

## United States Department of the Interior

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY Washington, DC 20240

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## Dear Tribal Leader:

This letter is in follow up to the Dear Tribal Leader Letter dated May 24, 2022, inviting you to consult on the funding methodology for the Small Tribe Supplement budget line item (previously known as the Small and Needy program).

The May 24 letter identified July 1, 2022, as the deadline for written comments. We are extending the written comment deadline 30 days to August 1, 2022.

You may submit written comments to consultation@bia.gov by 11:59pm ET on August 1, 2022. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Rose Petoskey, Senior Counselor to the Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs at (202) 208-7163 or via email at rose.petoskey@bia.gov.

I look forward to receiving your written comments.

Sincerely,

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