Regional Tribal Operations Committee Meeting
Full Caucus-December 1, 2022
9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. CDT/8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. MDT
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AGENDA

I. Opening – Tabitha Langston, Deputy Environmental Director, Tribal Co-Chair, Ottawa Tribe of Oklahoma
II. Invocation
III. Roll Call and Declaration of Quorum – Shawn Howard, Director, Transportation & Environment, RTOC Secretary, Citizen Potawatomi Nation (OCTEA will conduct attendee roll call)
IV. Welcome and Introductions – Co-Chairs Earthea Nance, Regional Administrator, EPA Co-Chair & Tabitha Langston, Deputy Environmental Director, Tribal Co-Chair, Ottawa Tribe of Oklahoma, and Tribal Leaders
V. Approval of Agenda
VI. Approval of Minutes – July 14, 2022, RTOC Meeting
VII. Review of Action Items – July 14, 2022, RTOC Meeting
VIII. New Business
    a. RTOC Charter Signing
    b. Tribal Caucus Report Out
        i. Welcome to Incoming 2023 RTOC Member Pueblos and Tribal Nations
        ii. RTOC Executive Committee Elections
        iii. National Tribal Caucus Representative Elections
    c. AIEO Update- Felicia Wright, Acting Director, EPA American Indian Environmental Office
    d. Tribal Consultation Update Regarding the Inflation Reduction Act, Pat Childers, EPA Office of Air and Radiation and Danny Gogal, EPA Office of Environmental Justice and External Civil Rights
IX. BREAK (10 Minutes)
X. EPA Division Report Updates

LUNCH 12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. CDT/11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. MDT

XI. New Business continued
    f. Tribal Consultation Update Regarding the Clean Water Act (CWA) (§) 319 National Nonpoint Source Program, Steve Epting, EPA Office of Wetlands, Oceans and Watersheds
    g. Introduction to EPA's Creating Resilient Water Utilities Initiative, Audrey Ramming and Curt Baranowski, EPA Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water
    h. Review of the Tribal Waste Program Assessment Form, Roger Hancock, EPA Region 6 Land, Chemical and Redevelopment Division
XII. Old Business
XIII. Other Business
    a. Dates of next meetings
    b. Workshop, Training & General Announcements – RTOC
XIV. Review of Action Items – Cherokee Nation

XV. Closing Remarks – Tribal Leaders; Regional Administrator and Ottawa Tribe of Oklahoma, Co-Chairs
XVI. Benediction
XVII. Adjournment - Tabitha Langston, Deputy Environmental Director, Tribal Co-Chair, Ottawa Tribe of Oklahoma