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VCNAA MEETING AGENDA

April 13, 2022

1:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.

One National Life Drive, Dewey Building

Conference Room 206

Montpelier, VT

and

GoTo Virtual Meeting

Weblink: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/832132725>

Conference Phone Number: (for those not using computer speakers)

1-571-317-3122

832-132-725 access code

1. Commission members and guests introduce themselves (15 min)
2. Changes to Agenda (5 min)
3. Approve March Meeting Minutes (5 min)
4. Housekeeping - details for meeting in June - Carol M. (5 min)

OLD BUSINESS

5. Tax exempt land for Abenaki - update - Doug/Carol M
6. Other legislative updates - Ban on school mascots; VCNAA funding; Truth and Reconciliation commission; hunting/trapping tags; Abenaki language scholarship

NEW BUSINESS

7. Land Grab Symposium at Vermont Law School - Hillary Hoffmann (10 mins)
8. Letter of support for keeping schools open on Indigenous Peoples' Day - Stacey Gould (10 mins)
9. Invitation to speak at Resilient Vermont 2022 - Simon Pearish (10 mins)
10. Partnership with Dead Creek Visitor Center (VT Fish & Wildlife) - Rose Watts (10 mins)
11. Hemlock Conservation Plan - Savannah Ferreira - (10 mins)
12. Sustainable forestry and regenerative farming - Jennifer Byrne (10 mins)
13. Announcements
14. Public Comment

