Tribal Radioactive Materials Transportation Committee (TRMTC)

via the National Transportation Stakeholders Forum (NTSF)

TRMTC Structure

- Engagement with DOE senior-level staff, NRC staff, DOT staff, & other federal agencies & stakeholders
- Membership:
  - 18 Tribes
- Cooperative Agreement with NCSL:
  - Provides staff support for meeting coordination
  - Research and writing
  - Outreach and engagement
  - Direct link with the DOE

TRMTC Focus

- Transportation
- Emergency Preparedness
- Cultural Considerations
- Public Health and Safety

Information Sharing

Collaborations and Consultation with:
- Tribes
- States
- DOE

Technical information sharing
- Ad-hoc working groups
- Transportation Core Group

Information sharing with the DOE:
- Meetings twice a year
- Monthly conference calls

Accomplishments in 2018

- TRMTC members agreed to serve as the host for the 2019 NTSF Annual meeting
- TRMTC submitted a letter to DOE regarding the distribution of the PSR and NCSL collected and transmitted an updated point-of-contact list to DOE
- TRMTC submitted a letter to DOE and the NTSF Planning Committee regarding its position on Affected Units of Local Government
- TRMTC submitted a letter to NRC regarding the Holtec HI-STORE Consolidated Interim Storage Facility
- Submitted proposal to present at the 2019 Waste Management Symposium
- "The Role and Authority of Tribes in the Transportation of High-Level Radioactive Waste and Spent Fuel"
Additional information about Tribes

- 567 federally recognized Indian tribes in the United States
- Each tribe should be considered a unique governmental entity, with its own structure, leadership, land base, membership criteria, language, culture and traditions

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