

Factors there is consensus to leave in the formula:

1. # AIAN persons
2. #AIAN persons with incomes under 30% of median
3. #AIAN persons with incomes between 30% - 50% of median
4. #AIAN persons with incomes between 50% - 80% of median
5. # AIAN with more than 50% monthly gross income paid for housing costs
6. Overcrowding
7. Households without complete kitchen or plumbing facilities
Note: No consensus on whether to separate them or leave them together – we want to wait until we see whether the data is highly correlated.
8. Consensus not to use a factor for crime prevention activities

Consensus multipliers and adjusting factors

1. TDC – Will leave in as a geographic multiplier but: 1) may need to be adjusted – this still needs to be explored. 2) Also need to develop a mechanism for challenging the TDC.
2. Birth and death rate will continue to be used to adjust AIAN persons variable – not as a separate factor.
3. Consensus is not to use a migration multiplier or factor.

Other Issues it was agreed need further development and exploration:

1. Formula Area/ Overlapping areas/ State recognized Tribes – Bob Carlisle
2. Minimum Funding – Phil Bush
3. NAHASDA units
4. Data challenges/ Appeals Process/ TDC challenge process – Steve Hutchins
5. Housing shortage variable – households at 80% of median income - FCAS
6. TDC Adjustment and how to adjust this – Larry Coyle