

GAO Tribal Advisory Council Meeting

Agenda

February 9, 2022

8:30 – 9:30 – Tribal Caucus

- Pre-meeting discussion about protocols
- Opportunities for the TAC to recommend potential GAO reviews
- Other prep discussions related to the TAC meeting

9:30 – 9:45 – Open Meeting

- Opening Prayer, TBD
- Opening Remarks
- TAC Business
 - Approval of prior meeting minutes

9:45 – 11:00 - Discussion about GAO's process for data collection, use, and feedback and how this process (1) aligns with key data sovereignty principles, (2) respects the Nation-to-Nation relationship, and (3) ensures data about Indigenous populations is used for the betterment of the populations and not for harm

11:10 – 12:15 – Issue area overviews and discussions of current and upcoming GAO reviews

12:15 – 1:00 – LUNCH

1:00 – 2:00 – Conversation with the Comptroller General

- Remarks
- Q/A
- Items for Comptroller General Consideration
 - Creating a Sr. Level Advisor to the Comptroller General

2:00 – 3:30 – GAO TAC Protocols discussion and development

- Role of various entities included on the Council
- Terms
- Process for learning about new reviews and opportunities for providing input
- Addressing vacancies as a result of elections
- Overall discussion of draft protocols

3:30 – 3:45 – Break

3:45 – 5:15 - Discussion about GAO's Use of Criteria when GAO Evaluates Federal Indian Programs – Respecting the Nation-to-Nation Relationship and Trust and Treaty Obligations and Rights

5:15 – 5:30 – Identifying next steps, issues for future discussion