

NEJNAMC Proposed Plan of Action

Objectives	Strategies	Responsible Person(s)	Time Line	Assess. Tool(s)	Comments
#1. Educate the Conferences on the purpose of Native American Ministries Sunday (NAMS)	Host a best practices gathering to share ways CONAMs use to share	Sharon Schmit, Jennifer Kerby and Robear are willing to host...	Each January	Share stories of how money is used	This can strengthen the interconnectionality of our CoNAMs
	Utilize document "Roles and Responsibilities of Native American Ministries Sunday Representative				
	All conferences to include a NAMS representative designation on Church/Charge Conference Forms				Does every conference have a place on the charge conference form for the LCR name?
	Work with conference communications staff to have regular communication to churches on congregations				

<p>#2. Establish and support Committees on Native American Ministry (CoNAMs) in all the Annual Conferences of the NEJ</p>	<p>Work together to discern how to move past frustration concerning <u>fruitfully</u> inviting persons into our conam</p>			<p>CONAMS will share how they invite persons to become part of their CoNAM</p>	
	<p>support revitalization baltimore washington</p> <p><u>This is in process</u></p>	<p>Ragghi + Cynthia Mosely</p>			<p>Please share updates</p>
	<p>Identify CONAMs that are struggling and ask if there are ways NEJ can help</p>				
	<p>Identify ways that we may build supportive “sister” relationships among CoNAMs</p>				

<p>#3. Encourage each of the Annual Conferences to continue the journey toward healing and wholeness established by the Act of Repentance.</p>	<p>Nurture CoNAMS to lead their annual conferences in fulfilling the on-going work of Repentance and Healing as described in the 2016 Book of Resolutions</p> <p>Page 326</p>			<p>Call attention to the resources on the website</p> <p>Create “sister” CoNAM relationships where this may be discussed</p>	
	<p>Encourage each conam to create awareness of boarding schools</p>				
	<p>Encourage creating ways to be more involved in Murdered and Missing Native Women...</p>				
	<p>Participate in the call to action for children October 6</p> <p>Work with NAIC</p>	<p>Change this date to 9/30</p>			

<p>#4. Start and strengthen Native American Ministries.</p>	<p>Connection with other jurisdictions to build relationships</p>				
	<p>NEJNAMC will host an information display at NEJ Conference</p>			<p>NEJNAMC will Fund people and resources to be there</p>	
	<p>Fund Raising to support NEJNAMC to do its administrative work and to fund supplying resources to our CoNAMs</p>	<p>Treasurer, Finance Committee, Executive Committee and the total Committee</p>		<p>Silent Auction</p> <p>PLUS</p> <p>NEJ Conference budget request</p>	
	<p>Host one NEJNAMC wide training event</p>			<p>Funded by our budget</p>	<p>All NEJNAMC members and CoNAM members will be invited</p>
	<p>Work with Seminaries in Jurisdiction to offer inclusion work surrounding NA</p>				<p>Drew, Wesley, Boston Seminaries</p>

	Communities/Culture				
#5. Establish resources to increase awareness and encourage interaction with Native Communities.	Connect with other jurisdictions to build relationships				
	Develop awareness of Native People's gifts and talents			Sustain and update our database of person's and resources upon which our CoNAMs may call	Highlight for our CoNAMs the availability of these resources.
	Each conference to have a database Native artisans/craftspersons/musicians to be at festivals to encourage buying from Native people				To be maintained on website. Artists organized by conferences or states

<p>#6. Identify training opportunities which support educational and leadership development</p>	<p>Post upcoming trainings on NEJNAMC website and email CONAM chairs</p> <p>Encourage CONAMs to share information on training.</p>				
	<p>Training for youth and young adults....may include and family camps</p>			<p>Provide some direct funding from our budget</p>	
	<p>All NEJNAMC Annual meetings provide a training component by host CONAM and one meeting in the quadrennium sponsored by NEJNAM will offer a special training session</p>				<p>Pete Hill to do training on healing surrounding trauma from boarding schools</p>
	<p>Encourage Native presence in the church as leaders</p>				

#7. Maintain a website that shares stories, resources and events that relate to Native communities, ministries, and Peoples.	Share minutes of annual meetings and executive committee promptly after each mtg with all NEJNAMC folks				
	CoNAMs Share resolutions they are proposing to annual conference				
	Encourage conam to share resources they are using...				
	Conam roundtable to share stories, accomplishments and challenges		Quarterly		This can strengthen the interconnectivity of our CoNAMs
?? Where to put this??	Place items at Drew University under direction of the Archive Committee	Approved by Executive Committee or NEJNAMC			NEJNAMC meeting minutes, brochures, and Plan of Action. Archiving will be ongoing.

