



VERMONT
COMMISSION
ON
NATIVE
AMERICAN
AFFAIRS

VCNAA MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday, February 8, 2017

1:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.

1 National Life Drive, Montpelier, VT



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1. Changes to Agenda – 5 min.
2. Public Comment – 10 min.
3. Approve January 11, 2017 Minutes – 5 min.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Action Plan
 - a. Developing Teaching Materials – 10 min.
 - b. Dept. of Health – Native Style Treatment & Recovery Program in Swanton for Alcohol & Opiate Addiction – 5 min.
 - c. Improve Communications with Tribes – 5 min.
 - d. Native Traditions Conference – 5 min.
 - e. CT River Hydro Re-Licensing – 5 min.
 - f. Indigenous People's Day – 5 min.
 - g. Legislature for Native Scholarships to be Funded with Native License Plates – 5 min.
 - h. Statewide Title VII – 5 min.
 - i. Native Student Recognition – 5 min.
2. Invitations to Governor and New Administration – 5 min.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Representative Brian Cina
 - a. Proposed Bill to Exempt Recognized Tribes from Property Taxes on Sacred Sites
 - b. Indigenous People's Day Bill
 - c. Standing Rock Resolution
2. State Archaeologist Report
3. Brattleboro West River Petroglyphs – Update on Potential to Acquire and Preserve the Riverfront Land.
4. Potential Meeting with New Hampshire Commission on Native American Affairs (NHCNAA)