




PINAL COUNTY

WIDE OPEN OPPORTUNITY

Proposition 202 Tribal Gaming Application Support Form

Name of Tribal Entity:	Ak Chin Indian Community
Due Date:	July, 8 2022
Name of Nonprofit Organization:	Friends of the Casa Grande Ruins
Contact Person:	Roger Biede
Contact Person Title:	Secretary
Mailing Address:	351 N Arizona Blvd # 5, Coolidge, AZ 85128
Street Address:	351 N Arizona Blvd # 5, Coolidge, AZ 85128
Phone:	510-418-3959
E-mail: <small>This will be the email address the resolution and signed coversheet will be sent when completed.</small>	rcbthree@hotmail.com
Website Address:	www.friendsofcasagranderuins
Attachment Checklist	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Application Support Form• IRS 501 © 3 designation letter• Completed application including coversheet
Project Name:	Ruins Pollinator Garden
Amount of Funding Being Requested:	\$10,000
Summary of Project:	The Friends of Casa Grande Ruins (Friends), National Park Service (NPS), have been collaborating on a series of pollinator gardens at the National Monument since 2019.
Summary of How Project Benefits Pinal County Residents	The pollinator garden at the Ruins will promote the health of the enviroment, educate visitors about the local desert, increase the health of the local bee population and attract visitors to the area
Name and Signature of Agency Director:	 ROGER C BIEDE TH

2022 Ak-Chin Indian Community Grant Application Cover Sheet

Name of Applicant: Friends of the Casa Grande Ruins	Applicant is a: <input type="checkbox"/> City/Town/County (circle) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other 501 © 3
Mayor/Supervisor/Chairman/President: Roger Biede	
Contact Person and Title: Secretary	
Applicant Address (administrative office): 351 N Arizona Blvd # 5	
City: Coolidge	Zip Code: 85128
Applicant Mailing Address (if different):	
City:	Zip Code:
Phone Number: 510-418-3959	Fax Number:
E-mail Address: rcbthree@hotmail.com	
Fiscal Agent for any Applicant that is not a City, Town, or County (Special Taxing Districts/Fire Districts must have a Fiscal Agent)	
Contact Person: Heather Patel	
City/Town/County Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1348	
City: Florence	Zip Code: 85132
Phone Number: (520) 866-6422	Fax Number:
E-mail Address: heather.patel@pinal.gov	

Program or Project Name:
Purpose (Check all that apply) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> education <input type="checkbox"/> public safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> health <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> environment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> promotion of commerce <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> economic and community development
Purpose of Grant (brief statement):
We are looking to build a pollinator garden at the Casa Grande Ruins to promote the health of the Environment, educate visitors about the local desert, increase the health of the local bee population, and Attract people to the area.
Beginning and Ending Date of Program or Project: Project was begun in 2020 and looks to be finished in 2023
Amount Requested: \$10,000 Total Cost: \$15,000
Geographic Area Served: Most of southern Arizona but Pinal County predominately

By the execution of this Grant Application the undersigned agrees that the information contained in this Application is true, to the best of the Applicant's knowledge. The Applicant shall notify the Community if any information in this Application changes

Signature: _____
 For the Applicant:  Date: 23 May 2022

Typed/Printed Name and Title: _____ Roger C Biede _____

For the Fiscal Agent: _____ Date: _____
 (If applicable)

Typed/Printed Name and Title: _____

Friends of Casa Grande Ruins National Monument Pollinator Gardens

Background

The Friends of Casa Grande Ruins (Friends), National Park Service (NPS), and Strategic Habitat Enhancements (SHE) have been collaborating on a series of pollinator gardens at the National Monument since 2019.

SHE designed plant lists to support different pollinator groups (butterflies, bees, moths & bats, and hummingbirds) from botanical inventory data from the national monument and surrounding areas – all species included in the plant lists are native and specially chosen for their benefits for these pollinator groups. The team worked together to create a layout for a series of separate gardens to be prominently located in the Casa Grande National Monument Picnic Area (see figure below). The layout took into account visitor needs, maintenance infrastructure, and ongoing operations. The design of the gardens and planting specifications were guided by the need to preserve the cultural and historic integrity of the site; as such, no digging would be appropriate, and the team opted for the gardens to be installed in raised beds. All aspects of the construction were approved by the Arizona State Historic Preservation Office.



Installation Summary

An Arizona Conservation Corps Ancestral Lands Crew was onsite in November 2021 and March 2022 to construct rock-lined pollinator gardens, fill them with soil, and install native plants that were hand selected and transported from Tucson by SHE. The NPS prepared the site by working with a contractor to get irrigation

installed to support the plants and provided necessary materials such as the specialized desert planting soil mix and rocks.

During the two installation events, 10 pollinator beds have been completed – 7 that focus on butterflies and 3 that focus on hummingbirds. A total of 137 container plants comprised of 21 species have been installed so far. Specialized seed mixes have also been developed for each pollinator garden type and these seeds will be applied in the monsoon or fall of 2022 as appropriate. Exact locations and configurations of the pollinator gardens were adjusted on the ground according to field conditions; once the project is complete these will be GPS'd and an updated, as-built map will be created.

Next Steps

Approximately 5 additional pollinator gardens are planned for installation during the monsoon/fall of 2022. These gardens will include native plants for bees and moths & bats.

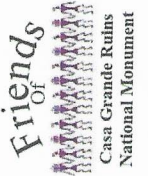


Casa Grande Ruins National Monument Native Plants for Pollinator Planting Project

Rationale for Species Choice

The native plant species chosen for this project were based on the checklist of species included in the Sonoran Desert Network's official inventory at Casa Grande Ruins National Monument (2012); the checklist was derived from "baseline inventory data, herbarium records, the phylogenetic and ecological literature, and agency study records," and is available here:

Common name	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
HUMMINGBIRDS												
ocotillo												
chuparosa												
desert honeysuckle												
fairy duster												
Parry's penstemon												
snaptail												
desert ironwood												
desert willow												
BEEES												
wolfberry												
catclaw acacia												
desert zinnia												
oreganillo												
desert lavender												
New Mexico thistle												
chia												
desert willow												
chuckwalla's delight												
globeamallow												
Arizona caltrop												
Mexican gold poppy												
brittlebush												
desert gold												
Adonis blazing star												
tubby-bear cholla												
desert marigold												
golden crownbeard												
Engelmann's prickly pear												
shrubby Indian mallow												
BUTTERFLIES												
rush milkweed												
pine leaf milkweed												
lrohava buckwheat												
white-stem milkweed												
Arizona milkweed												
desert zinnia												
oreganillo												
Goodding's verbena												
New Mexico thistle												
twining milkweed												
desert holly												
chuckwalla's delight												
brittlebush												
desert gold												
desert senna												
desert marigold												
golden crownbeard												
BATS & MOTHS												
wishbone bush												
sacred datura												
tufted evening primrose												
soaptree yucca												
queen of the night												

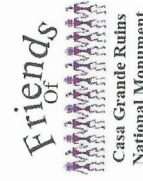


<http://swbiodiversity.org/seinet/checklists/checklist.php?clid=2527&pid=5>. Several species that are native to the region, but not present on the Casa Grande Ruins National Monument inventory, were added to increase pollinator values and demonstrate to visitors other species that are appropriate in the lower Sonoran Desert. Examples of species that fall into this group include: chuparosa (*Lusticia californica*), milkweeds (*Asclepias* spp.), sweetbush (*Bebbia juncea*), and a few others.

Species were chosen specifically for their value to native pollinator groups, including hummingbirds, bees, butterflies, moths, and bats, and plant lists for each were developed to guide placement of plants to cater to each pollinator group.



**Strategic
Habitat
Enhancements**



Casa Grande Ruins National Monument OOK Grant Budget – Update September 2021

Category/Line Item	NPS Contribution	Partner Contribution (Friends of Casas Grande Ruins)	Total Ask	Comments
Architectural Plans	0	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00	
Plants	\$1,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$5,500.00	
Labor	\$0.00	TBD	\$0.00	
Materials	\$500.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,500.00	
Contingency	0	\$1500.00	\$1500.00	
Totals	\$1,500	\$13,000.00	\$15,000.00	

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
P. O. BOX 2508
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date: **AUG 06 2010**

FRIENDS OF THE CASA GRANDE RUINS
INC
C/O DOUGLAS CRAIG
32068 GRAND VALLEY DR
MARANA, AZ 85658

Employer Identification Number:
27-2285931
DLN:
17053169305040
Contact Person:
JOHN J KOESTER ID# 31364
Contact Telephone Number:
(877) 829-5500

Accounting Period Ending:
December 31
Public Charity Status:
509(a)(2)
Form 990 Required:
Yes
Effective Date of Exemption:
January 4, 2010
Contribution Deductibility:
Yes
Addendum Applies:
No

Dear Applicant:

We are pleased to inform you that upon review of your application for tax exempt status we have determined that you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to you are deductible under section 170 of the Code. You are also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the Code. Because this letter could help resolve any questions regarding your exempt status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

Organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined that you are a public charity under the Code section(s) listed in the heading of this letter.

Please see enclosed Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, for some helpful information about your responsibilities as an exempt organization.

Letter 947 (DO/CG)

FRIENDS OF THE CASA GRANDE RUINS

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Robert Choi". The signature is written in a cursive, somewhat stylized font.

Robert Choi
Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements

Enclosure: Publication 4221-PC

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give Form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.**

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

Print or type. See Specific Instructions on page 3.	1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank. Friends of Casa Grande Ruins, INC	
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
	3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one of the following seven boxes. <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership) ▶ _____ <small>Note: Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is not disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.</small> <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____ <small>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</small>
	5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions. 32068 Grand Valley Drive	Requester's name and address (optional)
	6 City, state, and ZIP code Marana, Arizona 85658	
	7 List account number(s) here (optional)	

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number									
OR									
Employer identification number									
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Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶ 7/18/18
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)

- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)
- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding, later.

Electronic Notice (e-Postcard)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

for Tax-Exempt Organization not Required to File Form 990 or 990-EZ

2021

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2021 Calendar year, or tax year beginning 2021-01-01 and ending 2021-12-31

B Check if available

- Terminated for Business
 Gross receipts are normally \$50,000 or less

C Name of Organization: FRIENDS OF THE CASA GRANDE
RUINS351 N Arizona Blvd,
Coolidge, AZ, US, 85128D Employee Identification
Number 27-2285931

E Website:

Coolidge Chamber of CommerceF Name of Principal Officer: Lynn Parsons351 N Arizona Blvd,
Coolidge, AZ, US, 85128

Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice: We ask for the information on this form to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. You are required to give us the information. We need it to ensure that you are complying with these laws.

The organization is not required to provide information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. The rules governing the confidentiality of the Form 990-N is covered in code section 6104.

The time needed to complete and file this form and related schedules will vary depending on the individual circumstances. The estimated average times is 15 minutes.

Note: This image is provided for your records only. Do Not mail this page to the IRS. The IRS will not accept this filing via paper. You must file your Form 990-N (e-Postcard) electronically.