Indian Country Jails Committee

Chair - Angela Chavez
Staff Liaison - Connie Lacy

A member of a tribal jail chairs the committee.

This committee is responsible for maintaining effective communication with the Indian Country Jails and the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

- Identify opportunities for staff working in our Indian Country Jails to interact and benefit from the resources of AJA.
- Coordinate with the Training and Professional Development Committee and the Director of Professional Development with the training needs identified by the Indian Country Jails Committee.
- Reestablish effective communication with the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) and the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC).
- Coordinate with BIA and FLETC to establish how to increase the partnership with the American Jail Association.
- Identify opportunities to provide information to non-Indian Country Jails to further understanding of multiple diverse cultures.
- Meet as needed virtually with the committee members and other committee chairs.