2014 NCAI Mid Year Conference

"Claiming Our Rights and Strengthening Our Governance" Anchorage, AK June 8 – 11, 2014

Consultations

Sunday, June 8, 2014

7:00PM – 8:30PM Contract Support Costs – Tribal Consultation

Tubughnenq 3 – Dena'ina Center

The Department of the Interior and Department of Health and Human Services are hosting a consultation to identify contract support costs (CSC) long-term solutions. This session follows a series of meetings with tribes that began after the Fiscal Year 2014 Consolidated Appropriations Act's requirement to consult with tribes to consider a standardized approach that streamlines contract negotiation processes, provides consistent and clear cost categories, and ensures efficient and timely cost documentation for the agencies and tribes. Contact: Terry Parks, Self-Determination Advisor, Bureau of Indian Affairs (202) 513-7625, terrence.parks@bia.gov.

Monday, June 9, 2014

6:30PM – 8:30PM Land into Trust in Alaska – Tribal Consultation

Tubughnenq 3 – Dena'ina Center

The Office of the Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs is consulting on a proposed rule regarding trust acquisitions in Alaska. A *Federal Register* notice of May 1, 2014 (79 FR 24648) proposes a rule to delete a provision in the Department's land-into-trust regulations, which excludes from the scope of the regulations, with one exception, land acquisitions in trust in the State of Alaska. Contact: Elizabeth Appel, Director, Office of Regulatory Affairs & Collaborative Action – Indian Affairs (202) 273-4680, elizabeth.appel@bia.gov.