Data for Indian Economic Development Workshop

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Our Mission

Land within the original boundaries of every reservation and other areas of high significance where tribes retain aboriginal interest are in Indian ownership and management.
Tribal Planning Efforts

• Too often singular focus—specific project

• Data considered, limited in scope

• Data providers and limitations
Plan for the Future

• Data generally a picture of the past
  – Beware the trend line
Program acquired 690,000+ interests (23% reduction)

1.2% estimated annual growth without Program
Selection Criteria

Gitchikwe Allotment 159

The graph shows the number of owners over time, with the x-axis representing years (1854 to 2060) and the y-axis representing the number of owners (ranging from 0 to 600,000). The data points indicate a steady increase in the number of owners until around 2030, after which there is a dramatic increase, with the number of owners reaching 537,313 by 2045 and 901,065 by 2060.
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• Needs:
  – Indian Country-focused futurist
  – Indian “Congressional Budget Office”
    • Score for policies, rules/regs
    • Multiple aspects