



NATIVE VOTE 2006: NATIONAL KICK-OFF MEETING & TRAINING

Sunday, June 18, 2006

9:00am – 5:00pm

NCAI Mid Year Conference

(Kewadin Hotel and Casino, Sault Ste. Marie, MI)

Agenda

- 9:00am** **Welcome, Introductions, Invocation**
Jacqueline Johnson, NCAI Executive Director
Irene Folstrom, Native Vote Program Director
Heather Dawn Thompson, Election Protection Director
- 9:30am** **Training: Native Vote**
Eli Il Yung, Soltari, Inc.
How to get your state/community registered to vote, informed about the candidates, and out to vote on election day.
- 11:45** **Lunch (on your own)**
- 12:30** **Training: Election Protection**
Lawyers Committee on Civil Rights
- 1:30** **Legal Limitations on Coordinating with Other Groups**
- 1:45** **Lessons from the Field**
Native Vote Alliance of Minnesota - Judy Hanks, Minnesota
South Dakota Native Vote - TBD
- 2:30** **Fundraising**
- 3:00** **National Native Vote Team Communications Strategy**
How we will coordinate nationally. Discussion of media strategy. Future trainings.
- 3:30** **Breakout: State and Tribal GOTV Strategy Session**
Tribal Leaders, All participants
Creating unique plans for each State and Native community
- 5:00** **Closing, Adjourn**