities as detailed in the 2007 Background Materials and the 2008 Background Materials.
- Record and address outcomes, issues, and recommendations to ensure tribal participants receive a timely response.
- Clarify Census Bureau programs and activities related to the 2010 Census.

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Meet and Greet/Registration
8:30 a.m. – 8:40 a.m.	Welcoming Remarks
8:40 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Opening and Blessing by a Tribal Elder, Welcome and Overview
9:00 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.	Overview of Meeting Goals and Objectives
9:10 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Introductions and Open Discussion
9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Understanding the Census Process – Census 101
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	[Break]
10:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Classifying and Tabulating American Indian and Alaska Native Responses in the 2010 Census
11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Geography Counts: Understanding the Link between the Geography and the Data
11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	[Lunch on your own]
1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	How Best to Reach American Indians and Alaska Natives
1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Establishing Partnerships for a More Accurate 2010 Census
2:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	How State-Recognized Tribal Governments Can Help Recruit for Census Jobs
2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	American Community Survey and American Indians and Alaska Natives
3:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	[Break]
3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Wrap-Up, Clarifications, and Next Steps