NATIONAL TRIBAL AIR ASSOCIATION'S RESPONSE TO THE U.S. SENATE REQUEST FOR CLIMATE CHANGE POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS

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THE SENATE REQUEST

July 10, 2019 Letter from members of the U.S. Senate Indian Affairs Committee and **Special Committee on the Climate** Crisis

We thank you for considering our request. If you have any questions, you can contact Christine Blackburn at Christine Blackburn@schatz.senate.gov or Joshua Mahan at Joshua Mahan@indian.senate.gov.

Sincerely,

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NTAA'S RESPONSE

Policy Response Kit includes:

- Fact Sheet
- Tribal Template Letter
- Executive Summary
- White Paper

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Response to 4 questions from the Senate:

- Useful Tribal Community Policies / Strategies
- Tribal Community Policies / Strategies to Scale for Federal Implementation
- Improved Use of Existing Authorities
- New Federal Policies