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TRIBAL MEMORANDUM

DATE : January 13, 2026
TO : LISTED BELOW
FROM : Ryman LeBeau, Tribal Chairman
SUBJECT: Notice of Special Session - January 15, 2026

TRIBAL COUNCIL MEMBERS**DISTRICT 1**

Steve Moran
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Robert "Bart" Ward

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Derek Bartlett
Jody Kohlus

DISTRICT 6

Tuffy Thompson
Duane Casper Pearman "Cap"

Pursuant to Article IV, Meetings and Procedures, Section 3, "Special meetings of the Council shall be held at such times as are designated by the Chairman, and he shall notify the members at least twenty (24) hours before the date of such meeting." Therefore, you are hereby notified that a Special Session has been scheduled for Thursday, January 15, 2026 at 9:30 AM at the Cheyenne River Motel Conference Room, respectively.

The agenda will be as follows:

- Call to order
- Roll Call
- Prayer
- Interview & Hire Health Attorney
- Interview & Hire 105L Consultant
- Adjourn

Please plan to attend.

Thank you.

Cc: Ryman LeBeau, Tribal Chairman
Ev Ann White Feather, Tribal Secretary
Kevin Keckler, Tribal Treasurer
Robert "Bob" Walters, Vice-Chairman
Steve Moran
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Ted "Buddy" Knife, Jr.
Kenric Dupris
John Kessler
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Dean Dupris, Sgt.-At-Arm
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The blue represents the thunderclouds above the world where live the thunder birds who control the four winds. The rainbow is for the Cheyenne River Sioux people who are keepers of the Most Sacred Calf Pipe, a gift from the White Buffalo Calf Maiden. The eagle feathers at the edges of the rim of the world represent the spotted eagle who is the protector of all Lakota. The two pipes fused together are for unity. One pipe is for the Lakota, the other for all the other Indian Nations. The yellow hoops represent the Sacred Hoop, which shall not be broken. The Sacred Calf Pipe Bundle in red represents Wakan Tanka - The Great Mystery. All the colors of the Lakota are visible. The red, yellow, black and white represent the four major races. The blue is for heaven and the green for Mother Earth.