

THE NATIONAL CONGRESS OF AMERICAN INDIANS

# JOIN TODAY

*Amplify Your Voice for Indian Country!*



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## WHY US ?

NCAI has been serving Indian Country for the past 80 years through strong partnerships with Tribal Nations, Native Villages, individuals, and organizations. NCAI's membership is composed of Tribal Nations, individuals, and organizations, and together, this membership contributes to a unified national voice that engages in educational outreach, and enables legal, legislative, and administrative advocacy. Representing the strength and resilience of Indian Country, NCAI strives to keep all tribal communities well-informed about issues affecting Tribal Nations' welfare. Working collectively, NCAI aims to strengthen tribal sovereignty for the prosperity of Tribal Nations and communities. NCAI's voting membership consists of Tribal Nations and individuals who meet eligibility criteria and pay dues as outlined in Article III of the NCAI Bylaws.

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# HOW WE SUPPORT YOU

## AMPLIFYING VOICES:



NCAI membership provides a powerful platform for your voice to be heard at the national level. By joining forces with tribal leaders, professionals, and advocates from across Indian Country, you contribute to a unified voice on critical issues affecting American Indian / Alaska Native (AI/AN) communities. Additionally, NCAI membership provides opportunities for leadership development and honing advocacy skills. Take advantage of training programs, including the Leading Tribal Nations Executive Education Program in partnership with Harvard Business School, and mentorship opportunities, like the Wilma Mankiller Fellowship program, investing in the next generation of leaders. Gain a deeper understanding of policy processes, learn effective communication strategies, and acquire the skills necessary to engage with policymakers, media outlets, and other stakeholders. NCAI can be your springboard for personal growth and professional advancement within the AI/AN rights and governance arena.

## A SEAT AT THE TABLE:



NCAI is a membership-driven organization representing the diverse Tribal Nations and individuals that make up Indian Country. Membership categories range from Tribal Nation Membership to Individual Indian Lifetime Membership, all of whom can participate in the deliberative process which ultimately produces NCAI's consensus-based policy positions. Member benefits also include email news updates, reduced conference rates, exclusive NCAI merchandise, and access to all the resources that NCAI produces on a wide range of topics.

## CREATING SPACE TO COLLABORATE AND BUILD PARTNERSHIPS:



NCAI membership opens doors for collaboration and partnerships with other individuals and organizations that are working to advance Native rights. By connecting with other members, you can forge alliances, share resources, and build collective power to tackle shared challenges. Engage in discussions, workgroups, and task forces, like the Violence Against Women Act Task Force or Climate Action Task Force. NCAI and Indian Country rely upon diverse perspectives and expertise to develop innovative solutions and initiatives. Collaborate with other Tribal Nations, non-profit organizations, academic institutions, and government agencies to amplify the impact of your work and create lasting change.

## 2023-2024 INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

**YES!** I support the continuing work and purpose of the National Congress of American Indians and I want to become a Member in good standing.

- \$40 **Individual Indian Member**  
One Vote, NCAI Broadcast emails to one email, Reduced conference rates, copy of our publications throughout the year, One NCAI car decal, Welcome letter with membership card.
- \$40 **Individual Associate Member**  
Non-Voting, NCAI Broadcast emails to one email, Reduced conference rates, copy of our newsletter, the Sentinel, One NCAI car decal, Welcome letter with membership card.
- \$500 **Organization Associate Member**  
Non-Voting, NCAI Broadcast emails to two emails, Reduced conference rate for two at each conference, copy of our publications throughout the year, Name listed in web directory of supporters.
- \$1000 **Individual Indian LIFETIME Member**  
Lifetime Voting, NCAI Broadcast emails to one email, Reduced conference rates, copy of our publications throughout the year, One NCAI car decal, One NCAI T-shirt, Lifetime Membership Card.

*Membership is not transferable and may be used only by the person whose name is printed on this form. NCAI is a voluntary membership organization and membership in NCAI does not determine status as a member of any American Indian or Alaska Native Tribal Nation.*

### I AM INCLUDING A TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATION OF:

\$50    \$100    \$250    \$500   Other \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Tribal Affiliation/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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### For Organization Associate Membership Use Only:

Email #2: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

### PAYMENT INFORMATION:

Enclosed is a Check or Money Order ( Mail to: NCAI, 1516 P Street NW, Washington, D.C. 20005 )

For further membership information, contact us at [membership@ncai.org](mailto:membership@ncai.org)