

NACA 2018 FEDERAL CONTRACTING POLICY & ADVOCACY CONFERENCE

Spire Conference Center, 12th Floor, 750 First Street NE, Washington, DC

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

As of 10/1/18

Tuesday, November 13, 2018

8:30 Exhibitor Registration & Set Up (Lobby | Spire-East Vista; Spire-Sight Line)

9:00 Exhibits Open (Spire-East Vista; Spire-Sight Line)

10:30 NACA 2018 Conference Registration & Voter Credentialing (Lobby)

1:30 Opening Ceremonies (Spire-Vue 12th Floor)
Pule, Drum Ceremony, Color Guard, Prayer

1:55 Call-to-Order; Welcome Remarks – Kim Teehee, NACA President

2:10 Welcome Keynote – Tara Sweeney, Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs,
Department of the Interior

2:30 Board Candidate Presentations – 5 mins each

3:00 Networking Break *Sponsored by Chugach Alaska Corporation*
Voting Opens

3:20 November Mid-Terms: What Just Happened? – Kevin Broncato, Bloomberg
Government

November Mid-Terms: Impact on Native Policy, Contracting, & Advocacy –
Moderator Malia Villegas, Afognak Native Corporation
4:05 Denise Desiderio, Akin Gump
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Tim Cook, Chugach Government Solutions
Rebecca Seewald, NACA Government Relations

5:00 Adjourn for the Day – Kim Teehee, NACA President

6:30 Welcome Reception (750 First St NE Lobby). *Sponsored by Cherokee Nation
Business*

Wednesday, November 14, 2018

8:00 Continental Breakfast *Sponsored by Chugach Alaska Corporation*

8:20 Welcome Back (Spire-Vue 12th Floor) - Kim Teehee, NACA President

8:30 Keynote – Linda McMahon, SBA Administrator

8:50 Federal Contracting Trends and Analysis – Kevin Brancato, Bloomberg
Government

9:30 Networking Break *Sponsored by Bering Straits Native Corporation*

Federal Contracting Policy: Issues for 2019 – Gail Shubert, Bering Straits Native
Corporation
9:45 Vivian Ling, Professional Staffer, House Small Business Committee
Robb Wong, Small Business Administration
Alan Chvotkin, Professional Services Council
Carlos Garcia, Tlingit Haida Tribal Business Corporation

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| 10:35 | Federal Contracting: Compliance in 2019 – Moderator Kutraluk Bolton, NANA John Klein, Small Business Administration Ken Dodds, Small Business Administration Christine Williams, Outlook Law |
| 11:30 | Congressional Lunch (Spire-Vue 12 th Floor) Member of Congress Speaker TBD <i>Sponsored by Tlingit Haida Tribal Business Corporation</i> |
| 12:00 | Voting Closes |
| 12:15 | Congressional Keynote Speaker – |
| 12:45 | New Board Announcement – Kim Teehee, NACA President |
| 1:00 | DOD Contracting: Projections for 2019 – Moderator Heath Rist, All Native Group Tommy Marks, US Army Small Business Programs Emily Harman, US Navy Office of Small Business Programs Valerie Muck, US Air Force Office of Small Business Programs |
| 1:50 | Conference Remarks – Kim Teehee, NACA President |
| 2:00 | Networking Break <i>Sponsored by Bering Straits Native Corporation</i> |
| 2:30 | “Outside the Box” Sessions (Block 1 – 2:30-3:20PM) |
| | Agencies Who Want to Know You – Moderator Madelynn Orr, Office of the Comptroller. (Invited) Richard Martinez, MWRDGC (Spire-Vue 12 th Floor) (Invited) |
| | Policy Briefing |
| | Protecting Against the Insider Threat – Michael LeMieux, Whiteriver LLC (Navajo Conference Room, Suite 940, 9 th Floor) |
| | Maximize Your Fringe and Increase Your Profits – Jim Campbell, Axim Fringe Solutions Group (9 th Floor Conference Room A) |
| | Access to Capital: Leveraging Your Contract – Katie Bilek, Republic Bank & Trust (9 th Floor Conference Room B) |
| 3:00 | NACA Board Meeting (Spire-Summit 12 th Floor) |
| 3:30 | “Outside the Box” Sessions (Block 2 – 3:30-4:30PM) |
| | Category Management/Best in Class Contracts: To Bid or Not to Bid – Brian Friel, BD Squared (Navajo Conference Room, Suite 940, 9 th Floor) |
| | Policy Discussions |
| | HUBZones: Be All That You Can Be – Neil McDonald, HUBZone Chamber of Commerce (9 th Floor Conference Room A) |
| | False Claims Act: What Native Entities Need to Know – Christine Williams & Laura Foster, Outlook Law (9 th Floor Conference Room B) |
| | Baker Tilly |
| 4:00 | Exhibits Close/Break Down |
| 5:30 | Capitol Hill Reception (Stanley R. Crooks Tribal Leaders Conference Center, National Indian Gaming Association, 224 2 nd Street SE, Washington, DC) |

Thursday, November 15, 2017

8:00 Continental Breakfast (9th Floor Conference Rooms A&B)

INTERIOR BUSINESS CENTER TRACK

9:00 Reverse Industry Day – Department of the Interior Business Center POCs Pete Reyneirse, PAL; Keawe Anderson, Na Ali'I Consulting & Sales

CAPITOL HILL VISIT TRACK

9:00 Congressional Visits POCs Rebecca Seewald, NACA; Chelsea Fish, NACA

Alaska Delegation

Hawaii Delegation

Oklahoma Delegation

Nebraska Delegation

Senate Committee on Indian Affairs

Senate Committee on Small Business & Entrepreneurship

House SubCommittee on Indian, Insular, and Alaska Native Affairs

House Committee on Small Business
