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White Earth RBC receives money from BIA to help prepare, prevent and respond to coronavirus

WHITE EARTH, MINN. – The White Earth Reservation Business Committee (RBC) recently received more than \$2.4 million from Bureau of Indian Affairs Self-Government supplemental funding to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the coronavirus.

The funds can be used for the following, but not limited to:

- Funds for public safety and justice programs.
- Executive direction to carry out deep cleaning of facilities.
- Purchase of personal protection equipment (PPE).
- Purchase of information technology (IT) to improve telenetworking capability.
- Welfare assistance and social programs (including assistance to individuals).
- Assistance to tribal governments, including those that participate in the Small and Needy program.