FY 2024 COORDINATED TRIBAL ASSISTANCE SOLICITATION (CTAS)

Who May Apply: Federally recognized Native American tribal governments; Consortia consisting of two or more federally recognized Indian Tribes; Tribal designees eligible for certain activities related to Purpose Area #6.

Why Apply: This solicitation combines seven of the Department of Justice’s tribal government-specific competitive solicitations into one, requiring only one application. Receive funding from BJA to engage in three purpose areas (PAs):

- PA 2: Justice system strategic planning.
- PA 3: Develop and enhance adult tribal justice systems ranging from law enforcement to courts to corrections.
- PA 4: Renovate, expand, replace, or build tribal justice-related facilities.

Maximum per Award:

- PA 2: $150,000 per award, including no-cost training and technical assistance (TTA)
- PA 3: up to $900,000 per award, including no-cost TTA
- PA 4: up to $1,600,000 per award (single jurisdiction facility); up to $5,600,000 (regional facility)

BJA encourages the following entities to apply:
- Federally Recognized Tribes that have not received BJA funding before

Examples of strategies/activities that can be funded:

- Hiring additional personnel
- Risk and needs assessments
- Diversion and alternatives to incarceration
- Prevention
- Treatment and recovery
- Corrections
- Reentry
- Law enforcement
- Training
- New and enhanced tribal and peacemaking courts
- Assessing tribal justice system gaps and needs
- Addressing physical infrastructure needs of tribal justice systems
Where to get more information about this opportunity:


**Tips for Success:**

- **Start early!** To apply, you must first have a valid registration in the System for Award Management (SAM). **Registration and renewal can take up to 10 business days** to complete. Register at: [sam.gov/content/home](http://sam.gov/content/home).

- For **questions** about the program’s requirements or the application process, see the full solicitation at: [bia.ojp.gov/funding/O-BJA-2024-171911.pdf](http://bia.ojp.gov/funding/O-BJA-2024-171911.pdf) for information on who to contact.

- Visit **BJA Funding Webinars** at: [bia.ojp.gov/events/funding-webinars](http://bia.ojp.gov/events/funding-webinars) and review the “Federal Funding Process: First Steps to Applying, How to Prepare Now, and Other Considerations.”

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**How to apply and when:**

Submit a two-step application.

1. Register in [Grants.gov](http://Grants.gov) and follow the prompts to submit two forms by March 5, 2024.

2. Then complete the full application in [JustGrants.usdoj.gov](http://JustGrants.usdoj.gov) by March 12, 2024. The application’s major elements are:

   a. The **proposal abstract** that summarizes the problem you wish to address with your project (no more than 400 words).

   b. The **proposal narrative** that describes your project’s strategies, activities, and major deliverables as well as your capacity to address the problem.

   c. The **web-based budget** form that details how you will allocate the grant funds by task, date, and responsible person.

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