DATE

Your Name

Address

City, State Zip code

Representative’s Name

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City, State, Zip code (found at lco.edu/advocacy)

Dear Representative Name

Lac Courte Oreilles Ojibwa Community College is one of the nation's 37 Tribal Colleges and Universities (TCUs), who together are the American Indian Higher Education Consortium (AIHEC). Collectively TCUs are seeking reauthorization of the Strengthening Institutions Program - Part F which provides $30M annually. Lac Courte Oreilles Ojibwa Community College receives approximately $500,000 annually.

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TCUs provide high quality, culturally appropriate higher education opportunities to some of the most rural, isolated, impoverished, and historically underserved areas of the country.

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Part F is slated to end after FY2019 if Congress does not authorize and appropriate new funding.

I ask that you support reauthorization and funding of Strengthening Institutions Program – Part F in the fiscal year 2020 and beyond. The impact of this funding on Lac Courte Oreilles Ojibwa Community College in our local community creates a more than $17M ripple effect.

Personally (share a personal experience or reason why Lac Courte Oreilles Ojibwa Community College affects you).

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Your Name & signature