



## OPPORTUNITY FOR FUNDING TO PREVENT AND END HOMELESSNESS FOR CALIFORNIA FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED TRIBES

Application Deadline: Friday, June 28, 2024

### Grant Overview

Cal ICH is now accepting applications for Round 3 of the Tribal Homeless Housing Assistance and Prevention (Tribal HHAP) Program to prevent and end homelessness.

\$20 Million in flexible funding is available to California Federally Recognized Tribes to implement diverse, culturally responsive solutions to address homelessness in meaningful ways.

[APPLY HERE](#)

For more information about the grant, including eligible uses for funding, please see the Notice of Funding Announcement (NOFA) at [Tribal HHAP 3 NOFA](#).

### Grant Submission Deadline

Applicants will use an on-line Cognito submission portal to submit their application [here](#). A complete application and all necessary attachments must be submitted by **5:00pm Pacific Standard Time on June 28, 2024**.

Cal ICH recognizes that rural and remote applicants may have limited access to high-speed internet. If you do not have access to the internet and email and are in need of an application process that does not require internet access, please call (916) 510-9445 for assistance, no later than **June 10, 2024**.

### Online Application System Tips

Cognito is the platform grantees will use to complete and submit the Tribal HHAP Round 3 Program Application. The platform contains required questions that must be filled out to proceed. Cognito allows you to save the application and come back to it later. To save:

- Click the save button at the bottom of the page and enter an email address that you'd like the link to be sent to.
- Clicking will generate an emailed link containing all entered data and uploaded files. Clicking on the emailed link will return you to the incomplete application.
- This **emailed link is shareable**. You can send it to colleagues, and they will be able to review and provide additional data.
- When accessing the saved report, remember to save the report again after any new information is entered into the report. The link will remain the same after each save.
- If you attempt to save the report and are unable to proceed, please ensure **there are no errors**, hit **save again** and exit the application. Then click on the emailed link to open it again.



## **Application & Attachments**

### **Proposal Requirements Include:**

- A description of the needs of your Tribal Community and the resources available to meet those needs.
- A description of the project(s) proposed to meet your community's needs, including how project goals will be measured.
- Details regarding the population size of the community and who will be eligible for the Tribe's programs and/or services.
- A description of how you might scale down your project, should the amount of funding available be less than requested.
- An estimated budget detailing the cost breakdown for the proposed project(s).
- A budget narrative, including a description of what activities will be funded.

*California Federally Recognized Tribes may designate individuals or entities, such as Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHE), to complete their application on their behalf, if desired.*

### **The following attachment must be included in the application prior to submission:**

- **Tribal Resolution Approving the Project:** This document is a formal expression of the will of the California Federally Recognized Tribal Council. The Resolution must include a statement that approves the Tribal HHAP Round 3 application submission and the dollar amount of the application.

All applicants must complete the application and provide the requested attachments **by 5:00 pm Pacific Time on June 28, 2024**, to be considered for 2024 funding.

### **Help**

If technical assistance is needed to complete the application or if you would like additional information, please contact Cal ICH Tribal Liaison, Vevila Blossoming Bear at [Vevila.Blossoming@bcsh.ca.gov](mailto:Vevila.Blossoming@bcsh.ca.gov) or (916) 510-9445 or [calichgrants@bcsh.ca.gov](mailto:calichgrants@bcsh.ca.gov).

Culturally responsive technical assistance that honors tribal sovereignty is available to support applicants and grantees, including support with the completion of the application, blending of multiple funding streams and capacity building.

The Tribal HHAP Website is located at [https://www.bcsh.ca.gov/calich/tribal\\_hhap\\_program.html](https://www.bcsh.ca.gov/calich/tribal_hhap_program.html) and provides resources to address homelessness, as well guidance on how to request tribal consultation with Cal ICH.