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**NATIONAL TRIBAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS ASSOCIATION**

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**

ISSUES

1. Fully funding the Universal Service Fund high-cost program (in addition to the $2B funding cap).
2. The critical importance of the Lifeline program to Tribal communities.
3. The ongoing need to improve Tribal engagement (including the strengthening of the Office of Native Affairs and Policy).
4. Section 106 tower siting.

The purpose of NTTA is to provide a forum for Tribally owned companies and those who work in the telecommunications industry, to share knowledge and opportunities, discuss effects of regulation and address issues affecting Tribal telcos and consumers on Tribal lands.

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