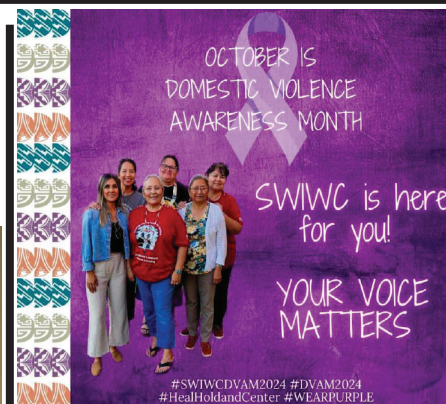




SWIWC honors 5 Amazing Advocates with the Eleanor E. Roehrig Victim Advocate Award



Pictured above, l-r: Michelle Alvarado, Victim Advocate | Fort Mojave Domestic Violence Program, Caroline E. Antone, I: MIG, LLC - Founder, Theron Honyumptewa, Victim Advocate | Hopi Domestic Violence Program, Shanna R. Stewart, Domestic Violence Victim Advocate | Victim Services Speciality Program, Salt River Pima Maricopa Indian Community Behavioral Health Service, Laurelle Sheppard, Program Director | Victim Witness Services for Northern Arizona. Photo by: SWIWC taken at SWIWC 8th Gathering for Healthy Relations Statewide Conference held in Phoenix, Ariz.



**Food as Medicine:
Health
and Wellness
Workshop...**

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COMMUNITY

**Hopi Tutuveni wishes all a
very safe and violence free
October!**



Free Hopi Tutuveni

**Hopi Chairman Nuvangyaoma
and
Vice Chairman Andrews sign Proclamation:
Hopi Domestic Violence Awareness Month
Executed - October 1, 2024**

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SWIWC honors 5 Amazing Advocates with the Eleanor E. Roehrig Victim Advocate, continued

By: Southwest Indigenous Women's Coalition

Phoenix, Ariz. October 10, 2024 Eleanor E. Roehrig, a member of the San Carlos Apache Tribe was a loving mother, grandmother, sister, niece, and auntie. She was a founding member of the Southwest Indigenous Women's Coalition (SWIWC) and the first President of the Council of Women - the governing board for SWWC. Eleanor exemplified unyielding tenacious advocacy at the tribal grassroots level. On a state and national level Eleanor was known for her work as a thriving survivor, a dedicated advocate, and for her unrelenting aspiration to bring awareness of the domestic and sexual violence issues impacting tribal communities.

Eleanor often spoke of the tragic death of one of her sisters that was the result of domestic violence and of her own survival of domestic and sexual violence. It was these experiences and her desire to protect her beloved children and grandchildren that fueled her passion in the movement to end violence against Native women. Eleanor was a gentle, but fierce woman warrior who left this world on January 08, 2010.

Although she is gone, her spirit, compassion, and ambition live on in the hearts of all who knew her.

In honor of Eleanor, SWIWC presented the Eleanor E. Roehrig Advocate Award to five outstanding individuals who demonstrate unwavering commitment, compassion, and tenacity in their work responding to survivors of domestic and sexual violence; and who are diligent in supporting victim-centered advocacy, offender accountability, safety, and healing.

Please help us in congratulating this year's awardees:

- **Michelle Alvarado, Victim Advocate | Fort Mojave Domestic Violence Program** (far left in top photo)
- **Caroline F. Antone, I: MIG, LLC - Founder** (second from the left in top photo)
- **Theron Honyumptewa, Victim Advocate | Hopi Domestic Violence Program** (center in top photo)
- **Shanna R. Stewart, Domestic Violence Victim Advocate | Victim Services Speciality Program, Salt River Pima Maricopa Indian Community Behavioral Health Services** (second from the right, top photo)
- **Laurelle Sheppard, Program Director | Victim Witness Services for Northern Arizona** (Far right in top photo)

Pictures to the right are courtesy of SWIWC, taken during the 8th Gathering for Healthy Relations Statewide Conference held in Phoenix, Ariz.



FOOD AS MEDICINE:



Health and Wellness WORKSHOP SERIES

in Partnership with Hopi Wellness Center and Navajo Nation Special Diabetes Program

Attendees will learn:

- Powerful foods for diabetes, heart health, and obesity.
- How traditional foods can play a role in healing.
- Easy-to-make, family-friendly recipes.
- Health and wellness strategies for community and public health.

