

Western Washington Native American Education Consortium (WWNAEC) Meeting

Thursday, September 19, 2019

110 9th Ave. SW

Puyallup, WA 98371

Call to Order at 9:15 a.m. by Martha Sherman

Prayer: By Valerie St. Pierre-Hodge

Introductions: Martha Sherman

Minutes: Jerad Koepp. Motion to approve by Mary Wilbur. 2nd by Val Kimbal. Passes.

Committee Board Reports

Treasurer Report-Michelle Marcoe, Puyallup Title VI Director

- Motion to approve treasurer's report by Val Kimbal. 2nd by Sandra Gordon. Passes.

Merit Awards-

- 2 out of 3 were awarded (No updates)
- Discussion about having transcripts being available early.
- Motion to keep questions the same by Mary Wilbur, second by Janetlyn St. Pierre-Kight, motion passes.

Speakers: Joshua Fliegiel. Tribal outreach for the 2020 Census.
Will Manzanares, author of "I can't Read."
Pamela Maldonado and Mary Jane Topash (Tulalip)
John Smistad, Grand Canyon University

New Business

- Title VI Grant annual performance review discussion
- Parent committee bylaws discussion. Dorothy Apple is collect bylaws as volunteered.
- NAYLA update. 1st staff meeting Sept. 23rd at Puyallup youth center.
- Educator's conference committee volunteers selected.

Share outs:

- Laura Lynn, Office of Native Education updates, consultations, advisory boards, regulation updates.
- Jerad Koepp, North Thurston updates.
- Jared Da, Tribal Leaders Congress of Education meeting announcement and invitation.
- Jenny Serpa, Northwest Indian College updates. Information about availability of running start programs at branch campuses, continuing education classes.

Next meeting: November 21, 2019 Central Kitsap School District

Meeting Adjourned at 12:12 p.m.