

September 9, 2015

Dear Tribal Leader,

The U.S. Census Bureau welcomes all federally recognized tribes to participate in the upcoming U.S. Census American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) Tribal Consultations. The consultations will give you a chance to inform yourself of the upcoming 2020 Census and share any concerns you may have regarding the 2020 Census.

Below is information about the consultation near you:

Friday, October 23, 2015 from 1 p.m. – 5 p.m. Saturday, October 24, 2015 from 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. Town and Country Resort San Diego, California

Travel funds for tribal leaders are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. If you are a tribal delegate, the U.S. Census Bureau will cover the following:

Up to two nights of lodging Up to 2.5 days of per diem

Background materials for the AIAN 2020 Census were sent out to tribes to help prepare for the consultations. If you need a copy, please visit our website at http://2020census.kauffmaninc.com/ and click on "Background Materials" to view or print a copy of the background materials.

If you have any questions feel free to contact Jennifer Gillissen, KAI Project Manager, at (240) 688-0588 or **jennifer.gillissen@kauffmaninc.com**. Your attendance at this meeting will help ensure the census is conducted in a manner respectful of AIAN tribes.

Sincerely,

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