



TRANSFORMING THE INDIGENOUS LANDSCAPE IN THE TWIN CITIES AND BEYOND



The UILI is comprised of the following Native American community organizations:

 Ain Dah Yung Center

 American Indian Community Development Center

 American Indian Family Center

 American Indian OIC

 Division of Indian Work

 Dream of the Wild Health

 Indigenous Peoples Task Force

 Interfaith Action of Greater St. Paul

 Little Earth

 Lower Phalen Creek Project

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 Minneapolis American Indian Center

 Minnesota Indian Women's Resource Center

 Montessori American Indian Childcare Center

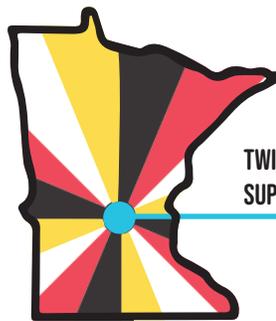
 Native American Community Development Institute

 New Native Theatre

WHO WE ARE

The Urban Indigenous Legacy Initiative is a collective of 16 renowned Native American nonprofit organizations in the Twin Cities – focused on issues ranging from healthcare to housing, workforce development to childcare – that have provided our communities with powerful and effective services for more than four decades.

We serve low-wealth Minnesotans, most in Minneapolis and St. Paul, but also throughout the state, from Steele County in the south to Aitkin County in the north. In a typical year, we touch more than 10,000 lives with critical support.



TWIN CITIES BASED,
SUPPORTING ALL OF MINNESOTA

LEGACY ORGANIZATIONS PROVIDE:

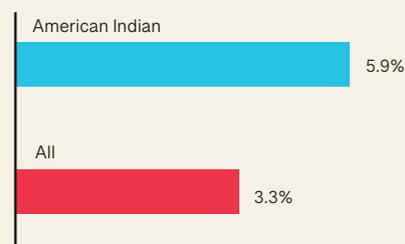
- Education
- Workforce development
- Behavioral health services
- Homeless/housing services
- Arts/after school enrichment
- Indian child welfare
- and much more for communities

THE PROBLEM, AND THE SOLUTION

The COVID-19 pandemic and civil unrest of the past three years have highlighted the disparities that continue to burden the urban Indigenous community. There simply are high levels of need, and as we strive to support our neighbors, we are grappling with aging, capacity-limiting facilities.

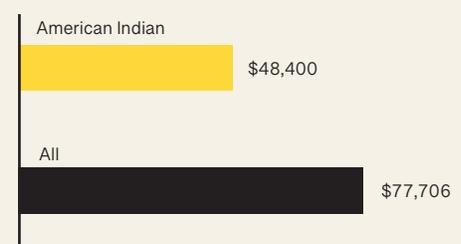
We've come together to seek \$136.4 million in state funding to construct 14 new, culturally affirming buildings that will allow us to address disparities by expanding services, creating safe, empowering experiences for those we serve. It's no accident that the term "legacy" is part of this collaboration. We are recommitting to planting roots in the land of our ancestors, moving forward to transform our community for generations to come.

AMERICAN INDIAN UNEMPLOYMENT



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Source: Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis

MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN MINNESOTA



2021
Source: American Community Survey/Star Tribune