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Season's Greetings

***Nevada Tribes Legislative Day & NIC Commission Meeting
GrantStation***

HUD's Office of Native American Programs offers FREE Trainings

Thomas Jefferson's first four SOTU Addresses

Native American sign language arrives at the Super Bowl

David Kaye

This Valentines Day, get her something expensive



♥ ♥ ♥ Happy V-Day to all readers! ♥ ♥ ♥

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The Nevada Indian Commission will be hosting our Quarterly Commissioners Meeting Monday February 13, 2023 at the Nevada State Museum Auditorium, 10:30 am - 1:30 pm.

Tuesday February 14, 2023 we will be hosting Nevada Tribes Legislative Day at the Nevada Legislature. Please feel free to attend the event, 10 am to 2:30 pm room 3100.

GrantStation

National Opportunities

Tribal Food Sovereignty Projects Supported

First Nations Development Institute's Gather Food Sovereignty Grant helps build a national movement that will fulfill a vision of Native communities and food systems that are self-directed, well-resourced, and supported by community policies and system.

Programs Promote Journalism Education and Diversity

The Scripps Howard Fund is offering grants to universities and nonprofit organizations in the U.S. through two new programs that help advance investigative journalism and increase diversity and inclusion in the industry.

Grants Enhance Pollinator Habitat on Public Lands

Through the Biodiversity Conservation Grant: Enhancing Pollinator Habitats program, the National Environmental Education Foundation will provide \$200,000 in grants to support shovel-ready pollinator habitat enhancement projects on U.S. public lands.

Funding Available for Organizations Serving Senior Dogs

The Grey Muzzle Organization provides support for programs designed to improve the lives of at-risk senior dogs.

Regional Opportunities

Grants Advance Renewable Energy in the Southeastern U.S.

The Oak Hill Fund's Climate Change and Renewable Energy Program supports nonprofit organizations in the southeastern United States, with an emphasis on Virginia, that engage in stimulating a more robust market for renewable energy, specifically solar and wind.

Capital Projects Funded in Montana

The Treacy Foundation is committed to supporting nonprofit organizations in the state of Montana.

Support Targets Vermont's Rural Communities

The Windham Foundation seeks to enhance the vitality of Vermont's rural communities.

Funds Boost Louisiana Litter and Waste Reduction Efforts

Keep Louisiana Beautiful's Healthy Communities Grant provides funding to support local projects and programs that will bring about behavioral changes needed to improve, preserve, and protect the natural beauty of Louisiana.

Federal Opportunities

[Program Helps Unaccompanied Children](#)

The Residential (Secure) Services for Unaccompanied Children program supports the provision of secure care providers who manage a specialized population of unaccompanied children.

[Grants Available for Species Protection](#)

The BLM Headquarters Threatened and Endangered Species Program works to conserve and recover federally listed and Bureau sensitive animal and plant species and their habitat on public lands.

[Southface Institute](#)

Southface Institute promotes sustainable homes, workplaces, and communities through education, research, advocacy, and technical assistance. The Institute offers GoodUse Grants to nonprofit organizations throughout the United States to fund the incremental cost of energy or water efficiency project upgrades. Organizations working in a wide range of mission areas may apply. [Learn more](#) about the funding guidelines and application process.

New Resource Series for Tribal Communities and Organizations New to the CoC Program

The first set of resources from the [Continuum of Care \(CoC\) Program Series for Tribal Communities and Organizations New to the CoC Program](#) has been published. This series provides information for Tribes, Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHEs), and other organizations about the CoC Program, its purpose, eligible activities, and funding opportunities. Tribes and TDHEs are now eligible to participate in the CoC Program as a new opportunity to combat homelessness and housing instability in their communities. HUD is providing information and offering guidance about the CoC Program to support Tribes and TDHEs so they may decide whether to participate in the program now or in the future.

