Moree Sovereign Union Interim Government Gathering

Saturday 28 July 2012

8:30 – 9:30am  Registration of delegates and participants at Moree Embassy

10:00am  March through main street of Moree then to Embassy

11:00am  Welcome to Country and Dance of the Warriors

11.30am  Introduction to Sovereign Union & Interim Government Agenda

Presenter: Michael Anderson - Euahlayi/Gomeroi
Co-ordinator of the National Unity Government of the Sovereign Union

11:45am  Comments, questions and suggestions, additions and alterations to proposed agenda. Adopt agenda.
Facilitator: Madeline McGrady

12:00pm  Feedback on developments and progress of the Sovereign Union
Facilitator: Toni Manton - Karuah

12:30pm  Lunch

1:30pm  Crown and Australia governments' responses to enquiries and assertions of sovereignty
Facilitator: Alf Priestly – Gomeroi

Presenters: Fred Hooper - Murrawarri,
Neville Chappy Williams – Wiradjuri
Adrian Burragubbar – Wirdi
Michael Anderson, - Euahlayi/Gomeroi

2:30pm  Asserting Sovereignty - Strategies for ways forward
Facilitator: Judulu - Yarrabah
Explanation by Michael Anderson
Q & A

3:00pm  Afternoon tea

3:15pm  Workshops on strategies for ways forward to assert sovereignty

4:45pm  Workshop reports to full gathering
Facilitator: Fred Hooper

5:30pm  Yarn Up and Sing-a-longs at the Embassy's fires
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9:00am  Need for unity and alliances - Open Session
Facilitator: Donna Jackson, Larrakia nation, Darwin tbc
Presenters: Lara Pullin - Gundugarra, tbc
Coco Wharton - Kooma nation

10:30am  Morning tea

11:00am  Self-determination and governance
Facilitator: Adrian Burragubbar - Wirdi nation
Presenters: TBA

Topics:
2. Community policing
4. Establishing First Nations judicial systems
Presenters: Alf Priestly and Michael Anderson

11:30am  Workshop on above issues

12:30pm  Lunch

1:30pm  Feedback from workshops

2:00pm  International actions
Facilitator: Sandra Onus, Portland Aboriginal Embassy TBC
Presenters: Lara Pullin, Michael Anderson
and other voluntary Speakers

3:00pm  Afternoon tea

3:30pm  Establishing Sovereign Union Secretariat and information bureau
Facilitator: Madeline McGrady, Gomeroi
Open and general discussion

4:00pm  Role of non-Aboriginal supporters in the Sovereignty movement and
The Sovereign Union
Facilitators: Dootch Kennedy - Kuradjji Aboriginal Embassy,
Dr Alessandro Pelizzon

4:45pm  Announcement of next gathering of Sovereign Union Interim
Government and Closing ceremony
Lead by Alf Priestly

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