

# 2023 Request for Applications – Youth Question List

### **Introduction**

Welcome to the 2023 Request for Applications (RFA) for the Native American Agriculture Fund (NAAF).

The **2023 Request for Applications – Youth** provides youth programming funding for eligible grant recipients, including:

- 501(c)(3) organization
- Educational organization
- Community Development Financial Institution
- Tribal government/instrumentality

Requests for targeted, general funding are hosted in a separate application. To apply for targeted funding and related special focus projects, please go to the dashboard to locate the **2023 Request for Applications - General**.

**Note:** Eligible applicants may apply for the 2023 RFA - General and 2023 - Youth by completing <u>both</u> applications.

### **Helpful Links**

- 1. 2023 RFA Overview -- Please read this document in full before starting an application.
- 2. <u>NAAF Grants Webpage</u> -- Please refer to this webpage for information regarding the application cycle.

### **Key Dates**

2023 RFA – Youth Opens: April 1, 2023

2023 RFA - Youth Closes: June 1, 2023, 11:59 p.m. CT

#### 2023 RFA Webinar Series

All webinars begin at 2 p.m. CT and are scheduled to last until 4 p.m. CT. The first hour will be a standard presentation followed by an hour of live Q&A.

Register: Youth Webinar

• Thursday, April 20, 2023 (**Youth funding only**)

#### Guidelines

- Applicants must complete all required questions and uploads before submitting the application.
- NAAF allows open responses to be as long as 10,000 characters, or 3.5 pages. Applicants
  do not need to fill all available space. Please give sufficient detail for evaluators to
  understand your proposal without straining to fill space.
- Unless otherwise noted, uploads must be in .pdf format.
- Upload areas have a maximum file size. If you run into issues, consult this document on reducing PDF file size
- Double-check your application to make sure all uploads are correct. There is no opportunity to amend the application after the deadline.
- NAAF encourages you to submit the application in advance of the deadline to avoid unexpected technical difficulties.

### For Assistance

- 1. 2023 RFA FAQs -- Review frequently asked questions
- 2. Youth Webinar
- 3. Email NAAF Grants -- Reach out to NAAF directly
- 4. Leave a voicemail with NAAF Grants at 479-445-6226, Ext. 101

### **Collaborate Feature**

Sections of this application may require input from other members of your team. We encourage you to use Foundant's 'Collaborate' feature to invite those team members to edit the application with you. This is particularly important for organizations applying with a fiscal sponsor.

#### To collaborate:

- Look for a blue button in the top right corner of the page labeled 'Collaborate'
- Click the button and add the email address of the team member
- Select permissions; either 'can edit' or 'can submit'
- Finish the process by clicking 'Invite'
- There is no limit on how many collaborators you can add to the application. This method is preferred to sharing the username and password for one account.

View NAAF's Foundant Application Tutorial for more help.

### **Contact Information**

#### **Reference for Grantee Name**

Below, please enter how should NAAF refer to the organization conducting grant activities in external communications. This may differ from the organization name used for a future grant agreement.

### Example #1 - University Sub-unit

Internal organization name used on grant agreement:

Regents of XY, University of XY

External organization name used on website:

ABC Center at University of XY

### Example #2 - Tribal Sub-unit

Internal organization name used on grant agreement:

XYZ Indian Tribe

External organization name used on website:

XYZ Indian Tribe - Agriculture Department

If you are applying with a fiscal sponsor, list the name of the **sponsored** organization (i.e., organization completing grant activities) here. We will ask for the fiscal sponsor information later in the application.

#### Grantee Name\*

How should NAAF refer to the organization conducting grant activities in external communication? This may differ from the organization name used for a future grant agreement. *Character Limit: 100* 

### **Applicant Contact Name\***

Please designate one person to be NAAF's primary contact through the application and project period.

**Note:** This person should be someone working day-to-day on the project and doesn't need to be the signing authority.

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Applicant Contact Email\*

Character Limit: 254

Applicant Contact Phone Number\*

Character Limit: 100

### **Application Checklist**

NAAF's application uses branching logic to ask questions specific to your organization. As such, many question groups hinge on your answer to an earlier question. Additional questions are revealed as you answer earlier ones. We use this functionality to craft our application around your unique situation.

NAAF has developed tools to aid people who prefer to see the full application at once. You may:

- Download a PDF of the full application (the document you are currently using)
- Use the checklist below to track your progress.

#### Checklist

You may use this area to check off items as you complete the application to track your progress.

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Eligibility information
Fiscal sponsor information (if applicable)
Limited waiver acknowledgment (if applicable)
Financial information
Geographic information
Native agriculture focus
Access to capital
Project proposal for each category
National Disruption (if applicable)
Intermediary funds information (if applicable)
Governing body information
Cover letter
Support letters (optional)
Extra space (optional)

### **Eligible Grant Recipient Rules**

NAAF's Trust Agreement outlines eligible grant recipients in Section 8.

- (a) Eligible Grant Recipients shall be limited to:
- (1) Tax-exempt organizations described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code;
- (2) Educational organizations described in Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii) of the Code;
- (3) Community Development Financial Institutions ("CDFIs"), including Certified Native CDFIs and Emerging Native CDFIs, provided, however, that such CDFI is a tax-exempt organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code;
- (4) the instrumentality of a state or federally recognized tribe, including a non-profit organization chartered under the tribal law of a state or federally recognized tribe, that furnishes assistance designed to further Native American farming or ranching activities..."
- "(c) Grants to Fiscal Sponsors. The Trust may make grants to Eligible Grant Recipients, defined in Section 8, acting as fiscal sponsors ("Fiscal Sponsors") for organizations that would be Eligible Grant Recipients but for the fact that such organizations have requested but have not yet received a

<sup>&</sup>quot;Section 8 – Eligible Grant Recipients and Grant Requirements

favorable determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service recognizing such organization's tax-exempt status. The Trust shall exercise expenditure responsibility within the meaning of Section 4945(h) of the Code when making grants to Fiscal Sponsors."

**Note**: According to our Trust Agreement, individual Native farmers, ranchers, fishers and other producers are not eligible to apply for NAAF grants. We encourage producers to share this grant opportunity with eligible grant recipient organizations in their community.

### Eligibility\*

Does your organization fit in one of the four eligible grant recipient groups - 501(c)(3) organization, educational organization, CDFI or Tribal government/instrumentality - listed above?

**Note:** If you are not an eligible grant recipient and do not have a fiscal sponsor, feel free to contact NAAF at grants@nativeamericanagriculturefund.org to discuss your situation further.

#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No, we are working with a fiscal sponsor
- o No, we are not eligible for funding directly or with a fiscal sponsor

### **Eligibility for Fiscal Sponsor**

NAAF's <u>Trust Agreement</u> outlines eligible grant recipients in Section 8. It includes provisions for grants to Fiscal Sponsors for the benefit of organizations not eligible to apply on their own.

To apply with a fiscal sponsor, the applicant must be in the process of attempting to reach 501(c)(3) status with the IRS. In addition, the fiscal sponsor must already have 501(c)(3) status with the IRS. For more information, please click below.

Fiscal sponsor relationships are not the responsibility of NAAF. Grantees must manage these relationships independently of NAAF.

Please read the following before proceeding with this section: NAAF's Fiscal Sponsor Information

### Eligibility for FS\*

Has your organization submitted an application for 501(c)(3) status but not yet received a favorable determination letter from the IRS? If you answer no, please contact NAAF at grants@nativeamericanagriculturefund.org before proceeding with this application.

#### Choices

- o Yes
- $\circ$  No

#### IRS Application Proof\*

Please upload documentation that shows your organization has applied for, but not yet received, 501(c)(3) status.

According to the IRS website, 501(c)(3) applicants will receive an acknowledgment notice once

the application has been received. Please upload that acknowledgment notice or other documentation here.

### Must be in .pdf format.

(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### **IRS Application Proof Comments**

Optional: You may elaborate on your upload for the previous question here.

Character Limit: 2500

### **Fiscal Sponsor Information**

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### Fiscal Sponsor Organization Name\*

Please enter the name of the organization acting as a fiscal sponsor for the applicant.

Character Limit: 250

### Fiscal Sponsor Organization Address\*

Please enter the mailing address (street, city, state and zip code) for the fiscal sponsor organization.

Character Limit: 2500

### Fiscal Sponsor Contact Name\*

Please designate one person to be NAAF's primary fiscal sponsor contact through the application and project period.

Character Limit: 250

#### Fiscal Sponsor Contact Email\*

Character Limit: 250

### Fiscal Sponsor Contact Phone\*

Character Limit: 250

### Fiscal Sponsor – Agreement\*

By clicking "agree", the **fiscal sponsor** acknowledges and affirms its responsibility to manage grant activities, funds and reports for any projects awarded by NAAF through the 2023 Request for Applications.

Choices

o Agree

### **Eligible Grant Recipient Type**

Eligible Entity Type\*

Please select your organization's primary entity type.

- If your organization qualifies under more than one type, please choose the type that best fits the grant request. If you are unsure, contact NAAF to discuss.
- If your organization is using a fiscal sponsor, please select 501(c)(3).

