

New Mexico Indian Affairs Department

Indian Affairs Committee MMIP Updates

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IAD MMIP

- IAD is using the State Response Plan as the guide for its work moving forward.
- The State Response Plan contains **Six Objectives**, each with between **5 to 7 Strategies**.
 - IAD continues reviewing the State Response Plan and determining methods to work towards implementation, education, and outreach.
- IAD's MMIP Work Through the Year.
 - Melody Delmar, IAD's MMIP Coordinator, has been active at several events around the state throughout the year. For example:
 - November 2023: Melody and Josett presented at the New Mexico State Bar Indian Law Section Annual CLE.
 - October, 2023: "MMIWR Family Advocacy Training" with 4Corners K9 Search and Rescue. Objective 2.
 - July 2023: Not Invisible Act Commission Hearing. Objectives 1, 2, 3 and 4.
 - June 2023: National Criminal Justice Association Podcast "Engaging Tribal Communities". Objectives 1, 2, 3, and 4.
 - April 2023: ICWA Court Training. Objective 2.



IAD MMIP Next Steps

- IAD will begin holding Quarterly Meetings to keep the Public up to date on IAD's recent work in MMIP. Objectives 2 and 3.
 - We are still working through meetings details.
 - The First Quarterly Meeting will be in January 2024.
 - Location still to be determined.
 - Update the Community on IAD's current work; seek input/comments from community re: MMIP matters.
- IAD is updating its website. Currently in the Development Stages. Objectives 2 and 3.
 - Hope to go live in January and hoping to have many items updated.
 - Intend to have a MMIP Dashboard, which may include items such as: Resources, Upcoming Information, Background on MMIP.
- Request for 4 FTE to Assist IAD in carrying out the work laid out in the State Response Plan.

