



***Draft Agenda  
Tribal/Interior Budget Council  
Data Management Subcommittee  
November 3, 2020***

**Virtual  
3:30 – 6:30 p.m. EST**

**Register at: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2111986325191728396>**

- Welcome/Introductions
  - Draft September 22, 2020 Subcommittee Meeting Minutes
  - TLOA Report Analysis
  - Tribal Leader Discussion
  - Adjourn
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**Data Management Subcommittee August 2020 Meeting Action Items**

*Comprehensive Profile of Indian Country.* – Tribal leaders request that Indian Affairs develop a comprehensive profile of Indian Country utilizing the economist position it has filled and by hiring additional statisticians and other analysts to support the development of this profile.

- Tribal leaders note that out of date and inaccurate data was used by the federal government in Coronavirus relief efforts that harmed Tribes.
- Tribal leaders note the fact that unmet programmatic needs were not gathered and measured by Indian Affairs harmed Tribes in Coronavirus relief efforts and in their ability to respond.

*Data Privacy and Security.* - Tribal leaders seek a policy document signed at the highest level restricting the use of data collected by the Federal government to specified uses.

- Tribal leaders requested any information that may be available on the previous efforts, including previous concerns that may have made the document stall.
- Tribal leaders mentioned the recent tribal data breach associated with the CARES Act and concern over any further data collection that is not protected and properly used.

*DOL Labor Force Report and “service population.”* – Tribal leaders express that the discussion on service population is a very nuanced conversation with different applications across different federal programs. Tribal leaders urge caution from the Department of Labor and Interior in consideration of these long-standing and nuanced service population considerations that vary across programs based on their intent and the reality of services provided.

- Tribal leaders request that a federal task force be put together, consisting of all the federal agencies that rely on service population to determine any tribal program funding. This task force should address what population measures are used, where the data is derived from, and why they use their particular measure of service population.

*DOL Labor Force Report Tribal Advisory Committee.* – Tribal leaders recognize the need for a larger, more-inclusive group beyond TIBC in this data collection effort and insist on an advisory committee to DOL as it completes its labor force report. This committee should be representative of all 12 BIA regions, at least, with maximum tribal/federal collaboration encouraged.