

Proposition 202 Tribal Gaming Application Sponsorship/Support Form Requesting Pinal County serve as the Fiscal Agent/Pass Through Entity

Name of the Tribal Community: Tohono O'odham Nation

Due date of the application to the Tribal community: 6/7/2024

The following information will be used by Pinal County to 1) send the resolution and grant documents for the applicant to submit to the Tribal community, 2) send the funds, if awarded.

Name of the Non-profit: Horizon Health and Wellness

Contact person/title: Mary Jo Silcox, Chief Strategic Initiatives Officer

Email address: maryjo.silcox@hhwaz.org

Address: 625 N Plaza Drive, Apache Junction Az 85120

Project name: Apache Junction Community Activities Room

Amount being requested: \$108,000

Project summary: Horizon proposes to renovate a current vacant property in Apache Junction into a community room that will offer both educational and recreational activities to people suffering from a mental health and/or substance use issue. Services will include educational classes on employment skills, living skills, medication educations and resource availability and assistance in obtaining various resources. Recreational activities will include social skills building with coffee talks, reading clubs and various outings.

Beneficiaries: This project will serve individuals suffering from mental health and/or substance use issues as well as the homeless population in Apache Junction.

Supervisor District: District 5

The undersigns hereby certifies they have read and comply with the responsibilities set forth in the PINAL COUNTY TRIBAL GAMING GRANT PROGRAM Request for fiscal agent/pass through support documentation.

Mary Jo Silcox, Mary Jo Silcox Director name and signature

Project: Horizon Health and Wellness

a) Explain the perceived need and explain how the proposal will address that need: Horizon Health and Wellness (HHW) is a non-profit 501(c)(3) integrated health care agency licensed by the State of Arizona and accredited through the Joint Commission to deliver an extensive array of healthcare services for all ages and stages of life. The community of Apache Junction is a rural area with limited resources specifically for those that suffer from a mental illness or substance use disorder. HHW is able to provide treatment and recovery services for this population, however a big part of the recovery process is the ability to engage in educational and social activities. Currently Apache Junction does not have a safe place for this to occur. HHW is proposing to complete repairs and modifications to a vacant property that is owned by HHW in Apache Junction to create this safe space for community social/recreational activities. The remodeling of this property will allow HHW to provide a space in Apache Junction for those that have a substance use issue or mental health issue to come in and meet others who also struggle with the same issues. Classes and activities will center around health education, employment/educational skills building and social/recreational activities all while creating a space for individuals to decrease their social isolation and build friendships with others that have common interests. This space will provide the community with a place to build social support for many of the individuals that lack informal support all in a space specifically designed for them. The design will include many components of trauma informed care environment since this population typically comes from a background which includes trauma. Items such as muted and calm paint colors, lights that dim, and quiet spaces will all contribute to healing and recovery of this extremely vulnerable population.

b) Describe the population who will benefit from the proposal if approved:

This project will benefit the community of Apache Junction and the surrounding area by offering a space for individuals with mental illness and substance use issues to gather and find not only resources but support from others. Individuals with substance use and mental health are often socially isolated from others which cause depression, anxiety and often can lead to relapse or even suicide. In addition, there is a high rate of homelessness in this population and even if they are sheltered during the night most shelters do not allow daytime stays. This center would provide a safe and secure place for daytime activities and get these people off the streets during the day.

c) Include a budget of the requested funds, with the total amount requested clearly notated:

Construction Contract with Az Home Services: (includes build out of a kitchenette, remodel of bathroom To ensure it is handicapped accessible, creation of a group Room space and office space, repair roof, replace doors, \$55,000

Interior paint, new flooring)

and start up	\$108,000
Total request which includes all repairs/modifications	
Staffing and recruitment for start up/training time	40,000
Initial start up supplies for activities	5,000
Furniture for center (chairs/tables etc)	8,000

d) List any other funding requests that have been made for this or substantially related proposals and provide the status of those requests:

Horizon Health and Wellness applied for a grant from Arizona Complete Health in 2022 for this project which was not funded.

- e) Indicate whether the entity has previously received a 12% distribution from TO or other Az tribes, along with the amount and date awarded:
 - HHW has received the 12% funding from Tohono O'odham Nation in 2022 for \$270,500 and HHW received the 12% funding from the Ak Chin Nation in 2022 for \$198,000
- f) Identify a designated contact person and alternate contact person for follow up, include the following information for each contact person, (email, phone number, mailing address and fax number)

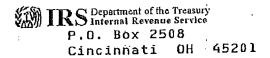
Contact	Email	Phone Number	Mailing Address	Fax Number
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Dawn Cottrell	Dawn.cottrell@hhwaz.org	480-983-0065 X45588	625 N. Plaza Dr. Apache Junction, AZ 85120	480-983-0896

g) Indicate which priority area the proposal falls under

This proposal falls under the Tohono O'odham priority of healthcare.

h) Include the name of the city, town or county that supports the project:

HHW is a non-profit 501(c)(3) and will be partnering with Pinal County Government for this request for funding.



In reply refer to: 0248167147 Jan. 22, 2016 LTR 4168C 0 86-0554593 000000 00

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Employer ID Number: 86-0554593 Form 990 required: Yes

Dear Taxpayer:

This is in response to your request dated Jan. 13, 2016, regarding your tax-exempt status.

We issued you a determination letter in October 1986, recognizing you as tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)

Our records also indicate you're not a private foundation as defined under IRC Section 509(a) because you're described in IRC Sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Donors can deduct contributions they make to you as provided in IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts under IRC Sections 2055, 2106, and 2522.

In the heading of this letter, we indicated whether you must file an annual information return. If a return is required, you must file Form 990, 990-EZ, 990-N, or 990-PF by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. IRC Section 6033(j) provides that, if you don't file a required annual information return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked on the filing due date of the third required return or notice.

For tax forms, instructions, and publications, visit www.irs.gov or call 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676).

If you have questions, call 1-877-829-5500 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., local time, Monday through Friday (Alaska and Hawaii follow Pacific Time).

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Sincerely yours,

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