

TSÚŪTÍNÀ GŪNÁHÀ ŪWĀ NÁHĪNĀNÍSHÁ ŌGHÀ NÁHĪNÍHĪNÁ?Ō-HĪ TSUUT'INA LANGUAGE <u>& CULTURE</u>

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To: All Departments, Programs, and Entities

From: Tsúut'ínà Gunáhà and Traditions/Culture Committee

CC: Language & Culture Executive Director, Janelle Crane-Starlight

CEO, Jerry Simon

Re: Information Regarding Tsúut'ínà Gunáhà and Traditions/Culture Committee

We are excited to announce the formation of the **Tsúut'ínà Gunáhà and Traditions/Culture Committee**, dedicated to the revitalization and preservation of Tsúut'ínà Gunáhà (language) and our cultural traditions. As the number of fluent speakers decreases, it is more important than ever that we come together to ensure the survival of our language for future generations. As stated below you will see our Committee Goals within our Nation Administration.

Committee Goals:

- **Guidance and Direction**: Oversee Tsúut'ínà language and cultural programming, ensuring it aligns with our values, protocols and priorities.
- **Approval Process**: Review and approve educational materials, cultural content, and language revitalization initiatives.
- Collaborative Efforts: Work with the Gunáhà and Traditions/Culture Committee to create culturally appropriate policies and workplans.

The committee plays a crucial role in supporting the revitalization of Tsúut'ínà Gunáhà, and we encourage all community members, departments, and programs to get involved and contribute to this important work. We also extend our invite to all Tsúut'ínà Elders and Speakers to get involved with our programming.

For more information or to get involved, please contact us at janellecrane@tsuutina.com or 403-238-6402.

Dásiyàsgaas (Thank you) for your commitment to preserving our language and culture.

Siyìsgaas,

Charlis Crowchild
Charlie Crowchild
Committee Chairman

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