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June 22, 2005

Joseph Pakootas
Chairman
Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation
P.O. Box 150
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Dear Chairman Pakootas:

Your letter dated May 24, 2005, was received in our office on June 21, 2005. As requested in your letter, a copy of your letter was distributed to all the Members on June 21, 2005. Pursuant to Section 406 of the October 25, 2000 Charter under the 90 day notification period, your membership in the CBFWA would expire on September 19, 2005.

As per the Charter, the Executive Director, at the request of a member, may add items to the business agenda. Several members have requested time on the next MMG agenda to discuss the notification letters received to date. In compliance with the requests, please be advised that your letter, along with the letters from the Coeur d'Alene Tribe, the Kootenai Tribe of Idaho, the Kalispel Tribe of Indians, and the Spokane Tribe of Indians are on the agenda for discussion at 9:05 a.m. on June 28, 2005.

Attached is the draft agenda for your information and we hope that you will join the discussion.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rod Sando". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Rod Sando
Executive Director

cc: Members Management Group

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