

# Now Recruiting: Tribal Advisory Board Members



## Working Together Toward a California Where No Native is Homeless on Native Land

**T**he California Interagency Council on Homelessness (Cal ICH) is establishing and recruiting a new Tribal Advisory Board to inform Cal ICH's work. We are seeking Tribal partners to inform the state's homelessness response. We hope to ensure that Tribal voices, expertise, and lived experience are at the center of state efforts to address homelessness that impact Tribal communities.

*For information about our Tribal work, please see [https://www.bcsh.ca.gov/calich/tribal\\_resources.html](https://www.bcsh.ca.gov/calich/tribal_resources.html) or call us at (916) 510-9445.*

### About the Opportunity

- Meetings will be **virtual** at first but may be in-person later.
- Meetings may be monthly, bimonthly, or quarterly.
- We request that members participate in at least **75 percent** of meetings.
- **We are recruiting up to 12 regional voting members** from Southern, Central, and Northern California.
- **Terms will be two years.**
- To be considered, please **submit a Letter of Nomination from the California Tribal Chairperson's Association or from your Tribal Chairperson or President.**
- Meetings are anticipated to begin in **July 2026.**

### Desirable Qualities for Membership

- Experience providing culturally grounded services to Tribal members who are unhoused or at risk of homelessness
- Commitment to advising and collaborating with state and local partners to advance a California in which "No Native is Homeless on Native Land"
- Understand the needs, priorities, and strengths of Tribal Communities in your region
- Experience with Tribal housing efforts on or off Tribal lands
- Prior lived experience of homelessness

### The Application

Applications and a letter of nomination are **due March 31, 2026**. Use the link below, to apply. For questions or to receive a paper application, contact Vevila Blossoming Bear at (916) 510 9445 or [Vevila.blossoming@bcsh.ca.gov](mailto:Vevila.blossoming@bcsh.ca.gov).

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