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Dear Honorable Tribal Leaders,

The New Mexico Indian Affairs Department is excited to announce a funding opportunity available to the Nations, Pueblos, and Tribes' Youth Councils. The Notice of Funding Availability ("NOFA"), application, and guidelines are enclosed with this letter.

The application period is currently open, and will run until all funds have been awarded. To apply, please submit:

1. completed application,
2. detailed budget, and
3. letter of support from Tribal Leadership.

Please refer to the NOFA for specific application requirements, submission instructions and contact information.

For any questions or assistance in applying, please contact Karmela Martinez, Operations Manager, via email at Karmela.martinez@iad.nm.gov or via telephone at (505)469.7057.

Respectfully,

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