



2008 3rd ANNUAL ATNI ECONOMIC & PLANNING SUMMIT

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*In Partnership with the National Congress of American Indians and
The Department of Interior’s Office of Indian Energy and Economic
Development*

**March 19-21, 2008
Silver Legacy Resort Casino
Reno, Nevada**



Wednesday, March 19, 2008

- 8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 a.m. Welcome by ATNI President Ernest L. Stensgar, Coeur d’Alene Tribe
- 8:45 a.m. Welcome by Chairman Arlan Melendez, Reno Sparks Indian Colony (invited)
- 9: 00 a.m. Opening Remarks by Chairman Mike Marchand, Confederated Tribes of Colville & Chairman Antone Minthorn, Confederated Tribes of Umatilla

Wednesday, March 19, 2008-(continued)

- 9:30 a.m. Tribal Case Studies – “Working in Indian Country”
How to Do Your Own Tribal Business
Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Indians
- 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:30 a.m. How to Capitalize on Indian Business Development
Confederated Tribes of Umatilla
- 11:00 a.m. Chemawa Station: Tribes Working Together
Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians
Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde
- 11:30 a.m. Questions and Comments from the General Assembly
- 12:00 p.m. Hosted Luncheon
- 1:30 p.m. How Planning Contributed to Success in the Tribal Case Studies
Dr. Ted Jajola, University of New Mexico and Arizona State
University
- 2:00 p.m. Breakout Session – Reactions to the Tribal Case Studies
- 3:00 p.m. Afternoon Break
- 3:30 p.m. Funding Your Project - - - Grants or Not
Bill Tovey, Economic Development Director, Confederated Tribes
of Umatilla
Wayne Shammel, Legal Counsel, Cow Creek Band of Umpqua
Indians
Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians and Confederated Tribes of
Grand Ronde representatives
- 4:30 p.m. Program Concludes



Thursday, March 20, 2008

- 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

Thursday, March 20, 2008 –(continued)

- 9:00 a.m. Doing Business Under Tribal Sovereign Powers
The Need for a Stable Legal Structure
Ted Werth, Recruitment Manager for the Oregon Economic
Development Department
- 9:15 a.m. ATNI Inter-Tribal Trade Initiative
Chairman Mike Marchand, Confederated Tribes of Colville
Danny Jordan, Policy, Hoopa Valley Tribe
- 9:45 a.m. Overview of the ATNI Inter-Tribal Initiative
Majel Russell, Principal Deputy, Department of Interior Office of
Indian Affairs
- 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:30 a.m. Planning Session
- 12:00 p.m. Luncheon
- 1:30 p.m. Marketing Indian Country Products
Harris Teo, Yakama Juice
Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fisheries Commission
- 2:15 p.m. Planning Session
- 4:30 p.m. Program Concludes



Friday, March 21, 2008

- 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 a.m. The Challenges in Creating Successful Economic Development
The Tulalip Tribes Representative
- 9:30 a.m. Interdisciplinary Problem-Solving Session
- 11:00 a.m. Where Do We Go From Here?
Comments from the General Session
- 12:00 p.m. Program Concludes