

WSBA Indian Law Section Executive Committee Meeting Agenda Tuesday November 16, 2024 | 12 p.m.

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- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Approve Meeting Minutes
 - a. November 2024 Minutes
- 3. Financial Update
- 4. Subcommittee Reports
 - a. CLE Committee- Discussion on Sponsorship, date, and location.

See Exhibit A.

Executive Committee Members

Chair – Andrew Pollom
Chair-Elect – Dillon Spiess
Secretary/Treasurer – Gregg Busch
Immediate Past Chair – Brenda L. George
Young Lawyer Liaison – [Vacant]

At- Large Members:
Daniel Rey-Bear

Jocelyn Cooney McCurtain

Andrew Fuller

Dillon Spiess

Jessica Roberts

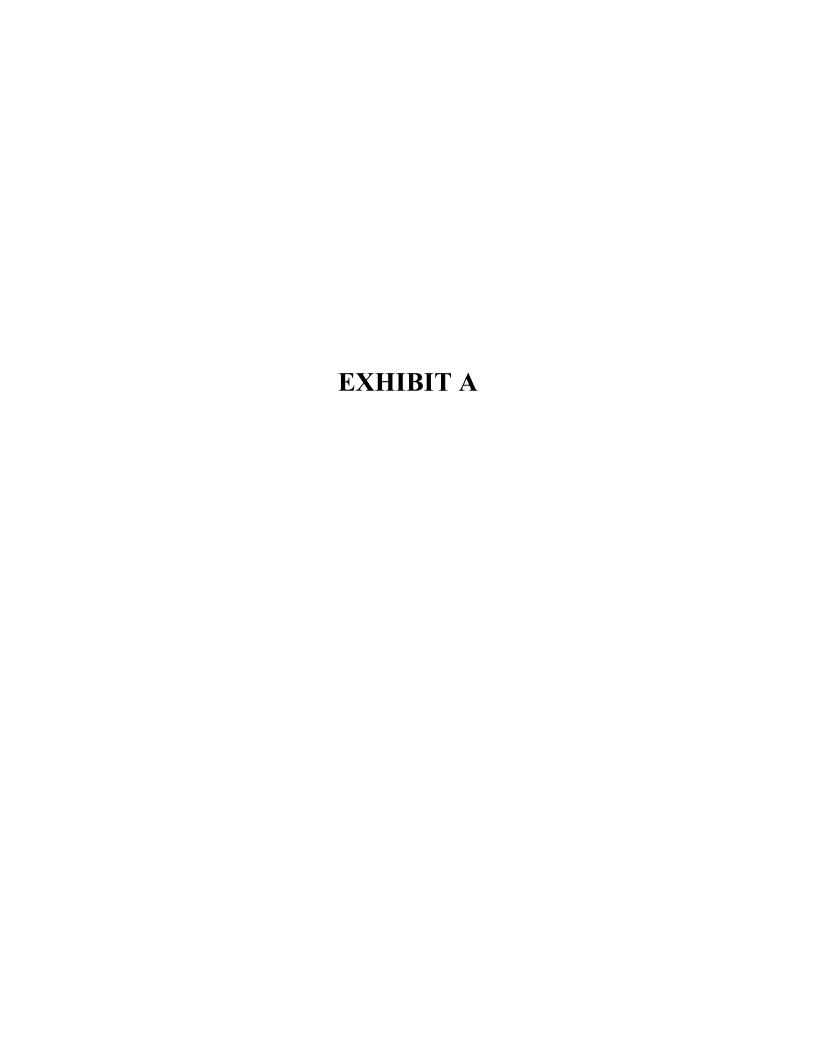
Claudette Rushing

Dawn Keller

Tom Schlosser

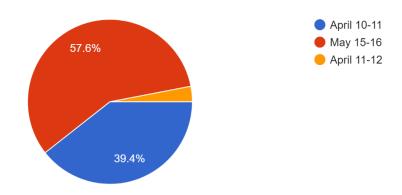
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- b. Mentorship Committee Discussion led by Jessica, Jocelyn, and Drew.
- c. Communications Committee Discussion Led by Drew and Brenda. Responses to possible spring newsletter are attached as Exhibit B.
- 5. Old Business
 - a. Holiday Party
 - b. Scholarship outreach update- Drew Pollom
- 6. New Business
 - a. Filling Young Lawyer Liaison and Newsletter Letter Editor
- 7. Good of the Order
- 8. Next EC Meeting January 21, 2025 | 12 p.m. | Teams

