

Southwest Tribal Housing Alliance

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ARIZONA – NEW MEXICO – WEST TEXAS

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

October 13, 2021

Dear SWTHA Members:

Southwest Tribal Housing Alliance (SWTHA) held the Triannual Meeting on Wednesday, October 13, 2021, via a hybrid setting. Thank you to those that attended, reported, and presented at the meeting, and to AMERIND for the meeting space and NAIHC for providing the Presentation on the Homeowners Assistance Program.

Below are some of the highlights of the meeting:

Roll Call:

A quorum was established, the meeting was represented by 14 Tribal Housing Entities from Arizona, New Mexico, and West Texas, and 4 by proxy.

Reports:

- AMERIND Derek Valdo, AMERIND CEO
- NAIHC Tony Walters, NAIHC Executive Director
- HUD Cheryl Dixon Zuni, HUD-SWONAP Deputy Administrator and Jody Moses, SWONAP Administrator
- SWTHA Financial Report Rhoda Eustace, SWTHA Secretary/Treasurer

Training:

- NAIHC Training and Discussion *Homeowners Assistance Program*: David Heisterkamp II and Sylvia Wirba, Wagenlander & Heisterkamp, LLC
- Presentation by Arizona Economic Recovery Center *Free Grant Assistance for Arizona Tribes*: Katie Boddy, Manager

2022 Schedule of Meetings:

- January Triannual Meeting and Training: January 26,2022. Suggestions for training?
- May 17: In conjunction with AMERIND/NAIHC Annual Convention in Seattle, Washington (TBD)
- October: TBD

- Monthly Zoom Meeting 2nd Tuesdays of each month, 1pm-2pm MT
 - Speakers are invited provide presentations at monthly meetings, submit request at swtha.region8@gmail.com.

Please visit <u>swtha.org</u> for news and events in Indian Housing. Documents and Reports from SWTHA Triannual Meeting can also be found at <u>swtha.org</u>. Submit your information to share on our website and newsletters to <u>swtha.region8@gmail.com</u>.

Thank you and we look forward to your continued support and participation.

Sincerely,

Floyd Tortalita

SWTHA President