



2010 Census Partner Proclamation

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WHEREAS an accurate census count is vital to our tribe's well-being by helping leaders determine tribal nation needs, set priorities and plan for new facilities and programs;

WHEREAS more than \$400 billion per year in federal funding is allocated based, in part, on census data;

WHEREAS census data count people where they live, providing a more comprehensive count of tribal members both on and off tribal lands;

WHEREAS the 2010 Census creates jobs that stimulate economic growth and increase employment;

WHEREAS the information collected by the census is confidential and protected by law;

Now, therefore, we PROCLAIM that _____ is committed to partnering with the U.S. Census Bureau to help ensure a full and accurate count in 2010.

As a 2010 Census partner, we will:

1. Support the goals and ideals for the 2010 Census and disseminate 2010 Census information to encourage those in our tribe to participate.
2. Encourage people in our tribe to place an emphasis on the 2010 Census and participate in events and initiatives that will raise overall awareness and ensure a full and accurate census.
3. Support census takers as they help our tribe complete an accurate count.
4. Create or seek opportunities to collaborate with other like-minded tribes and groups in our community by participating in Complete Count Committees and/or utilizing high-profile, trusted voices to advocate on behalf of the 2010 Census.

Signed this ____ day of _____, in the year 20__.

Signature

Title

Organization Name