



**Shoshone-Bannock & Idaho State University  
Tribal University Advisory Board  
Meeting Minutes – March 11, 2026  
9:00 am to 10:30 am  
Location: ISU Administration Building, Room 102- 1st Floor; Zoom**

**In Attendance:** Echo Marshall, Lytle Denny, Kristin Mink, Syd Hair, Jerrica Kenison, Jessica James, TJ Tso, Travis Martin, Colista Matsaw

**Guests:** Kitty Griswold

**Called to order:** Echo Marshall at 9:07 am

**Excused:** Mike Steele, Felice Otero

**Unexcused:**

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**MINUTES**

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**Consent Agenda-** Approval of 3.11.2026 agenda completed via email.

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**Open Forum/ Public Comment-** None

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**Updates/Continued Business-**

**1. ISU Powwow April 3 & 4**

- a. \$10k in external sponsorships so far
  - i. Total event budget is \$22k
  - ii. \$6k from Shoshone-Bannock Tribes, \$2.5k from FHBC, \$500 each from Shoshone-Bannock Agribusiness and Tribal Enterprises, \$2.5k from the Casino, \$5k from the NASS Budget, \$6k from the student club, and \$2k from ASISU/Benny's Funding
- b. This event has 23 vendors, up from 8 last year. Vendor fees will generate ~\$3.5k
- c. Brainstorming on improvements for future programming and delivery of event
  - i. Planning earlier, exploring co-production with the tribes, and a long-term vision of creating an ISU class(modeled on the Frank Church Symposium), statewide Indigenous Education Calendar to avoid scheduling conflicts.

**2. Idaho Indian Education Summit June 11 & 12**



- a. The event will be held in the ISU SUB Ballroom and other breakout rooms with three concurrent tracks; K-12, higher ed, and general.
- b. Please share contacts for presenters and entertainers for Concert on the Quad, to be held June 10.

### **3. Research Collaboration**

- a. Discussed next steps and what a successful relationship will include
  - i. Discussion on the need for a research forum to share what research is happening between ISU and the tribes. iCREWs was identified as a potential funding mechanism for this forum.
  - ii. Research topics should extend beyond natural resources to include health, economic development, cultural history, and other disciplines.

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## **New Business**

### **1. Roundtable Introductions**

- a. Introductions will continue until all members have met.

### **2. Discuss MoA Appendix Priorities**

- a. Roadmap to changes that have been approved
- b. Fully read new priority #5, removed a sentence in 2.C

### **3. TUAB Sub-committee structure (link Document 2019-2024 folder)**

- a. Because there is no process, how should we establish them and/or do we continue the sub-committees?
  - i. Student Services
  - ii. Access
  - iii. Programs
  - iv. Research preservation, protection, and management
  - v. Accountability and Shared Data
- b. How do we ensure follow through and ownership? How to be mindful of ensuring any time spent is productive?

### **4. Spring 2026 meeting with ISU President and FHBC - April 29, 2026 1:30pm - 3:30pm**

- a. Action Items:
  - i. Lytle, Jessica, Mike- present document to FHBC before meeting
  - ii. Echo present document to President Wagner

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS-**

- Spring 2026 Pow Wow- April 3 & 4, 2026
- IIES hosted at ISU June 11 & 12, 2026
- Recurring meetings will be on the second Wednesday of each month starting at 8:30am



**TUAB Meetings:**

April 8, 2026: 8:30am at the Water Resource Building in Fort Hall

May 13, 2026: 8:30am TBD at ISU

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**Meeting adjourned at 11:02 am**