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## Pueblo Women Documentary Premieres May 28 at the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center

Albuquerque, NM (May 22, 2023) – The Indian Pueblo Cultural Center is pleased to host the debut of the documentary *Journeys and Pathways: Contemporary Pueblo Women in Leadership, Service, and the Arts Oral History Project* on Sunday, May 28.

The hour-long documentary features interviews with twenty women from thirteen Pueblos. Principal videographer, Dr. Beverly Singer (Tewa/Santa Clara Pueblos), created a video narrative about how each Pueblo woman's family shaped her childhood and educational path, and how connection to home and culture provided strength through disappointments and difficulties. Some of the interview subjects will be at the screening to talk about the process and the importance of this documentary as a resource for young Pueblo women.

"This documentary is a powerful exploration of the lived experiences of Pueblo women," said IPCC Librarian and Archivist, Jonna C. Paden, who oversaw the project. "We are proud to premiere it at the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center."

The development of the documentary was supported by PNM. "PNM is proud to support the screening of Journeys and Pathways: Contemporary Pueblo Women in Leadership, Service, and the Arts Oral History Project, with the IPCC Library & Archives. I commend the strength and profound reflections by each of the Pueblo women in the documentary, to be willing share their personal life experiences," said Cathy Newby, Director of Tribal Government & Customer Engagement for PNM. "I feel it is important to share Indigenous

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life experiences, and a female perspective is very important, because each one is so unique and shaped by our upbringing."

When: Sunday, May 28, 2-4PM

Where: Chaco I & II Ballrooms at the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center

What: This event will begin with a screening of the documentary and be followed with a

discussion/Q&A. Light refreshments will be served.

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## **About the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center:**

Founded in 1976 by the 19 Pueblo tribes of New Mexico, the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center is a world-class museum and cultural center located in the historic 19 Pueblos District. The Mission of the IPCC Campus is to serve as a gathering place where Pueblo culture is celebrated through creative and cultural experiences while providing economic opportunities to Pueblo and local communities. Visitors can learn fascinating history, shop for Native jewelry and art, watch a cultural dance, hear Native languages and experience the flavors of traditional and contemporary Native cuisine. To learn more, please visit: <a href="https://www.indianpueblo.org">www.indianpueblo.org</a> and <a href="https://www.facebook.com/IndianPueblo">www.facebook.com/IndianPueblo</a>

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Indian Pueblos Marketing, Inc. (also founded by the 19 Pueblo tribes of New Mexico) includes a variety of commercial enterprises designed to support the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center and provide economic opportunities to the Pueblo and local communities. IPMI is a for-profit umbrella that includes an acclaimed Indigenous restaurant, Indian Pueblo Kitchen; Indian Pueblo Store, a premier Native American arts store and website; 12<sup>th</sup> Street Tavern, a new neighborhood eatery at Avanyu Plaza; Four Winds convenience store; the largest Starbucks in New Mexico; the top-rated Holiday Inn Express in Albuquerque; TownePlace Suites by Marriott Albuquerque Old Town; Extra Space Storage; and more that support our Pueblo culture and communities.

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