The *CoC Program Series for Tribal Communities and Organizations New to the CoC Program* offers multiple resources, including:

- [CoC Program Participation Decision-Making Approach](#) – Offers a way to organize questions and information so Tribal communities can compare their priorities with what the CoC Program offers
- [CoC Program Recipient and CoC Roles](#) – Provides an overview of an organization's responsibilities when participating in the CoC Program
- [Connecting Tribal Community Activities and CoC Program Activities](#) – Outlines eligible activities funded by the CoC Program
- [Determining the Amount of Available CoC Program Funds](#) – Explains CoC funding and the potential funding amount that may be available in the CoC Program
- **CoC Program Participation Decision and Assessment (Coming Soon)** – Poses a series of questions designed to end with decisions about whether to participate in the CoC Program and to what extent Tribal communities want to participate

- **Continuing the CoC Program Paths (Coming Soon)** – Describes the next steps a Tribe or THDE would take to determine if and how they intend to participate in the CoC Program

This series will assist in exploring whether to pursue CoC Program funding now or in the future to support efforts to prevent and end homelessness. These resources are not intended to assist with CoC Program registration. There will be additional resources in the series that focus on CoC project planning and implementation, as well as other aspects of the CoC Program. For more info., visit [View the CoC Program Resources for Tribal Communities Page](#)

- [DOE Announces \\$35 Million To Deploy Clean Energy on Tribal Lands and Power Unelectrified Tribal Buildings](#) DOE's measures will increase energy security and resilience for Indian Tribes and Tribal members.
 - [Deploy clean energy technology on tribal lands \(DE-FOA-0002774\)](#)— **Due Feb.9, 2023.**
 - [Power unelectrified tribal buildings \(DE-FOA-0002771\)](#) — **applications due Feb. 23, 2023.**
- [FY 2023 National Infrastructure Investments RAISE Transportation Discretionary Grants](#) , U.S. Dept. of Transportation. **Application Deadline: February 28, 2023**
[Rural Business Development Grants](#) , [USDA Rural Development](#).
Application Deadline: February 28, 2023
- [Agriculture Innovation Center Grant Program](#), *USDA Rural Business-Cooperative Service*. **Application Deadline: March 06, 2023**
- [Social and Economic Development Strategies Program-Tribes](#)
U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services (HHS) Administration for Native Americans supports community-driven projects designed to grow local economies, strengthen Native American families, including the preservation of Native American cultures, and decrease the high rate of current challenges caused by the lack of community-based businesses, and social and economic infrastructure in Native American communities.
Application Deadline: 3/31/2023
- **U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Solid Waste Infrastructure for Recycling (SWIFR) grants.** \$40 million in grants for recycling infrastructure projects for Tribes and intertribal consortia. EPA published [third funding opportunity](#) in the new Solid Waste Infrastructure for Recycling (SWIFR) grant. This SWIFR grant opportunity is specifically for federally recognized Tribes, Alaskan Native Villages, and intertribal consortia. It will fund selected projects to create new capacity for Tribes and facilitate greater access to source reduction, recycling, and composting opportunities. Projects may include developing or updating plans focused on improving post-consumer materials management, planning and construction of facilities, purchasing or leasing recycling equipment or supplies, activities focused on increasing collection, and development of end-markets for materials. **Applications are due by April 4, 2023**, via www.grants.gov.

EPA encourages interested Tribes and intertribal consortia [To access more information and learn how to apply.](#)

- **AmeriCorps Grants for Native Nations**
[FY 2023 AmeriCorps State and National Native Nation Grants](#), Application Deadline: **April 05, 2023**
[FY 2023 AmeriCorps State and National Native Nations Planning Grants](#), Application Deadline: **April 5, 2023**
[AmeriCorps Seniors 2023 Native Nations & Indigenous Elders Senior Demonstration Program Notice](#). Application Deadline: **April 5, 2023**, at 5 p.m. Eastern Time.
- [NEA Challenge America, FY2024](#), *National Endowment for the Arts*. **Application Deadline: April 27, 2023**
- [Community Economic Development Planning Grants](#), *U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families*. **Application Deadline: May 15, 2023**
- **HUD Imminent Threat Grants** – Set aside of the Indian Community Development Block Grant (ICDBG) allocation for non-competitive, first come-first serve grants to eliminate or lessen problems which pose an imminent threat to public health or safety of Tribal residents. **Application Deadline: Ongoing** and may be submitted at any time. Procedures and info. at <https://www.hud.gov/sites/dfiles/PIH/documents/PG18SEP27PNPG1011F.pdf>.
- [Water and Waste Disposal Grants to Alleviate Health Risks on Tribal Lands and Colonias](#)
U.S. Department of Agriculture
USDA Rural Development funds grants for water and waste disposal facilities and services on federally-recognized tribal lands, colonias and rural areas that face significant health risks due to a lack of access to adequate, affordable water or waste disposal. **Application Deadline: Ongoing**
- [Community Facilities Direct Loan and Grant Program](#)
U.S. Department of Agriculture - USDA Rural Development provides funding in the form of low-interest loans and grants to develop essential community facilities in eligible rural areas, including Federally Recognized Tribal Lands. [Guaranteed Loan Options](#) are also available. **Application Deadline: Ongoing**
- [Emergency Community Water Assistance Grants](#)
U.S. Department of Agriculture Rural Development grants for eligible communities to prepare for or recover from an emergency that threatens the availability of safe, reliable drinking water. **Application Deadline: Ongoing**
- [Water & Waste Disposal Grants to Alleviate Health Risks on Tribal Lands and Colonias in New Mexico](#) This program provides low-income communities, which face significant health risks, access to safe, reliable drinking water and waste disposal facilities

and services.