Enjoy a delicious plant-based luncheon.

Oct. 22, 2024 Health and Wellness Workshop:

Hopi Veteran's Memorial Center, State Hwy 264 Mile Marker 375, Kykotsmovi Village, AZ 86039

- Workshop, 8:30 a.m.
- 5k run/3k walk at 5 p.m.

Oct. 23, 2024 Health and Wellness Workshop:

Tuba City Regional Health Care Corporation Parking Lot, 167 Main St, Tuba City, AZ 86045

- Workshop, 8 a.m.
- 5k run/3k walk at 5 p.m.

Workshops and fun runs are free and open to the public and the health care community.

Please contact nutrition@pcrm.org with questions or child care requests.

Featured presenters:

Hopi and Navajo Nation Local Experts



Former President and First Lady of the Navajo Nation Jonathan and Phefelia Nez

Invited guest:



Dr. Neal Barnard, MD, FACC



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HOPI TRIBAL COUNCIL
4th Quarter Session
MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2024
AGENDA – AMENDMENT #1 RE-PUBLICATION

I. CALL TO ORDER**II. CERTIFICATIONS OF COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS**

1. Oath of Office – Maude Yoyhoeoma, Tribal Council Representative, Village of Sipaulovi

III. ROLL CALL**IV. INVOCATION / PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****V. ANNOUNCEMENTS / RECOGNITION OF DIGNITARIES OR GUESTS****VI. CORRESPONDENCE****VII. CALENDAR PLANNING**

1. Land Commission
2. Water/Energy Committee
3. Transportation Committee
4. Law & Order Committee
5. Investment Committee
6. Health/Education Committee
7. Hopi Gaming Committee

VIII. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**IX. APPROVAL OF AGENDA****X. UNFINISHED BUSINESS****XI. NEW BUSINESS**

1. Letter dated September 17, 2024 from Upper Village of Moenkopi Tribal Council Representatives regarding suspension of Vice Chairman Craig Andrews & Vice Chairman's staff. – Defeated

2. Discussion & Possible Action – Washington D.C. trip in September 2024 concerning FERC, Josh Clause, Washington D.C. Lobbyist. Troy Honahnie, LCR Initiative Rep., Daryn Melvin, LCR Initiative Rep., American Rivers, Water & Energy Committee. Author, Dale Siquah, FMCV Council Representative. ***Time Certain on September 26, 2024 at 11:00 am**

3. Letter dated July 21, 2024 – Timothy NV. Nelson regarding resignation of Hopi Conflict Prosecutor. **Tabled – Pending Report from Law & Order Committee**

4. Action Item #058-2024 – To approve professional services between the Hopi Tribe and Melissa's Family Day care – Author/Rayma Duyongwa, Program Manager, Hopi Child Care Program

5. Action Item #059-2024 – To modify Ordinance #36 Education Code. Author Fred Lomayesva, General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel

6. Action Item #061-2024 – To approve an independent contract agreement between the Hopi Tribe and Thompson Heating & Cooling for purchase and installation of HVAC system for the

Hopi Child Care Program – Author/Rayma Duyongwa, Program Manager, Hopi Child Care Program

7. Action Item #062-2024 – To rescind partially H-057-2022 Orayvi Well 3-phase power to replace HUC and pass through the money directly to the Village of Orayvi. Author Sarah Abney, Water Resources Manager

8. Action Item #063-2024 – to approve Resolution in support for the protection of cultural resources and sacred sites on public lands for the Great Sage Plain and “The Lands Between” – Author/Alfred Lomaquahu, Registrar, Hopi Elections Office

9. Action Item #064-2024 – to approve a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between American River and the Hopi Tribe – Author/LeRoy N. Shingoitewa, Chairman, Water & Energy Committee

10. Action Item #065-2024 – to approve work order changes to DBS&A Side Rock Work Order – Author/LeRoy N. Shingoitewa, Chairman, Water & Energy Committee

11. Action Item #066-2024 – To join the Avi Kwa Ame National Monument Advisory Committee – Stewart B. Koyiyumptewa, Historical Preservation Officer, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer, Office of the Chairman

12. Action Item #067-2024 – to approve a Lease of Real Property with Verizon Wireless – Author/LeRoy N. Shingoitewa, Tribal Council Representative, Hopi Tribe

13. Discussion & Possible Action – Email dated August 29, 2024 Re: ANDREWS NA AND LETTER 8.29.2024. From Fred Lomayesva, General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel.

