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Dear Colleague,

Please accept this as notice that, due to the COVID-19 national emergency, the Office on Violence Against Women will be postponing the 2020 Annual Government-to-Government Violence Against Women Tribal Consultation until mid-October of this year. However, please know that we will continue to monitor this COVID-19 emergency and may determine that an additional postponement is necessary. Regardless of the ultimate date, we anticipate that the Consultation will be held in Oklahoma.

OVW's Tribal Affairs Division will hold a conference call in May to discuss further details with tribal leaders. I will keep you informed as the COVID-19 national emergency continues to evolve and more clarity becomes available.

Thank you for your understanding. My thoughts are with you and your family members, and I hope that you are well and healthy. Please stay home and be safe.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Laura L. Rogers".

Laura L. Rogers  
Acting Director