



## 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Tribal Preservation Conference

January 25-28, 2022

### Excellence in Tribal Historic Preservation Award

***Native Voices – power in unity, healing in restoration.***

***When we speak with united voices, we are powerful.***

***When lands, languages, practices, and ancestors are restored, we heal.***

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION  
OF TRIBAL HISTORIC  
PRESERVATION OFFICERS

Please return at your earliest convenience and no later than December 17, 2021.

NATHPO's inaugural Excellence in Tribal Historic Preservation Award will be given at this year's National Tribal Preservation Conference. This new annual award will recognize Tribal Historic Preservation Officers who have made exemplary contributions to protecting culturally important places that perpetuate Native identity, resilience, and cultural endurance. Connections to cultural heritage sustain the health and vitality of Native peoples.

Eligibility: The awardee will be a member of NATHPO who has made a significant impact through her/his work protecting Native places. Nominees are THPOs who demonstrate exemplary achievement and quality of work in historic and cultural preservation, advocacy, building partnerships, and elevating the community of THPOs.

Nominations may be made by NATHPO members. Awardee will be selected by the NATHPO Board of Directors.

Presentation: Award recipient will be announced during the 22<sup>nd</sup> National Tribal Preservation Conference.

Deadline: Nominations must be received by **December 17, 2021**.

Submit Nominations to: Valerie Grussing, NATHPO Executive Director  
[valerie@nathpo.org](mailto:valerie@nathpo.org), (202) 628-8476

#### **Nominator**

Tribe/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name & Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Nominee**

Tribe/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name & Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

***PROTECTING NATIVE PLACES***

**Justification:** Please explain how Nominee demonstrates exemplary achievement and quality of work in Tribal historic preservation. Provide specific examples.