REVENUE ALLOCATION PLAN (RAP) PROGRAM

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

SUBJECT:

REVENUE ALLOCATION PLAN (RAP) OPERATIONS

FOR USE:

MAY 22, 2020, EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, UPDATE AS THE SITUATION CHANGES

ANNOUNCEMENT:

In response to the COVID-19 and the “Stay Home and Stay Safe,” policy for the Yakama Reservation the Revenue Allocation Plan (RAP) Office continue to be closed and recommend to the Tribal Membership to utilize all available RAP communication resources listed below and on our website. Actively using the communication tools can implement steps to prevent virus exposure, minimize the spread, reduce impact of the disease and expedite plans to reopen operations.

This will greatly assist in allowing the RAP Office to continue operations according to the current work schedule, Monday-Wednesday-Friday from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm. The work hours may cause a longer response and processing time. RAP considers your request as emergent and will alter our hours as needed.

RAP COMMUNICATION RESOURCES

Please send your information or contact RAP at the following available resources:

Email, fts_rap@yakama.com,
Fax number, 509-865-2331,
Telephone numbers and extensions, 509-865-5121,
   Extension 4419, Myrtle for Income Verification, changes, and return checks.
   Extension 4420 and 4424, Michelle, Kenya and Victoria, for Full-time Students and payments
   Extension 4421, Julie for other.

RAP Forms are available on the Yakama Nation website, yakamanation.org.

Prepaid Card and Direct Deposit Forms continue to be available on the Yakama Nation website, yakamanation.org.

**UPDATE:**

**ENROLLED FULL-TIME STUDENTS**

Schools in Washington State and most schools across the country remain closed due to COVID-19. As preparation for Fiscal Year 2020 Quarter 3 April – June distribution, RAP will utilize FY20 Quarter 2 school proof attendance for payment supporting documentation. Distribution date is scheduled on or before July 10, 2020.

Thank you for your cooperation.