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### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE AGENDA**

2009 Annual Conference  
Greater Tacoma Convention Center  
Tacoma, WA  
September 21-24, 2009

#### **Monday, September 21 3:30-5:30 p.m.**

Introductions, call to order by Co-Chairmen Antone Minthorn and Mike Marchand

- Measuring Economic Development Progress toward Tribal Self Sufficiency—Redwind Group
- Economic Development through Partnering with External Businesses II—Ken Hopkins, Ken Snyder, Colville Tribes/Graham Construction Twelve Bands Joint Venture
- NW Tribal Energy Group, The Advantages of Working Together—Jim Manion, Warm Springs Power

#### **Tuesday, September 22 3:30-5:30 p.m.**

Introductions, call to order by Co-Chairmen Mike Marchand and Antone Minthorn

- Economic Development through Tribal Support of Small Tribal member Businesses
  - One Tribes Commitment or What it Takes to Make it Happen—Lummi CDFI and Lummi Ventures
  - Other Opportunities, A Brainstorming Session by Leading Practitioners—facilitated by Rex Rhoads
  - ATNI EDC Report, What We're Doing
    - ATNI Financial Services—Loaned Out and Looking For Money
    - Salmon Marketing Initiative—Making Buy Indian Happen
    - Formation of a Regional Native American Chamber of Commerce
- Tourism Committee Report—Walter Jackson, Quileute
- Human Resources Committee Report—Simon Sampson, Yakama
- Taxation Committee Report—Henry Cagey, Lummi
- Resolution Discussion

Tourism Committee Agenda

**Tuesday, September 22 1:30-3:30 p.m.**

Introductions, call to order by Chairman Walter Jackson

- State/Regional Reports