



**The Maryland Commission on Indian Affairs**

Conference Call/Virtual  
7:00 pm to 9:00 pm  
Monday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020

**AGENDA**

**Statement:**

**“A part or all of a meeting may be conducted in closed session”**

**Meeting ID:** [meet.google.com/jvr-bduu-mid](https://meet.google.com/jvr-bduu-mid)

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**PIN:** 695 906 562 0515#

- I. Call to Order and Welcome Remarks – MCIA Acting Chair Robert Gajdys
- II. Invocation – Acting Chair Robert Gajdys will request
- III. Guest Presenters –
  - a. Kari Sprengeler – Cultural Resources Local Programs Lead – MDOT
  - b. Angela Stoltz – College of Education – University of MD, College Park
    1. Think Tank – Update on American Indian Activities
  - c. William B. Hubbard – Assistant Director – Environmental & Natural Resources Extension Programs – University of Maryland
- IV. Administrative Report – Administrative Director E. Keith Colston
  - a. Governor’s Office of Community Initiatives updates
    - a. Mass Vaccinations
    - b. Websites
- V. Approval of Minutes
  - a. December Public Meeting
  - b. Strategic Planning Session
- VI. Committee Reports –
  - a. Advisory Committee – No Report Submitted
  - b. Educational Committee – Commissioner Sherry Ayers
    1. Update – Coloring/Educational Book
  - c. Health and Mental Health Committee – absent
  - d. Archaeology Committee – Commissioner Claude Bowen
  - e. Budget and Finance Committee – Acting Chair Robert Gajdys
  - f. Special Committee – COMAR Regulations for Maryland Indian Status –
- VII. [Old] Business –

- a. **Proposed revisions to COMAR 34.04.06: Transfer of Human Remains and Associated Funerary Objects – Commissioner Robert Gajdys and Commissioner Claude Bowen**
  - b. **MCIA Public Meetings Calendar 2021**
  - c. **Strategic Planning Session – 2021**
  - d. **Past Motions**
- VIII. [New] Business –**
- a. **2021 Theme – Generational Health for Tribal Communities**
  - b. **Newly Established Working Group – Commissioner Peter Brooks**
  - c. **Historical sites & Tourism – Commissioner Peter Brooks/Acting Chair Robert Gajdys**
  - d. **Webinar – Tribal Leaders Concerning Survey Tribal Youth Entrance to Higher Education – Commissioner Sherry Ayers**
  - e. **MCIA Elections**
- IX. Public Announcements on future community events**
- X. Adjournment**