

The California State Association of Counties, the California Tribal Business Alliance, the League of California Cities and the California State Sheriffs' Association present:

# **GOVERNMENT-TO-GOVERNMENT RELATIONSHIPS: A FORUM ON INDIAN GAMING**

**Wednesday, October 26, 2005 ♦ 10 am – 3:15 pm**  
CSAC Conference Center - 1020 11<sup>th</sup> Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814

**9:30 – 10 am COFFEE AND PASTRIES**

**10 – 10:15 WELCOME**

**Mike McGowan, Presiding**, Yolo County Supervisor & Chair, CSAC Indian Gaming Working Group  
**Paula Lorenzo**, Chairwoman of the Rumsey Band of Wintun Indians and Chairwoman of the Board of Directors, California Tribal Business Alliance

**10:15 – 11:15 INDIAN GAMING 101**

Panel discussion on the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, tribal sovereignty, tribal governance structure, and how and where Indian gaming facilities may be located  
Moderator: **Leslie Lohse**, Tribal Council Member & Treasurer, Paskenta Band of Nomlaki Indians  
**Jane G. Zerbi**, Partner, Dickstein & Zerbi  
**Cathy Christian**, Nielsen-Merksamer  
**Steven Woodside**, Sonoma County Counsel

**11:15 – 12:15 MOU'S**

Panel discussion on memorandums of understanding between governments, local mitigation, and negotiation guidelines  
Moderator: **Robert Weygandt**, Placer County Supervisor  
**Tony LaBouff**, Placer County Counsel  
**Steve D'Arcy**, Placer County Undersheriff  
**Howard Dickstein**, Partner, Dickstein & Zerbi

**12:15 – 1 LUNCH**

**George Skibine**, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs  
Policy and Economic Development, U.S. Department of the Interior

**1 – 2:15 PUBLIC SAFETY ISSUES**

Discussion topics include public safety, enforcement, and prosecution protocols  
Moderator: **Bill Kolender**, San Diego County Sheriff  
**John Poyner**, Colusa County District Attorney  
**Ray Patterson**, Executive Director, Rumsey Tribal Gaming Agency  
**Brad Ramos**, Chief, Indio Police Department  
**Arthur Chang**, Deputy District Attorney, Riverside County, California

**2:30 – 3:15 OPPORTUNITIES BEYOND INDIAN GAMING  
FOR TRIBES, COUNTIES AND CITIES**

Roundtable discussion on tribal economic diversification, operating protocols, and planning, land use and consultation issues  
Moderator: **Mike McGowan**, Yolo County Supervisor & Chair, CSAC Indian Gaming Working Group  
**Howard Dickstein**, Partner, Dickstein & Zerbi  
**Brad Ramos**, Chief, Indio Police Department  
**Jane G. Zerbi**, Partner, Dickstein & Zerbi  
**Steve Basha**, Yolo County Counsel