#### Choices

- o 501(c)(3) organization
- Educational organization
- o Community Development Financial Institution (CDFI)
- o Tribal government
- Instrumentality of a Tribal government

## Eligibility Upload – 501(c)(3) Eligibility Upload - 501(c)(3)\*

NAAF's Trust Agreement allows funding for organizations described as tax-exempt organizations in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

Please upload documentation (e.g., letter or email) from the IRS proving your organization's 501(c)(3) status. EIN documents and articles of incorporation are not sufficient.

Organizations applying must provide adequate eligibility documentation. NAAF conducts an external survey of eligibility status. If your entity is not in good standing, the application will not be eligible for review. Please check your IRS status before submitting your application. If you have questions regarding your entity status, please contact grants@nativeamericanagriculturefund.org at least one week before the application closing date.

**Note:** If your organization is using a fiscal sponsor, upload the fiscal sponsor's IRS documentation here.

Must be in .pdf format. (Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

Eligibility Upload - 501(c)(3) Comments

Optional: You may elaborate on your upload for the previous question here.

Character Limit: 2500

### Eligibility Upload – Edu Org

Eligibility Upload – Edu Org\*

NAAF's Trust Agreement allows funding for educational organizations described in Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii) of the Code.

Please upload documentation proving your organization's Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii) status. Examples include:

- IRS letter
- Statement from organization's general counsel
- Incorporating documents

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### Eligibility Upload – Edu Org Comments

Optional: You may elaborate on your upload for the previous question here.

Character Limit: 2500

### Eligibility Upload - CDFI

NAAF's Trust Agreement states CDFIs must also have 501(c)(3) status to be eligible.

Excerpt from Trust Agreement:

- "Section 8 Eligible Grant Recipients and Grant Requirements
- (a) Eligible Grant Recipients shall be limited to:

(3) Community Development Financial Institutions ("CDFIs"), including Certified Native CDFIs and Emerging Native CDFIs, provided, however, that such CDFI is a tax-exempt organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code;"

### Eligibility Upload – CDFI\*

Once accredited, a CDFI must renew the **Treasury Department**'s ACR certification each year. The CDFI will receive an email from the ACR process stating, "A review of CDFI is complete and certification is renewed." Please locate your organization's most recent version of that email and upload it here.

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### Eligibility Upload (501c3) – CDFI\*

Please upload documentation (e.g., letter or email) from the IRS proving your organization's 501(c)(3) status. EIN documents and articles of incorporation are not sufficient.

#### Must be in .pdf format.



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Eligibility Upload - CDFI Comments

Optional: You may elaborate on your upload for the previous question here.

Character Limit: 2500

### Eligibility Upload – Tribal Government

Eligibility Upload – Tribe\*

NAAF's Trust Agreement allows funding for state or federally recognized Tribes.

Please upload documentation showing your organization is a state recognized or federally recognized Tribal government. This may include:

- List of recognized Tribes from the Federal Register or state register
- Federal law or state law
- Constitution or organizing document
- Executive order
- Treaty

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### Eligibility Upload – Tribal Resolution

Optional: Some Tribes require a Tribal resolution prior to submitting proposals for funding. If that applies to your Tribe, please upload the authorizing resolution here.

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

Eligibility Upload - Tribe Comments

Optional: You may elaborate on your upload for the previous question here.

Character Limit: 2500

### **Eligibility Upload – Instrumentality**

NAAF's Trust Agreement allows funding for instrumentalities of state or federally recognized Tribes. See excerpt below.

"Instrumentalities of Tribes (of state recognized or federally recognized Tribal governments) can mean any number of things such as Tribal departments of agriculture, food authorities or even food processing or food marketing entities. Tribal governments have the latitude to determine which entities are instrumentalities of their governments; NAAF only needs proper documentation as to that status. If an organization has eligible status as an educational institution or a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, for instance, but wishes to be considered as an instrumentality of a Tribal government, they must secure and submit an authorizing document from their Tribal government to that specific effect. A statement from an organization other than a Tribal government will not suffice for this purpose."

### Eligibility Upload - Instrumentality\*

Please upload documentation from a state recognized or federally recognized Tribal government authorizing your organization as an instrumentality of their government.

### Must be in .pdf format.



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### Eligibility Upload - Instrumentality Resolution

Optional: Some instrumentalities require a Tribal resolution prior to submitting proposals for funding. If that applies to your instrumentality, please upload the authorizing resolution here.

### Must be in .pdf format.



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### Eligibility Upload - Instrumentality Comments

Optional: You may elaborate on your upload for the previous question here.

Character Limit: 2500

### Limited Waiver – Instrumentality\*

All Tribal governments and instrumentalities must provide a limited waiver of sovereign immunity to be awarded NAAF funds.

Is your organization (the instrumentality) authorized to waive sovereign immunity without a Tribal resolution?

#### Choices

- o Yes
- $\circ$  No

### Limited Waiver - Instrumentality Upload

If yes, please upload the Tribal resolution or law authorizing your organization to waive sovereign immunity.

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

#### Limited Waiver – Instrumentality Comments

Optional: You may elaborate on your sovereign immunity situation here.

Character Limit: 2500

#### Audit – Instrumentality\*

Does your instrumentality share assets, liabilities, or decision-making authority with your Tribe?

- If yes, NAAF requires audited financial statements later in the application
- If **no**, NAAF requires other types of financial statements later in the application

#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### Audit– Instrumentality Comments

Optional: You may elaborate on your sovereign immunity situation here.

Character Limit: 2500

### **Limited Waiver Acknowledgement**

NAAF's <u>Trust Agreement</u> contains specific provisions for Tribal governments and instrumentalities. Among those is the necessity of a limited waiver of sovereign immunity.

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- ... (4) the instrumentality of a state or federally recognized tribe, including a non-profit organization chartered under the tribal law of a state or federally recognized tribe, that furnishes assistance designed to further Native American farming or ranching activities, provided, however, that ...
- (iii) If the grant recipient is a governmental entity, it shall agree to a limited waiver of sovereign immunity with respect to the Trust's right to enforce the terms of the grant."

Any Tribal government or instrumentality awarded will need to provide a limited waiver prior to distribution of funds.

Read here for more help: NAAF's Limited Waiver Information.

#### Limited Waiver Acknowledgement\*

By clicking "Agree", I acknowledge and affirm that Tribal leadership and legal counsel are aware of the need for a limited waiver of sovereign immunity and are supportive of providing one if awarded a NAAF grant.

#### Choices

o Agree

### Financial Questions – Audit Explanation

In the following sections, NAAF requests the applicant's full audited financial statements, including the auditor's opinion, financial statements, footnotes, a single audit section (if applicable), and all pages as listed in the table of contents. Watch this video and read below for an overview of what that entails. If you have any questions, please reach out to NAAF.

The audit upload should include the Independent Auditors' Report along with the organization's financial statements that were audited and are referenced in the report (Statement of Position/Statement of Financial Activities or Balance Sheet/Year to Date Income Statement). The Independent Auditors report will include these items:

- A statement that they have audited the financial statements for the year ending xx/xx/xxxx (Example: 12/31/2021).
- A statement on Management's responsibility for the financial statements.
- A statement on auditors' responsibility.
- The auditors' opinion on the financial statements on whether they present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

Example of an independent auditor's report:

https://www.investopedia.com/terms/a/auditorsreport.asp

### <u>Financial Questions – Audit Required</u>

NAAF expects all educational organizations and Tribal governments/instrumentalities to have audited financial statements; if your organization does not, please reach out to NAAF at grants@nativeamericanagriculturefund.org before proceeding with this application.

**Note**: NAAF expects audited financial statements from the eligible grant recipient (i.e., the organization that will enter into a grant agreement), not a sub-recipient.

### Financial Questions – Audit Y/N

**Note**: If you are using a fiscal sponsor, enter the **sponsored** organization/applicant's financial information in all sections labeled 'Financial Questions'. We will ask for the fiscal sponsor's information in sections labeled 'FS Financial Questions'.

Nonprofit 501(c)(3) organizations and CDFIs may or may not have audited financial statements depending on federal, state, or organizational requirements. If your organization has audited financial statements, NAAF requires them in the application. If your organization does not, you will be asked to explain and provide other financial statements.

**Note**: Note: NAAF expects financial statements from the eligible grant recipient (i.e., the organization that will enter into a grant agreement), not a sub-recipient. NAAF reviews financial information on a case-by-case basis. Please contact us at grants@nativeamericanagriculturefund.org if you have questions.

#### Audit\*

Does your organization (applicant) have full audited financial statements, including the auditor's opinion, financial statements, footnotes, a single audit section (if applicable), and all pages as listed in the table of contents?

#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### <u>Financial Questions – Audit</u>

Information submitted by applicants that is related to the financial condition or audit results of the eligible applicant will be held in the strictest of confidence. NAAF tests the security of its online

systems and its internal records retention systems on a frequent basis. NAAF will not release sensitive information related to the financial condition or audit results related to applicants.

### Audit Upload\*

Attach your most recent audited financial statements. Full audited financial statements will include an opinion from the auditor, footnotes, a single audit section (if applicable), and all pages as listed in the table of contents within the full audit.

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 10 MiB)

#### Audit End Date\*

What is the period end date of the audit uploaded?

This is not the date the audit occurred.

Example: If the audit covered January 1 - December 31, 2022, enter 12/31/2022.

