21st National Tribal Preservation Conference

NATHPO 2021 is Virtual!
Conference sessions will be recorded and available for viewing afterward.

RESILIENCE IN A CHANGING ENVIRONMENT
JANUARY 27 & 28, 2021
The Coushatta Tribe of Louisiana is proud to support NATHPO and host the 21st National Tribal Preservation Conference virtually.

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Resilience in a Changing Environment

The conference theme has two-fold significance, reflecting the growing challenges faced by tribal historic preservation leaders in adapting to and mitigating impacts to significant places from both a changing global climate and an altered political landscape.

If our greatest opportunities come from our greatest challenges, how can we use this time to improve outcomes for tribal historic preservation?
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Sketch of Coushatta chief at Treaty of New York, c. 1790.

Watercolor plate of two Coushatta men hunting, c. 1820.

Jacob Robinson demonstrates how to use a blowgun, c. 1910.

Sissy Robinson surrounded by her family and river cane baskets she made, c. 1910.
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NextEra Energy is honored to support NATHPO’s 21st National Preservation Conference and the collaborative efforts of its Tribal Historic Preservation Officer members to identify and protect sensitive cultural resources.

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Thank you for participating in the 21st National Tribal Preservation Conference!

We are delighted you are joining us to help shape the new NATHPO, as we rededicate our efforts to serving THPOs and Tribal Historic Preservation leaders. Stay tuned to nathpo.org and follow us on Facebook for information on virtual workshops and continuing improvements throughout 2021 to support your efforts in

PROTECTING NATIVE PLACES
...If we merge mercy with might, and might with right, then love becomes our legacy and change our children’s birthright...

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Protecting Native Places

Through unity, we find strength. The NATHPO conference is a keystone of our work to empower tribal preservation leaders to protect culturally important places that perpetuate Native identity, resilience, and cultural endurance. Connections to cultural heritage sustain the health and vitality of Native peoples.

Thank you for joining us to collaborate on impactful solutions-focused programming, grounded in improved engagement, member services, and partnerships.
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We extend our sincere thanks to the Coushatta Tribe of Louisiana for serving as host sponsor of the 21st National Tribal Preservation Conference.

And to all our members, partners, sponsors, supporters, and volunteers.

We hope you stay safe and well as until we can come together safely again.

With deep gratitude from the NATHPO Board of Directors and Staff Team.
Coushatta Tribe of Louisiana

Emily and Bruce Abbey in front of car with baskets to sell, c. 1930.

Chief Jeff Abbey and interpreter Douglas John at meeting with the US Department of Education, c. 1940.

Stephen Robinson demonstrates how to refine corn using the tradition and baskets passed down through generations, c. 2000.

Heather Williams helps a younger Coushatta Tribal member learn how to sew a pine needle basket, c. 2000.
...The new dawn blooms as we free it
For there is always light,
if only we’re brave enough to see it
If only we’re brave enough to be it...

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