## Nevada Department of Native American Affairs





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### **Nevada Department of Native American Affairs Invites Public Review of New Strategic Plan**

CARSON CITY, Nev. – The Nevada Department of Native American Affairs (DNAA) is pleased to announce the release of its newly drafted Strategic Plan, designed to guide the agency's priorities and initiatives over the next five years.

The Department is now inviting members of the public, Tribal governments, Tribal organizations, and all stakeholders to review the plan and provide feedback during an official 30-day public comment period.

The Strategic Plan outlines key goals and action steps aimed at strengthening government-to-government relationships with Nevada's 28 federally recognized Tribal Nations, Bands, and Colonies by enhancing cultural preservation, expanding educational opportunities, supporting economic development, and ensuring equitable access to state services including health and education.

"This plan reflects careful planning to define priorities and the metrics we will use to ensure progress," said Stacey Montooth, Executive Director of the Nevada Department of Native American Affairs. "We believe it sets a clear path forward for advancing the needs of Nevada's Native communities, and Tribal citizens, however public input is vital to make it an even stronger plan."

#### **Public Review Period:**

Start Date: Monday, Sept. 15

End Date: Tuesday, Oct. 14

• Where to Review: The full Strategic Plan is available online <a href="here">here</a>.

#### How to Comment:

Comments may be submitted via email: <a href="mailto:larrive@dnaa.nv.gov">larrive@dnaa.nv.gov</a>

Mailed to: DNAA, 5366 Snyder Ave; Carson City, NV 89701

In person at the Tuesday, Oct. 14 DNAA Commissioners meeting:

Moapa River Indian Reservation

Multi-Purpose Room

1 Lincoln Street

Moapa, NV 89025

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The Department will also host a public meetings on Tuesday, Oct. 14, —both in-person and virtual—where community members can ask questions and share feedback directly with leadership and staff. Meetings details and materials will be posted on the Department's website <a href="here">here</a>.

At the conclusion of the public comment period, the Department will review all input and make any necessary revisions before finalizing the Strategic Plan for adoption by its five governor appointed commissioners.

For more information or to obtain a copy of the draft Strategic Plan, please phone Lori Arrive at 775/687-7603.

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