14. Discussion & Possible Action – Letter dated August 23, 2024 Re: Memorandum from Virgilyn Talas dated August 16, 2024. From Fred Lomayesva, General Council, Office of the General Counsel.

XII. REPORTS

1. Office of the Chairman
2. Office of the Vice Chairman
3. Office of Tribal Secretary
4. Office of the Treasurer
5. Office of the General Counsel
6. Land Commission
7. Water/Energy Committee
8. Transportation Committee
9. Law & Order Committee
10. Investment Committee
11. Health/Education Committee

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Agenda - Amendment #1
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12. Report: Hopi Telecommunications, Inc.– 2023 Annual Report – Carroll Onsa, General Manager, HTI ****Time Certain on September 24, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.**

13. Report: Moencopi Day School, Basic Financial Statement and Single Audit Reports, Year ended June 30, 2023 – Steven Troglia, CSA, Moencopi Day School

14. Presentation: Research on Native Deaf Communities & Request to Distribute Survey to Hopi Community – Dr. Melanie McKay-Cody, Assistant Professor, UofA ****Time Certain TBD**

15. Presentation: 2024 Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) – Brian Cole, Building Communities & Andrew Gashwazra, Director, OCPED / LIS ****Time Certain TBD**

16. Letter of Interest for Hopi Election Regular/Alternate member position from Meredith Qotswisiwma

17. Letter dated August 7, 2024 RE: Hopi Tribe Pandemic Recovery Committee from Samuel R. Shingoitewa Jr.

18. Pandemic Recovery Committee **** Time Certain September 26, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.**

XIII. ADJOURNMENT

*Hopi Tribal Council may go into Executive Session on any agenda item

****Time Certain Requests**



Timothy Nuvangyaoma
Chairman

Craig Andrews
Vice Chairman

PROCLAMATION

“HOPI DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH”

WHEREAS, the Hopi Domestic Violence Program and the general Hopi Public have taken a proactive stand against domestic abuse; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Hopi Domestic Violence program is to break the cycle of domestic violence to restore peace and harmony throughout the Hopi Reservation through public education and awareness and strong collaboration between criminal justice and support agencies; and

WHEREAS, the Hopi Domestic Violence Program and its partners are working to expand collaborative partnerships with state, federal, and other tribal agencies to ensure that victims are safe to hold offenders accountable for their acts of domestic abuse; and

WHEREAS, the Hopi Domestic Violence Program pledges to provide consistent information to the general Hopi public related to issues of domestic violence.

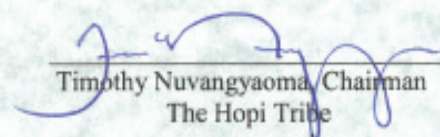
WHEREAS, this is the time to remember those who died at the hands of their intimate partner or family member as a result of domestic abuse; and

WHEREAS, the trauma associated with domestic abuse often has lifetime effects on survivors and their children that will likely, without intervention, result in negative consequences on future generations; and

WHEREAS, the strength, courage, and will of victims of domestic abuse to survive and to advance in a positive way beyond a life of abuse deserves the support and assistance of the entire Hopi community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Timothy Nuvangyaoma, Chairman of the Hopi Tribe, and I Craig Andrews, Vice-Chairman of the Hopi Tribe, do hereby proclaim October, 2024 as **“Hopi Domestic Violence Awareness Month”** and join the Nation and the Arizona Governor’s Office for Domestic Prevention, in urging all people throughout the Hopi Reservation to pledge **“Zero Tolerance”** against domestic Violence.

EXECUTED THIS 1st DAY OF OCTOBER, 2024
Kykotsmovi, Arizona


Timothy Nuvangyaoma, Chairman
The Hopi Tribe




Craig Andrews, Vice Chairman
The Hopi Tribe

Hopi Tribe Department of Health and Human Services Covid-19 Emergency Response - **Re-publication**

Submitted By Joyce Hamilton, Director

Kykostmovi, Ariz. – June 26, 2024 Immunizations are your best defense against severe illness if you are diagnosed with the Flu, RSV and COVID-19. The season of germs and viruses will continue to be amongst us; the best protection to avoid severe illness and sickness is to get updated on your family's immunizations. You may have been hearing family discussing COVID-19 diagnosis being a result of large gatherings within the month of June. Gatherings with family during the summer season is common due to the ceremonial and cultural activities, graduation celebrations, birthday celebrations and planting parties.

