



## 2019 National Advisory Committee and Workgroup Report

### Facilities Appropriations Advisory Board (FAAB)

#### **PHOENIX AREA REPRESENTATIVES:**

Mr. Ricardo Leonard

Vice President

Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community

Terry Rambler

Chairman

San Carlos Apache Tribe

#### **CHARGE or PURPOSE OF THE FACILITIES APPROPRIATIONS ADVISORY BOARD (FAAB):**

The Facilities Appropriations Advisory Board (FAAB) is an Indian Health Service established Board. The Board is responsible for evaluating facilities policies, procedures and guidelines and recommending changes if necessary; participates in the development and evaluation of any proposed new policies, procedures or priorities. If any of the recommendations need changes in law, this group will consult with Tribes and recommend legislative changes. The FAAB meets at least twice per year in person or telephonically.

The FAAB consists of 14 members, including 12 tribal representatives and 2 IHS representatives who serve 3 years each with half the membership being replaced by new members every January. Heretofore, Tribal representatives were selected by the Director, IHS, from nominations submitted by IHS Area Offices in consultation with Tribes. The IHS representatives were selected by the Director, Office of Environmental Health and Engineering.

#### **SUMMARY OF ACTIVITY, ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND/OR ACTIONS:**

In 2019, the FAAB met on March 19 and 20 in Rockville, Maryland and discussed the following items.

#### **OEHE Update Accomplishments 2018**

- **IHS Budget Update**

Admiral Weahkee provided the budget update sharing that the IHS received appropriations for the rest of fiscal year 2019. The total discretionary budget authority for IHS is 5.8 billion dollars, which is a 266 million dollar increase. This budget includes increases for tribal clinic operational costs, tribes that have recently received federal recognition in Virginia, opioid response, urban Indian health, Indian Health Professions and contract support costs.

- **105(1) Leases**

Admiral Weahkee also let the FAAB know that similar to last year, IHS faces the challenge and must make a difficult decisions this year to address the fiscal needs associated with the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act for the 105(I) leases. IHS is initiating tribal consultation and urban confer on the short term and long term options for meeting the requirements of 105(I) and requested tribal feedback by April 26

- **Priority List Methodology**

Discussion was held on the various methodologies that could be used to determine priority of future projects.



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- **Status on HSP Update**

HSP is the principal tool used to plan for and fund new facilities in IHS. The recent development of the Web based HSP in 2018 resulted in the update of a number of existing modules. These include: dental services, business office, office services, purchased referred care, health education, security, public health nutrition, rehabilitation therapy, and others.

Portland Area proposed a project to demonstrate the viability/impact of Regional Specialty Care and provide data to develop planning criteria.

- **Facility Planning Criteria for New and Updated Services**

“Requested the Director of the IHS to provide to the FAAB members the 71 unique comments to allow their recommendations to be made to the IHS Director prior to issuing the DTLL.”

1. The 2021 Indian Health Service and Tribal Health Care Facilities’ Needs Assessment Report to Congress. The FNAW will:

- Re-engage the FNAW to collect, compile and assess the IHS and Tribal healthcare facilities’ needs for inclusion in the 2021 Report;
- Include data for the report on cost estimates and space requirements by IHS Area and State;
- Use the same overall methodology as in the previous reports while taking advantage of any data system improvements;
- The 2021 Report should provide a more detail analysis of the (expanded authorities) needs than the 2016 report; and
- The FNAW will provide a status update on the report at each FAAB meeting until the Report is completed and submitted; and
- Propose Schedule of deliverables

2. The Health Care Facilities Construction (HCFC) Priority List Methodology. The FNAW will:

Review the HCFC Priority List Methodology;

- Identify potential mechanical problems, data source problems or any other confounding factor that may interfere with the implementation;
- Investigate/propose or identify software/IT solutions that will aid the process;
- Propose data/list/report formats for the HCFC Priority system;
- Test the HCFC Priority system to ensure it is operational when needed; and
- Propose Schedule of deliverables.



**SUMMARY REPORT**  
**INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE, HEALTH CARE FACILITIES CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM**

