



MONEY MONDAY



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FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

HEALTH

Behavioral Health Partnership for Early Diversion of Adults and Youth

Department of Health and Human Services

Deadline: June 9, 2023

Awards: Up to \$330,000

Eligibility: Indian tribes or tribal organizations (as defined in Section 4 of the Indian Self-Determination and Education and Assistance Act)

The purpose of this program is to establish or expand programs that divert adults and youth with a mental illness or a co-occurring disorder (COD) from the criminal or juvenile justice system to community-based mental health and substance use disorder services (SUD) and other supports prior to arrest and booking.

Produce Prescription Pilot Program

Department of Health and Human Services – Indian Health Service

Deadline: June 8, 2023

Awards: \$50,000-\$500,000; no match

Eligibility: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized and other than Federally recognized)

The purpose of this program is to help establish Produce Prescription Programs through collaborations with stakeholders from various health care and food industries in Tribal communities. The P4 will help increase access to fruits, vegetables, and healthy traditional foods for AI/AN people by allowing eligible individuals to receive a fruit and vegetable voucher from a participating health care provider to redeem at a local market.

Lead Hazard Reduction Capacity Building Grant Program

Department of Housing and Urban Development

Deadline: June 27, 2023

Awards: \$500,000-\$2,500,000; 10% match

Key program components of this program include: Building local capacity to determine the prevalence of childhood lead poisoning among children under six years in the targeted community(ies); Building local capacity to safely and effectively address lead hazards during lead hazard control and renovation, remodeling, and maintenance activities by integrating lead-safe work practices; Integrating strategies to incorporate lead hazard control into existing housing repair programs.

NATURAL RESOURCES

Funding for Firewood Banks

Alliance for Green Heat

Due: Applications will be processed on a rolling basis until the end of summer in 2023 or until they run out. Eligible firewood banks can apply by filling out the online application at this site: firewoodbanks.org/copy-of-overview.

Almost any items needed to run your firewood bank is an eligible expense except for food & drink, entertainment, lobbying, and items over \$5,000. Eligible expenses include chain saws, splitters, tarps, moisture meters, conveyor belts, trailers, wheelbarrows, safety equipment, first aid kits, equipment repair, building materials for firewood sheds or tool sheds, educational materials/activities, sales tax, signage, travel, gas money, and miscellaneous supplies like small tools that cost less than \$20. Firewood banks are invited to add other additional items not listed here that they use or think may be helpful.

Composting and Food Waste Reduction (CFWR) Pilot Project

Department of Agriculture

Deadline: June 15, 2023

Awards: \$55,000-\$400,000; 25% match required

Eligibility: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

This program provides financial assistance to municipalities, school districts, counties, local governments, special district governments, tribal governments (State-designated Indian Tribes, Federally Recognized Indian Tribal Governments), or tribal organizations to carry out food waste reduction and composting objectives.

Alaska Wildlife Resources Program

BLM IIJA Bureau of Land Management

Deadline: June 23, 2023

Awards: \$5,000-\$75,000

Eligible: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized and other than Federally recognized); Non-profits

The program is responsible for managing habitats for wildlife species that depend on public lands for all or part of their lifecycle. Program activities address habitat maintenance, restoration, and species conservation in cooperation with federal, state, Tribal governments, private landowners, and non-governmental organizations (NGOs). The (State) Wildlife Program works with partners and cooperating agencies/governments to align efforts to manage priority habitats and species, identify and implement strategies that promote building resiliency to climate change and environmental stressors, including drought; wildland fire; unusual weather events; and insects/disease.

Indigenous Animals Harvesting and Meat Processing Grant Program

US Dept. of Agriculture

Deadline: July 19, 2023

Eligible: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

This program is designed to support the priorities tribal nations have articulated to USDA throughout consultations in 2021 and 2022, including but not limited to support for traditional harvesting methods, indigenous animals, and community animal protein processing operations. Funding of this program will address needs for local animal protein processing capacity in tribal communities and tribal foods supply chains. The primary purpose of all projects must be to expand or enhance animal protein processing capacity in Indian Country. Applicants may also propose other related activities in their project plans.

COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE

Community Connect Grant Program

Department of Agriculture

Deadline: June 20, 2023

Awards: \$100,000-\$500,000; 15% match

Eligibility: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized and other than Federally recognized); non-profits

The Community Connect Grant Program provides financial assistance to eligible applicants that will provide service at or above the Broadband Grant Speed to all premises in rural, economically-challenged communities where broadband service does not exist. The deployment of broadband services on a “community-oriented connectivity” basis stimulates economic development and provides enhanced educational and health care opportunities in rural areas.

