



Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe
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2022-RES-010

APPROVAL OF NATIVE AMERICAN LANGUAGE PRESERVATION AND MAINTENANCE GRANT FROM DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

WHEREAS, the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe (“Tribe”) is a federally-recognized Indian tribe with a duly-enacted Constitution;

WHEREAS, the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribal Council (“Tribal Council”), the governing body of the Tribe, deems it essential under Article VI, § 2.A. of the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribal Constitution (“Constitution”) to promote and protect the political integrity, economic security and general welfare of the Tribe and members of the Tribe;

WHEREAS, Article VI, § 2.D. of the Constitution empowers the Tribal Council to negotiate and enter into contracts and agreements with state and local governments, private persons and corporate entities;

WHEREAS, the Department of Health & Human Services has published a grant opportunity that may support the Tribe’s efforts to ensure the survival and vitality of Native American languages (“ANA Grant”)

WHEREAS, the Tribe desires to submit an application for the ANA grant requesting funding in the amount of \$300,000.00 for a period of up to 3 years as follows:

Budget Direct Costs: \$171,540
Budget Indirect Costs: \$128,460
Total Budget: \$300,000.00

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council wishes to approve the ANA Grant submittal to support the Language Department’s efforts to secure funding to ensure the survival and vitality of Native American languages.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tribal Council hereby approves the submittal of the ANA Grant to the Department of Health & Human Services.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Tribal Council hereby grants to the Tribal Chairman, or in his absence, other Officer of the Tribal Council, the requisite authority and power for an on behalf of the Tribe to facilitate the submittal of the ANA Grant and to take such further action necessary to effect the purposes of this Resolution.

All resolutions or parts of resolutions inconsistent with this resolution are repealed. This resolution is effective immediately and shall continue pursuant to the authority vested in the Tribal Council pursuant to Article VI, §§ 2.A. and D. of the Constitution.

CERTIFICATION

We, the undersigned Chairperson and Secretary of the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribal Council, do hereby certify that the Tribal Council is composed of 13 members of whom 7, constituting a quorum, were present at an Emergency Meeting thereof, duly called, noticed, convened, and held on the 21st day of March, 2022 and that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the affirmative vote of 6 members, with 0 opposing, and with 0 not voting.

DATED this 21st day of March, 2022.



Brian Weeden, Chairman
Mashpee Wampanoag Tribal Council

ATTEST:



Cassie Jackson, Secretary
Mashpee Wampanoag Tribal Council



GRANT SUMMARY & REQUEST FORM

Department: Language Department
Name and Title of Director: Tracy Kelley
Grant Manager: Nitana Greendeer
Grant Opportunity Name: Native American Language Preservation and Maintenance
Funding Federal Dept./Agency: Department of Health & Human Services
CFDA Number: 93.587
Mashpee Tribal Project Name: TBD
Requested Funding Amount: \$300,000
Submittal Due Date: 3/31/2022
Award Date: TBD
Project Timeline: Up to 3 years
Indirect Cost percentage: .4282

SECTION 2: GRANT/ PROGRAM OVERVIEW

- 1. Describe the funding and the program goals:** The purpose of this program is to ensure the survival and vitality of Native American languages. ANA supports locally determined projects that achieve community goals through specific, measurable outcomes.
- 2. Describe how this program aligns with your Department Mission and Goals:** This program aligns with Department goals by expanding language preservation at the Weetumuw School.
- 3. Describe the service population:** All Tribal members
- 4. Describe the activities that are supported by the funding:** Funding will be used to support the following project objectives that align with LLGP goals: 1. Development of scope and sequence for Wôpanâak language lessons based on cultural activities throughout the school year, 2. Development and cataloging of Wôpanâak language lessons based on scope and sequence, for primary use in Weetumuw School elementary and primary classrooms, and secondary use in other classes provided for the WLRP community, such as community classes and camps, elders classes, high school classes. 3. Professional development for teachers to increase fluency, generally, and to support the creation of Wôpanâak language lessons. Teacher language fluency development will include workbook and immersion time as well as directed assistance from more fluent speakers on the creation and delivery of lesson plans.
- 5. Describe the Reporting Requirements timeline:** The applicant must deliver semi-annual and annual progress and financial reports.
- 6. Describe any leveraging opportunities creating by the funding: (ex. growth of existing programs).** This grant will expand on existing programs within the Language department by



supporting language preservation efforts. The project builds off of work completed under an ANA grant and will work alongside our existing LLGP program.

SECTION 3: Budget and Jobs Created

Budget's Direct Costs Total: \$ 171,540 (estimated)
Budget's Indirect Cost Total: \$ 128,460 (estimated)
Total Grant Budget: \$ 300,000 (estimated)

Does the Budget Include Program Income? YES **NO** N/A (Circle One)
Grant's Program Income: \$ N/A (estimated)

JOBS CREATED

Total Jobs maintained: _____ (PT hrs)

Position:	Teacher	Contract/Employee	FT/PT
Position:	Head of School	Contract/Employee	FT/PT
Position:		Contract/Employee	FT/PT
Position:		Contract/Employee	FT/PT