- **US EPA Funding Announcements:**

Tribal Waste Management funding: <https://www.epa.gov/tribal-lands/tribal-waste-management-funding-resources-directory>

- **Land Cleanup Projects on Tribal Lands:** <https://www.epa.gov/tribal-lands/land-cleanup-funding-authorities-available-tribal-governments-0>

- **USDA ReConnect Program Round 4**

The USDA Rural Development Rural Utilities Service's (RUS) ReConnect Program offers loans, grants, and loan/grant combinations to facilitate high-speed internet in areas of rural America without sufficient access to broadband. **Up to \$350M Available.** Tribal Governments are eligible and potential awardees must meet a 100 Mbps symmetrical minimum service requirement in all proposed service areas. The maximum award amount is \$35M, and no match is required. The applications are evaluated in a competitive process. To learn about the ReConnect Program, visit <https://www.usda.gov/reconnect>.

National Park Service

The State, Tribal, Local, Plans & Grants Division provides preservation assistance through a number of programs that support the preservation of America's historic places and diverse history. We administer [grant programs](#) to State, Territorial, Tribal, and local governments, educational institutions, and non-profits in addition to providing [preservation planning](#), [technical assistance](#), and policy guidance. Our work supports historic properties and place-based identity, key components to the social and economic vitality of our communities.

The [National Historic Preservation Act of 1966](#), the foundation for our programs, declares that:

- *the spirit and direction of the Nation are founded upon and reflected in its historic heritage;*
- *the preservation of this irreplaceable heritage is in the public interest so that its vital legacy of cultural, educational, aesthetic, inspirational, economic, and energy benefits will be maintained and enriched for future generations of Americans.*

Established in 1977, the [Historic Preservation Fund \(HPF\)](#) is the funding source of the preservation awards to the States, Tribes, local governments, and non-profits. Authorized at \$150 million per year, the funding is provided by Outer Continental Shelf oil and gas lease revenues, not tax dollars. The HPF uses revenues of a non-renewable resource to benefit the preservation of other irreplaceable resources.

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Grant opportunities provided to NATHPO from you, our community, partners, and other Tribal & cultural resource organizations and firms.

Please provide information on our Contact Page and we will post to this page as they are approved.



## [Contact Us - NATHPO](#)

- [NATHPO's Protecting Native Places Fund](#), a grant program for Member THPOs! \$5,000 grants will be available to full NATHPO members\*, the application period is closed for 2022 but will re-open in 2023 - Stay tuned!  
\*See [Membership page](#) for details of Full Membership

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Watch the [recording of our Grants-stravaganza webinar](#) on our [YouTube channel](#).

### **Additional Resources:**

- [NPS: detailed guidance on THPO apportionment grants and a listing of competitive opportunities](#)
- [NPS State, Tribal, Local, Plans & Grants Division](#)
- How to apply for an HPF grant: [NPS YouTube channel](#)
- [SAM.gov](#)
- [Grants.gov](#)
- [National Trust Funding Programs](#)
- [Click here to join National Trust for Historic Preservation grants interest list](#)
- [United States Department of Agriculture \(USDA\) resource guide](#) to help rural communities seeking disaster resiliency and recovery assistance
- [Administration for Native Americans: Funding Opportunities](#)

### **Rolling Deadlines**

- [Bipartisan Infrastructure Law](#): The Bipartisan Infrastructure Law offers a significant opportunity to secure resources to build, repair, and improve infrastructure relating to transportation, climate, energy, the environment, and broadband on Tribal lands and in Tribal communities. *There are over 375 programs in the law* - program descriptions, agencies, funding amounts, periods of availability, who can apply, eligible uses, and key dates/upcoming milestones can be found using links below.  
*Deadline: Dependent upon program*
  - [PDF of Guidebook](#)
  - [Downloadable, searchable spreadsheet](#)
  - [Bipartisan Infrastructure Law and National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration \(noaa.gov\)](#)
- [U.S. Economic Development Administration: Travel, Tourism & Outdoor Recreation Program](#)  
*Deadline: Rolling*
- [Potlatch Fund for Native Communities Resilience Project](#)  
*Deadline: Rolling*
- [Bush Foundation: Community Innovation Grants](#)  
*Deadline: Open*
- [Adobe Stock Artist Development Fund](#)  
*Deadline: Rolling*