April 2019

**COMPLETED CONSTRUCTION (FY 1992 -Present)**

<b>HOSPITALS</b>	<b>HEALTH CENTERS</b>	<b>QUARTERS</b>	<b>YOUTH REG. TREAT. CTRS.</b>
Pine Ridge, SD 1993	Sallisaw, OK 1992	Pawnee, OK 2004	Alaska - Fairbanks, AK 1993
Shiprock, NM 1995	Puyallup, WA 1993	Pinon, AZ 2005	Alaska - Mt. Edgecumbe, AK 1994
Crow Agency, MT 1995	Taos, NM 1993	St. Paul, AK 2005	Phoenix - Sacaton, AZ 1994
Kotzebue, AK 1995	Wagner, SD 1993	Metlakatla, AK 2006	Portland - Spokane, WA 1996
Anchorage, AK 1997	Belcourt, ND 1994	Red Mesa, AZ 2006	Aberdeen - Chief Gall, SD 1996
Talihina, OK 1999	Tohatchi, NM 1995	Clinton, OK 2007	Phoenix - Wadsworth, NV 2007
Ft. Defiance, AZ 2004	Stilwell, OK 1995	Sisseton, SD 2007	California - Hemet, CA 2016
Winnebago, NE 2004	Ft. Belknap, MT	PIMC Southwest, AZ 2008	
Nome, AK 2012	Hays, MT 1997	New Town, ND 2011	
Barrow, AK 2013	Harlem, MT 1998	Eagle Butte, SD 2011	
	White Earth, MN 1998	San Carlos, AZ 2015	
	Lame Deer, MT 1999	Kayenta, AZ 2015	
	Hopi, AZ 2000	PIMC Southeast, AZ 2017	
	Parker, AZ 2001	Ft. Yuma, AZ 2018	

**PRIORITY LISTS**

**Health Care Facilities Construction**

**Youth Regional Treatment Centers**

**Inpatient:**

PIMC Health System, AZ,  
PIMC Northeast ACC  
PIMC Central Hospital, ACC  
Whiteriver, AZ  
Gallup, NM

**Outpatient:**

Rapid City, SD  
Dilkon, AZ  
Alamo Navajo, NM  
Pueblo Pintado, NM  
Bodaway Gap, AZ  
Albuquerque Heath System, NM,  
Albuquerque West  
Albuquerque Central  
Sells, AZ

California - Northern

**IHS PARTNERSHIPS WITH TRIBES (1992- Present)**

**Completed Projects**

**Joint Venture**

Warm Springs, OR 1993	Tanana Chiefs Conference (Fairbanks, AK) 2012
Poteau, OK 1994	Chickasaw Nation (Ardmore, OK) 2012
Jicarilla (Dulce, NM) 2005	Southcentral Foundation (Wasilla, AK) 2012
Choctaw Nation (Idabel, OK) 2005	Cherokee Nation (Vinita, OK) 2012
Muscogee Creek (Coweta, OK) 2006	Chickasaw Nation (Tishomingo, OK) 2013
Tohono O'odham Nation (San Simon, AZ) 2007	Copper River Native Assoc. (Tazlina, AK) 2013
Cherokee Nation (Muskogee, OK) 2007	Kenaitze Indian Tribe (Kenai, AK) 2014
Absentee Shawnee (Little Axe, OK) 2012	Mississippi Choctaw Tribe (Choctaw, MS) 2015
Chickasaw Nation (Ada, OK) 2010	Choctaw Nation (Durant, OK) 2017
Lake County, CA (Lakeport, CA) 2010	Muskogee (Creek) Nation Eufaula, OK 2018
Santee Sioux (Santee, NE) 2011	Yukon Kuskokwim Health Corp (Bethel, AK) 2019
	Cherokee Nation (Tahlequah, OK) 2019

**Small Ambulatory Program**

Black River Falls, WI 2002	Yakama Nation (White Swan, WA) 2008
Jemez Pueblo (Jemez Pueblo, NM) 2003	Reno-Sparks Indian Colony (Reno, NV) 2008
Karuk Tribe (Yreka, CA) 2003	Kake, AK 2009
Chippewa Tribe (Nett Lake, MN) 2003	Hooper Bay, AK 2009
Southern Indian Health Council (Campo, CA) 2003	Lake Superior Chippewa Indians (Lac du Flambeau, WI) 2009
Diegueño Indians (Santa Ysabel, CA) 2003	Klamath Tribes (Chiloquin, OR) 2009
Confederated Tribes of Colville (Inchelium, WA) 2004	Siletz Indians (Siletz, OR) 2010
Paiute Colony (Las Vegas, NV) 2004	Cowlitz Tribe (Longview, WA) 2010
Choctaw Nation (Stigler, OK) 2004	Bad River Band (Odanah, WI) 2010
Chickasaw Nation (Purcell, OK) 2004	Miwok Indians (El Dorado County, CA) 2011
MACT (Mariposa, CA) 2005	Shingle Springs, CA 2011
Toksook Bay, AK 2005	Bad River, WI 2011
Quinault Indian Nation (Taholah, WA) 2006	Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs (Warm Springs, OR) 2012
Chenega Bay, AK 2006	Canyonville, OR 2012
Chippewa Cree Tribe (Bonneau Village, MT) 2007	Narragansett, RI 2016

**IHS PARTNERSHIPS WITH TRIBES**

**Joint Venture in Planning or Construction**

Yakutat, AK	Omaha, NE		
El Paso, TX	Naytahwaush, MN	Unalaska, AK	Wind River, WY