Bipartisan Infrastructure Law: Energy Improvement in Rural or Remote Area

Department of Energy

Deadline: June 28, 2023

Funding: \$5M-\$100M; no match required

Eligibility: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized and not federally recognized), non-profits
DOE’s Energy Improvements in Rural or Remote Areas (ERA) Program will provide financial investment, technical assistance, and other resources to advance clean energy demonstrations and energy solutions that are replicable and scalable. ERA aims to fund clean energy projects with three specific goals: 1. Deliver measurable benefits to energy customers in rural or remote areas by funding replicable energy projects that lower energy costs, improve energy access and resilience, and/or reduce environmental harm; 2. Demonstrate new rural or remote energy system models using climate-resilient technologies, business structures that promote economic resilience, new financing mechanisms, and/or new community engagement best practices; and 3. Build clean energy knowledge, capacity, and self-reliance in rural America.

Promoting Resilient Operations for Transformative, Efficient, and Cost-Saving Transportation (PROTECT) Program

DOT Federal Highway Administration

Deadline: August 18, 2023

Award: Minimum \$100,000; no maximum specified. **Cost match of 80%-100% required**

Projects selected under this program should support the continued operation or rapid recovery of crucial local, regional, or national surface transportation facilities. Furthermore, selected projects should utilize innovative and collaborative approaches to risk reduction, including the use of natural infrastructure, which is explicitly eligible under the program. Also called nature-based solutions, these strategies include conservation, restoration, or construction of riparian and streambed treatments, marshes, wetlands, native vegetation, stormwater bioswales, breakwaters, reefs, dunes, and shade trees. They reduce flood risks, erosion, wave damage, and heat impacts while also creating habitat, filtering pollutants, and providing recreational benefits.

LANGUAGE, CULTURE, & PRESERVATION

Digital Projects for the Public

National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline June 14, 2023

Awards: Up to \$400,000; no match required

Eligible: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), non-profits

The Digital Projects for the Public program supports projects that interpret and analyze humanities content in primarily digital platforms and formats, such as websites, mobile applications and tours, interactive touch screens and kiosks, games, and virtual environments. \$100,000 (Prototyping grants); \$400,000 (Production grants); Maximum award amount \$30,000 (Discovery grants).

Humanities Collections and Reference Resources

National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline: July 18, 2023

Award: Up to \$350,000; no match

Eligible: Nonprofits, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

This program supports projects that provide an essential underpinning for scholarship, education, and public engagement in the humanities. It strengthens efforts to extend the reach of humanities collections and make their intellectual content widely accessible. Awards also support the creation of reference resources that facilitate the use of cultural materials, from works that provide basic information quickly to tools that synthesize and codify knowledge of a subject for in-depth investigation.

Historic Preservation Fund - Underrepresented Communities Grants

National Park Service

Deadline: July 18, 2023

Awards: \$15,000-\$75,000; no match

Eligibility: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized and other than Federally recognized), non-profits

The National Park Service's (NPS) Underrepresented Communities Grant Program (URC) is intended to diversify the nominations listed in the National Register of Historic Places to include communities that are currently underrepresented. URC grants are funded by the Historic Preservation Fund (HPF), and are administered by the NPS. Projects include surveys and nominations of historic sites associated with communities underrepresented in the National Register. Every URC project MUST result in at least one new or amended nomination to the National Register of Historic Places.

Public Impact Projects at Smaller Organizations

National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline: June 28, 2023

Awards: Up to \$25,000; no match

Eligibility: Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); non-profits

The National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Division of Public Programs is accepting applications for the Public Impact Projects at Smaller Organizations program. This program supports small and mid-sized museums and cultural organizations in the creation of public humanities programming and strengthens their capacity to develop such programming.

OTHER

State-Tribal Partnerships to Implement Best Practices in Indian Child Welfare

Department of Health and Human Services

Deadline: June 13, 2023

Awards: \$450,000-\$500,000; no match

This funding opportunity is intended to encourage state and tribal governments to work together to find creative, common-sense ways to meet the needs of AI/AN families with culturally appropriate best practices in Indian child welfare, with active efforts to retain or reunite Indian children with family as the "gold standard" for best Indian child welfare practice. The grant also provides an important opportunity for states and tribes to build or strengthen relationships of trust by working together toward common family preservation goals. As part of the project, recipients may also consider the role of civil legal services in implementation efforts.

Tribal Court Improvement Program

Department of Health and Human Services

Deadline: June 15, 2023

Awards: \$50,000-\$150,000; no match required

Eligible: Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

The Administration for Children and Families, Children's Bureau announces the availability of awards to provide tribes and tribal consortia the opportunity to compete for grants to enable tribal courts to design and implement projects and/or activities to assess, expand, or enhance the effectiveness of tribal courts.