



Pacific Northwest Region TERO

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2023 Pacific Northwest TERO Spring Conference Wildhorse Resort & Casino Pendleton, Oregon 97801 April 19, 20, 2023

Wednesday, April 19, 2023

7:30 am **Registration**

8:30 am **Opening Ceremony** –Posting of the Colors, Grand Entry, Flag Song, Washat Song
Opening Prayer

Welcome – Melvin Wheeler, Chairman, PNW TERO

9:00 am **Pacific Northwest Introductions** –

9:15 am **Tribute to Dan Press** – Lee Adolph, CTER President

CTER Update – Lee Adolph, President, Council for Tribal Employment Rights

10:15 am **DOL – Wage & Hour - ZOOM** – Andrea Rasmussen Planning Specialist

11:30 am **TERO-ODOT MOU**, ODOT Officials

Noon **Lunch**

1:15 pm **Two Rivers** – Daucey Brewington

2:15 pm **APEX Accelerator (formerly known as PTAC) What are the benefits of Teaming or
Joint Venturing?** – Venessa Gleich, Program Manager

3:00 pm **Lance Ragan, LiUNA! Suicide Awareness**

3:45 pm **Tribal Council Discussion on TERO** – Brian Porter, Moderator

4:30 pm **Adjourn**

Thursday, April 20, 2023

- 7:30 am **Registration**
- 8:30 am **Opening** – Melvin Wheeler Sr.
Welcome – Melvin Wheeler Sr.
- 8:45 am **Apprenticeship Program** – Nez Perce Tribe Laatis Lawrence
- 9:30 am **Indigenizing and Solution Based Training** – Angela A. Jefferson, Lummi Nation
- 10:30 am **Sho-Ban Apprenticeship** – Denell Broncho, Lorrie Galloway
- 10:45 am **EEOC** – Kristine Jensen Nube, State, Local and Tribal Programs Manager, EEOC San Francisco District
- Noon** **Lunch**
- 1:15 p.m. **FHWA** – Michelle Andotra
- 2:15 p.m. **TERO 101 “Best Practices” and Q & A** – Brian Porter, Swinomish TERO
- 2:45 p.m. **Adjourn – Closing Ceremony**
- 3:00 pm **PNW Region Spring Meeting**
Roll Call - Need Quorum
Approval of Minutes
Update – Melvin J. Wheeler Sr.
Elections
Financial Report – Melvin J. Wheeler Sr.
PNW Fall 2023 Meeting - Location and Date

If you're interested in golf or bowling on April 19, following are the prices:

BOWLING: Pin & Pizza Special \$50 each for 90 minutes of bowling (comes with 1 large pizza w/ 3 toppings; 1 pitcher of soda and shoe rentals for up to six bowlers; 2 lanes reserved for 12 bowlers starting at 5:30 p.m.

GOLFING: 9 holes w/ cart is \$15 w/ cart or 18 holes \$28 w/ cart. Tee times reserved for 4:30 & 4:40 p.m. (up to 8 players).

Please let me know if you are interested in either event. If I need another bowling lane or tee time this will help. Also, the Tamástslikt Cultural Center is open until 5:00 p.m.

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PNW Region TERO Conference Agenda Subject to Change