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NATIONAL CONGRESS OF AMERICAN INDIANS
“Not Our Borders: Culture & Commerce in the Era of
Homeland Security”

2006 Mid-Year Conference - Sault Ste. Marie, MI - June 18-21, 2006

CONFERENCE AT A GLANCE

Saturday, June 17

1:00 - 3:00 Volunteer Orientation
1:00 - 5:00 NCAI Executive Board Meeting

Sunday, June 18

9:00-5:00 Native Vote
9:00-5:00 Native Youth Suicide Prevention
9:00-12:00 NIGA/NCAI Joint Task Force Meeting
9:00-12:00 Federal Recognition
9:00-12:00 Trust Regulations
1:00-5:00 TEDNA
1:00-5:00 Methamphetamine
1:00-5:00 VAWA Task Force
1:00-5:00 Trade Show Move In
6:00 - 8:00 Welcome Reception and Celebration

Open Sunday - Wednesday:

- Registration/Rules & Credentials

Open Monday - Wednesday:

- NCAI Office

- Trade Show

Monday, June 19

8:30 - 12:00

First General Assembly

♦ Welcome and Opening Remarks ♦ International Indigenous Update
♦ Border Issues ♦ Media

12:00 - 12:30

Press Conference

1:30 - 4:00

Concurrent Breakouts: to include international, border, homeland security and methamphetamine issues

4:30-6:00

Full Committee Meetings

Tuesday, June 20

7:30-8:30

Regional Caucus Meetings

8:30 - 12:00

Second General Assembly

♦ Policy & Research Center ♦ Emerging Domestic Policy Issues Presentation and Tribal Leaders Discussion
♦ Scholar/Tribal Leader Forum: Research Findings Presentations

1:30 - 4:30

Concurrent Breakouts: to include Tribal Leader/Scholar Discussion: Practical Policy Implications for Current Research

4:30-6:30

Sub Committee Meetings

6:30-8:30

Focus Group: Tribal Research Capacity and Support Needs

7:00 - 10:00

Cultural Event

Wednesday, June 21

7:30-8:30

Regional Caucus Meetings

8:30 - 12:00

Third General Assembly

♦ Embassy Update ♦ Treasurers Report ♦ Supreme Court Project ♦ Committee Reports