If the audit is more than 18 months old (from before 12/1/2021), we will ask you to upload the most recent Balance Sheet (Statement of Financial Position) and Year to Date Income Statement (Statement of Activities) in the next section, and, if awarded, will ask for the 2022 audited financial statements when available.

### Audit Findings\*

Were there any findings by an auditor during your most recent audit?

### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

#### **Audit Findings Comments**

If 'Yes', please identify the brief summary of audit findings and give an explanation of steps taken to address the audit findings.

Character Limit: 5000

### **Financial Questions – No Audit**

### No Audit Upload\*

Please upload a document on organization letterhead and signed by your lead financial person confirming your organization is not required to have an audit.

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### Financial Questions – Financial Statements Y/N

### Financial Statements\*

Do you have the following system generated financial statements for your organization?

- Balance Sheet (Statement of Financial Position)
- Year to Date Income Statement (Statement of Activities)

### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### **Financial Questions – Financial Statements**

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#### Balance Sheet\*

Please upload a system generated Balance Sheet (Statement of Financial Position) from your most recent closed period.

### Must be in .pdf format.

(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)
Balance Sheet End Date\*

What is the period end date of the balance sheet uploaded?

Example: If the balance sheet covers January 1 – December 31, 2022, enter 12/31/2022.

Character Limit: 10

#### Year to Date Income Statement\*

Please upload a system generated Year to Date Income Statement (Statement of Activities) from your most recent closed period.

### Must be in .pdf format.

(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

#### Year to Date Income Statement End Date\*

What is the period end date of the Year-to-Date Income Statement uploaded?

Example: If the balance sheet covers January 1 - December 31, 2022, enter 12/31/2022.

Character Limit: 10

### Financial Questions – No Financial Statements

Please watch this video for more information about using our alternative financial templates.

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Balance Sheet Alternative\*

You indicated you do not have a Balance Sheet (Statement of Financial Position). Please use NAAF's alternative form and upload it here.

Download: Alternative Year to Date Balance Sheet

### Must be in .pdf format.

(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### Year to Date Income Statement Alternative\*

You indicated you do not have a Year-to-Date Income Statement (Statement of Activities). Please use NAAF's alternative form and upload it here.

Download: Alternative Year to Date Income Statement

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### No Financial Statement Upload\*

Please upload a letter on your letterhead stating the above information is true and accurate.

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### <u>Financial Questions – Budget</u>

### **Budget Deficit\***

Did your organization experience a budget deficit during your last fiscal year (2022)?

#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### **Budget Deficit Comments**

If 'Yes', please identify the amount and reason for the deficit here.

Character Limit: 5000

### **Budget Deficit on Project\***

Has your organization experienced a budget deficit when implementing a specific project?

Choices

Yes

No

### **Budget Deficit on Project Comments**

If 'Yes', please describe the nature of the project, the nature of the budget deficit, and specific steps your organization took in response.

Character Limit: 10000

Note: During the application review process NAAF may contact you for information on your organizational budget for the current year (2023).

#### **Financial Comments**

*Optional*: You may use this space to share any additional information that would help NAAF understand your financial position.

Character Limit: 2500

### FS Financial Questions – Audit Y/N

This section and all others labeled 'FS Financial Questions' are for the fiscal sponsor organization. Please use the collaborate feature to allow the fiscal sponsor to answer these questions.

Nonprofit 501(c)(3) organizations may or may not have audited financial statements depending on federal, state, or organizational requirements. If your organization has audited financial statements, NAAF requires them in the application. If your organization does not, you will be asked to explain and provide other financial statements.

#### Audit (FS)\*

Does your organization (fiscal sponsor) have full audited financial statements, including the auditor's opinion, financial statements, footnotes, a single audit section (if applicable), and all pages as listed in the table of contents?

Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### **FS Financial Ouestions – Audit**

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### Audit Upload (FS)\*

Attach your most recent audited financial statements. Full audited financial statements will include an opinion from the auditor, footnotes, a single audit section (if applicable), and all pages as listed in the table of contents within the full audit.

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### Audit Findings (FS)\*

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### FS Financial Questions – No Audit

No Audit Upload (FS)\*

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### Must be in .pdf format.

(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### FS Financial Questions – Financial Statements Y/N

System Generated Financial Statements (FS)\*

Do you have the following system generated financial statements for your organization?

- Balance Sheet (Statement of Financial Position)
- Year to Date Income Statement (Statement of Activities)

#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### **FS Financial Questions – Financial Statements**

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### Balance Sheet (FS)\*

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### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

#### Year to Date Income Statement (FS)\*

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### Balance Sheet Alternative (FS)\*

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### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

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(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### **FS Financial Questions – Budget**

### Budget Deficit (FS)\*

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#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

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o Yes

o No

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### Financial Comments (FS)

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Character Limit: 2500

### **Geographic Information**

**Note:** If you are using a fiscal sponsor, answer questions in this section for the **sponsored** organization/applicant.

### **Applicant Info**

The following questions pertain to your organization's physical location. These questions are demographic in nature and will not impact evaluation.

### Org Location (1)\*

Where is your organization's primary office located?

**Note:** This may not be the same as the community that your organization plans to serve with NAAF funding.

#### Choices

- o Reservation/Tribal land area (rural, suburban or urban)
- o Rural Area
- Suburban Area
- o Remote (no physical location)
- o Other

### Org Location (2)\*

Is your primary office located in the community you intend to serve?

#### **Choices**

- o Yes
- o No

#### **Org Location Comments**

Optional: You may elaborate on your selections for 'Org Location (1) and (2)' here.

Character Limit: 2500

### **Service Population**

The following questions pertain to the areas your organization seeks to serve through the 2023 RFA proposed project(s).

**Note:** This may be of your overall service population. Please answer only for areas to be served by the 2023 RFA proposed project(s).

### Service Community\*

What type of Native community will your organization serve with NAAF funding? Select all that apply:

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	Reservation/Tribal land community
	Rural community
	Suburban community
	Urban community
	Not Listed

### **Service Community Comments**

Optional: You may elaborate on your selections for 'Service Community' here.

Character Limit: 2500

#### National Service\*

Will your NAAF funded project potentially serve Native communities across the nation? Please select "Yes" if your organization will be able to potentially extend service to all states within the U.S. through NAAF funding. If you intend to serve a specific state or states, select "No "and a list of states and BIA regions will appear for you to select.

#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

#### States\*

Please select the states in which you will be serving Native farmers and ranchers with NAAF funding.

ш	Alabama
	Alaska
	Arizona
	Arkansas
	California
	Colorado
	Connecticut
	Delaware
П	Florida

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Georgia Hawaii Idaho Illinois Indiana
Iowa Kansas Kentucky
Louisiana
Maine
Maryland
Massachusetts
Michigan
Minnesota
Mississippi
Missouri
Montana
Nebraska
Nevada
New Hampshire
New Jersey
New Mexico
New York
North Carolina North Dakota
Ohio
Oklahoma
Oregon Pennsylvania
Rhode Island
South Carolina
South Caronna South Dakota
Tennessee
Texas
Utah
Vermont
Virginia
Washington
West Virginia
Wisconsin
Wyoming

### **BIA Regions\***

Select the region(s) your project(s) will cover.

### **BIA Regions Map**

**Note:** The Eastern Region is divided into Northeast and Southeast in our list. | Native Hawaiians are listed in the Pacific Region.

Once you have chosen the region(s), a tab associated with each region will appear where you may identify the specific Tribes/Villages you intend to serve. You can choose multiple regions and Tribes/Villages.

### Choices

ш	Alaska Region	Pacific Region
	Eastern Oklahoma Region	Rocky Mountain Region
	Great Plains Region	Southeast Region
	Midwest Region	Southern Plains Region
	Navajo Region	Southwest Region
	Northeast Region	Western Region
	Northwest Region	

### **BIA Regions Comments**

*Optional:* You may be serving Tribal members whose Tribe is located outside of the BIA region selected. You can elaborate on that, and any other thoughts, here.

Character Limit: 2500

### **Alaska Region**

Alaska Region List

Please check the Tribe(s)/Village(s) you will serve in your NAAF-funded project(s).

