



RTOC TRIBAL CAUCUS MEETING

Monday, October 17, 2011
Pala Hotel Resort and Casino
Pala, CA



- 8:00-9:00 AM** **Orientation for Tribes** - Cornelius Antone, RTOC Tribal Co-Chair
- 9:00-9:05 AM** **Opening Prayer**
- 9:05-9:20AM** **Welcome/ Opening Remarks** – Robert H. Smith, Chairman Pala Band of Mission Indians
- 9:20-9:40AM** **Meeting Structure/Introductions** - Cornelius Antone
- 9:40-10:00AM** **Environmental Managers Action Item Report** – Cornelius Antone
- 10:00 – 10:45AM** **National Tribal Operations Committee Report/Updates** - Clay Bravo(AZ) Stephen B. Etsitty (NN), Erica Helms Schenk (CA), & Marie Barry (NV)
- 10:45 - 11:00AM** **-Break-**
- 11:00 – 11:45 AM** ***Tribal Guidebook Summary – Marta Burg***
- 11:45 - 1:00 PM** **-BREAK FOR LUNCH-**
- 1:00 – 2:00 PM** **RTOC Strategic Plan** - Marta Burg
- 2:00 – 3:00 PM** **Consultation Discussion** – Rod Watkins, Marta Burg
- 3:00 – 3:15PM** **- Break -**
- 3:15 - 4:15 PM** **Workgroup Reports/ Updates** - Conference, Solid Waste, others
- 4:15 - 4:45 PM** **Review Action Items /Adjourn Tribal Caucus**

REGIONAL TRIBAL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING



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- 9:00 - 9:05 AM** **Opening Prayer**
- 9:05 - 9:25 AM** **Welcoming Remarks** – Robert H. Smith, Chairman Pala Band of Mission Indians - Keith Takata, Deputy Regional Administrator
- 9:25 - 9:40 AM** **Introductions/Roll Call** - Cornelius Antone, RTOC Tribal Co-Chair
July Issues Review – Lori Lewis, EPA Facilitator
- 9:40 - 10:00 AM** **Tribal Caucus Report** - Cornelius Antone, RTOC Tribal Co-Chair
- 10:00-10:45 AM** **Tribal Outreach on Pursuing Options for Rulemaking regarding Waters of the United States under the Clean Water Act**

–Damaris Christensen, Office of Wetlands, Oceans & Watersheds, Office of Water; Chip Smith, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), Assistant for Environment, Tribal and Regulatory Affairs, Army Corp of Engineers
- 10:45-11:00 AM** **-BREAK-**
- 11:00-11:30 AM** **National Tribal Operations Committee Report and Updates**
– Clay Bravo, (AZ) Stephen B. Etsitty (NN), Erica Helms Schenk (CA), and Marie Barry (NV)
- 11:30 -1:00 PM** **BREAK FOR LUNCH**
- 1:00 – 2:00 PM** **Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention Tribal Strategic Plan** –Pam Cooper, Pesticides Office Manager, EPA R-9
- 2:00 – 2:30 PM** **EPA Response to Tribal Caucus Report**
–Enrique Manzanilla, Communities and Ecosystems Division
Director, EPA RTOC Co-Chair
- 2:30 – 2:45 PM** **2012 Conference Update**
–Teri Red Owl, Owens Valley Water Commission

- 2:45 – 3:00 PM** **Review New Issues/ Distribute Evaluation Forms/ Announce Next
RTOC meeting Location/Closing Comments
RTOC Meeting Adjourns**
- Lori Lewis, Meeting Facilitator, EPA
- 3:00 – 5:00PM** **Tour of Pala’s Sewage Treatment Plant.**