



**The Poarch Band of Creek Indians became federally recognized in 1984 and remain the only Tribe in the state of Alabama with this designation.**

The Poarch Creek Indians have fought hard to preserve their proud heritage while moving forward into the mainstream of today's modern society. The Tribe's determination to maintain both their identity and inherent right to self-govern is evident by their continued efforts to preserve their Tribal culture and improve their community.



## Government Structure

The Tribal Council is a group of nine elected leaders serving staggering three-year terms. The Council is responsible for decisions regarding the operations of the Tribe and its entities. Council Members are elected by the enrolled members of the Tribe. Current Tribal Council consists of:

### TRIBAL COUNCIL

Stephanie A. Bryan, Chair and CEO  
Robert R. McGhee, Vice Chair  
Charlotte Meckel, Secretary  
Amy Gantt, Treasurer

### COUNCIL MEMBERS At LARGE

Dewitt Carter  
Justin Stabler  
Sandy Hollinger  
Arthur Mothershed  
Keith Martin



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## Our History

The Poarch Creek Indians are descendants of a segment of the original Creek Nation that once covered almost all of Alabama and Georgia. Unlike many eastern Indian tribes, the Poarch Creeks were not removed from their Tribal lands and have lived together for almost 200 years in and around Poarch, Alabama. The Reservation is located eight miles northwest of Atmore, Alabama in rural Escambia County and is approximately 57 miles east of Mobile.

To learn more, view the Emmy Award-winning documentary "The Forgotten Creeks," streaming on Alabama Public Television.



## Creating Jobs Driving Growth

With the growth and development of the Poarch Creek Indians, the relationship between Alabama and its only federally recognized Tribe has deepened into a mutually beneficial partnership. Our diversification has allowed us to create more job opportunities across the state and beyond. With Wind Creek Hospitality properties stretching from Chicago to Curaçao, we have reinvested in more than 40 businesses across a range of industries.

**\$1 BILLION+ REINVESTED**  
by our Tribe in capital spending  
over the last 9 years

**\$2 BILLION+ SPENT**  
by our businesses on Alabama  
goods and services

**6,000+ JOBS CREATED**

## Charitable Giving

As we have expanded, we continue to give back in ways that improve the quality of life not only for our Tribal members but also for our Alabama neighbors.

**\$7.5 MILLION+ DONATED**  
in charitable giving in 2022



As the principal gaming and hospitality entity for the Poarch Band of Creek Indians, Wind Creek is leading the industry as one of the fastest-growing resort brands. We currently operate 10 distinct properties in the U.S. and Caribbean with new locations coming soon, including Wind Creek Chicago Southland. Beyond state-of-the-art gaming that features popular slots, traditional table games, sports betting, and online social gaming, our resort provides an escape like no other. You'll find top-notch entertainment, luxurious hotels, upscale and casual dining, world-class spas, shopping, family-friendly activities and more. | [windcreek.com](http://windcreek.com)



Creek Indian Enterprises  
Development Authority

Creek Indian Enterprises Development Authority (CIEDA) is the economic development arm of the Poarch Band of Creek Indians. It oversees a diverse portfolio of non-gaming enterprises and investments held by the Tribe.

CIEDA focuses on creating business opportunities, currently managing 16 companies throughout the US within the tourism, hospitality, manufacturing, government services, and retail sectors. | [creekindianenterprises.com](http://creekindianenterprises.com)



## Dream Catchers



Poarch Creek Indians  
FEDERAL SERVICES

Poarch Creek Indians Federal Services (PCIFS) provides a diverse range of services to include Professional Services/Management Consulting, Aviation Engineering, Construction, Strategic Communications, Manufacturing, and Information Technology.

[pcifederalservices.com](http://pcifederalservices.com)



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NATURAL RESOURCES

While our natural resources department was formed in 2017, its roots go back to our Tribe's beginnings in Alabama. Respecting our natural resources and sharing them with our neighbors is an integral part of the Poarch Band of Creek Indians' tradition.

[pci-nsn.gov/services/facilities-division](http://pci-nsn.gov/services/facilities-division)

