VCNAA MEETING AGENDA

February 8, 2023

1:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M. One National Life Drive, Davis Building, 6th Floor

Calvin Coolidge Conference Room Montpelier, VT

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- 1. Commission members and guests introduce themselves (10 minutes)
- 2. Changes to the Agenda (5 minutes)
- 3. Approve January meeting minutes (5minutes)

Old Business

- 1. Proposed State House Native Awareness Day (10 min)
- 2. Native Caucus 2023 discussions, bills, priorities (10 min)
- 3. Status of scheduling meeting with Governor Scott (5 min)
- 4. Act 182 (2022) Land Access & Opportunity Board report (Jon Bosley) (5 min)
- 5. Act 142 (2022) Racial Justice Statistics Advisory Council (Stacy Gould) (5 min)
- 6. Act 154 (2022) Environmental Justice Advisory Council (Rich Holschuh) (5 min)
- 7. Act 174 (2020) "VT State Parks Abenaki names" status (5 min)
- 8. Act 128 (2022) VT Truth & Reconciliation Commission (TRC) (10 min)
- 9. Seventh Generation Curriculum Grant Committee report (Jeff Benay) (5 min)
- 10. Status of new VT hire for Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA) (5 min)
- 11. Proposed visit by Dr. Fred Wiseman for VT Indigenous Heritage Center April (5 min)

New Business

- 1. UVM Provost Patricia Prelock discussion of community relations (30 min)
- 2. Tribal representative reports
- 3. Announcements/Upcoming Events
- 4. Public comments