- [USDA: Economic Impact Initiative Grants](#)  
*Deadline: Ongoing*
- [USDA: Rural Microentrepreneur Assistance Program](#)  
*Deadline: Open*
- [Nevada Arts Council: Folklife Community Grant](#)  
*Deadline: At least 30 days before the proposed project*

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TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES and EVENTS: Click [here](#) for HUD/ONAP Training

HUD's Office of Native American Programs offers FREE Trainings on various topics impacting Tribal Housing and Administration of HUD funding. Below is a summary. For a complete listing of upcoming trainings, please visit [Calendar of Events and Training Opportunities](#)

Feb. 22: Incorporating Phase I Environmental Site Assessments into the HUD Environmental Review (1:00 – 2:30pm EST)

This training is intended for environmental staff of HUD grantees and others who may work on environmental reviews of HUD-assisted projects. [Register today!](#)

April 3-6, 2023: RES 2023 Summit – Empowering For Generations.

The **2023 Reservation Economic Summit** features Tribal leaders, members of Congress, federal agency representatives, state and local officials, and top CEO's on a national platform. RES 2023 will include plenary programming and panel discussions on timely themes relevant to Native American, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian Tribes and enterprises. [Register Today!](#)

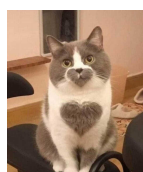
April 17-19, 2023: 23rd Annual Travois Indian Country Affordable Housing & Economic Development Conference -Washington, DC. Visit travois.com/news-events/annual-conference-information .

May 9-11: 2023 AMERIND Risk/NAHIC Convention & Trade Show – Hawaii [SAVE THE DATE: 2023 AMERIND/NAIHC ANNUAL CONVENTION AND TRADESHOW | AMERIND.com](#)

FREE Webinars: The Native Learning Center (NLC) partners with Travois to develop housing related training opportunities focused on areas that are critical to the improvement and self-sufficiency of safe and healthy Tribal communities. **Upcoming Webinars:**

- Thursday, February 16, 2023: Title VI Loan Guarantees: Another strategy to access capital for housing and infrastructure.
- Tuesday, February 28, 2023: Pascua Yaqui Tribe: A case study and comprehensive planning and managing multiple projects at the same time.
- Thursday, March 2, 2023: Asset management and compliance — plan for post pandemic operations.

Visit [NLC's website](#) to register for a free training.



Continuing the series on Presidential State of the Union Addresses as they relate to US-tribal relations BUT advise one read in total context to understand US emphasis on fiscal evolution and constant state of war. sdc

Thomas Jefferson, First State of the Union Address, December, 8, 1801

“Among our Indian neighbors also a spirit of peace and friendship generally prevails, and I am happy to inform you that the continued efforts to introduce among them the implements and the practice of husbandry and of the household arts have not been without success; that they are becoming more and more sensible of the superiority of this dependence for clothing and subsistence over the precarious resources of hunting and fishing, and already we are able to announce that instead of that constant diminution of their numbers produced by their wars and their wants, some of them begin to experience an increase of population.”

[https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/](https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/Thomas_Jefferson%27s_First_State_of_the_Union_Address)

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Second SOTU Address December 15, 1802

“In order to remove every ground of difference possible with our Indian neighbors, I have proceeded in the work of settling with them and marking the boundaries between us. That with the Choctaw Nation is fixed in one part and will be through the whole within a short time. The country to which their title had been extinguished before the Revolution is sufficient to receive a very respectable population, which Congress will probably see the expediency of encouraging so soon as the limits shall be declared. We are to view this position as an outpost of the United States, surrounded by strong neighbors and distant from its support; and how far that monopoly which prevents population should here be guarded against and actual habitation made a condition of the continuance of title will be for your consideration. A prompt settlement, too, of all existing rights and claims within this territory presents itself as a preliminary operation.

In that part of the Indiana Territory which includes Vincennes the lines settled with the neighboring tribes fix the extinction of their title at a breadth of 24 leagues from east to west and about the same length parallel with and including the Wabash. They have also ceded a tract of 4 miles square, including the salt springs near the mouth of that river.”

