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SCOPE OF WORK



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ABOUT TAHOMA PEAK

TAHOMA PEAK SOLUTIONS IS A NATIVE WOMAN OWNED FIRM WITH OVER FOURTY YEARS OF COMBINED EXPERIENCE.

Tahoma Peak Solutions is a Native Woman Owned firm with over thirty years of combined experience specializing in strategic communications, culturally focused planning and development initiatives in built environments, and

food systems planning and design. Tahoma Peak Solutions concentrates on empowering and building up Native communities by bolstering visibility and sovereignty efforts that reflect traditional values.



3-PART TRAINING

TRAINING TOPICS

Training #1 Native American History 101 (90 minutes)

Understanding the history and context that led to the contemporary Native American experience is essential when working across all sectors of U.S. society. In this course we cover 500 years of history, moments in history that have modern day implications, important policies that affect Native people and communities today and the fundamentals of Tribal Sovereignty.

Training #2 Indigenous Communications (90 minutes)

There is a great need for knowing how to appropriately communicate with and discuss Native communities and people. To do that well, it requires an understanding of contemporary Native people and communities. In this training we cover invisibility and institutionalized erasure of Native people in contemporary society, common myths and misconceptions about Native people and how to avoid these when discussing Native communities, the new emerging narrative about Native people, language to avoid, and terminology and communications best practices.

Training #3 Outreach and Working with Tribes (90 minutes)

The approach needed to meaningfully engage Tribes and Native communities is unique and contextual. In this training we cover the foundations of Tribal governance, outreach to tribes best practices, how to cultivate and sustain generative working relationships with tribes, and what not to do in outreach to tribes.

PROPOSED BUDGET

Tahoma Peak Solutions 3-part training series is \$4,000 per training. If purchased together we provide a discounted rate of \$11,000 for all three trainings.



TESTIMONIALS

"To kick off a big branding and fundraising effort, Tahoma Peak did a tailored one-hour DEI workshop with us and our external consultants so we all started with the same important context and frame for thinking about communications to and about Native peoples and lands. As a public lands-focused organization, this kind of orientation and reflection is critical. Savannah and Maria shared so much in one-hour – and despite the gravity of the content, they did so clearly, with incredible openness and honesty, and in a way that invited questions and further discussion. This workshop should be a regular part of every organization's DEI curriculum."

- The Wilderness Society

A SAMPLE OF **PREVIOUS CLIENTS**



The Wilderness Society City of Seattle



















