



Cyndi "Mazaska Itsa" Slaughter is the Secretary/Treasurer for NAPPB. She is also, along with her husband, the founders of Native American People of the Plains and Beyond (NAPPB).

In 2021, she spoke to her husband about the need of NAPPB. The Native American community surrounding the Lubbock Texas area was not being recognized, and as she is part native herself, knew that there needed to be a place where she, along with other Native American's could gather and celebrate their cultures and history.

Cyndi is the 5th great granddaughter of Polly Bushyhead, Cherokee, and 4th great granddaughter of Eliza Hudson, Mississippi Choctaw. She also carries the ancestry of Scottish, Irish and a small bit of English.

She is dedicated to the success of NAPPB. In her years with the association, she has established it's 501c3 charity status, Certificate of Formation and its charter by the State of Texas 2021. She schedules fundraisers, Community outreach, meetings and more. Her goal is to see the association grow and become an intricate part of the population residing in Lubbock Texas and surrounding areas.

When possible, Cyndi, along with her husband Rex, attend powwows. She is a Southern Cloth Dancer and her husband is a Gourd Dancer.