



*Intertribal Transportation Association
(ITA)*

2022 NTICC



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Purpose of ITA

▶ ITA 2021 Executive Board:

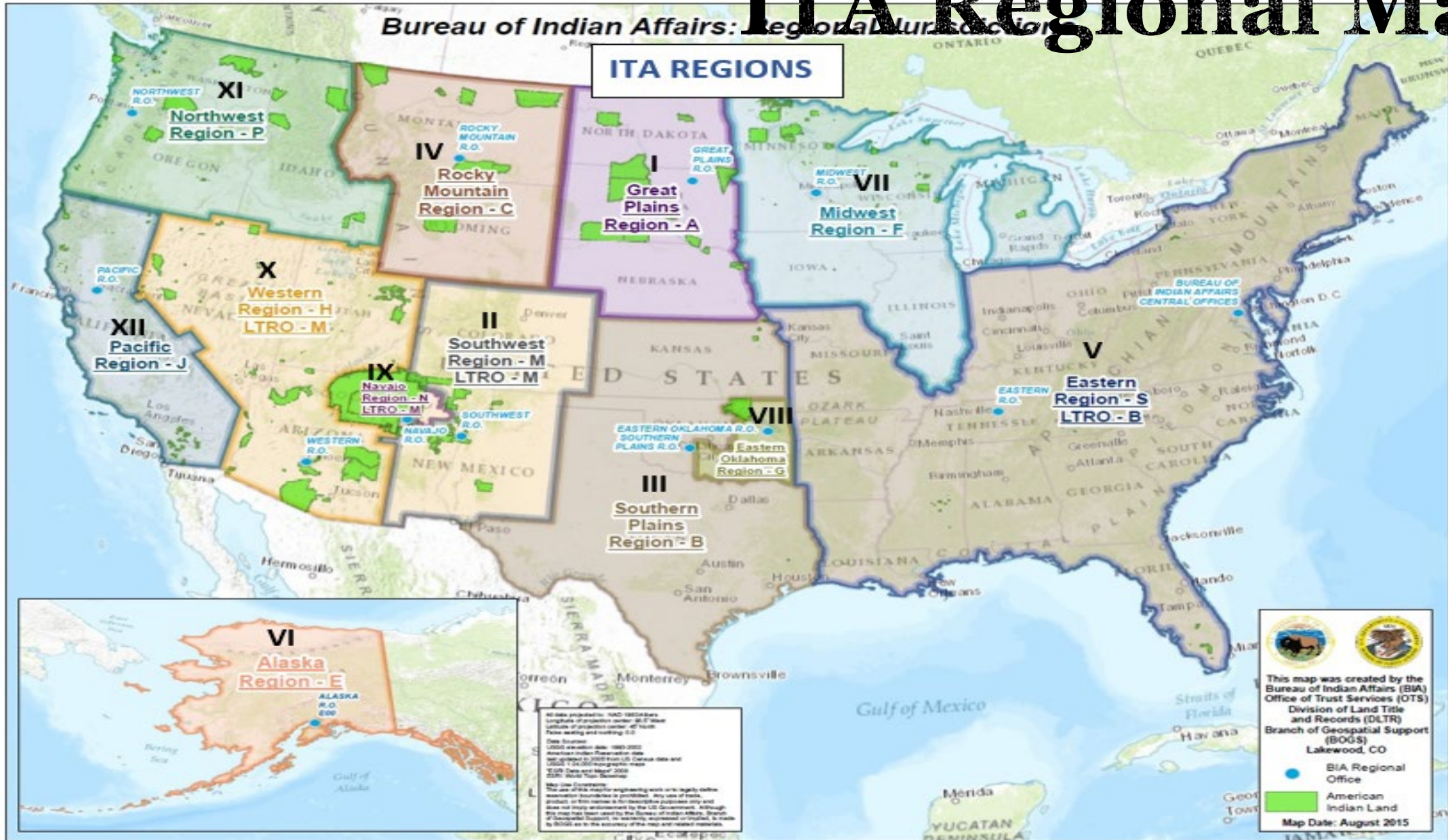
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ITA VISION:

ITA recognizes the strength of many tribal voices moving in the same direction; how this strength can gain support and entice possible change for the future. Yes, it is true that there are areas that tribes may not agree on, however, ITA recognizes that likelihood and ensures to tribes ITA will concede and not move forward advancing controversial position. ITA supports the need to work together and stand together.

ITA Regional Map



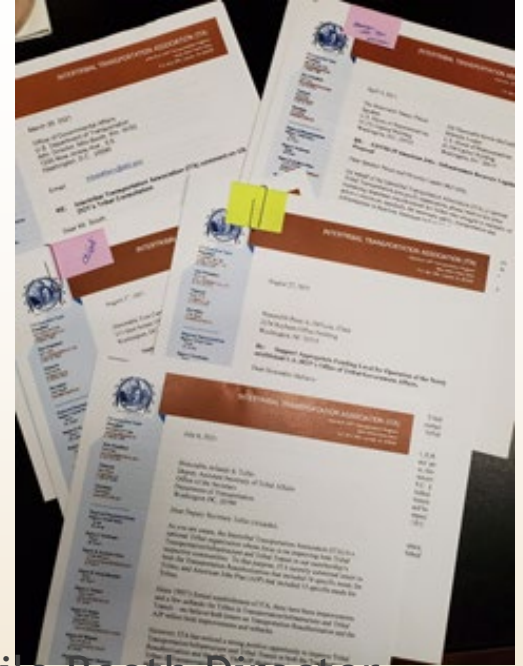
Progress....

