

**The 2010 American Indian and Alaska Native Program
Phoenix Tribal Consultation
U.S. Census Bureau**

Agenda

This agenda is intended to facilitate discussion and dialogue between the U.S. Census Bureau and tribal leader delegates. This agenda will be flexible to ensure maximum discussion and input from tribal delegates. Below are some expectations for this consultation meeting:

- Provide a forum for open, two-way communication between tribal governments and the U.S. Census Bureau.
- Facilitate open discussion and gain tribal government input on effective implementation of tribal specific programmatic and operational activities as detailed in the Background Materials.
- Record and address outcomes, issues, and recommendations to ensure tribal delegates receive a timely response.
- Clarify Census Bureau programs and activities related to the 2010 Census.
- Where feasible, recommendations and input will be used to implement a more accurate and effective 2010 Census for American Indians and Alaska Natives.

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Meet and Greet/Registration	8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.
Opening Blessing by a Tribal Elder	8:30 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.
Welcoming Remarks	8:40 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Overview of Meeting Goals and Objectives	9:00 a.m. - 9:10 a.m.
Introductions and Open Discussion	9:10 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
Understanding the Census Process	9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
Break	10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.
Classifying and Tabulating American Indian and Alaska Native Responses in the 2010 Census	10:15 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.
Geography Counts: Understanding the Link Between the Geography and the Data	11:10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Lunch	12:00 p.m. - 1:10 p.m.
How Best to Reach American Indians and Alaska Natives	1:10 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Establishing Partnerships for a More Accurate 2010 Census	1:30 p.m. - 2:20 p.m.
How Tribal Governments Can Help Recruit for Census Jobs	2:20 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Break	3:00 p.m. - 3:20 p.m.
Wrap-Up, Clarifications, and Next Steps	3:20 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.