Third address (1803):

“Another important acquisition of territory has also been made since the last session of Congress. The friendly tribe of Kaskaskia Indians, with which we have never had a difference, reduced by the wars and wants of savage life to a few individuals unable to defend themselves against the neighboring tribes, has transferred its country to the United States, reserving only for its members what is sufficient to maintain them in an agricultural way. The considerations stipulated are that we shall extend to them our patronage and protection and give them certain annual aids in money, in implements of agriculture, and other articles of their choice. This country, among the most fertile within our limits, extending along the Mississippi from the mouth of the Illinois to and up the Ohio, though not so necessary as a barrier since the

acquisition of the other bank, may yet be well worthy of being laid open to immediate settlement, as its inhabitants may descend with rapidity in support of the lower country should future circumstances expose that to foreign enterprise. As the stipulations in this treaty also involve matters within the competence of both Houses only, it will be laid before Congress as soon as the Senate shall have advised its ratification.

With many of the other Indian tribes improvements in agriculture and household manufacture are advancing, and with all our peace and friendship are established on grounds much firmer than heretofore. The measure adopted of establishing trading houses among them and of furnishing them necessaries in exchange for their commodities at such moderate prices as leave no gain, but cover us from loss, has the most conciliatory and useful effect on them, and is that which will best secure their peace and good will. “

Fourth Address (November 8, 1804):

“With the Indian tribes established within our newly acquired limits, I have deemed it necessary to open conferences for the purpose of establishing a good understanding and neighborly relations between us. So far as we have yet learned, we have reason to believe that their dispositions are generally favorable and friendly; and with these dispositions on their part, we have in our own hands means which can not fail us for preserving their peace and friendship. by pursuing an uniform course of justice toward them, by aiding them in all the improvements which may better their condition, and especially by establishing a commerce on terms which shall be advantageous to them and only not losing to us, and so regulated as that no incendiaries of our own or any other nation may be permitted to disturb the natural effects of our just and friendly offices, we may render ourselves so necessary to their comfort and prosperity that the protection of our citizens from their disorderly members will become their interest and their voluntary care. Instead, therefore, of an augmentation of military force proportioned to our extension of frontier, I propose a moderate enlargement of the capital employed in that commerce as a more effectual, economical, and humane instrument for preserving peace and good neighborhood with them.

On this side of the Mississippi an important relinquishment of native title has been received from the Delawares. That tribe, desiring to extinguish in their people the spirit of hunting and to convert superfluous lands into the means of improving what they retain, has ceded to us all the country between the Wabash and Ohio south of and including the road from the rapids toward Vincennes, for which they are to receive annuities in animals and implements for agriculture and in other necessaries. This acquisition is important, not only for its extent and fertility, but as fronting 300 miles on the Ohio, and near half that on the Wabash. The produce of the settled country descending those rivers will no longer pass in review of the Indian frontier but in a small portion, and, with the cession heretofore made by the Kaskaskias, nearly consolidates our possessions north of the Ohio, in a very respectable breadth - from Lake Erie to the Mississippi. The Piankeshaws having some claim to the country ceded by the Delawares, it has been thought best to quiet that by fair purchase also. So soon as the treaties on this subject shall have received their constitutional sanctions they shall be laid before both houses.”

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**Native American sign language arrives at the Super Bowl - The Washington Post**  
<https://www.washingtonpost.com/wellness/2023/02/12/native-american-sign-language-super-bowl/>



This photo is “inosculation”, where two trees rub branches, roots or trunks together until they conjoin vascular systems, melting into one another. Latin “to kiss inwards”: a long, slow, beautiful interspecies tree-snog, beech on birch & back again.  
Beautiful quote and concept for people!



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♥ ♥ ♥ Happy V-Day to all readers! ♥ ♥

*In Loving Memory*



# **David Kaye**

**Sunrise: August 1, 1940 | Sunset: January 28, 2023**

*Traditional Wake*

**Friday, February 10, 2023 | 6 PM**

**2475 Pyramid Lake Highway | Sutcliffe, Nevada**

*Funeral Service*

**Saturday, February 11, 2023 | 11 AM**

**Nixon Gymnasium | Nixon, Nevada**

*Interment*

**Nixon Cemetery | Nixon, Nevada**

*Traditional Potluck Following Services at Nixon Gym*

*Food Donations Greatly Appreciated*