

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Tribal Narrative Profile (30%)

You may enter as much or as little text as you need to fully describe your community as long as the total number of pages for the entire Tribal Narrative Profile does not exceed 15 pages. Remember that the individuals reviewing the application may not be familiar with the community, so descriptions should be as clear and detailed as possible. Be sure that every question is answered. If there are questions that you are unable to answer, provide an explanation as to why the information is unavailable.

1. Describe the general form of your Tribal Government.
2. Identify one or more of the crime and public safety problems that the tribe plans to address through the proposed grant funding and describe the problem(s) with as much additional detail, including data, as necessary to clearly describe the nature and extent of the problem(s). Include a description of current or previous efforts, if any.
3. Briefly describe the tribal justice system, including prevention or intervention initiatives for members at risk of involvement or already involved in the justice system (youth or adult); law enforcement, including any cross-jurisdictional agreements; courts; alternative dispute resolution; corrections, including juvenile detention facilities; services for victims and survivors of crime (e.g., violent crime, non-violent crime, drug-related crime, child abuse, elder abuse, domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence, stalking, human trafficking, identity theft, etc.); tribal reentry programs; and sex offender registry obligations. If services are not available within the tribe, please describe how they are accessed or provided.
4. Describe the significant tribal justice, community safety, juvenile delinquency, and victimization issues (e.g., child abuse, elder abuse, domestic violence, sexual assault, sex trafficking, dating violence, stalking, identity theft, non-violent crime, etc.) facing the tribal nation and explain why these issues are the most pressing. *Ensure that the problems described are connected to the purpose area(s) for which the tribe is applying. For example, if the tribe is applying for Purpose Area #1 (COPS Tribal Resources Grant Program-Hiring and Tribal Resources Grant Program-Equipment/Training), the tribe should discuss law enforcement related issues. If the tribe is applying for multiple purpose areas, all of the relevant issues should be identified in this portion of the profile.*
5. Describe current and future plans to comprehensively address the tribe's public safety, criminal and juvenile justice, or victimization issues (e.g., violent crime, non-violent crime, drug-related crime, child abuse, elder abuse, domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence, stalking, identity theft, human trafficking, etc.).
6. Address the tribe's need for financial assistance and the inability of the agency to implement the proposed plan without federal funding.
7. Discuss any additional information about your tribe that would be important in the understanding and evaluating your application.

Tribal Community and Justice Profile

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The Tribal Community and Justice Profile will be rated based on the following criteria:

- The extent to which the application fully responds to the requested information.
- The need for funding as described in the Tribal Community and Justice Profile.

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