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FROM: Barbara Leigh Smith

RE: Indian Education Program

I have called a meeting for January 7 from 12 to 1 in Library 2208 (Deans' area). The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the following agenda and the attached documents. As many of you already know the program within the Department of Education which funds the program I was preparing a grant for has been defunded, but we have decided to go ahead and initiate an Indian Education program on our own resources. To this end, we will recruit qualified applicants and set aside at least 12 places in the existing program for them. Lloyd and David have expressed interest in developing a complementary program on Native American Culture and Indian Education in the Pacific Northwest. These students (and the faculty) will not be able to enjoy the special additions which the grant would have provided but I feel it is better to proceed under more austere conditions than not at all. So, at our meeting I would like to discuss the attached documents and any other concerns which you might have.

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Discuss composition of advisory board (preliminary list attached)
- 2. Discuss letter for Dan Evans to send Advisory Board (attached draft)
- Discuss initial meeting of advisory board (tentative agenda attached)
- 4. Discusss program being developed by Lloyd and David
- 5. Discuss brochure
- Recruiting strategies and schedule (preliminary information attached)
- 7. Other issues and concerns

cc: Deans Provost