



**The Longest Walk 5, 2017**  
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**San Francisco, CA – Washington DC**



Calling an End to Drug Abuse and Domestic Violence

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Dear Tribal Youth,

We are greatly honored for your support to the Longest Walk 5.2, Calling an End to Drug Abuse and Domestic Violence. You will be the leaders of tomorrow, and we are proud of you.

These issues plague Tribal Nations, as well as all walks of life regardless of color, this epidemic has no boundaries, but this not all we have in front of us.

As there are many issues we all face like sovereignty, water, mining, fracking, and the need for natural resources that are on Tribal Lands, the need for us to stay unified as one is very crucial in this point and time in history.

The Longest Walk began in 1978 with the Co-Founder of the American Indian Movement and a group of individuals, for the fight for our rights as Native Americans People.

Together we can do this as history is repeating itself today.

We are asking you to join us in Washington DC on week of July 11th, 2017 to lobby at the State Capitol and also participate in the Rally at the Lincoln Memorial on the Saturday July 15th, 2017.

Adrianna Godsey from the Tribal Youth Council of Shingle Springs, a young Miwok leader will be spearheading this endeavor, but we need all your support as you will be the leaders of tomorrow. This will be a historical event, as this is the time of Standing Rock, and many other issues we face on this continent.

Come and share the experience, be solid and network with youth from around the country, because you will see these other youth for many years to come!!

Our Mother Earth has been bleeding for too long, and we must make a stand for our sovereignty and rights as people!

We are all the same, and we all bleed red. One planet one people!!!!

For information about the Washington DC event, please call Adrianna Godsey at 530-957-9300

Thank you very much for your time,

Sincerely,

**Bobby Wallace**

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