Inspiring Native Leadership
So Our Communities Flourish!

We inspire Native leadership so our communities flourish.

We engage Native Americans to build personal power to address local community issues.

We inspire and lead Native community members to step up and be a voice from the polls to policy making and implementation.

Our culturally tailored community organizing model ensures Native Americans are engaged in decisions that affect their lives through community organizing and citizen education.

Established in 2011, Western Native Voice is a non-profit, non-partisan social justice organization working to strengthen Native American communities through civic engagement, education, leadership, and advocacy.

We work across the state in rural and urban communities promoting community based resilient responses to support racial, gender, class, social, economic, and environmental justice.

Our work to strengthen tribal and urban Native communities in Montana is made possible by generous support from you. Your tax-deductible contribution can help ensure that Western Native Voice reaches its goals of engaging voters, expanding Native leadership opportunities and protecting enfranchisement for Native Americans.

Thank you for supporting our vision and enabling us to inspire Native leadership so our Native communities may flourish.

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CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

Our civic engagement program emphasizes the need for everyone to fulfill their civic duty in all levels from school boards to county and statewide positions. Our program includes voter registration, voter education, and voter mobilization in Native communities across the state.

- Public Service
- Community Organizing
- Membership Recruitment
EDUCATION

We respect and pay close attention to the cultural and social differences of each community. The program is tailored to meet the unique needs of each audience. Our education program reaches high schools, colleges, tribal organizations, other non-profit organizations.

Issue Topics Include:
- Policies—old, new, proposed
- How citizen action influences lawmakers
- How policy making affects our daily lives
- History and power of Native voting

ADVOCACY

Western Native Voice’s advocacy program is centered on equality and self determination.

Goals of the Advocacy Program:
- Build support for Native issues with allies and partners.
- Work to increase funding for Native communities and programs.
- Advance the Native perspective at all levels of policy making and budget allocation.
- Strengthen tribal sovereignty

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

We use a culturally relevant community organizing model to train emerging leaders and engage constituents. Our customized trainings share the principles and best practices of community organizing in Native communities and places organizing in the context of traditional Plains Indian cultures.

HOW TO CONTRIBUTE

Yes! I want to do my part in ensuring that Western Native Voice can reach its goals of expanding Native leadership opportunities and fostering positive social change in Montana through leadership development, education, engagement and advocacy.

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