



## Excellence in Tribal Historic Preservation Award

To be presented at the  
**23<sup>rd</sup> Annual NATHPO Conference**  
*Voices of Truth: Our Knowledge, Our Power*  
**February 13-17, 2023**

Please return at your earliest convenience and no later than **December 16, 2022**.

NATHPO's Excellence in Tribal Historic Preservation Award will be given at the NATHPO Conference. This annual award recognizes Tribal Historic Preservation Officers who have made exemplary contributions to protecting culturally important places that perpetuate Native identity, resilience, and cultural endurance. Connections to cultural heritage sustain the health and vitality of Native peoples.

Eligibility: The awardee will be a member of NATHPO who has made a significant impact through her/his work protecting Native places. Nominees are THPOs who demonstrate exemplary achievement and quality of work in historic and cultural preservation, advocacy, building partnerships, and elevating the community of THPOs.

Nominations may be made by NATHPO members. NATHPO staff can provide verification of membership status ([join or renew today!](#)). Awardee is selected by the NATHPO Board of Directors.

Presentation: Award recipient will be announced during the 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual NATHPO Conference.

Deadline: Nominations must be received by **December 16, 2022**.

Submit Nominations to: Valerie Grussing, NATHPO Executive Director

[valerie@nathpo.org](mailto:valerie@nathpo.org), (202) 628-8476 and copy to: [info@nathpo.org](mailto:info@nathpo.org)

### **Nominator**

Tribe/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name & Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Nominee**

Tribe/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name & Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Justification:** Please explain how Nominee demonstrates exemplary achievement and quality of work in Tribal historic and cultural preservation, advocacy, building partnerships, and elevating the community of THPOs. Provide specific examples.