

Administration for Children and Families Tribal Advisory Committee (ACF TAC) Membership

11 Area Representatives and 2 At Large

Alaska Area: Representing Alaska (Terms end December 2019)

Primary Representative: Vivian Korthuis, Association of Village Council Presidents, Chief Executive Officer and Board Member, Alaska Federation of Natives

Alternate Representative: (TBD)

Albuquerque Area: Representing New Mexico, Colorado (Terms end December 2019)

Primary Representative: Elizabeth Duran, Pueblo of Pojoaque, Director of Social Services,

Alternate Representative: (VACANT)

Bemidji Area: Representing Michigan, Minnesota, and Wisconsin (Terms end December 2019)

Primary Representative: Gary F. Loonsfoot Jr., Tribal Council Member, Keweenaw Bay Indian Community

Alternate Representative: Michael McKerchie, Tribal Council Member, Sault Ste. Marie Tribe

Billings Area: Representing Montana and Wyoming (Terms end December 2018)

Primary Representative: Lee Spoonhunter, Co-Chair Northern Arapaho Business Council,

Alternate Representative: Carmen Thomas, IV-D Director of Eastern Shoshone Child Support Program, Eastern Shoshone Tribe

California Area: Representing California (Terms end December 2018)

Primary Representative: Maryann McGovran, Treasurer (previously Chairwoman), North Fork Rancheria

Alternate Representative: Judy E. Fink, Vice Chairwoman, North Fork Rancheria,

Great Plains Area: Representing Iowa, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota (Terms end December 2018)

Primary Representative: Mike Wolfe, Chairman, Omaha Tribe of Nebraska

Alternate Representative: Frances Big Crow, Director, Child Care Program, Oglala Sioux Tribe

Nashville Area: Representing Maine, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York,

Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia

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Primary Representative: Tim Waterman, Tribal Councilor, Seneca Nation

Alternate Representative: Amanda Montgomery, Community Services Coordinator, Poarch Band of Creek Indians

Navajo Nation: Representing Navajo Nation (Terms end December 2018)

Primary Representative: Russell Begaye, President, Navajo Nation

Designee: Terrelene Massey, Esq. Director Division of Social Services Navajo Nation

Alternate Representative: Jonathan Nez, Vice President, Navajo Nation

Oklahoma Area: representing Kansas, Oklahoma, and Texas (Terms end December 2018)

Primary Representative: (VACANT)

Alternate Representative: **Nikki Limore**, Executive Director, Cherokee Nation's Indian Child Welfare Department, Cherokee Nation

Phoenix Area: Representing Arizona, Nevada, and Utah (Terms end December 2019)

Primary Representative: (VACANT)

Alternate Representative: **Cora-Lei Marquez**, Domestic Violence Advocate Yavapai Apache Nation

Portland Area: Representing Idaho, Oregon, and Washington (Terms end December 2018)

Primary Representative: **Liz Mueller** (TAC Chair), Vice-Chairwoman, Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe

Alternate Representative: **Jeromy Sullivan**, Tribal Chair, Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe

At-Large Representatives: (Terms end December 2018)

Primary Representative: **Gail Hatcher**, Vice Chairwoman Klamath Tribes

Alternate Representative: **Whitney Jones**, Executive Director, South Puget Intertribal Planning Agency

At-Large Representatives: (Terms end December 2019)

Primary Representative: **Tino Batt**, Secretary/Treasurer, Shoshone Bannock Tribes

Alternate Representative: (VACANT)

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