



American Indian/Alaska Native Employees Association for NRCS

“Respect, Harmony, and Beauty”

Greetings to all AIANEA Members and Friends,

We have a unique opportunity to help tribal students attain their college degrees and begin working in the natural resources field, through a payroll deduction program. The money will be deducted and sent to the AIANEA scholarship account. The amount you give can range anywhere from \$1.00 to whatever you can give. The money will be used before you even know you had it! Just think, \$5.00 per pay period adds up to around \$130 per person per year AND it's tax deductible.

Please consider signing up for this payroll deduction program. All donations are applied toward college scholarships. Less than 1% of donated funds will be used for necessary processing and administrative costs. The scholarship fund is managed solely by volunteers. All scholarship donations are kept separate from the general AIANEA funds in a separate account.

The following are instructions for signing up:

1. Go to the National Finance Center Employee Personal Page at https://www.nfc.usda.gov/personal/ep_warning.asp
2. Click on 'Accept'
3. Login to website
4. Click on 'Self Service'
5. Click on 'Financial Allotments – Make Changes'
6. Click on 'Start New'
7. Enter Bank Routing Number (contact Tanya Meyer-Dideriksen at AIANEA phone number - 319-213-6098)
8. Enter Bank Account Number (contact Tanya Meyer-Dideriksen at AIANEA phone number – 319-213-6098)
9. Click on 'Savings' for Account Type
10. Enter amount
11. Enter pay period, if different than current (beginning pay period must be between the current pay period and pay period 26)
12. Click on 'Continue'
13. Review allotment to make sure information is correct
14. Click on 'Continue'
15. Review information again
16. Click on 'Submit'

Information gathered by AIANEA through scholarship fund donations is protected. Please see the AIANEA website (www.aianea.com) for the full privacy statement.

Please give if you are able. The more we have in the account, the more we can help these students. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Scholarship Committee Chairman, Felix Nez at feliz.nez@usda.gov or scholarship@aianea.com or AIANEA Treasurer, Harold Bryant at hharoldbryant@yahoo.com.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Elliott". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

David Elliott
AIANEA 2007 President