

# THE WHITE HOUSE TRIBAL NATIONS SUMMIT 2023

# Wednesday, December 6

Registration Opens 7:30am
Tribal Leaders Begin Arriving 8:00am
Ceremonial Opening & Remarks 9:00am

- Secretary of the Interior Deb Haaland (virtual)

# Panel: Protecting Tribal Homelands in an Era of Climate Change

- Secretary of Energy Jennifer Granholm
- White House Council on Environmental Quality Chair Brenda Mallory
- Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs Bryan Newland
- Gwichyaa Zhee Gwich'in Chief Nancy James
- Quinault Indian Nation Self-Governance Director Tyson Johnston
- Moderated by Director of the Office of Indian Energy Policy & Programs Wahleah Johns

# Indigenous Food Spotlight

- Secretary of Agriculture Tom Vilsack & Indigenous Chefs

## Panel: Next Steps to Address the Crisis of MMIP

- Executive Assistant Director of the of the Criminal, Cyber, Response & Services Branch of the FBI Timothy Langan, Jr.
- Director of the Office of Violence Against Women at the Department of Justice Rosie Hidalgo
- United States Attorney for the District of South Dakota Alison J. Ramsdell
- Yurok Tribe Councilman Phillip Williams

- Not Invisible Act Commissioner & Retired Tribal Judge Michelle Demmert
- Not Invisible Act Commissioner & Yakima Nation Police Sergeant Baz Windyboy
- Not Invisible Act Commissioner & Waking Women Healing Institute Founder & Executive Director Kristen Welch
- Moderated by Secretary of the Interior Deb Haaland (virtual)

Lunch 12:00pm

Provided at the Department of the Interior's Bison Bistro. Indigenous Food prepared by Indigenous Chefs from the North American Traditional Indigenous Food Systems (NĀTIFS) & Students from Southwestern Indian Polytechnic Institute.

## Cultural Performance followed by Brief Remarks & Announcements

1:00pm

- White House Domestic Policy Council Senior Policy Advisor for Native Affairs Elizabeth H. Reese
- White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs Director of Tribal Affairs Rose Petoskey
- White House Office of Management & Budget Tribal Advisor to the Director Liz Carr
- White House Office of Science & Technology Policy Assistant Director for Indigenous Engagement & Native American Affairs Ira Matt

# Remarks from President Joseph R. Biden, Jr.



## **Tribal Consultation Spotlight**

- United States Trade Representative Ambassador Katherine Tai
- Director of the Office of Personnel Management Kiran Ahuja & Deputy Assistant Secretary for Intergovernmental Affairs at the Department of Veteran's Affairs

#### Remarks & Announcements

- Secretary of Commerce Gina Raimondo

### Panel: Conservation & Habitat Protection

- Senior Advisor to the President for Clean Energy Innovation & Implementation John Podesta
- Deputy Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency Janet McCabe
- Assistant Secretary for Oceans & Atmospheres Jainey Bavishi
- Assistant Secretary of Army for Civil Works Michael Connor
- Nez Perce Tribe Chairman Shannon Wheeler
- Moderated by Senior Advisor for the National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration Zach Penney

## Remarks from Vice President Kamala Harris

## Remarks & Announcements

- Acting Secretary of Labor Julie Su
- Secretary of Health & Human Services Xavier Becerra
- Secretary of Education Dr. Miguel Cardona

## Nation-to-Nation Talks with Tribal & Agency Leadership (closed to press)

## Bison Bistro: Department of Health & Human Services

- Secretary of Health & Human Services Xavier Becerra
- Director of the Indian Health Service Roselyn Tso
- Assistant Secretary for Mental Health & Substance Use Miriam Delphin-Rittmon

#### **Library: Department of Education**

- Secretary of Education Dr. Miguel Cardona
- Assistant Secretary Office of Planning, Evaluation & Policy Development Roberto Rodriguez
- Assistant Secretary Office of Career, Technical, & Adult Education Dr. Amy Loyd
- Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy in the Office of Civil Rights Monique Dixon
- Office of Indian Education Director Julian Guerrero
- Director for the Impact Aid Program Office of Elementary & Secondary Education Faatimah Muhammad