Alaska Region List					
Please check the Tribes / Villages	Please check the Tribes / Villages you will be serving.				
<ul> <li>Akiachak Native Community</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Native Village of Ambler</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kwigillngok</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Newhalen Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Telida Village</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Akiak Native Community</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Native Village of Atka</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kwinhagak</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Newtok Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Teller</li> </ul>
<ul><li>Alatna Village</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Hoonah Indian Association</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Barrow Inupiat</li> </ul>	(aka Quinhagak	■ Nikolai Village	<ul> <li>Native Village of Tetlin</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Aleutian Pribilof Islands</li> </ul>	□ Hughes Village	Tradtional Government	<ul> <li>Native Village of Larsen Bay</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ninilchik Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Traditional Village of Togiak</li> </ul>
Association		<ul> <li>Native Village of Belkofski</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Marshall (aka</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Nome Eskimo Community</li> </ul>	Tuluksak Native Community
<ul> <li>Algaaciq Native Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Hydaburg Cooperative</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Brevig Mission</li> </ul>	Fortuna Ledge)	<ul> <li>Nondalton Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Tuntutaliak</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Allakaket Traditional Council</li> </ul>	Association	<ul> <li>Native Village of Buckland</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Mary's Igloo</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Noorvik Native Community</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Tununak</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Allakaket Village</li> </ul>	☐ Igiugig Village	<ul> <li>Native Village of Cantwell</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Mekoryuk</li> </ul>	■ Northway Village	
<ul> <li>Alutiiq Tribe of Old Harbor</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Iqurmuit Traditional Council</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Chenega</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Minto</li> </ul>	■ Nulato Village	<ul> <li>Native Village of Tyonek</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Anchorage and Fairbanks</li> </ul>	□ Ivanoff Bay Tribe	<ul> <li>Native Village of Chignik</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Nanwalek</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Nunakauyarmiut Tribe</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ugashik Village</li> </ul>
Angoon Community		Lagoon	(aka English Bay)	<ul> <li>Organized Tribe of Grayling</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Umkumiute Native Village</li> </ul>
Association		<ul> <li>Native Village of Chitina</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Napaimute</li> </ul>	(aka Holikachuk)	<ul> <li>Native Village of Unalakleet</li> </ul>
<ul><li>Anvik Village</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Kaktovik Village (aka Barter</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Chuathbaluk</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Napakiak</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Organized Tribe of Kasaan</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Unga</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Asa'carsamuit Tribe</li> </ul>	Island)	(Russian Mission, Kuskokwim	<ul> <li>Native Village of Napaskiak</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Organized Village of Kake</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Venetie Tribal</li> </ul>
Atmautluak	<ul> <li>Kasigluk Traditional Elders</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Council</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Nelson</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Organized Village of Saxman</li> </ul>	Government
<ul> <li>Atqasuk Village</li> </ul>	Council	<ul> <li>Native Village of Deering</li> </ul>	Lagoon	<ul> <li>Oscarville Traditional Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Villafe of Chefornak</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Beaver Village</li> </ul>	Kenaitze Indian Tribe	<ul> <li>Native Village of Diomede (aka</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Nightmute</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Pauloff Harbor Village</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Village of Aniak</li></ul>
■ Birch Creek Tribe	<ul> <li>Ketchikan Indian Corporation</li> </ul>	Inalik)	<ul> <li>Native Village of Nikolski</li> </ul>	□ Pedro Bay Village	<ul> <li>Village of Bill Moore's Slough</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Chalkyitsik Village</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Native Village of Eagle</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Noatak</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Petersburg Indian Association</li> </ul>	Village of Clark's Point
□ Cheesh-Na Tribe		<ul> <li>Native Village of Eek</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Nuiqsut (aka</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Pilot Station Traditional Village</li> </ul>	Village of Crooked Creek
<ul> <li>Chevak Native Village</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Native Village of Ekuk</li> </ul>	Nooiksut)	<ul> <li>Platinum Traditional Village</li> </ul>	Village of Dot Lake
□ Chignik Bay Tribal Council		<ul> <li>Native Village of Ekwok</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Nunam Iqua</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Portage Creek Village (aka</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Chignik Lake Village</li> </ul>	Association	<ul> <li>Native Village of Elim</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Nunapitchuk</li> </ul>	Ohgsenakale)	<ul><li>Village of Kalskag</li></ul>
□ Chilkat Indian Village		<ul> <li>Native Village of Eyak</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Ouzinkie</li> </ul>	■ Pueblo of Acoma	
<ul> <li>Chilkoot Indian Association</li> </ul>		(Cordova)	<ul> <li>Native Village of Paimuit</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Qagan Tayagungin Tribe of</li> </ul>	
(Haines)		<ul> <li>Native Village of False Pass</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Perryville</li> </ul>	Sand Point Village	<ul> <li>Village of Lower Kalskag</li> </ul>
□ Chinik Eskimo Community	□ Lime Village	<ul> <li>Native Village of Gakona</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Pilot Point</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Qawalangin Tribe of Unalaska</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Village of Ohogamiut</li> </ul>
(Golovin)	Manley Hot Springs Village	<ul> <li>Native Village of Gambell</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Pitka's Point</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Rampart Village</li> </ul>	Village of Red Devil
□ Chuloonawick Native Village	■ Manokotak Village	<ul> <li>Native Village of Georgetown</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Point Hope</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Saint George Island</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Village of Sleetmute</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Circle Native Community</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>McGrath Native Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Goodnews</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Point Lay</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Saint Paul Island</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Village of Solomon</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Copper River Native</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mentasta Tribal Council</li> </ul>	Bay	<ul> <li>Native Village of Port Graham</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Salamatoff Tribe</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Villiage of Alakanuk</li></ul>
Association	<ul> <li>Metlakatla Agency</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Hamilton</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Port Heiden</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Seldovia Village Tribe</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Villiage of Anaktuvuk Pass</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Craig Tribal Association</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Metlakatla Indian Community,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Hooper Bay</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Port Lions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Shageluk Native Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Village of Wainwright</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Curyung Tribal Council</li> </ul>	Annette Island Reserve	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kanatak</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Ruby</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sitka Tribe of Alaska</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Wales</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Douglas Indian Association</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mount Sanford Tribal</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Karluk</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Saint Michael</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Skagway Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Wrangell Cooperative</li> </ul>
□ Dresslerville Colony	Consortium	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kiana</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Savoonga</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>South Naknek Village</li> </ul>	Association
<ul> <li>Eastern Aleutian Tribes</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Naknek Native Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kipnuk</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Scammon Bay</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Stebbins Community</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Tangirnaq Native Village (aka</li> </ul>
□ Egegik Village	■ Native Fillage Elim	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kivalina</li> </ul>	■ Native Village of Selawik	Association	Woody Island)
<ul> <li>Eklutna Native Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village Chignik Lagoon</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kluti-Kaah</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Shaktoolik</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Village of Stony River</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Yakutat Tlingit Tribe</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Native Village Kwigillingok</li> </ul>	(aka Copper Center)	<ul> <li>Native Village of Shishmaref</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sun'aq Tribe of Kodiak</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Yupiit of Andreafsky</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Evansville Village (aka Bettles</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village Kwinhagak (aka</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kobuk</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Shungnak</li> </ul>	□ Takotna Village	■ Not Listed
Field)	Quinhagak)	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kongiganak</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Stevens</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Tanacross</li> </ul>	
Galena Village (aka Louden	<ul> <li>Native Village of Akhiok</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kotzebue</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Nenana Native Association</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Tanana</li> </ul>	
Village)	<ul> <li>Native Village of Akutan</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Koyuk</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>New Koliganek Village Council</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village Tatitlek</li> </ul>	
Gulkana Village Council	<ul> <li>Native Village of Aleknagik</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Kwethluk</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>New Stuyahok Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Native Village of Tazlina</li> </ul>	

### Alaska Region List- Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe or Village here.

### **Eastern Oklahoma Region**

Eastern Oklahoma Region List

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in your NAAF-funded project(s).

Eastern Oklahoma Region List	
Please check the Tribes you will be serving.	
☐ Alabama-Quassarte Tribal Town	<ul> <li>Ottawa Tribe of Oklahoma</li> </ul>
☐ Cherokee Nation	<ul> <li>Peoria Tribe of Indians of Oklahoma</li> </ul>
☐ Chickasaw Nation	<ul> <li>Quapaw Tribe of Oklahoma</li> </ul>
☐ Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma	<ul> <li>Seminole Nation of Oklahoma</li> </ul>
☐ Delaware Tribe of Indians	<ul> <li>Seneca-Cayuna Nation</li> </ul>
☐ Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma	☐ Shawnee Tribe
☐ Kialegee Tribal Town	<ul> <li>Thlopthlocco Tribal Town</li> </ul>
☐ Miami Tribe of Oklahoma	<ul> <li>United Keetoowah Band of Cherokee Indians</li> </ul>
☐ Modoc Nation	Wyandotte Nation
☐ Muscogee (Creek) Nation	□ Not Listed
□ Osage Nation	

### Eastern Oklahoma Region List – Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe here.

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### **Great Plains Region**

**Great Plains Region List** 

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in your NAAF-funded project(s).

Great Plains Region List
Please check the Tribes you will be serving.
☐ Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe
☐ Crow Creek Sioux Tribe
☐ Flandreau Santee Sioux Reservation
<ul> <li>Lower Brule Sioux Tribe of the Lower Brule Reservation</li> </ul>
☐ Oglala Sioux Tribe
<ul> <li>Omaha Tribe of Nebraska</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Ponca Tribe of Nebraska</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Rosebud Sioux Tribe of the Rosebud Indian Reservation</li> </ul>
☐ Santee Sioux Nation
☐ Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate of the Lake Traverse Reservation
☐ Spirit Lake Tribe
☐ Standing Rock Sioux Tribe
☐ Three Affiliated Tribes of Mandan Hidatsa & Arikara Nation
☐ Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians of North Dakota
─ Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska
<ul> <li>Yankton Sioux Tribe of South Dakota</li> </ul>
☐ Not Listed

### Great Plains Region List – Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe here.

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### **Midwest Region**

### Midwest Region List

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in your NAAF-funded project(s).

