



Greetings!

It is with great anticipation and excitement that we extend an invitation for you to play a significant role in the historic 80th Convention and Marketplace hosted by the Louisiana Tribal Local Planning Committee and National Congress of American Indians (NCAI) from November 12-17, 2023, at the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center in New Orleans, Louisiana.

The NCAI anticipates the attendance of 2,000 tribal members, including Tribal Leaders, Native youth, and partners. This year is particularly special as it not only marks our 80th anniversary as the foremost political organization for tribal nations in the United States, but it is also an NCAI election year, adding even more weight to the occasion.

Beyond a simple gathering, this convention is a celebration of our vibrant culture, traditions, and heritage. It is an opportunity for collective strategizing about the pressing issues facing our Tribal Nations. The event will begin with a lively Second Line parade and a warm welcoming reception with live entertainment, honoring New Orleans, the birthplace of Jazz.

Hosting this remarkable event for the first time in Louisiana, we reach out for your invaluable support to ensure its outstanding success. Your generous sponsorship will assist with essential logistics, such as food and beverages, transportation, and accommodation arrangements, ensuring a warm and comfortable experience for all esteemed participants. In appreciation of your support, we will acknowledge your name or organization logo during the event in the form of **printed banners posted throughout the convention, digital signage during the General Assembly and event week, name or logo on official event mobile app, including digital magazine.** All sponsorship contributions are **TAX-DEDUCTIBLE**, and donations should be sent to: **Inter-Tribal Council of Louisiana, Inc., 991 Grand Caillou Road, Building 3, Suite 100, Houma, LA 70363-5705**, or online by credit card via web address:

https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted_button_id=MUD6SFP54NDUC

Your generous support will play a crucial role in the success of this historic event and the continued upholding of the heritage, rights, and wellbeing of our Tribal Nations. Should you need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact an officer of the Local Planning Committee. Thank you for considering our invitation, and we eagerly await your positive response.

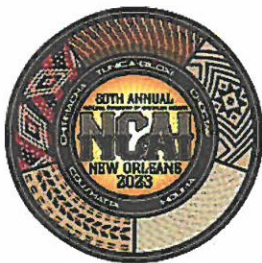
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