- A. Accountability/Transparency/Fiscal Control
- B. Strategic Plan
 - a. Work Plan
 - i. Task List per Mid-Year meeting
- C. Membership
- D. Communication/Responsive to Tribal Transportation



■ Legislative Updates & Actions

- Governance Committee was established 20 months ago. ITA Vice President, Mr. Hope is Committee Chair.
- There have been multiple meetings, especially in the past 18 months due to Reauthorization.
 - 07/14/22-ITA Comments on FY2023 Funding-to Committee on Appropriations
 - 03/29/21-ITA Comments on US DOT's Tribal Consultation
 - 04/9/21-ITA COVID-19 American Jobs - Infra Recovery Legislative Proposal
 - 08/27/21-ITA Support Appropriate Funding Level for Operations of Newly Established USDOT Office of Tribal Government Affairs
- ITA was 1 of 3 Panel for NCAI and USDOT Secretary Buttigieg Feb 25, 2021
- ITA assisted Arlando Teller, Deputy Associated Secretary Tribal Affairs & Milo Booth Director of Tribal Affairs Office of the Secretary in a Virtual Listening Session on the “E013175 Consultation & Coordination with Indian Tribal Governments” on March 10, 2021
- Governance Committee & Monthly meetings: Continued open invitations to Arlando, Milo, Matt Jaffe, Kenneth Martin (Senate EPW Committee) and Brittany Lundberg (House T&I Committee)
- All the minutes and letters that have been sent from ITA is on ITA Website.
www.tribaltransportation.org



▪ Communication & Outreach/Responsiveness

- ITA Monthly Meetings-Every 4th Thursday of each month
 - Governance Committee usually meetings before ITA Monthly meeting
- NCAI/ITA Task Force: ITA is Co-Chair.

NCAI Transportation & Infrastructure Sub-Committee: ITA is Co-Chair.

- Various Tribes have reached out to ITA to assist in answering questions their tribe may have. (such as the formula concern)
- ITA tries to accept invitations to provide ITA information and updates to other Regional, non-profit, tribes, and/or federal partners
- Mid Year Virtual Meeting - June 28-30, 2022
 - Registration reached our expectation | Appreciated the Sponsors and their valuable input and time
 - Always grateful for our Federal Partners on updates and valuable training.
 - Wonderful to have USDOT Secretary Buttigieg
- 2022 Annual Meeting - Dec 6-8, 2022 in Las Vegas. “Save the Date” cards are at various vendor tables . Contract with Flamingo is currently being done. ITA is anxious to see you there!



Save The Date!
INTERTRIBAL TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION
IITA



2022 ANNUAL MEETING

DATE: December 6-8, 2022
LOCATION: (tentative) Flamingo Resort, Las Vegas, NV
IITA Website: www.tribaltransportation.weebly.com

Please 'login' to website for Membership Form, Upcoming Registration Form/Sponsorship/Draft Agenda.
Reach out to the IITA Executive Team if you have any questions:

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STAFF Invite, Federal Program Updates, ITAPS, Legislative Updates, NTTF/IGS, Safety, Elections for Vice President and Secretary
It is to provide Tribes with the information on issues at home.

Moving Forward....

A. Action Plan was approved this month. Very Aggressive. This action Plan covers the 5 areas that are identified in the Strategic Plan.

"Final Draft" ITA 2022 Action Plan

The ITA 2022 Action Plan was derived by open discussion of membership at the 2021 Annual Meeting on December 9, 2021. The Strategic Priorities that are within the adopted "ITA Strategic Plan 2021-2025" was utilized to categorize the multiple items of discussion. This Work Plan will guide ITA through the 2022 year.

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

Completed
(Yes/No/Portion)

A Unified Voice:

1	Continue to grow a National Forum which will allow for ITA Tribal Membership to have a platform to discuss all areas of concern in regards to the Tribal Transportation and Tribal Transit Programs.	
2	By October 2022, have 10 ITA Regions Represented. (As of December 7, 2021 Six Regions are filled/Six Regions are vacant)	
3	Maintain schedule/holding the Annual and Mid-Year ITA conferences for official business exchange of information and Tribal Transportation program updates.	
4	Maintain monthly meetings with the Executive Committee and keep an open line of communication with the general membership which ensures that all pertinent information is disseminated to all of the Tribal membership.	
5	Release Committee Reports, Executive Committee/President's Reports through email and/or ITA website.	

Organizational Excellence:

1	Maintain checks & balances that ensures transparency, open feedback, trust, and confidence that ITA leadership is carrying out the intent and implementing the strategic goals of the organization in regard to the Vision and Mission.	
2	Maintain and cultivate high levels of Tribal Support and participation from our Tribal Membership.	
3	Establish a communication strategy that conveys to member Tribal Nations, Tribal citizens, funders, and other key stakeholders the work and accomplishment of the organization.	
4	Develop a stable organization with solid funding sources which are needed to build a strong organization.	

B. Monthly Calls/3 Committee Governance & Operations

1. Gerry will be scheduling Governance meeting to discuss pertinent items that need addressing.



In Closing.....

- Please consider your membership with ITA. Your input is valuable on the direction of Tribal Transportation. FY 2023 Membership Form is NOW on Website!
- ITA Annual Meeting is December 6-8, 2022, Las Vegas, NV. Sponsorship/Registration/Tentative Agenda will be on website by Sept 30, 2022.



ITA welcomes YOUR input!!!!

▪ **Thank You!**

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