



No Place Like Home: Housing Insecurity and Access in Indian Country

Wednesday, June 15, 2022

1:25 p.m. – 2:25 p.m.

Room: Tubughnenq 3 – Dena'ina Center

Session Description: The price of housing continues to soar in nearly every city across the U.S. and income inequality is at an all-time high. For those seeking housing in Indian Country, the pandemic coupled with rising costs, low housing stock, and overcrowding has taken a long-standing housing crisis and dialed it up a notch. How are Tribal Nations addressing this issue and providing shelter for the most marginalized communities within Indian Country? Housing advocates from across Indian Country will discuss innovative housing projects and share their thoughts on strategies and solutions to current housing issues.

Moderator:

- Tony Walters, Executive Director, National American Indian Housing Council (NAIHC)

Panelists:

- Carol Gore, President & CEO, Cook Inlet Housing Authority
- Sami Jo Difuntorum, Executive Director, Siletz Housing Authority
- Elizabeth Elliot, Executive Director, Northern Circle Indian Housing Authority