

Tribal Transportation Safety Assessment (TTSA) State Planning Research (SPR)



Caltrans, Division of Transportation Planning (DOTP), Native American Liaison Branch (NALB), in collaboration with UC-Berkeley - SafeTREC and National Indian Justice Center (NIJC) will provide California Native American Tribal Governments with expert, focused, and independent Tribal Transportation Safety Assessments (TTSA). The goal of this project is to reduce injuries and fatalities on all roadways that serve California Native American reservations, and Rancherias, as well as roadways accessing their lands, by conducting TTSA for selected tribal governments.

Each Assessment will consist of a 2-day site visit, including a public participation meeting, and field audit conducted by the SafeTREC's experts. A technical report, consisting of an analysis and summary of findings and possible suggestions for improvements, and potential sources of funding considered for specific improvements, will be submitted to each tribe.

The technical assistance services and reports provided by this project could also help Indian tribes identify potential sources of funding to make the improvements suggested in their reports and can help provide the justifications to use in future grant applications.

You can apply for a TTSA for your tribe by contacting SafeTREC at: safetrec@berkeley.edu.