

**Western Washington Native American Education Consortium Meeting**  
Thursday, September 15, 2022  
Bellevue ESD

**Call to Order** at 9:00 a.m. by Martha Sherman

**Prayer:** By Mary Wilbur

**Introductions:** Mary Wilbur and Shomari Jones, BSD Equity and Inclusion Director

**Minutes** – Read and approved

**Committee Board Reports**

Budget Report – Rachel Barger

Merit Awards – Sandra Gordon

**New Business:**

- Dr. Laura Lynn, Office of Native Education, shared updates including all new new ONE positions and their roles. Additional updates from Maxine Alex and Arlie Neskahi.
- Welcome and words by interim Bellevue superintendent, Art Jarvis
- Budget updates by Martha Sherman. Updates on changing names on accounts and checking deposit updates. News to follow at next meeting.
- Indigenous Leadership Academy PNW presentation by Patricia Ortiz-Conway, Ho’o Brown and Jennifer Vasilez
- Indigenous People’s Day. Members shared out on various Indigenous People’s day activities and instructions in their respective districts.
- Right to Regalia. Group discussion about related work, policies on this issue as well as other issues of recognition including tribal flags and land acknowledgements.
- Native social emotional learning instruction updates by Mary Wilbur.
- Mariner’s Native American night share out
- Short discussion on Title VI Grant

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**Meeting Adjourned at 12:05 p.m.**