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To: State-Tribal Relations Committee Members

From: Hope Stockwell, Research Analyst

Re: September 18-19 meeting in Lame Deer, Crow Agency, and Billings

We're going on the road September 18 - 19 to visit the Northern Cheyenne and Crow Reservations, as well as the Women's Prison in Billings.

To help you prepare, please review this memo and the enclosed materials beforehand. Also, please bring this packet with you to the meeting.

We will move between several locations on this trip. We have three tours scheduled in addition to our meetings in each community. Addresses are provided for each location on the agenda.

Please make any lodging arrangements you may need as best fits your travel schedule. FYI, lunch and supper will be provided on September 18.

The following meeting materials are included in the enclosed binder:

- draft agenda
- a review of programs and services for missing and endangered persons (Tab 1)
- OPI achievement data (Tab 2)
- Final interim work plan (Tab 3)
- Language immersion charter school information from last interim (Tab 4)
- a summary of ACA provisions that benefit American Indians (Tab 5)

Please let me know ASAP if you are not able to attend the meeting.

My cell phone number is listed below so that you can reach me while we're traveling. Staff will leave Helena midday on September 17.

Contact me at any time with questions. I look forward to the trip!

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