

MAST FALL MEETING AGENDA

November 27-28, 2023
Four Winds Casino Resort
3000 Prairie Avenue
South Bend, Indiana 46614
1-866-494-6371 Hotel Number

Monday November 27th, 2023

9:30 am – 10:30 am Registration – Ribbon Town Ballroom (section B)

MAST GENERAL ASSEMBLY –

Coffee for the day – Sponsored by –

11:00 am Call to order –
President Rebecca Richards
Vice President Tehassi Tasi Hill
Opening Prayer:
Drum “welcome song”
Welcoming: Chairwoman Rebecca Richards
Roll Call – Secretary Shannon Holsey
Executive Boards Comments – Treasurer Melanie Benjamin

Issues & Speakers:

11:30 am Introductions of all Leadership/Elders/Youth/Veterans/Attendee's

Noon Lunch Provided by **the Pokagon Band of Potawatomi** – Ribbon Town Ballroom Sec-A

12:30 pm

1:00 pm Tribal Leaders Roundtable Discussion –
National Native Update:
Attorney/Partner – Tanya Gibbs - Rosette Law Firm

2:00 pm Michael Cabonargi Director Region V U.S. Department of HHS

2:30 pm Todd P. Kennedy, PE Regional Road Engineer BIA Midwest Region

3:00 pm Break Sponsored by -

3:15 pm Lynda Zeller SAMHSA Regional Director – Introduction of Partnership
Increase access to prevention, treatment, and recovery support services.

4:00 pm Terry W. Clark DVM Director Office of National Tribal
Director - Office of National Tribal Liaison (ONTL)
Animal Health Plant Inspection Service (APHIS)
United State Department of Agriculture (USDA)

4:30 pm

6:00 pm Dinner & Show – Williams & Ree/ Indian & White Guy - Confirmed
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Tuesday November 28th, 2023

Coffee for the day – Sponsored by –

7:00 am /8:00 am Breakfast–Provided by

8:00 am Tribal Leaders Discussion/Resolution Presentation/Approval

8:30 am MAST President/Secretary Election's

9:00 am Nedra Darling – THORPE update

9:30 am

9:45 am Michele Beaudin LCO Councilmember – STAC Alternate Representative
Department of the Interior Secretary's Tribal Advisory Board

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10:00 am Break Sponsored by –

10:20 am

10:45 am Great Lakes Region Health Board Update Q's & A's
Chairwoman of Health Board Ms. Phyllis Davis

11:15 am

11:45 am Closing- final thoughts, directions.
Invited to have 2024 MAST Impact Week

Noon

Luncheon –
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Meeting, Convention Space, Lunch and drum sponsored by **the Pokagon Band of Potawatomi**