



# AFN Navigator Program

*Helping Alaska  
Natives stop COVID  
and secure resources.*

## MARCH - UPCOMING TRAININGS AND WEBINARS

### **Tuesday, March 15, 2022**

Time: 11:00 am – 12:00 pm Alaska Time

Free Registration: [REGISTER](#)

#### **AFN and Treasury Hosted Alaska Tribal State Small Business Credit Initiative (SSBCI)**

On Tuesday, March 15, 2022 at 11:00am – 12:00pm Alaska time, AFN and the U.S. Treasury Department will host the first of two webinars on Treasury's State Small Business Credit Initiative (SSBCI) program. Over 150 Alaska tribes submitted a Notice of Intent (NOI) to Treasury expressing an interest in the SSBCI program. In this webinar, Treasury will explain how the SSBCI program works and the opportunities it offers, who are partnering organizations, and what the next steps are needed before the May 11, 2022 application deadline. You will have time to ask questions, and we encourage you to bring questions with you, or you can email any questions prior to the webinar to [navigator@nativefederation.org](mailto:navigator@nativefederation.org). The webinar will be recorded and accessible on the AFN Navigator website.

For more information regarding the SSBCI program, please visit <https://home.treasury.gov/policy-issues/small-business-programs/state-small-business-credit-initiative-ssbci>.

AFN will host the second webinar on the SSBCI program at the end of March to discuss the SSBCI application process for individual tribes and for consortia applications (one application on behalf of multiple applicants), and to introduce partnering organizations that are offering to manage your SSBCI program, as well as an overview of the State of Alaska's SSBCI proposal. This session will also be recorded and stored on the AFN Navigator Program website.

### **Tuesday, March 15, 2022**

Time: 12:00 pm -1:00 pm

#### **White House Infrastructure Series: Water**

Free Registration: [Register](#)

### **Tuesday, March 15, 2022**

Time: 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm Alaska Time

#### **Water Follow Up Conversation**

Nils Andreassen, Executive Director Alaska Municipal League

Join us for these conversations [via Zoom](#)

### **Wednesday, March 16, 2022**

Time: 10:00 am – 11:00 am Alaska Time

Free Registration: [REGISTER](#)

#### **CARES ACT Funds – Eligible Uses, Treasury Guidance, Tracking, and Reporting Rob Misulich – Partner, Schwabe, Williamson & Wyatt**

AFN and Rob Misulich, Partner with Schwabe, Williamson & Wyatt will host a training webinar on CARES Act Funds, including an overview of Treasury's December guidance, eligible uses, tracking and reporting.

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**Department of Energy: Energy Projects for Tribes of all Sizes**

NAFOA will host a webinar with the Department of Energy on Tribal Energy Projects. Find out what programs are available, how to assess individual tribal needs, and what energy opportunities that are available to tribal governments of all sizes, as staff from the Loan Programs Office and Office of Indian Energy walk participants through the programs available from DOE and what you need to know.

**Thursday, March 17, 2022**

Time: 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Alaska Time

**White House Infrastructure Series: Resilience**

Free Registration: [Register](#)

**Thursday, March 17, 2022**

Time: 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm Alaska Time

**Resilience Follow Up Conversation and Grant Writing Technical Assistance**

Nils Andreassen, Executive Director Alaska Municipal League

Join us for these conversations [via Zoom](#)

**Monday, March 21, 2022**

Time: 10:00 am – 11:00 am Alaska Time

Free Registration: [REGISTER](#)

**ARPA Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Relief Funds (CSLFRF) Reporting**

Chris Slottee – Industry Group Leader, Schwabe, Williamson & Wyatt

AFN and Chris Slottee, Partner and Industry Group Leader with Schwabe, Williamson & Wyatt will host a training webinar on ARPA Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Relief Funds (SCLFRF) on latest updates and preparing you for the 1<sup>st</sup> annual reporting deadline on April 30, 2022.

**Tuesday, March 22, 2022**

Time: 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Alaska Time

**White House Infrastructure Series: Environmental Remediation**

Free Registration: [Register](#)

**Thursday, March 24, 2022**

Time: 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Alaska Time

**White House Infrastructure Series: Broadband**

Free Registration: [Register](#)

**Thursday, March 24, 2022**

Time: 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm Alaska Time

**Broadband Follow Up Discussion and ARPA Reporting and Grant Availability**

Nils Andreassen, Executive Director Alaska Municipal League

Join us for these conversations [via Zoom](#)

**Monday March 28, 2022**

Time: 10:00 am – 11:00 am Alaska time / (2-3 ET)

**AFN and Treasury – Capital Projects Fund Webinar**

Free Registration: CLICK [HERE](#)

AFN and the U.S. Treasury Department will host a webinar on the Capital Projects Fund, a grant for Tribal Governments to invest in broadband infrastructure, as well as other connectivity infrastructure, devices, and equipment, and other projects designed to enable work, education, and health monitoring. In this webinar, Treasury will provide an overview of the Capital Projects Fund grant opportunity and steps to apply for the grant before the June 1, 2022 application deadline.