Midwest Region List	
Please check the Tribes you will be serving.  Bad River Band of the Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians Reservation  Bay Mills Chippewa Reservation  Bois Forte Band of Chippewa  Fond du Lac Reservation  Forest County Potawatomi Community  Grand Portage Band  Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians  Hannahville Indian Community  Ho-Chunk Nation of Wisconsin  Keweenaw Bay Indian Community  Lac Courte Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of WI  Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of the Lac du Flambeau Reservation of WI  Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of MI  Leech Lake Band  Little River Band of Ottawa Indians  Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians  Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians  Match-E-Be-Nash-She-Wish Band of Pottawatomi Indians of Michigan  Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin	Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Minnesota Chippewa Tribe Nottawaseppi Huron Band of Potawatomi Oneida Nation Pokagon Band of Potawatomi Indians Prairie Island Community in the State of MN Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Chippewa of Wisconsin Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians Sac & Fox Tribe of the Mississippi in Iowa Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community of Minnesota Sokaogon Chippewa Community St. Croix Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin Stockbridge-Munsee Community Upper Sioux Community White Earth Reservation Business Committee Not Listed
If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe	e nere.
Navajo Region	
Navajo Region List	
Please check the Tribe you will serve in your NAAF-fun	ded project(s).
□ Navajo Nation	

### **Northeast Region**

### Northeast Region List

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in your NAAF-funded project(s).

Northeast Region List	
Please Check the Tribes you will be serving.	
☐ Aroostook Band of Micmac Indians	<ul> <li>Pamunkey Indian Tribe</li> </ul>
☐ Cayuga Nation	<ul> <li>Passamaquoddy Tribe - Indian Township Reservation</li> </ul>
Chickahominy Indian Tribe	<ul> <li>Passamaquoddy Tribe - Pleasant Point Reservation</li> </ul>
☐ Eastern Pequot Tribal Nation	<ul> <li>Penobscot Nation</li> </ul>
☐ Elnu Abenaki Tribe	☐ Piscataway Conoy Tribe
☐ Houlton Band of Maliseet Indians	☐ Piscataway Indian Nation
☐ Koasek of the Kaos of the Abenaki Nation	<ul> <li>Ramapough Lenape Nation</li> </ul>
☐ Lenape Indian Tribe of Delaware	<ul> <li>Schaghticoke Tribal Nation</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Seneca Nation of Indians</li> </ul>
☐ Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe	<ul> <li>Shinnecock Indian Nation</li> </ul>
	St. Regis Mohawk Tribe
□ Nansemond Tribe	<ul> <li>The Golden Hill Paugussett</li> </ul>
☐ Nanticoke Indian Association, Inc.	☐ The Powhatan Renape Nation
□ Nanticoke-Lenni Lanape Tribal Nation	<ul> <li>Tonawanda Band of Seneca</li> </ul>
□ Narrangansett Indian Tribe	☐ Tuscarora Nation
☐ Nipmuc Nation	<ul> <li>Unkechaug Indian Nation</li> </ul>
☐ Nulhegan Abenaki Tribe	<ul> <li>Wampanoag Tribe of Gay Head (Aquinnah)</li> </ul>
Oneida Indian Nation	□ Not Listed
<ul> <li>Onondaga Nation</li> </ul>	

### Northeast Region List – Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe here.

### **Northwest Region**

### Northwest Region List

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in your NAAF-funded project(s).

Northwest Region List		Everyone 💉 🗙
Please check the Tribes you will be serving.		
☐ Burns Paiute Tribe	☐ Hoh Indian Tribe	Sauk-Suiattle Indian Tribe
Chinook Indian Tribe	☐ Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe	<ul> <li>Shoalwater Bay Indian Trive of the Shoalwater Bay</li> </ul>
Coeur d'Alene Tribe	☐ Kalispel Tribe	Indian Reservation
□ Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead	☐ Klamath Tribes	<ul> <li>Shoshone-Bannock Tribes of the Fort Hall Reservation</li> </ul>
Nation		of Idaho
<ul> <li>Confederated Tribes of Colville Reservation</li> </ul>	□ Lower Elwha Tribal Community	Skokomish Indian Tribe
<ul> <li>Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua, and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Lummi Tribe of the Lummi Reservation</li> </ul>	☐ Snoqualmie Indian Tribe
Siuslaw Indians	<ul> <li>Makah Indian Tribe of the Makah Indian Reservation</li> </ul>	☐ Spokane Tribe of Indians
<ul> <li>Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians of Oregon</li> </ul>		☐ Squaxin Island Tribe
<ul> <li>Confederated Tribes of the Band of the Yakama Nation</li> </ul>	□ Nez Perce Tribe	Stillaguamish Tribe of Indians
<ul> <li>Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation</li> </ul>	□ Nisqually Indian Tribe	<ul> <li>Suquamish Indian Tribe of the Port Madison</li> </ul>
☐ Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of	□ Nooksack Indian Tribe	Reseravation
Oregon	<ul> <li>Northwestern Band of the Shoshone Nation</li> </ul>	Swinomish Indian Tribal Community
□ Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation	□ Port Gamble of S'Klallam Tribe	☐ Tulalip Tribes of Washington
<ul> <li>Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Puyallup Tribe of the Puyallup Reservation</li> </ul>	Upper Skagit Indian Tribe
Coquille Indian Tribe	Quileute Tribe	☐ Not Listed
Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians	Quinault Indian Nation	
Cowlitz Indian Tribe	☐ Samish Indian Nation	

### Northwest Region List – Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe here.

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### **Pacific Region**

### Pacific Region List

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in your NAAF-funded project(s).

Pacific Region List					
Please check the Tribes you will be serving.					
<ul> <li>Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>California Valley Miwok Tribe</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Hoopa Valley Tribe</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Middletown Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Round Valley Reservation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay</li> </ul>
Indians	<ul> <li>Campo Band of Mission</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Hopland Reservation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mooretown Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>San Manuel Band of Mission</li> </ul>	Nation
<ul> <li>Alturas Rancheria</li> </ul>	Indians	<ul> <li>Inaja-Cosmit Reservation</li> </ul>	Morongo Band of Mission	Indians	<ul> <li>Table Mountain Rancheria</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Augustine Band of Mission</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Cedarville Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ione Band of Miwok Indians</li> </ul>	Indians	<ul> <li>San Pasqual Band of Diegueno</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Tejon Indian Tribe</li> </ul>
Indians	<ul> <li>Chicken Ranch Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Jackson Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>North Fork Rancheria</li> </ul>	Indians	<ul> <li>Timbisha Shoshone Tribe</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Barona Band of Mission</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Cloverdale Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Jamul Indian Village</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Pachanga Band of Mission</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Santa Rosa Band of Cahuilla</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Tolowa Dee-ni' Nation</li> </ul>
Indians	<ul> <li>Cold Springs Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Karuk Tribe</li></ul>	Indians	Indians	<ul> <li>Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Bear River Band of Rohnerville</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Colusa Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Koi Nation</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Pala Band of Mission Indians</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi</li> </ul>	Indians
Rancheria	<ul> <li>Cortina Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>La Jolla Band of Luiseno</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Paskenta Band of Nomlaki</li> </ul>	Yokut Tribe	<ul> <li>Trinidad Rancheria</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Benton Paiute Reservation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Coyote Valley Reservation</li> </ul>	Indians	Indians	<ul> <li>Santa Ynez Band of Chumash</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Tule River Indian Tribe</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Berry Creek Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Dry Creek Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>La Posta Band of Mission</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Pauma/Yuima Band of Mission</li></ul>	Mission Indians of the Santa Ynez	Tuolumne Me-Wuk Tribe
<ul> <li>Big Lagoon Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Elem Indian Colony</li> </ul>	Indians	Indians	Reservation	<ul> <li>Twenty-Nine Palms Band of</li> </ul>
Big Pine Paiute Tribe of the	<ul> <li>Elk Valley Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Lone Pine Paiute Shoshone</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Picayune Rancheria of</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Santa Ysabel Band of Mission</li> </ul>	Mission Indians of California
Owens Valley	<ul> <li>Enterprise Rancheria</li> </ul>	Reservation	Chukchansi Indians	Indians	<ul> <li>United Auburn Indian</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Big Sandy Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ewiaapaayp Band of</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Los Coyotes Band of Cahuilla</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Pinoleville Pomo Nation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Scotts Valley Band of Pomo</li> </ul>	Community
<ul> <li>Big Valley Rancheria</li> </ul>	Kumeyaay Indians	& Cupeno Indians	☐ Pit River Tribes	Indians of California	<ul> <li>Viejas Band of Kumeyaay</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Bishop Paiute Tribe</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Federated Indians of Graton</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Lytton Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Potter Valley Tribe</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sherwood Valley Rancheria of</li> </ul>	Indians
<ul> <li>Blue Lake Rancheria</li> </ul>	Rancheria	<ul> <li>Manchester-Point Arena Band</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Quartz Valley Reservation</li> </ul>	Pomo Indians of California	<ul> <li>Wilton Rancheria</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Bridgeport Indian Colony</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Fort Bidwell Reservation</li> </ul>	of Pomo Indians	<ul> <li>Ramona Band of Mission</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Shingle Springs Band of Miwok</li> </ul>	■ Wiyot Tribe
<ul> <li>Buena Vista Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Fort Independence Reservation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Manzanita Band of Mission</li> </ul>	Indians	Indians, Shingle Springs	<ul> <li>Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Cabezon Band of Mission</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Greenville Rancheria</li> </ul>	Indians	<ul> <li>Redding Rancheria</li> </ul>	Rancheria (Verona Tract)	Yurok Tribe of the Yurok
Indians	<ul> <li>Grindstone Rancheria</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mechoopda Indian Tribe of the</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Redwood Valley Reservation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Soboba Band of Luiseño</li> </ul>	Reservation
Cahto Tribe	<ul> <li>Guidiville Rancheria</li> </ul>	Chico Rancheria	<ul> <li>Resighini Rancheria</li> </ul>	Indians	<ul><li>Not Listed</li></ul>
<ul> <li>Cahuilla Band of Mission</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Habermatolel Pomo of Upper</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mesa Grande Band of Mission</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Rincon Band of Mission Indians</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Stewart Point Rancheria</li> </ul>	
Indians	Lake	Indians	Robinson Rancheria	Susanville Indian Rancheria	

### Pacific Region List - Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe here.

### Native Hawaiian Service

Are you serving Native Hawaiians?

### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### **Rocky Mountain Region**

### Rocky Mountain Region List

Note: Confederated Tribes of Salish & Kootenai is listed in Northwest BIA Region.

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in your NAAF-funded project(s).

Rocky Mountain Region List
Please check the Tribes you will be serving.
☐ Blackfeet Agency
☐ Chippewa Cree Tribe of the Rocky Boy's Reservation
☐ Crow Nation
☐ Fort Belknap Agency
☐ Fort Peck Tribes of Assiniboine and Sioux Tribes
☐ Little Shell Tribe of Chippewa Indians of Montana
□ Northern Arapaho Tribe
□ Northern Cheyenne Tribe
☐ Shoshone Tribe of the Wind River Reservation
☐ Not Listed

### Rocky Mountain Region List – Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe here.

### **Southeast Region**

### Southeast Region

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in your NAAF-funded project(s).

Southeast Region List		Everyone 💉 🗙
Please check the Tribes you will be serving		
Adai Caddo Tribe	☐ Haliwa-Saponi Indian Tribe	<ul> <li>Pee Dee Indian Nation of Upper South Carolina</li> </ul>
☐ Beaver Creek Indians of Orangeburg County South	☐ Isle de Jean Charles Band	☐ Piqua Shawnee Tribe
Carolina	<ul> <li>Jena Band of Choctaw Indians</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Poarch Band of Creek</li> </ul>
☐ Biloxi-Chitimacha Confederation of Muskogee	<ul> <li>Louisiana Choctaw Tribe</li> </ul>	□ Point-Au Chien Indian Tribe
☐ Cheroenhaka (Nottoway)	<ul> <li>Lower Muskogee Creek Tribe</li> </ul>	Rappahannock Tribe
☐ Cherokee of Georgia Tribal Council	<ul> <li>Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Santee Indian Organization</li> </ul>
☐ Cherokee Tribe of Northeast Alabama	<ul> <li>Ma-Chis Lower Creek Indian Tribe of Alabama</li> </ul>	☐ Sappony
Clifton Choctaw Tribe of Louisiana	<ul> <li>Mattaponi Indian Reservation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Seminole Indian Tribe of Florida</li> </ul>
☐ Coharie Intra-Tribal Council, Inc.		<ul> <li>Southeastern Mvskoke Nation, Inc., formerly Star Clan</li> </ul>
Coushatta Tribe of Louisiana	<ul> <li>Miccosukee Indian Tribe of Florida</li> </ul>	of Muscogee Creeks
<ul> <li>Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians</li> </ul>	☐ Tunica-Biloxi Indian Tribe
□ Echota Cherokee Tribe of Alabama	<ul> <li>Monacan Indian Nation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>United Houma Nation</li> </ul>
□ Edisto Natchez Kusso Tribe of South Carolina	<ul> <li>Mowa Band of Choctaw Indians</li> </ul>	□ Waccamaw Siouan Tribe
☐ Four Winds Tribe, Louisiana Cherokee	<ul> <li>Nottoway Indian Tribe of Virginia</li> </ul>	□ Not Listed
☐ Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokee	<ul> <li>Occaneechi Band of the Saponi Nation</li> </ul>	
☐ Grand Caillou/Dulac Band	<ul> <li>Pattawomeck Indian Tribe of Virginia</li> </ul>	

### Southeast Region List – Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe here.

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### **Southern Plains Region**

### Southern Plains Region List

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in you NAAF-funded project(s).

Southern Plains Region List	
Please check the Tribes you will be serving.	
☐ Absentee-Shawnee Tribe of Indians of Oklahoma	☐ Kickapoo Tribe of Oklahoma
☐ Alabama-Quassarte Tribal Town	☐ Kiowa Tribe
☐ Apache Tribe of Oklahoma	☐ Lipan Apache Tribe of Texas
☐ Caddo Nation of Oklahoma	Otoe-Missouri Tribe of Indian
☐ Cheyenne Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma	<ul> <li>Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma</li> </ul>
☐ Citizen Potawatomi Nation	<ul> <li>Ponca Tribe of Indians of Oklahoma</li> </ul>
☐ Comanche Nation	<ul> <li>Prairie Band Potowatomi Nation</li> </ul>
☐ Delaware Nation	<ul> <li>Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri in Kansas and Nebraska</li> </ul>
☐ Fort Sill Apache of Oklahoma	<ul> <li>Sac and Fox Nation of Oklahoma</li> </ul>
☐ Iowa Tribe of Kansas & Nebraska	<ul> <li>Tonkawa Tribe of Indians of Oklahoma</li> </ul>
☐ Iowa Tribe of Oklahoma	<ul> <li>Wichita and Affiliated Tribes (Wichita, Keechi, Waco &amp; Tawakonie)</li> </ul>
☐ Kaw Nation	☐ Not Listed
☐ Kickapoo Tribe of Kansas	

### Southern Plains Region List – Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe here.

### **Southwest Region**

### Southwest Region List

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in you NAAF-funded project(s).

Note: Hopi Tribe is listed in the Western BIA Region.

Southwest Region List	
Please check the Tribes you will be serving.	
☐ Jicarilla Apache Nation	<ul> <li>Pueblo of Sandia</li> </ul>
☐ Mescalero Apache Tribe	<ul><li>Pueblo of Santa Ana</li></ul>
Ohkay Owingeh Pueblo	<ul> <li>Pueblo of Santa Clara</li> </ul>
☐ Pueblo de Cochiti	<ul> <li>Pueblo of Santo Domingo</li> </ul>
☐ Pueblo of Acoma	<ul><li>Pueblo of Taos</li></ul>
☐ Pueblo of Isleta	<ul> <li>Pueblo of Tesuque</li> </ul>
☐ Pueblo of Jemez	□ Pueblo of Zia
☐ Pueblo of Laguna	<ul><li>Pueblo of Zuni</li></ul>
☐ Pueblo of Nambe	<ul> <li>Southern Ute Indian Tribe</li> </ul>
☐ Pueblo of Picuris	Ute Mountain Ute Tribe
☐ Pueblo of Pojoaque	<ul> <li>Ysleta del Sur Pueblo</li> </ul>
☐ Pueblo of San Felipe	☐ Not Listed
☐ Pueblo of San Ildefonso	

### Southwest Region List - Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe here.

### **Western Region**

### Western Region List

Please check the Tribe(s) you will serve in you NAAF-funded project(s).

Western Region List		Everyone 💉 🗙
Please check the Tribes you will be serving.		
Ak-Chin Indian Community	☐ Koosharem Band of Paiutes	<ul> <li>Summit Lake Paiute Tribe of Nevada</li> </ul>
Carson Community Council	<ul> <li>Las Vegas Paiute Tribe</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Te-Moak Tribe of Western Shoshone Indians</li> </ul>
☐ Cedar Band of Paiutes	☐ Lovelock Paiute Tribe	□ Tohono O'odham Nation of Arizona
☐ Chemehuevi Tribe		□ Tonto Apache Tribe of Arizona
☐ Cocopah Tribe	Paiute Indian Tribe of Utah	<ul> <li>Ute Indian Tribe of the Uintah &amp; Ouray Reservation</li> </ul>
Colorado River Indian Tribes	□ Paiute-Shoshone Tribe of the Fallon Reservation & Colony	─ Walker River Paiute Tribe
<ul> <li>Confederated Tribes of the Goshute Indian Reservation</li> </ul>	Pascua Yaqui Tribe of Arizona	☐ Washoe Tribe of Nevada & California
□ Dresslerville Community Council	<ul> <li>Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe of the Pyramid Lake Reservation</li> </ul>	□ Wells Indian Colony Band Council
□ Duckwater Shoshone Tribe	<ul> <li>Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Indian Reservation</li> </ul>	
☐ Elko Band Colony	Reno-Sparks Indian Colony	☐ Winnemucca Indian Colony
<ul> <li>Ft. McDermitt Paiute and Shoshone Tribe</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community of the Salt River</li> </ul>	□ Woodfords Community Council
☐ Ft. McDowell Yavapai Tribe	Reservation	☐ Yavapai-Apache Nation
☐ Ft. Mohave Tribe	<ul> <li>San Carlos Apache Tribe of the San Carlos Reservation</li> </ul>	☐ Yavapai-Prescott Indian Tribe
☐ Gila River Indian Community	<ul> <li>San Juan Southern Paiute Tribe of Arizona</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Yerington Paiute Tribe of the Yerington Colony &amp; Campbell Ranch</li> </ul>
☐ Havasupai Tribe	☐ Shivwits Band of Paiutes	<ul> <li>Yomba Shoshone Tribe of the Yomba Reservation</li> </ul>
☐ Hopi Tribe	<ul> <li>Shoshone-Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley Reservation</li> </ul>	☐ Not Listed
☐ Hualapai Tribe	<ul> <li>Skull Valley Band of Goshute Indians of Utah</li> </ul>	
☐ Indian Peaks Band of Paiutes	<ul> <li>South Fork Band of Council (Te-Moak Tribe of Western Shoshone</li> </ul>	
☐ Kaibab Band of Paiutes	Indians of Nevada)	
☐ Kanosh Band of Paiutes	Stewart Community Council	

### Western Region List - Not Listed

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please enter the Tribe here.