The Hopi Health Care Center encourages and recommends the following:

1. Everyone 6 months and older, regardless of current vaccination status, should get an updated COVID-19 vaccine to protect against COVID-19 illness.
2. People with symptoms should still mask and get tested for COVID-19.

3. Those with confirmed or suspected COVID-19 illness should continue to follow current guidelines for isolation including staying home and wearing a mask around others for at least 5 days after their symptoms started or after a positive test if no symptoms.

4. Those exposed to COVID-19 should continue to follow recommendations including wearing a mask around others.

5. People may choose to wear a mask at any time based on personal preference, but may be required in other places by local authorities (i.e., individual villages, businesses, and schools).

Many individuals and family members have deterred from the practice of wiping down frequently touched surfaces and staying home when ill. Get back in the habit of wiping down frequently touched surfaces to eliminate germs to protect family from illness. Most important message is for one to stay home if you have flu like symptoms to avoid getting others ill.

For questions regarding services you may contact the Department of Health and Human Services at Jhamilton@hopi.nsn.us



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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT LIVESTOCK INSPECTIONS

October 10, 2024

On Tuesday, October 22, 2024 Livestock Inspections will be conducted from 12:00 PM till 2:00 PM. This temporary change is only effective for the specified date. Regular inspection hours will resume on Wednesday from 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM. Should other arrangements be needed, please call Hopi Law Enforcement Services.

Normal inspection hours are held at the Keams Canyon Veterinary Clinic every Tuesday from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM and Wednesday 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Hopi Law Enforcement Services at (928) 734-7340 or (928) 497-1493. Thank you for your understanding.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH 2024

HEAL

HOLD

CENTER

Now more than ever we must work collectively to **HEAL** from the trauma that binds us.

As service providers, it is essential to **HOLD** space for survivors - ensuring their safety and doing your best to meet their needs.

Systemic responses must **CENTER** on safety, healing, and justice - without this the needs of survivors go unmet.

RESOURCES

Stronghearts Native Helpline: 1-844-7NATIVE (762-8483)

National Indigenous Women's Resource Center: 1-855-649-7299

Alaskan Native Women's Resource Center: 1-907-328-3990

National Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-799-7233

National Sexual Assault Hotline: 1-800-656-4673

SAFE DVS: 480-890-3039 OR *211

ACESDV: 602-279-2900

Native Health: 602-279-5262

Connect to Tribal Advocates visit: WWW.SWIWC.ORG

This project is supported by the Arizona Department of Housing SFRF Fund and Grant 1510W-23-CG-03972-MUMU awarded by the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW), United States Department of Justice (USDJ). The opinions, findings, conclusions, and recommendations expressed in this publication/program/exhibition are those of the author(s) and do not necessarily reflect the views of the OVW/USDJ.

Veterans Stand Down and VA Mobile Health Care Services Events October 24 and 25, 2024

For Immediate Release

By: **Geno Talas, Director, Hopi Veterans Services**

Kykotsmovi Ariz. October 9, 2024 Mark your calendars to attend two major events this month focused on Veterans. The first event will be the Veterans Stand Down event on Thursday, October 24, 2024, at the Hopi Veterans Memorial Center, from 10:00 am to 3:00 p.m. This event will provide Veterans, their Spouses or Caregivers of disabled or home-bound Veterans resources and information from various agencies. These will include Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) personnel to conduct direct assistance for VA health enrollment, compensation/pension claims, Native American Direct Loan program, Supportive Housing for homeless Veterans and other VA programs. Additionally, local, state and non-profit organizations, such as Social Security, Economic Security, Disability Law Center, and various Hopi programs will be on-site to assist Veterans.

The next day the VA will host the Mobile Health Care Services event on Friday, October 25, 2024, at the Sipaulovi Elderly Center, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. A QTC mobile unit will be on-site for medical staff will provide primary healthcare service for Veterans. This is open to spouses of Veterans or family caregivers of disabled or homebound Veterans and are encouraged to attend to learn more about VA health benefits and services. In conjunction with the event, a contingent of VA staff and other agencies will provide other services inside the Elderly Center for Veterans and their families. So look out for a large RV-style vehicle parked outside the Sipaulovi Elderly Center to obtain the healthcare for Veterans.

