



## Kootenai Tribe of Idaho

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Kootenai Tribe of Idaho is a member of the Upper Columbia United Tribes (UCUT) and is dedicated to reducing Greenhouse Gases and improving the lives of our Tribal Members through the collaborative Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Projects listed within our final Priority Climate Action Plan (PCAP). Kootenai Tribe of Idaho has devoted environmental staff as well as other staff to work on the development of the plan and we are excited to offer this letter of support for the UCUT submission for the CPRG Implementation Grant application.

Funding the UCUT submission will allow us to continue leading the way to not only educate our Tribal communities and the surrounding communities through our actions, but it will provide better air quality, more resilient and affordable communities, and a more sustained future for our people. Providing funding for UCUT to disperse as we have determined, will also support Tribal self-governance of our own Tribal Territories.

Thank you, in advance, for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Porter, Chairwoman  
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