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ALL FEDERALLY-RECOGNIZED NATIVE AMERICAN TRIBES

ANNOUNCEMENT OF TRIBAL RELATIONS TEAM AT THE U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION STC-23-054

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is realigning the Tribal Liaison function to an independent Tribal Relations Team reporting to senior executive management in the Division of Materials Safety, Security, State, and Tribal Programs in the Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards. This team will make the Tribal Liaison function easier to identify within the organization and facilitate engagement with senior management. The changes are expected to be effective August 13, 2023.


The current Tribal Liaison staff will continue to be part of the new team. This includes:

- Sandra Talley, Senior Liaison Project Manager, [Sandra.Talley@nrc.gov](mailto:Sandra.Talley@nrc.gov) or 301-415-8059
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- Heather Frey, Intergovernmental Liaison Project Manager, [Heather.Frey@nrc.gov](mailto:Heather.Frey@nrc.gov)

A new "Tribal Liaison Program Manager (Team Leader)" role will provide both direct supervision and programmatic oversight for the Tribal Liaison function. This position has been posted on USAJOBS and is open to the public through August 7, 2023. Interested applicants should see the requirements and apply at <https://www.usajobs.gov/job/738483600>. The NRC will provide the contact information for the Tribal Liaison Program Manager once a selection is made.

The Tribal Liaison function is an agencywide resource with significant responsibility under the Commission's [Tribal Policy Statement](#) and [Management Directive 5.1](#), "Consultation and Coordination with Governments and Indian Tribes." The Tribal Liaisons' efforts also support the agency's strategic goal related to stakeholder confidence. The NRC looks forward to continued engagement with Tribal Nations. If you have any questions on this realignment, please contact Theresa Clark, Deputy Division Director, at [Theresa.Clark@nrc.gov](mailto:Theresa.Clark@nrc.gov) or 301-415-4140.

Sincerely,

  
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