

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Spokane Tribe of Indians West Plains Casino and Mixed Use Project, City of Airway Heights, Spokane County, Washington.

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior

ACTION: Notice of Extension of Comment Period.

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DATES: Comments on the DEIS are due on May 16, 2012.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. B.J. Howerton at (503) 231-6749.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The DEIS remains available for review at the Airway Heights Branch of the Spokane County Library District located at 1213 South Lundstrom St. Airway Heights, Washington 99001 and the Spokane Public Library located at 906 West Main Street, Spokane, Washington 99201. The DEIS is also available online at:
<http://www.westplainseis.com>.

Directions for Submitting Comments: You may mail or hand deliver written comments to Mr. Stanley Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Region, 911 Northeast 11th Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97232. Please include your name, return address, and the caption: "DEIS Comments, Spokane Tribe of Indians West Plains Development Project," on the first page of your written comments.

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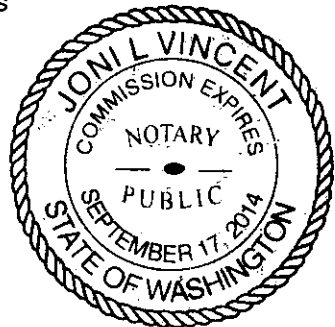
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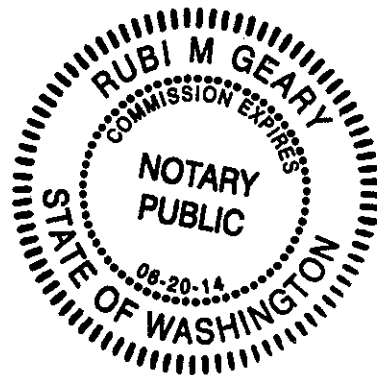
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