## Rachel Carson Room: Acting Secretary of Labor Julie Su & Department of Transportation

- Acting Secretary of Labor Julie Su
- Tribal Liaison Jack Jackson
- Policy Advisor for the Good Jobs Initiative Rukku Singla
- Office of Work Force Development Administrator Kim Vitelli



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Photo at the Department of the Interior	8:15am
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- White House Domestic Policy Advisor Neera Tanden

#### Panel: Substance Use & Mental Health in Tribal Communities

-	White House Office of National Drug Control
	Policy Director Rahul Gupta

- Deputy Secretary of Health & Human Services Andrea Palm
- Associate Attorney General Vanita Gupta
- Salt River Pima Maricopa Indian Community President Martin Harvier
- Lummi Nation Chairman Tony Hillaire
- Moderated by White House Office of Management
   & Budget Tribal Advisor to the Director Liz Carr

#### Remarks & Announcements

- Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency Deanne Criswell
- Acting Commissioner of the Social Security Administration Dr. Kilolo Kijakazi
- Attorney General Merrick Garland

# Nation-to-Nation Talks with Tribal & Agency Leadership (closed to press)

#### **Bison Bistro: Department of Justice**

- Deputy Attorney General Lisa Monaco
- Associate Attorney General Vanita Gupta
- Assistant Attorney General for the Environment & Natural Resource Division Todd Kim
- Director of the Office of Tribal Justice Tracy Toulou
- Acting Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General Office of Justice Programs Brent Cohen

#### **Library: Federal Emergency Management Agency**

- Associate Administrator for Response & Recovery Anne Bink
- Public Assistance Division Director Robert Pesapane
- National Tribal Affairs Advocate Kelbie Kennedy
- National Tribal Affairs Advisor Jay LaPlante

#### **Rachel Carson Room: Social Security Administration**

- Acting Commissioner of the Social Security Administration Dr. Kilolo Kijakazi
- Director for the Office of Native American Partnerships Richard Litsey

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#### Remarks & Announcements

1:00pm

- Secretary of Transportation Pete Buttigieg
- Deputy Secretary of Housing & Urban Development Adrianne Todman



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## **Bison Bistro: Department of the Interior**

- Assistant Secretary of Indian Affairs Bryan Newland
- Solicitor Robert Anderson
- Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Water & Science Michael Brain
- U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Director Martha Williams
- Bureau of Land Management Director Tracy Stone-Manning
- Bureau of Ocean Energy Management Director Elizabeth Klein
- National Park Service Director Chuck Sams

## **Library: Department of Transportation**

- Secretary of Transportation Pete Buttigieg
- Assistant Secretary for Tribal Affairs Arlando Teller
- Rural Transportation Specialist Alex Clegg
- Federal Railroad Administration Tribal Liaison Jennifer Stewart
- Federal Highway Administration Tribal Transportation Program Engineer Russel Garcia

## Rachel Carson Room: Department of Housing & Urban Development

Deputy Secretary Adrianne Todman & Additional Senior Agency Staff

## Panel: Protecting & Supporting Native Families & Children

- White House Domestic Policy Advisor Neera Tanden
- Indian Health Service Director Roselyn Tso
- Acting Assistant Secretary for the Administration of Children & Families Jeff Hild
- Red Lake Nation Chairman Darrell Seki

- Keweenaw Bay Indian Community President Doreen Blaker
- Moderated by Principal Advisor for Tribal Affairs at the Department of Health & Human Services Devin Delrow

# Panel: Healing & Protecting Native Languages & Cultures

- Secretary of the Interior Deb Haaland (virtual)
- Chair of the National Endowment for **Humanities Shelly Lowe**
- Commissioner for the Administration for Native Americans Patrice Kunesh
- Metlakatla Indian Community Councilman **David Boxley**
- Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin Chairwoman Gena Kakkak
- Moderated by Senior Advisor to the Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs Tracy Goodluck

## Panel: Supporting Tribal Economic Development

- Administrator of the Small Business Administration Isabel Guzman
- White House Office of Management & Budget Director Shalanda Young
- Deputy Secretary of the Treasury Wally Adeyemo

- Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs Wizipan Garriott
- Chickasaw Nation Lt. Governor Chris Anoatubby
- Moderated by Treasurer of the United States & Lifetime Chief of the Mohegan Tribe Lynn Malerba

# **Closing Remarks**

White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs Director Tom Perez