## Over \$2.16 Billion in contributions to date and counting.

# **Tribal Gaming shares with Arizona**

Since 2003, Arizona Tribes share a portion of revenues with all Arizonans through the Arizona Benefits Fund. These funds are dedicated to the following areas:



## ····· Education ·····

\$956 MILLION\*

- Teacher compensation
- Reducing class size
- Dropout prevention
- Improved instruction



## **Emergency Services & Trauma Care**

**\$477** MILLION

- Improved patient care and survival rates
- Cover unfunded trauma and emergency services
- Support the education of healthcare workers
- Provide community programs for injury prevention



····· Cities, Towns, Counties ·····

\$238 MILLION

Tribes in the urban areas contribute to support social, cultural, and infrastructure needs. Rural communities contribute funds for essential services, like police and fire



····· Tourism ·····

\$136 MILLION

- Arizona marketing efforts, domestic & international advertising in print, broadcast and social media
- Promote the Tourism industry in Arizona
- Enhance research to benefit the Industry



····· Wildlife Conservation ······

\$136 MILLION\*

- Restoring native landscapes
- Promoting nature-based tourism
- Conserve wildlife
- Support shooting ranges and sports

The impact of Tribal Gaming

### **SELF-RELIANCE**

The Indian Gaming Regulatory Act requires that funds from gaming must be used to promote economic development, self-sufficiency and strengthen tribal governments.

### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Tribal Gaming brings economic development to Arizona reservations, helping tribes meet longstanding deficits in social and economic conditions. In doing so, it also engenders new economic activity for the households and businesses that supply labor, goods, and services to Tribal casinos and governments, helping especially the economies of remote and rural counties.

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