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# 2016 ANNUAL AFN/NCAI TRIBAL CONFERENCE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19  
FAIRBANKS, AK

## *Strengthening Alaska Through Tribal Self-Determination*

### **Doyon Facilities**

1700 Van Horn Rd.  
Fairbanks, AK 99701

8:00 a.m.

### **Registration**

9:00 – 9:10 a.m.

### **Call to Order**

Ana Hoffman, Co-Chair, AFN

Invocation: Tribal Leader

9:10 – 9:20 a.m.

### **Welcome**

Julie Kita, President, AFN

Jacqueline Pata, Executive Director, NCAI

9:20 – 9:45 a.m.

### **Legal Update**

Heather Kendall-Miller, Senior Staff Attorney, NARF

*Akiachak*

Natalie Landreth, Staff Attorney, NARF

*Toyukuk; Nageak*

Sydney Tarzwell, Staff Attorney, ALSC

*Tununak II*

Lloyd Miller, Partner, SCSMM

*Ramah*

Geoffrey Strommer, Partner, HSDW

*Maniilaq Assoc.*

9:45 – 10:15 a.m.

### **Tribal Questions/Comments**

10:15 – 10:30 a.m.	Break	
10:30 – 12:00 p.m.	<b>Special Issues</b> Resource Management Public Safety Heroin and Opioid Awareness	
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	<b>Tribal Questions/Comments</b>	<b>Lunch Provided</b>
1:00 – 1:30 p.m.	<b>Federal Address</b>  Ambassador Mark Brezenski, Executive Director, Arctic Executive Steering Committee  Lawrence Roberts, Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, U.S. Department of the Interior	White House Update   Interior Update
1:30 – 2:00 p.m.	<b>Tribal Questions/Comments</b>	
2:00 – 2:15 p.m.	Break	
2:30 – 2:45 p.m.	<b>State Address</b>  Honorable Byron Mallott, Lt. Governor, Alaska	State Update
2:45 – 3:15 p.m.	<b>Tribal Questions/Comments</b>	
3:15 – 3:45 p.m.	<b>Statewide Tribal Advocacy Discussion</b> Will Mayo, Direct of Tribal and Client Services, Tanana Chiefs Conference	
3:45 – 4:45 p.m.	<b>Tribal Questions/Comments</b>	
5:00 p.m.	<b>Wrap Up/Adjourn</b>  Jerry Isaac, Co-Chair, AFN	