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TRIBAL LIAISON PROGRAM

WORKING TOGETHER TO CREATE BETTER COMMUNITIES

ABOUT THE TRIBAL LIAISON PROGRAM

The Tribal Liaison Program works to successfully maintain a pro-active, positive outcome oriented relationship between Sandoval County and its Tribal Governments. By doing so, together we can promote the overall health, well-being, and prosperity of Native American residents and all residents of Sandoval County.



ACHIEVING OUR GOALS:

- On-going communication between the County and the Native American communities.
- Recognizing and identifying issues affecting these communities and working to address them.
- Sharing information regarding services and resources available from the County to these communities.



Who Is Served

The Tribal Liaison Program is a partnership between Sandoval County and the Pueblos of Cochiti, Jemez, Laguna, Santa Ana, Santa Clara, San Felipe, San Ildefonso, Sandia, Santo Domingo (Kewa) and Zia; the Navajo Nation (Counselor, Ojo Encino, and Torreon/Star Lake Chapters); and the Jicarilla Apache Nation.



OUR PROGRAM

Initially, the Tribal Liaison Program was developed to provide Voting and Election education and services to the County's Native American communities. Over the years, the program has expanded. Our tribal liaisons meet and collaborate with Pueblo and Tribal leaders, community members, and residents to address these important and various issues. The Tribal Liaisons and County management assist our Native American communities in the following areas:

- Alcohol/Drug Abuse & Behavioral Health
- Contracts with Government
- Economic Development
- Education
- Emergency Medical Services
- Fire and Rescue
- Horse Grazing
- Missing Indigenous People
- Public Safety
- Renewable Energy and Right of Way Issues
- Tourism
- Transportation and Roads
- Veteran, Senior, and Youth Services
- Voter Services