### **Native Agriculture Focus**

The following questions gauge your organization's Native agriculture leadership and involvement. Native includes enrolled members and descendants of state and federally recognized tribes, members of Alaska Native villages and people of Native Hawaiian ancestry.

**Note**: If you are using a fiscal sponsor, answer questions in this section, 'Native Agriculture Focus', for the **sponsored** organization/applicant. We will ask for the fiscal sponsor's information in the section labeled 'FS Native Agriculture Focus'.

### Native Leadership\*

Please describe how your organization integrates Native leadership in its decision-making processes and how you ensure that your programs are responsive to the needs of Native farmers and ranchers. If your constituents are involved in program design, please discuss.

Character Limit: 5000

### Partnerships, Networks and Collaborations\*

List any partnerships, networks, and collaborations you engage in that support your work with Native producers. Bullet lists are encouraged.

Character limit: 2500

#### Native-Led\*

Is your organization Native-led?

#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### Native Representation\*

How are Native people represented in your organization? Select all that apply:

#### Choices

ш	Governing Body (e.g., Board of Directors)
	Leadership (e.g., CEO or CFO)
	Staff
	Advisory Committees
	Other

### Native Representation Comments

Optional: You may elaborate on your selections for 'Native Representation' here.

Character Limit: 2500

### Native Focus\*

What percentage of your organization's overall activities are focused on serving Native people and/or communities?

#### Choices

- o 75% or more
- o 50 to 74%
- o 25 to 49%
- o Less than 25%

### **Native Focus Comments**

*Optional:* You may elaborate on your selection for 'Native Focus' here. Please note if your proposed NAAF project is a sub-unit or special effort created to serve Native people and/or communities.

Character Limit: 2500

### Ag Focus\*

What percentage of your organization's overall activities are focused on serving agricultural producers (e.g., farmers, ranchers, fishers, etc.) of any background?

#### Choices

- o 75% or more
- o 50 to 74%
- o 25 to 49%
- o Less than 25%

#### Ag Focus Comments

Optional: You may elaborate on your selections for 'Ag Focus' here.

Character limit: 2500

#### Native Producer Service\*

Does your organization serve Native producers as a specific group (i.e., targeted outreach to Native producers)? If so, how long has your organization been serving Native producers?

### Choices

- o No, not yet
- o Yes, 1-4 years
- o Yes, 5-9 years
- o Yes, 10+ years

### **Native Producer Service Comments**

*Optional*: Optional: You may elaborate on your selections for 'Native Producer Service' here. If you answered "No, not yet", please further discuss your intentions to begin this work.

Character Limit: 2500

### FS Native Agriculture Focus

This section is for the fiscal sponsor organization. Please use the collaborate feature to allow the fiscal sponsor to answer these questions.

The following questions gauge your organization's Native agriculture leadership and involvement.

Native includes enrolled members and descendants of state and federally recognized tribes, members of Alaska Native villages and people of Native Hawaiian ancestry.

### Native Leadership (FS)\*

Please describe how your organization integrates Native leadership in its decision-making processes and how you ensure that your programs are responsive to the needs of Native farmers and ranchers. If your constituents are involved in program design, please discuss.

Character Limit: 5000

### Partnerships, Networks and Collaborations (FS)\*

List any partnerships, networks, and collaborations you engage in that support your work with Native producers. Bullet lists are encouraged.

Character Limit: 2500

#### Native-Led (FS)\*

Is your organization Native-led?

#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

#### Native Representation (FS)\*

How are Native people represented in your organization? Select all that apply:

#### Choices

	Governing Body (e.g., Board of Directors)
	Leadership (e.g., CEO or CFO)
	Staff
	Advisory Committees
П	Other

### Native Representation Comments (FS)

Optional: You may elaborate on your selections for 'Native Representation' here.

Character Limit: 2500

### Native Focus (FS)\*

What percentage of your organization's overall activities are focused on serving Native people and/or communities?

#### Choices

- o 75% or more
- o 50 to 74%
- o 25 to 49%
- o Less than 25%

#### Native Focus Comments (FS)

*Optional:* You may elaborate on your selection for 'Native Focus' here. Please note if your proposed NAAF project is a sub-unit or special effort created to serve Native people and/or communities.

Character Limit: 2500

### Ag Focus (FS)\*

What percentage of your organization's overall activities are focused on serving agricultural producers (e.g., farmers, ranchers, fishers, etc.) of any background?

#### Choices

- o 75% or more
- o 50 to 74%
- o 25 to 49%
- o Less than 25%

#### Ag Focus Comments (FS)

Optional: You may elaborate on your selections for 'Ag Focus' here.

Character limit: 2500

#### Native Producer Service (FS)\*

Does your organization serve Native producers as a specific group (i.e., targeted outreach to Native producers)? If so, how long has your organization been serving Native producers?

#### Choices

- o No, not yet
- o Yes, 1-4 years
- o Yes, 5-9 years
- o Yes, 10+ years

#### Native Producer Service Comments (FS)

*Optional*: You may elaborate on your selections for 'Native Producer Service' here. If you answered "No, not yet", please further discuss your intentions to begin this work.

Character Limit: 2500

### **Access to Capital**

The following is an excerpt from the 2023 RFA Overview:

"Because the central issues in the litigation that led to NAAF's creation involved access to capital, NAAF requires all applicants to incorporate strategies that will improve access to capital by Native farmers and ranchers in their proposed activities. Access to capital can be shown by any of the following types of activities: business planning or market planning training; financial education; record keeping; credit repair activities; targeted credit application training or technical support; risk analysis and related activities to prepare Native farmers and ranchers as they seek capital to support their enterprises. ...

... Capital is always needed in agriculture enterprises and will always be relevant to those involved in food and agriculture. NAAF has increased the weighting we apply to this evaluation criteria as we review all applications. **Applications that are absent any discussion of access to capital or management of agricultural risk will not be considered for funding.** We encourage you to view our video on access to capital and Evaluation Criteria section on pages 21-22 of the RFA overview for more information."

### Access to Capital Topics\*

How will your NAAF funded project(s) promote increased access to capital? Select all that apply.

Choice	s
	Advocacy and research related to accessing capital
	Community-centric/cultural models of economic development
	Educational activities to improve one's ability to access capital
	Investments in infrastructure/equipment to build capital
	Loans or equity grants to Native agricultural producers
	Pathways for transitioning to commercial operations
	Technical assistance to producers seeking capital
	Training for lending institutions to work more effectively with Native agricultural
	producers
	Not listed
	to Capital - Not Listed
If you	selected 'Not Listed', please share your access to capital activity here.

### **Other Funding**

**Note**: If using a fiscal sponsor, answer the following questions from the perspective of the **sponsored** organization.

#### Prior NAAF Application(s)\*

Did your organization **apply for** NAAF funding in prior years? Select all that apply.

### Choices

No
Yes, 2019 RFA (due 8/1/2019)
Yes, 2020 RFA (due 6/1/2020 or 10/30/2020)
Yes, 2021 RFA (due 5/25/2021 or 6/1/2021)
Yes, 2022 RFA (due 5/18/2022 or 6/1/2022)

#### Prior NAAF Grant(s)\*

Did your organization receive NAAF funding in prior years? Select all that apply.

#### Choices

- □ No
- $\square$  Yes, 2019 RFA (grants starting 1/1/2020)
- ☐ Yes, 2020 RFA (grants starting 11/1/2020 or 12/31/2020)
- ☐ Yes, 2021 RFA (grants starting 8/1/2021 or 11/2/2021)
- ☐ Yes, 2022 RFA (grants starting 8/1/2022 or 11/1/2022)

### Leveraging\*

Will you seek other funding to leverage with NAAF funding to add value to your proposed project?

**Note:** NAAF does <u>not</u> require cost sharing, in-kind or matching funds to be included within the project budget for which funding is sought.

### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### **Leveraging Comments**

If you answer 'Yes' above, please elaborate on other funding for the projects described in this application.

Character Limit: 2500

### Permission to Share Information\*

Are you willing to allow NAAF to release general information concerning your application to other philanthropic or governmental entities to explore funding and leveraging opportunities on your behalf?

#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No
- o Maybe, please contact me to discuss

### **Youth Programming**

### **Project Section**

Please see page 18 of the 2023 RFA Overview for information regarding requests in this category.

Youth - Project Title\*

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### Youth – Grant Performance Period\*

Grants periods are available for 12 months, 18 months or 24 months. Please choose the length of your project.

