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NAVAJO VOTERS COALITION 2019 SUMMIT

Agenda Subject To Change

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Student Activity Center, Dine College, Tsaile, Arizona

Saturday, June 8, 2019

8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

“YOUR VOTE MAKES A DIFFERENCE!”

Emcee: Flora Benn

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| 7:30am | Registration & Fee (\$2.00) | |
| 8:00am | Posting of Colors
Pledge of Allegiance & Song “National Anthem” | Tsaile/Wheatfields Veterans Organization
Autumn Montoya, Miss Navajo Nation 2018-19 |
| 8:15 am | Invocation | Ruth Watson, Shonto, Az |
| 8:20 am | Welcome Address | Dr. “Monty” Roessel, President, Dine College |
| 8:30 am | Purpose and Mission Statement | Tom White, Jr., President, FDAVC |
| 8:45 am | Navajo Voters Coalition History & Highlights | Anthony Allison, NM Representative |
| 9:00 am | Keynote Speaker: “The Power of the Native American Vote” | Larry Anderson, Sr., Fort Defiance Chapter President |
| 9:20 am | “Native Vote Impact in County, State & Federal Elections” | Kimmeth Yazzie, Entrepreneur |
| 9:45 am | PANEL: Navajo & State Election Laws:
Voter Registration and Purging | Virgil Attson, Voter Registration Specialist
Doris Clark, Recorder, Navajo County
Angela Romero, Elections Director, Apache County |
| 10:30–11:15 am | <u>Lunch Break on your own - Cafeteria – (\$8.00)</u> | |
| 11:30 am | Arizona Citizens Clean Elections and Voter Education | Tom Collins, Executive Director
AZ Citizens Clean Elections Commission |
| 12:00 pm | “How Rural Addressing Impacts Voter Registration
and Elections” | M.C. Baldwin, GIS/Rural Addressing Coordinator
Navajo Nation Addressing Authority |
| 12:30pm | “Special Elections, Initiatives and Referendums” | Murray Lee, Interim Executive Director
Navajo Election Administration |
| 1:00 pm | “How to Change Election Laws” | Harrison Tsosie, Attorney |
| 1:30 pm | Panel: Reports of Agency Navajo Voters Coalition
Fort Defiance Agency
Northern Agency
Eastern Agency
Western Agency
Chinle Agency | Tom M. White, Jr., President
Tim Claw, President
Sam Grayeagle, Representative
Denny Tsosie, President
Bessie Yellowhair-Simpson, Representative |
| 2:00pm | Special Recognition/Awards/Raffles | Katherine D. Arviso & Joanne Peshlakai
Co-Chair Awards Committee |
| 2:30pm | Public: Questions/Comments (3-4 minutes each) | Steven C. Begay, Moderator |
| 3:45pm | Closing remarks
Retrieve the Colors | LeNora Y. Fulton, Planning Committee member
Tsaile/Wheatfields Veterans Organization |
| 4:00pm | Benediction and Adjournment | Rex Lee Jim, Global Indigenous Solutions, LLC |