



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT
WASHINGTON, DC 20410-5000

OFFICE OF PUBLIC AND INDIAN HOUSING

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SUBJECT: Tribal Housing and Urban Development-Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing Expansion Program – Funding Notice

Dear Tribal Leader:

I am pleased to announce that the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has published a [Funding Notice](#) for the Tribal Housing and Urban Development-Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (Tribal HUD-VASH) Expansion program.

Under this Notice, approximately \$2.2 million is available for eligible Indian tribes and Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHEs) to provide housing and supportive services to Native American Veterans who are experiencing or at risk of experiencing homelessness.

Applicants will have until **11:59:59 PM EST on May 16, 2025**, to submit applications via www.grants.gov. If you are unable submit your application electronically, please contact TribalHUDVASH@hud.gov to request a waiver to this requirement.

Please note that applications **must** include a letter of support from their partnering U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) medical facility's Director. **I strongly encourage you to contact the VA now to start the process.** The letter must affirm that the Indian tribe or TDHE has consulted with its local VA facility and that the VA is committed to providing case management services should the applicant be awarded a grant. If you are not familiar with your local VA facility, you can find a list online (<https://www.va.gov/find-locations>) or by contacting your local VA Homeless Program Coordinator (<https://www.va.gov/homeless/>).

HUD will provide information on Notice training opportunities soon. I encourage you to apply for a grant and participate in these training sessions. To find additional information about the Notice and training materials, please visit our Codetalk website (www.hud.gov/codetalk).

Waewaenen/Thank you for your continued partnership and collaboration in serving Indian Country.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Heidi J. Frechette".

Heidi J. Frechette
Deputy Assistant Secretary
for Native American Programs