#### Choices

- 0 12
- 0 18
- 0 24

### Youth – Access to Capital\*

Will your NAAF funded project promote increased access to capital? Please describe how in the narrative below.

#### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### Access to Capital Comments\*

How will the project address **access to capital and agricultural risk managemen**t for Native farmers and ranchers?

Character Limit: 5000

#### Youth - Objectives\*

Provide at least three to five objectives you seek to accomplish during the proposed project period indicated above. For each objective, please discuss activities, milestones and outcomes associated with that objective. <u>Please use the sample format below.</u>

### Sample

Objective #1 (please describe)

- Activities [list below]
- Milestones [list below]
- Outcomes [list below]

Character Limit: 10,000

#### Youth - Narrative\*

Please provide a specific description of the nature of services to be provided to Native youth by your organization in this project.

Character Limit: 10,000

### Youth – Summary\*

Please provide a brief summary statement of your project in no more than one or two sentences.

Character Limit: 350

### **Key Personnel Section**

#### Youth - Native-Led\*

Is this project Native-led?

**Note:** This answer may differ from whether the applicant organization is Native-led.

#### Choices

- o Yes
- $\circ$  No

### Youth - Key Personnel\*

Please describe the qualifications of the individual(s) leading your project. Biographical sketches or short resumes of no more than three (3) paragraphs in length are required for key personnel, such as project leaders or trainers. Please include descriptions of their Tribal affiliation, experience, capacity, and training to provide the services outlined in the project narrative.

Character Limit: 10.000

### Youth – Resumes

*Optional*: You may upload resumes or CVs for key personnel here.

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### **Impact Section**

NAAF is interested in the impact of your proposed project per age group below:

- 0-4 years of age
- 5-9 years of age
- 10-13 years of age
- 14 18 years of age
- Community Members

Community members include adults served alongside youth (e.g., young adults, parents or elders).

The following questions allow you to specify the number of unique people you intend to serve through your project. Please enter "0" in areas that do not apply to your project.

Youth – Early Childhood* How many Native children 0 – 4 years of age will this project serve?
# Character Limit: 230
Youth – Elementary* How many Native children 5 – 9 years of age will this project serve?
# Character Limit: 230
Youth – Middle* How many Native children 10 – 13 years of age will this project serve?
#   Character Limit: 230
Youth – Teen* How many Native teenagers 14 – 18 years of age will this project serve?
#   Character Limit: 230
Youth – Community Members* How many Native community members will this project serve?
# Character Limit: 230

### Youth - Impact Comments\*

*Optional*: You may use this space to elaborate on your responses above or note any other group you will serve.

Character Limit: 2500

### **Budget Section**

Please review these documents before proceeding.

- 2023 RFA Budget Guidelines
- 2023 RFA Budget Template
- 2023 RFA Sample Budget
- <u>2023 RFA Sample Budget Narrativehttps://nativeamericanagriculturefund.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/2022-RFA-Budget-Guidelines.pdf</u>

NAAF requests applicants upload their project budget in two formats:

- Excel file so NAAF may assist with any re-calculations or edits
- PDF file in case the Excel file experiences compatibility issues

### Youth - Budget Request\*

How much are you requesting in this general focus project?

Reminder: The request should be in the range of \$20,000 - \$200,000.



### Youth - Budget (Excel)\*

Use the 2023 RFA Budget Template above to create your project budget. Upload the complete version here.

### Must be in .xlsx format.



(Max File Limit: 3 MiB)

### Youth − Budget (PDF)\*

Please save your Excel budget as a PDF and upload here.

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### Youth - Budget Narrative\*

Please upload your budget narrative. Detailed explanations of how project costs break down under each expense category are important for the review process.

### Must be in .pdf format.



(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

### **Keywords Section**

NAAF wants to share your project activities throughout our networks. It's helpful to have highlevel keywords to characterize the type of work our grantee conducts. In the question below, we ask you to self-select the keywords that apply to your project.

**Note:** There is no positive or negative impact from selecting more or fewer keywords. Please be as accurate as possible.

### Youth – Keywords\*

Please select all that apply to this project.

Choices	
☐ Advocacy	☐ Food Production & Supply Chain
☐ Agricultural Education	Activities
☐ Agricultural Lending & Business	☐ Food Systems & Supply Chain
Assistance	Planning
☐ Business Planning	□ Policy
☐ National Disruption Response	☐ Sustainable Ag Methods/Activities
☐ Cultural Foodways	☐ Training, Education & Career
☐ Economic Development & Feasibility	Pathways
Studies	☐ Youth
☐ Financial Education and Business	□ Not Listed
Planning	

### Youth – Keywords Comments

If you selected "Not Listed" above, please list your keyword here.

Character Limit: 250

### **Project Response to National Disruptions**

Response to National Events\*

We are deeply aware of the unprecedented challenges facing many of our communities due to disruptive events at the national and community level (e.g., COVID-19). We anticipate some applicants will propose a project that addresses unique issues stemming from these situations.

Is your project a response to any community or national event that may have resulted in disruptions of proposed grant goals or objectives? This answer will not positively or negatively affect evaluation of your application.

### Choices

- o Yes
- o No

### National Disruption Response Comments

If 'Yes', please describe how your project is a response to a national and/or community disruption.

Character Limit: 2500

### **Intermediary Funds**

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Does your organization intend to provide loans, re-grants or scholarships with NAAF funding? If so, please choose the applicable options. If not, please choose 'None of the above'.

#### Choices

Loans
Re-grants
Scholarships

☐ None of the above

### **Loan Information**

### Total Number of Loans\*

Please enter the total number of loans you anticipate making using NAAF funding.

Character Limit: 10

#### Total Amount of Loans\*

Please enter the total amount you anticipate loaning using NAAF funding.

Character Limit: 20

### Loan Procedures\*

Describe your organization's processes and procedures for providing loans. Please also discuss any ancillary activities your organization provides in addition to loans (ex. technical assistance, capacity building, training, education, etc.).

Character Limit: 5000

### Loan Budget\*

Summarize your organization's budget for providing loans over the past five years, including the total amount awarded, the number of awards made each year, and the maximum and minimum size of awards made.

Character Limit: 5000

### **Re-grant Information**

Total Number of Re-grants\*

Please enter the total number of re-grants you anticipate making using NAAF funding.

Character Limit: 10

#### Total Amount of Re-grants\*

Please enter the total amount you anticipate re-granting using NAAF funding.

Character Limit: 20

### Re-grant Procedures\*

Describe your organization's processes and procedures for providing re-grants. Please also discuss any ancillary activities your organization provides in addition to re-grants (ex. technical assistance, capacity building, training, education, etc.).

Character Limit: 5000

### Re-grant Budget\*

Summarize your organization's budget for providing re-grants over the past five years, including the total amount awarded, the number of awards made each year, and the maximum and minimum size of awards made.

Character Limit: 5000

### **Scholarship Information**

### Total Number of Scholarships\*

Please enter the total number of scholarships you anticipate making using NAAF funding.

Character Limit: 10

### Total Amount of Scholarships\*

Please enter the total amount you anticipate delivering in scholarships using NAAF funding.

Character Limit: 20

### Scholarship Procedures\*

Please describe your process for selecting, managing and increasing success in your scholarship program.

Character Limit: 5000

#### Scholarship Budget\*

Summarize your organization's budget for providing scholarships over the past five years, including the total amount awarded, the number of awards made each year, and the maximum and minimum size of awards made.

Character Limit: 5000

### **Organizational Information**

Note: If you are using a fiscal sponsor, answer questions in this section, 'Organizational Information', for the **sponsored** organization/applicant.

### Governing Body\*

Please provide a list of the organization's governing body with names, titles, and any Tribal affiliations noted.

### Must be in .pdf format.

(Max File Limit: 2 MiB)

Cover Letter\*

The cover letter must be from a senior official associated with the organization. It should include the leadership's commitment to the project and how it fits into the work of the organization overall.

### Must be in .pdf format.



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### **FS Organizational Information**

This section is for the fiscal sponsor organization. Please use the collaborate feature to allow the fiscal sponsor to answer these questions.

### Governing Body (FS)\*

Please provide a list of the organization's governing body with names, titles, and any Tribal affiliations noted.

### Must be in .pdf format.



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### Cover Letter (FS)\*

The cover letter must be from a senior official associated with the organization. It should include the leadership's commitment to the project and how it fits into the work of the organization overall.

### Must be in .pdf format.



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### **Optional Uploads**

### Support Letter #1

Optional: Support letters can be from individuals or organizations that are affiliated with or knowledgeable of the applicant and the proposed activity.

### Must be in .pdf format.



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#### Support Letter #2

Optional: Support letters can be from individuals or organizations that are affiliated with or knowledgeable of the applicant and the proposed activity.

### Must be in .pdf format.



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### Extra Space

Optional: Please use this space to provide any additional information that you were not able to upload previously. This could include graphics, pictures, additional support letters, etc.

### Must be in .pdf format.

(Max File Limit: 3 MiB)

### **Review Section**

Congratulations, you have reached the end of NAAF's 2023 Youth grant application.

- Please review your submission once more to confirm all required questions are answered and all uploads match the request.
- No edits are allowed after the due date.
- We encourage you to submit well in advance of the due date June 1, 2023, at 11:59 pm
- You must click 'Submit' to finalize the application.