

(3) The accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information;

(4) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(5) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

HUD encourages interested parties to submit comment in response to these questions.

### C. Authority

Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35.

**Anna P. Guido,**

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## INTER-AMERICAN FOUNDATION

### Sunshine Act Meetings

**TIME AND DATE:** October 4, 2021, 11:30 a.m. ET.

**PLACE:** Via tele-conference.

**STATUS:** Parts of this meeting will be open to the public. The rest of the meeting will be closed to the Public.

#### MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

- Call to order
- Vote on Interim President/CEO
- Adjournment

#### Portions Open to the Public

- Meeting of the IAF Board of Director

#### Portions Closed to the Public

- Executive session closed to the public as provided for by 22 CFR 1004.4(b)

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The Inter-American Foundation is holding this meeting under the Government in the Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. 552(b).

**Aswathi Zachariah,**

*General Counsel.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Indian Affairs

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2021-0010]**

### Tribal Listening Sessions on Climate Change and Discretionary Grants

**AGENCY:** Office of the Secretary, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Tribal listening sessions.

**SUMMARY:** The Department invites representatives of federally recognized Tribes to participate in three upcoming virtual listening sessions focused on climate change and Tribal Nations and two upcoming virtual listening sessions focused on Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) discretionary grants for Tribes. The Department also invites Tribal youth to the first scheduled climate listening session, which is focused on Tribal youth and climate. Climate change, equity, and environmental justice are among this Administration's top priorities. The Department would like to ensure that its efforts and the initiatives it develops to meet these priorities and to effectively administer discretionary grants programs are shaped and designed based on feedback and information received from across Indian Country and Alaska Native Villages.

**DATES:** Please see the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this notice for dates of the sessions.

**ADDRESSES:** Please see the website for updates <https://www.bia.gov/bia/ots/tribal-climate-resilience-program> for information on joining the Tribal climate sessions. Please see the website <https://www.doi.gov/ppa/equity/13985> for updates and information on joining the Tribal discretionary grants sessions. You may submit your comments through the Federal eRulemaking Portal: <https://www.regulations.gov>. Search by docket number "DOI-2021-0010" and follow the instructions for submitting comments.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department of the Interior (DOI) is pleased to announce three upcoming virtual listening sessions for Tribes focused on climate change and Tribal Nations and two upcoming virtual listening sessions for Tribes focused on Tribal discretionary grants. Climate change, equity, and environmental justice are among this Administration's

top priorities. The Department would like to ensure that its efforts and the initiatives it develops to meet these priorities are shaped and designed based on feedback and information received from across Indian Country and Alaska Native Villages. Such initiatives include the Department's Equity Plan, Civilian Climate Corps, the Indian Youth Service Corps, Tribal climate science technical support, climate adaptation and resilience planning and implementation grants, economic development grants, and many more. These listening sessions will inform DOI-wide and Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA)-led efforts.

Tribes are eligible for a range of discretionary grant programs administered by the BIA, Bureau of Indian Education, and other DOI bureaus. These grant programs can provide funding to support Tribal operations, economic development, education, resilience, preservation of historic places, and other key functions. By identifying and addressing barriers to accessing DOI discretionary grants, the Department can better support Tribes in improving government infrastructure, community infrastructure, education, job training, climate adaptation planning and implementation capacity, and employment opportunities along with other components of long-term sustainable development that work to improve quality of life for their members. These listening sessions will inform DOI efforts to improve access to Tribal discretionary grants.

We are scheduling the following listening sessions to create opportunities for sharing and dialogue about these programs and to learn what Tribes see as important opportunities. Each session has a different focus, as noted below. The following general questions for each session are provided to facilitate discussion during the sessions. More specific questions are provided on the BIA Tribal Climate Resilience website: <https://www.bia.gov/bia/ots/tribal-climate-resilience-program> and the Department's website pertaining to Executive Order 13985: <https://www.doi.gov/ppa/equity/13985>.

#### Session 1: Tribal Youth and Climate

Date: October 13, 2021  
Time: 3 p.m.-5 p.m. ET

*Note:* We particularly invite Tribal youth to this session. There is a downloadable parental/guardian consent form at the BIA Tribal Climate website above for participation of minors. Please submit completed forms to [Tribal.Climate@bia.gov](mailto:Tribal.Climate@bia.gov).

Questions for discussion: