Welcome
Session C5- Tourism Planning:
Tribal Tourism Funding Opportunities Panel
Thursday, September 20, 2018
10:45am – 12:15pm

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Who is EDA?

- Department of Commerce
- Headquarters (DC)
- 6 Regional Offices

Austin Regional Office
Who is EDA?

*Mission:*

To lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for growth and success in the worldwide economy.

*Leading the Federal Economic Development Agenda:*

- EDA provides **grant-based investments** to units of state and local government, universities, public or private non-profits, District Organizations, Institutions of higher education, Indian Tribes, in communities and regions suffering from severe economic distress.
Who is EDA?

EDA targets its investments to create *(or retain)* long-term, sustainable jobs and to attract private capital investment.

EDA investments are focused on **locally-developed**, **regionally-based economic development initiatives** that directly contribute to economic growth...
What are EDA’s Primary Programs?

- Public Works & Economic Adjustment Assistance
- Short Term Planning and Local Technical Assistance
Public Works & Economic Adjustment Assistance

Santo Domingo Pueblo (NM)
Public Works & Economic Adjustment Assistance

Bruce Krasnow/The New Mexican
Public Works & Economic Adjustment Assistance

Oglala Lakota Artspace on the Pine Ridge Reservation (SD)
Short Term Planning and Local Technical Assistance

- (Tribal) Partnership Planning Program
  - Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS)
  - Funding for strategies, studies, market analyses, etc.
  - Funding to help make optimal economic development decisions (especially as it relates to tourism)
Economic Development Districts (EDDs)
February 2018
EDA 101: AGENCY BASICS

Short Term Planning and Local Technical Assistance

52 Tribes funded through the Partnership Planning Program annually to:

- Maintain the Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS)
- (Some) Run the Office of Economic or Business Development
- Provide technical assistance and find (funding) opportunities for the Tribe
- Other initiatives, as needed

EDDs funded through Partnership Planning Program annually to:

- Maintain the Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS)
- Provide technical assistance to counties/communities in region
Thank You!

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