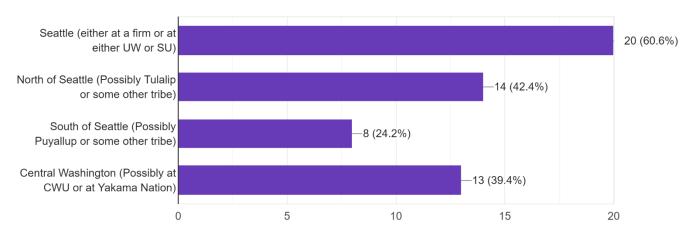


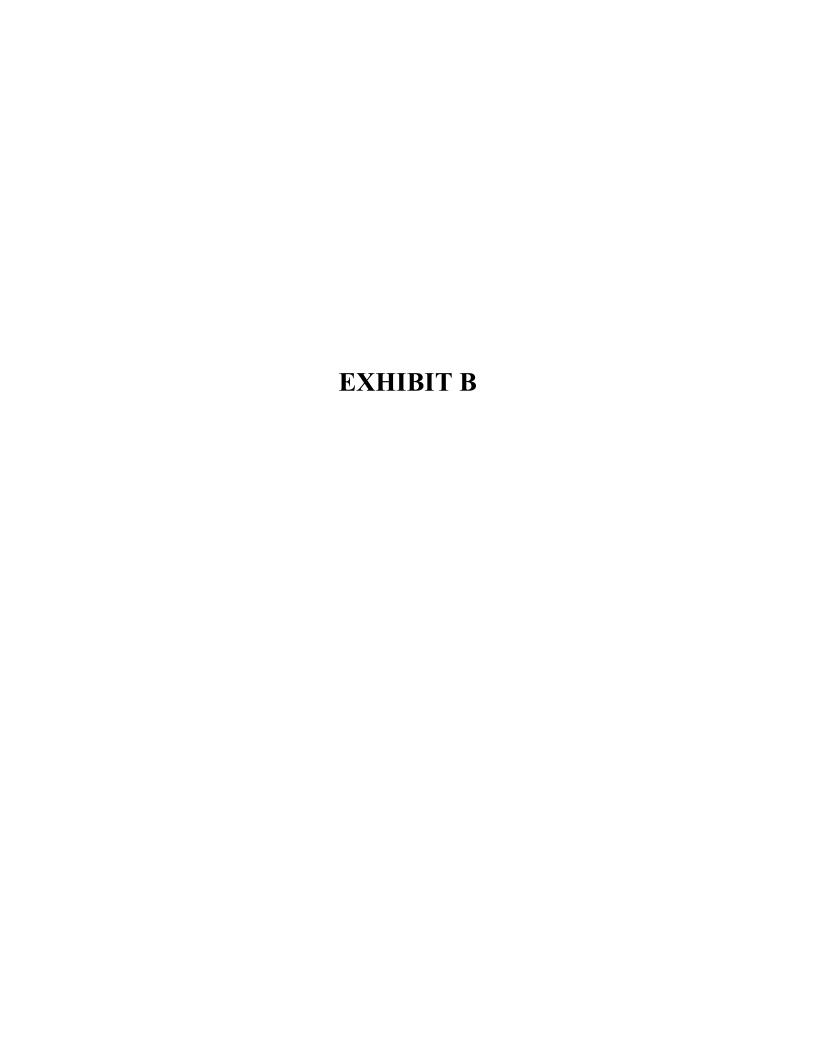
The CLE Committee is proposing one set of dates in April and in May. Please choose your preferred. Each set of dates is a Thursday-Friday.

33 responses



The CLE is considering locations outside of Seattle, including seeking whether a Tribe may be willing to be either the sponsor, host, or both. Please choose the potential sites that you prefer. 33 responses





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| 12/3/2024 8:38:41 | Greg Guedel, Ph.D. and P | greg@guedellaw.com | Guedel: Guedel Strategic Law, Attorney; and Univers | Energy is fundamental to the quality of life of families, communities, and nations. Native American communities possess tremendous energy resources, including oil and natural gas reserves, solar, wind, geothermal, and water energy potential. Despite the crucial role of energy in the well-being of Native American communities, most Tribal Governments do not have laws to regulate the activities of the energy industry within their lands. The Tribal Energy Consortium has developed the first Model Tribal Energy Code in the United States. The Model Tribal Energy Code combines and adapts provisions from existing federal, state, and Tribal laws governing the energy industry, and incorporates new provisions designed for the specific conditions affecting Native American energy development. The Code can be adapted by Tribal governments at no cost to support the specific needs and goals of their respective Nations, creating energy governance laws consistent with each Nation's unique conditions, culture, and priorities. | 1,001 words- 1,500 words |
| 12/3/2024 8:38:55 | Shelby Stoner | Shelby@galandabroadma | Galanda Broadman PLLC | Application of federal employment laws in Indian country | 1,501 words-2,000 words (ILS will no |
| 12/3/2024 9:23:00 | Carmen Bremer | carmenbremer@clearwa | Port Madison Enterprises; Associate General Coun: | Observations of a 20+ year private-practice IP-litigation attorney on her first full year working in Indian Country (spoiler alert: Indian law is way more complex and nuanced than I could have anticipated, it impacts every aspect of my daily practice-even though I work for the economic-development side and not the government-services side of the Suquamish Tribal government, and thus have a primarily corporate/transactional practice-and learning it on-the-job as part of this organization has been among the most rewarding experiences of my career to date). I would be the author. | 501-1,000 words |
| 12/3/2024 11:33:25 | Drew Pollom | dpollom@omwlaw.com | Ogden Murphy Wallace, PLLC | Tribal Warrants Act: What You Need to Know | 1,001 words- 1,500 words |
| 12/3/2024 11:34:06 | Drew Pollom | dpollom@omwlaw.com | Associate, Ogden Murphy Wallace, PLLC | A Welcome From The Chair | 0-500 Words |