For both events, we highly recommend Veterans please bring the following documents to help expedite VA assistance:

- Discharge or separation papers (DD-214 or equivalent);
- Medical records / medical evidence (doctor or hospital reports);
- Any documents that provide historical or military information needed for the disability claim;
- Dependents' records (marriage certificate, death certificate, child birth certificate);

For details on the events, please contact Hopi Veterans Services program at (928) 743-3461/3462 or via e-mail to ETalas@hopi.nsn.us for more information.

Remember the dates to attend one or both events for the Veterans Stand Down on October 24, 2024, at the Hopi Veterans Memorial Center and the VA Mobile Health Services on October 25, 2024, at the Sipaulovi Elderly Center. Share with other Veterans who reside in your villages and communities to attend so they too can obtain valuable resources and direct assistance from the VA, State agencies, non-profits organizations and local Hopi programs at the events. "Veterans, you have served, now let us serve you!"

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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

UPDATED - Hopi Tribe Pandemic Recovery Committee Announcement

Submitted by Georgia Lomawaima, HTPRC Project Coordinator

Kykotsmovi, AZ 86039 – October 9, 2024 The Hopi Tribe Pandemic Recovery Committee has now established a set of deadlines to submit project applications for the State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funding (SLFRF), as follows:

- Certain projects will require the Request for Proposal (RFP) process due to the dollar amounts. Requests for Proposal (RFP) must be issued by October 18, 2024.
- All applications need to be carefully reviewed by the sub-committee before being presented to the full Committee. Applications with best estimates of costs must be submitted by the deadline date of November 1, 2024.
- Applications submitted by November 1, 2024, must be finalized with the results of the RFP process by the deadline date of December 6, 2024. Note that Committee will not accept new project applications between November 1, 2024 and December 6, 2024.

Please note: This is an application for Hopi Tribal Programs, Hopi Villages and Hopi Tribal Business entities on projects. Please call Georgia at 928-734-3391 or email Glomawaima@hopi.nsn.us or Racheal at 928-734-3392 or email RPovatah@hopi.nsn.us for questions.

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Defendant pleads no contest in shooting of Native activist at protest of Spanish conquistador statue



5 of 5 | FILE - Ryan Martinez, seated, cries during his preliminary and detention hearing in Tierra Amarilla, N.M., Friday, Oct. 13, 2023, as his attorney Nicole Moss, describes the events that led to him allegedly shooting Jacob Johns during a rally outside the Rio Arriba County Complex in Espanola. (Eddie Moore/The Albuquerque Journal via AP, File)

BY: MORGAN LEE – AP NEWS, U.S. NEWS

SANTA FE, N.M. (AP) — Updated 6:31 PM GMT-7, October 7, 2024 A New Mexico man pleaded no contest Monday to reduced charges of aggravated battery and aggravated assault with a deadly weapon in the shooting of a Native American activist during demonstrations about abandoned plans to reinstall a statue of a Spanish conquistador.

Ryan David Martinez skuttled his scheduled trial this week at the outset of jury selection on previous charges including attempted murder. Under terms of the plea arrangement, he accepted a combined 9 1/2-year sentence but ultimately would serve four years in prison with two years' parole if he complies with terms including restitution.

Prosecutors agreed to dismiss a possible hate-crime sentence enhancement. Restitution will be determined later by state probation and parole authorities.

Martinez was arrested in September 2023 after chaos erupted and a single shot was fired at an outdoor gathering in Espanola over aborted plans to install a bronze likeness of conquistador Juan de Oñate, who is both revered and reviled for his role in establishing early settlements along the Upper Rio Grande starting in 1598.

Multiple videos show that Martinez attempted to rush toward a makeshift shrine in opposition to installing the statue — only for Martinez to be blocked physically by a group of men. Voices can be heard saying, “Let him go,” as Martinez retreated over a short wall, pulls a handgun from his waist and fires one shot. The shooting severely wounded Jacob Johns, of Spokane, Washington, an artist and well-traveled activist for environmental causes and an advocate for Native American rights who is of Hopi and Akimel O’odham tribal ancestry.

The assault charge stems from Martinez also pointing the gun at a female activist from the Española area before fleeing.

In a statement, Johns said he was disappointed with the plea agreement and said he still regards the shooting as a crime motivated by racial hatred and “a continuation of colonial violence.”

“The lifelong scars and injuries, loss of an internal organ, mental anguish and trauma will be with me forever — and in a couple of years Martinez will live free,” Johns said.

