Connecting the Dots to Homeownership on Indian Reservations Skagit Ridge Hotel May 6, 2015

Agenda

- Welcome, Introductions Craig Nolte, Regional Manager, Community Development, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
- II. Homeownership Challenges with Northwest Tribe and their Members *Facilitated Discussion*
- III. Loan Qualification Process
 Felicia Boettger, Mount Vernon Job Training and Education Center, Goodwill
 Industries
- IV. Assessing your Loan Qualification Resources and Filling the Gaps
 N. Iris Friday, Native American Program Specialist/184 Loan Coordinator,
 Northwest Office of Native American Programs, Office of Housing and
 Urban Development

Break

- V. Common Reasons for Mortgage Delays Craig Nolte, Regional Manager, Community Development, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
- VI. Mortgage Programs Designed for Indian Country
 - William M. Haines, Team Lead/NADL Coordinator, Denver Regional Loan Center, Veterans Administration
 - Sue Davenport, Housing Specialist, USDA Rural Development

- N. Iris Friday, Native American Program Specialist/184 Loan Coordinator, Northwest Office of Native American Programs, Office of Housing and Urban Development
- VII. Mapping the Home Buying Process on Indian Reservations *Facilitated Discussion*
- VIII. Homebuyer Education: Best Practices from the Field *Cristie James, Lummi Nation Housing Authority*

Lunch & Discussion of Next Steps

IX. Adjourn