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Mitch Chargo Explores Cannabis Economic "Growth" Opportunities for Indigenous Communities in mg Magazine

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Hinshaw partner Mitch Chargo has authored a byline published in *mg Magazine*, outlining the emerging business opportunities available in the cannabis industry for tribes and indigenous communities, especially those facing ongoing financial difficulties.

Chargo describes the significant economic benefits of entering the cannabis market, including new revenue streams, job opportunities for tribe members, and entrepreneurial opportunities. Additionally, the increase in revenue from cannabis sales can allow tribes to invest in critical infrastructure projects, improving their community's quality of life and attracting further business opportunities.

Chargo also discussed the obstacles that tribes will face, such as stigma, legal risks, and regulatory challenges. To overcome these barriers, he recommends using education and outreach programs to promote accurate information about cannabis and its benefits. To foster state and tribal relations, he encourages tribes to align their own regulations with state laws while asserting their rights to govern cultivation and sales.

Read the full article.

• "Indigenous Opportunities in Cannabis" was published by *mg Magazine* on November 8, 2024.

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