Committee on Energy and Commerce

U.S. House of Representatives Witness Disclosure Requirement - "Truth in Testimony" Required by House Rule XI, Clause 2(g)(5)

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1.	Your Name: Michael Conners				
2.	Your Title: Sub-Chief				
3.	The Entity(ies) You are Representing: St. Regis Mohawk Tribe				
4.	Are you testifying on behalf of the Fe government entity? Tribal Govern		Yes X	No	
 5. Please list any Federal grants or contracts, or contracts or payments originating with a foreign government, that you or the entity(ies) you represent have received on or after January 1, 2015. Only grants, contracts, or payments related to the subject matter of the hearing must be listed. New York State: ARRA (American Recovery and Reinvestment act of 2009) Administered by the USDA Broadband Initiative Program. (BIP) 6. Please attach your curriculum vitae to your completed disclosure form. 					
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Curriculum Vitae

Experience	
Sub-Chief — St. Regis Mohawk Tribe Public service to the community of Akwesasne. Work with Chiefs on Tribal Council on government to government relations at local, county, State, and Federal levels.	July 2011 — present
School Board Member — Salmon River Central School District Public service to the community of Salmon River Central School District, including the St. Regis Mohawk School.	June 2014 – present
Finance Director — Mohawk Bingo Palace Responsible for all financial aspects of Class II gaming operation that saw revenues multiplying in the year before arrival and the first 2 years that I was there. I was the "2 nd in command" of the gaming operation for the entire length of my tenure. Also served as Acting General Manager for 3.5 months between permanent General Managers.	June 2003 — May 2011
Finance Manager — Akwesasne Mohawk Casino Development of monthly financial reports for the gaming operation, which was distributed to the Tribal Council, Management, State Regulators (at that time). Oversaw Payroll, Accounting, Accounts Payable, can Cage operations.	January 2002 — June 2003
Internal Auditor — St. Regis Mohawk Tribal Gaming Commission Developed initial Internal Auditing program for our Gaming Commission. Auditing program was for the Mohawk Bingo Palace, and Akwesasne Mohawk Casino which was less than 1 year in operation.	January 2000 — January 2002
Education	
State University of New York, Plattsburgh — Bachelor's Degree in Accounting Obtained Bachelor's degree in Accounting	Graduated December 1999
Io:ha hi:io (Akwesasne Adult Education Program) branch of St. Lawrence College, Cornwall Ontario — General Arts and Sciences Diploma Obtained Diploma in General Studies	Graduated December 1996

Leadership

School Board Member - Salmon River Central School District -Currently serving 3 years of 5 year term

Board Member - Akwesasane Boy's & Girl's Club -Hold Tribal Council's ex-officio seat on Club Board

Board Member - Tewathahon:ni Corporation -St. Regis Mohawk Tribe's Economic Development Corporation

Board Member - Akwesasne TV -Akwesasne's digital television station

Board Member - Mohawk Gaming Enterprises -Vice Chairperson, Akwesasne's Gaming operation

Board Member - National Indian Gaming Commission -Eastern Region Alternate Delegate