



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET
WASHINGTON, DC 20503

THE DIRECTOR

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Dear Tribal Leaders,

On behalf of the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB), I am writing to invite you to a Tribal consultation to provide your feedback on the recently noticed [Request for Information](#) on proposed revisions to [title 2 of the Code of Federal Regulation \(CFR\)](#). This Tribal consultation will be held virtually on March 7, 2023 from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. ET.

2 CFR is OMB's guidance on Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal awards. The revision of this OMB guidance will aim to reduce administrative burden for non-Federal entities receiving Federal awards while reducing the risk of waste, fraud and abuse.

The purpose of this Tribal consultation is for OMB to hear from you and your designees on the following questions:

1. What specific section(s) of 2 CFR would benefit from revision in order to support the goal of reducing administrative burden?
2. What specific section(s) of 2 CFR have been interpreted differently by Federal agencies and recipients leading to inconsistent implementation of Federal financial assistance?
3. What specific section(s) of 2 CFR would benefit from improved clarity or more precise language?
4. What specific suggestions do you have for otherwise improving the language of 2 CFR (e.g., consistent use of terms, other suggested edits)?

We encourage you to register as soon as possible using this link:

https://pitc.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_TB4MlaISStCvg1FS2vZN9g

We will prioritize Tribal leader participation in this consultation; please note that Tribal consultations are not for press purposes.

Once you register, you will receive a confirmation email and a unique participant link. If registration is not possible, or if you have trouble registering, please email

tribalconsultation@omb.eop.gov. OMB welcomes your written comments as well. Please send them to tribalconsultation@omb.eop.gov by March 13, 2023.

The Biden Administration remains committed to conducting regular, meaningful, and robust consultation with Tribal Nations as discussed in the January 26, 2021, Presidential Memorandum on Tribal Consultation and Strengthening Nation-to-Nation Relationships and the November 30, 2022, Presidential Memorandum on Uniform Standards for Tribal Consultation. We look forward to continuing to strengthening our relationship with Tribal Nations through this important Tribal consultation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Shalanda D. Young". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Shalanda Young
Director