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Requests to convene parties and hear a dispute, or otherwise review and make findings of fact related to the identity or cultural affiliation of human remains or other cultural items, or the return of such items should include -

a. The proposed questions for the Review Committee to consider.

b. A statement of facts relevant for answering the questions posed.

c. Copies of documents that are relevant for answering the questions posed.

d. A statement of the requesting party's position and reasoning for their position.

e. A list of all interested parties known to the requesting party.

f. A summary of the consultation record.

g. The findings of fact and recommendations sought from the Review Committee.

In addition, requests to convene parties and hear a dispute should include -

h. A summary of previous efforts to resolve the dispute, including, if applicable, the results of alternative dispute resolution.

i. A statement providing the requesting party's understanding of the other party's/parties' position and reasoning for their position.

The Review Committee will consider a request to convene parties and hear a dispute, or otherwise review and make findings of fact related to the identity or cultural affiliation of human remains or other cultural items, or the return of such items if the request is received on or before June 29, 2009. The Review Committee will consider a request to act on a CUI disposition agreement if the request is received on or before July 29, 2009. The Review Committee will consider a request to make a presentation if the request is received on or before August 29, 2009. Electronic submissions are preferred, and are to be sent to: [David\\_Tarler@nps.gov](mailto:David_Tarler@nps.gov). Mailed submissions are to be sent to: Designated Federal Officer, NAGPRA Review Committee, National Park Service, National NAGPRA Program, 1201 Eye Street, NW, 8th Floor (2253), Washington, DC 20005.

The transcript of the October Review Committee meeting will be available, on

request, approximately fourteen weeks after the meeting. For a transcript, contact the Designated Federal Officer, at [David\\_Tarler@nps.gov](mailto:David_Tarler@nps.gov). Information about NAGPRA, the Review Committee, and Review Committee meetings, and the minutes to the meetings are available at the National NAGPRA Program website, <http://www.nps.gov/history/nagpra/>. For the Review Committee's meeting procedures, click on "Review Committee," then click on "Procedures."

The Review Committee was established in Section 8 of the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act of 1990 (NAGPRA), 25 U.S.C. 3006. Review Committee members are appointed by the Secretary of the Interior. The Review Committee is responsible for monitoring the NAGPRA inventory and identification process; reviewing and making findings related to the identity or cultural affiliation of cultural items, or the return of such items; facilitating the resolution of disputes; compiling an inventory of culturally unidentifiable human remains that are in the possession or control of each Federal agency and museum, and recommending specific actions for developing a process for disposition of such human remains; consulting with Indian tribes and Native Hawaiian organizations and museums on matters affecting such tribes or organizations lying within the scope of work of the Committee; consulting with the Secretary of the Interior on the development of regulations to carry out NAGPRA; and making recommendations regarding future care of repatriated cultural items. The Review Committee's work is carried out during the course of meetings that are open to the public.

Dated: April 24, 2009.

**David Tarler,**

*Designated Federal Officer, Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Review Committee.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

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### Notice of Public Meeting: Northwest California Resource Advisory Council

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (FLPMA), and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (FACA), the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Northwest California Resource Advisory Council will meet as indicated below.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Thursday and Friday, July 30 and 31, 2009, at the Bureau of Land Management Arcata Field Office, 1695 Heindon Rd., Arcata, California. On July 30, the council convenes at 10 a.m. and departs immediately for a tour of public lands managed by the BLM Arcata Field Office. On July 31, the meeting begins at 8 a.m. in the Arcata Field Office Conference Room. Time for public comment is set for 11 a.m.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Lynda Roush, BLM Arcata Field Office Manager, (707) 825-2309, or BLM Public Affairs Officer Joseph J. Fontana, (530) 252-5332.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The 12-member council advises the Secretary of the Interior, through the BLM, on a variety of planning and management issues associated with public land management in Northwest California. At this meeting agenda topics include access alternatives for the South Cow Mountain Recreation Area near Ukiah, BLM image topics and updates from the BLM Arcata, Redding and Ukiah field offices. All meetings are open to the public. Members of the public may present written comments to the council. Each formal council meeting will have time allocated for public comments. Depending on the number of persons wishing to speak, and the time available, the time for individual comments may be limited. Members of the public are welcome on field tours, but they must provide their own transportation and lunch. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation and other reasonable accommodations, should contact the BLM as provided above.

Dated: April 22, 2009.

**Joseph J. Fontana,**

*Public Affairs Officer.*

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