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Tribal Economic Development Task Force to Meet

The Tribal Economic Development Task Force will meet Tuesday, December 9, 2014, in LCR 1 & 2 on the third floor of the State Capitol in Pierre, at 10:00 a.m. (CDT). The Task Force was created by House Bill 1213 during the 2014 Legislative Session to provide a more accessible forum for Tribal Leaders from each of the nine sovereign Tribes to meet with Legislators and discuss how best to address economic development across the state.

The Task Force is chaired by Representative Don Haggar (Sioux Falls), and the first meeting will include hearing the perspectives of each member of the Task Force and presentations from various state agencies regarding the programs available to support economic development across the state. The committee will hear public testimony in the afternoon. A complete agenda will be available next week at the Legislative Research Council website: www.legis.sd.gov.

House Bill 1213 established membership of the task force with a seat for the Tribal Leader, or the Leader's designee, of each of the nine sovereign Tribes in South Dakota, the Secretary of the Department of Tribal Relations, and nine current or former state legislators.

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This meeting is being held in a physically accessible location. Any individual needing assistance, pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, should contact the Legislative Research Council (605-773-3251) in advance of the meeting to make further arrangements.

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