Attorneys for Martinez did not immediately respond to phone and email messages. They have argued that Martinez acted in self-defense.

Santa Fe-based District Attorney Mary Carmack-Altwies led the prosecution of Martinez and commended Johns and other witnesses to the attack for their resolve.

“The Defendant came into our community, armed with a firearm, to create and stir political discord,” she said in a statement.

The shooting took place the day after Rio Arriba County officials canceled plans to install the statue in the courtyard of a county government complex. The bronze statue was taken off public display in June 2020 from a highway-side heritage center amid simmering tensions over monuments to colonial-era history.

Oñate is celebrated as a cultural father figure in communities along the Upper Rio Grande that trace their ancestry to Spanish settlers. But he is also reviled for his brutality.

To Native Americans, Oñate is known for having ordered the right foot cut off of 24 captive tribal warriors after his soldiers stormed the Acoma Pueblo’s mesa-top “sky city.” That attack was precipitated by the killing of Oñate’s nephew.



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CIRCULATION

The Hopi Tutuveni is published twice a month, with a circulation of 2,500 copies throughout the entire Hopi Reservation. The paper is delivered on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month to the following locations: Moenkopi Travel Center, Moenkopi Legacy Inn, Hotevilla Store, Kykotsmovi Village Store, Tribal Government Complex, Hopi Cultural Center, Hopi Health Care Center, Polacca Circle M, Keams Canyon Store.

Hopi Education Endowment Fund Silent Auction to Support Hopi College Students

Proceeds from the event will help Hopi college students achieve their educational goals

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

By: Melissa Kaszuba, Urias Communications

Phoenix, Ariz. — August 14, 2024 The Hopi Education Endowment Fund (HEEF) will hold its annual silent auction to benefit Hopi college students pursuing their educational dreams. The event features a diverse selection of silverwork, basket weavings, pottery, wood carvings, and textiles from Hopi artists.

The online auction kicks off on September 30, allowing bidders to explore an incredible selection of art. An in-person Grand Finale event will occur at the renowned Heard Museum in Phoenix on October 12 from 5:30 – 8:30 p.m. This exciting event will bring the auction to life with a vibrant evening of culture and celebration. The auction can be visited at: <https://www.hopieducationfund.org/2024-silent-auction>

“Hopi art is highly sought after by collectors worldwide, making this an ideal moment to purchase and enhance your collection while contributing to a meaningful cause. By donating their work to the HEEF silent auction, Hopi artists have shown a collective dedication to supporting Hopi college students in reaching their educational goals,” said Justin Hongeva, Acting Executive Director and Resource Development Manager for HEEF.

During the in-person Grand Finale event, guests will be treated to a night filled with traditional and contemporary entertainment, inspiring stories from HEEF student scholars, an up-close look at the auction items, and exclusive access to the Heard Museum’s exhibits. Individual tickets are \$50 and can be purchased online. Sponsorship opportunities are available, contact Justin Hongeva at jhongeva@hopieducationfund.org or call 928-734-2275. The tickets are available online at: <https://event.gives/heefsilentauktion2024>

In 2000, the Tribal Council established the Hopi Education Endowment Fund as a visionary community investment, ensuring that educational opportunities remain available for the Hopi people for generations to come.

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About the Hopi Education Endowment Fund

In November 2000, the Hopi Tribal Council took a significant step to realize their vision by enacting Ordinance #54. As a form of community investment, the Council established the Hopi Education Endowment Fund (HEEF) by allocating an initial contribution of \$10 million from tribal funds into a perpetually endowed fund. The ordinance also designated the HEEF as a 7871(a) charitable, non-profit public benefit program focused on the educational needs and purposes of the Hopi Tribe. According to Ordinance #54, the primary objectives of the HEEF include providing ongoing financial assistance to Hopi students of all ages, supporting educational research, funding educational programs, and promoting charitable and educational activities.

