

NCAI METH TASK FORCE MEETING
NCAI 66TH ANNUAL CONVENTION
PALM SPRINGS CONVENTION CENTER
PALM SPRINGS, CA
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2009—9:00 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M.
MOJAVE LEARNING CENTER

I. OPENING PRAYER

II. COORDINATION:

a. **Introductions**

- i. This is an opportunity for all attendees, tribal and federal officials, to introduce themselves and share any new meth projects or initiatives.

III. PREVENTION/EDUCATION:

a. **Getting the Local Perspective: An outlook to Meth in Riverside County**—*Deputy Cindy Pierce, Riverside County Sheriff's Department*

- i. A presentation on the local efforts in combating the meth and drug issues, collaborative work with area tribes, and best strategies for a safe, healthy community.

b. **Anti-Meth & Prescription Drug Training (abbreviated)**—*Steve Juneau & Walter Lamar, Lamar Associates*

- i. Lamar Associates' extensive training has proven successful in educating Indian Country on the ills of meth and prescription drug abuse, and its toll on tribal communities. This abbreviated training will cover criminal jurisdiction, treatment, and community outreach.

c. **Drug Abuse & Gang Activity in Indian Country**—*Steve Juneau, Lamar Associates*

- i. Tying the relationship of gang activity with drug abuse, distribution, and trafficking.

IV. STRATEGIC PLANNING

a. **Tribal Meth Toolkit: Updates and Improvements** –

- i. Many tool-kits have been distributed now. We will be discussing what changes the Task Force would like to see in the next round.

- b. What else should the Task Force be working on? What next steps should we be taking?

The NCAI Meth Task Force Meeting is a pre-meeting held in conjunction with the NCAI Annual Conference. This is an open pre-meeting. Anyone is welcome to attend and help shape NCAI's anti-meth initiatives.

For additional information on NCAI Anti- Meth Initiative, please visit www.ncai.org/meth or contact Alexandria Eubanks at 202-466-7767 or aeubanks@ncai.org.