

# Conversation Contents

Inter-tribal coalition

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**"Magallanes, Downey" <downey\_magallanes@ios.doi.gov>**

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**From:** "Magallanes, Downey" <downey\_magallanes@ios.doi.gov>  
**Sent:** Mon May 15 2017 17:30:38 GMT-0600 (MDT)  
**To:** Michael Black <mike.black@bia.gov>  
**CC:** "Bowman, Randal" <randal\_bowman@ios.doi.gov>  
**Subject:** Inter-tribal coalition

Hi Mike,

Below is the information to follow on your discussions with Jim. Could you fill Randy in on the conversation today?  
Thanks.

The Inter-tribal coalition co chairs are the Honorable Carleton Bowekaty from the Zuni tribe and the Honorable Alfred Lomahquahu from the Hopi tribe. Below are the email addresses that we sent invitations to:

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Councilman Carleton Bowekaty, [carleton.bowekaty@ashiwi.org](mailto:carleton.bowekaty@ashiwi.org)  
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Speaker Lorenzo Bates, (b) (6)  
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**From:** "Howarth, Robert" <robert\_howarth@ios.doi.gov>

**Sent:** Thu May 18 2017 09:39:15 GMT-0600 (MDT)  
**To:** Downey Magallanes <downey\_magallanes@ios.doi.gov>  
**Subject:** Fwd: Inter-tribal coalition  
**Attachments:** DTLL Bears Ears OES Final.docx

Downey, per our discussion...Ok?

Rob

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**From:** "Magallanes, Downey" <downey\_magallanes@ios.doi.gov>  
**Sent:** Thu May 18 2017 12:18:03 GMT-0600 (MDT)  
**To:** "Howarth, Robert" <robert\_howarth@ios.doi.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: Inter-tribal coalition

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**Sent:** Thu May 18 2017 12:28:06 GMT-0600 (MDT)  
**To:** "Magallanes, Downey" <[downey\\_magallanes@ios.doi.gov](mailto:downey_magallanes@ios.doi.gov)>  
**Subject:** Re: Inter-tribal coalition

Thanks...will get M. Black to sign.

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The Honorable Alfred Lomahquahu, Jr.  
Interim Co-Chair  
Bears Ears Commission  
P.O. Box 158  
Kyktosmovi, Arizona 86039

Dear Mr. Lomahquahu:

The Department of the Interior (DOI) is conducting a review of national monuments that have been designated or expanded since January 1, 1996, and meet certain criteria under Executive Order 13792.<sup>1</sup> This review includes the Bears Ears National Monument. We have requested receipt of public comments relating to the Bears Ears National Monument by May 26, 2017.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>2</sup> See 82 FR 22016 (May 11, 2017).

The Honorable Carleton Bowekaty  
Interim Co-Chair  
Bears Ears Commission  
P.O. Box 339  
1203 B State Hwy 53  
Zuni, New Mexico 87327

Dear Mr. Bowekaty:

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The Honorable Russell Begaye  
President, Navajo Nation  
Bears Ears Commission  
P.O. Box 7440  
Window Rock, Arizona 86515

Dear President Begay:

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Vice President, Navajo Nation  
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The Honorable LoRenzo C. Bates  
Speaker, Navajo Nation Council  
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The Honorable Davis Filfred  
Delegate, Navajo Nation Council  
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The Honorable Shaun Chapoose  
Chairman, Ute Indian Tribe  
Bears Ears Commission  
P.O. Box 190  
Fort Duchesne, Utah 84026

Dear Chairman Chapoose:

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The Honorable Harold Cuthair  
Chairman, Ute Mountain Ute Indian Tribe  
Bears Ears Commission  
124 Mike Wash Road  
Towaoc, Colorado 81334

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