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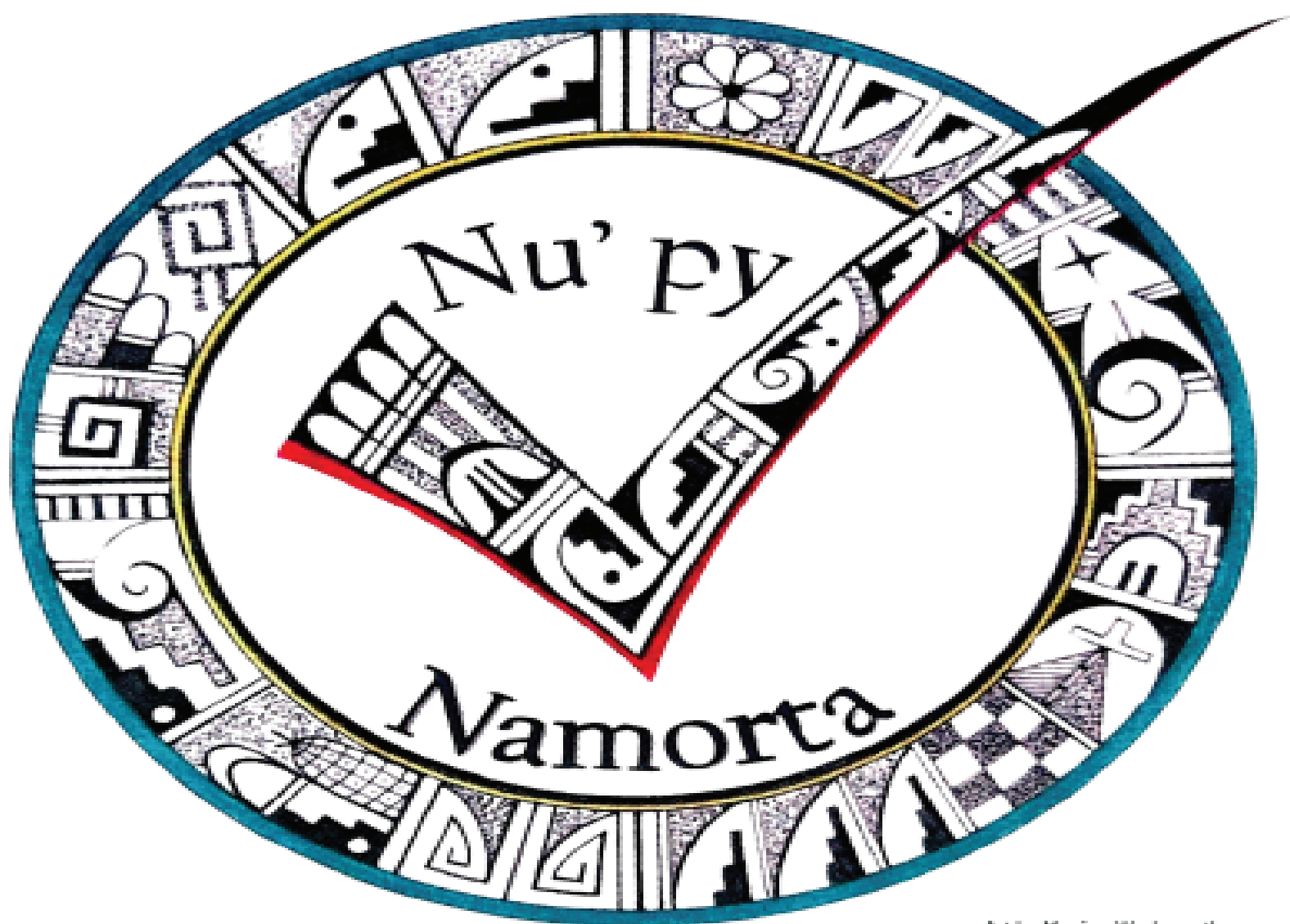
Asquali / Kwak'ha for being a Hopi voter!

Adeline, Karen, Retha & Theresa - Hopi Firekeepers

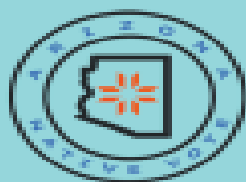


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GENERAL ELECTION:

Tues., Nov. 5, 2024, 6am-7pm

Find your polling location at my.arizona.vote

EARLY VOTE IN PERSON:

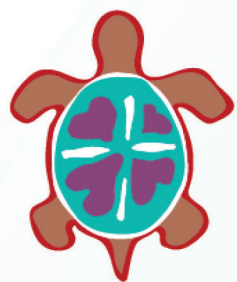
10/9 10am-3pm Hopi Elections Office, Kykotsmovi

10/22 10am-3pm Circle M Store, Polacca

10/9-11/1 M-F 8-5 Alta Edison Native American Outreach Center
(Moenkopi)



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