**Disclaimer: this backstory is bs and just an excuse to make some cool new states. I’m also still learning about American Indian history so some of my fictional Indian nations are not super accurate.**

**Also, please give me and suggestions how about what and how I should change things that seem not right or super farfetched, as well as any mistakes I made because it’s not uncommon for me to make spelling/grammar mistakes.**

In April of 2032, the American Indian Autonomy Act was signed into law, combined with the US State Reorganization act. The American Indian Autonomy act designated sections of American lands, that traditionally belonged to American Indians, to be fully controlled by people that lived on them. So far, four new nations have been formed(Listed here with the anglicized names): The Cascadian Indian Republic in the former territory of Washington, Oregon and Idaho, The Tribes of the Great White located in Alaska, The United Tribes of Oklahoma in the former territory of Oklahoma, and the Navajo Nation Located in Arizona, Utah, and New Mexico.

Along with it, came the US State Reorganization Act. This act outlined a plan to reorganize the states that had land given to the new nations. This “reorganization” essentially meant the breakup of the effected states, creating new states out of the old territory. This was meant to represent the population and culture in the area, although sometimes it was more drawing lines on paper. The new states so far are Lincoln(2035) in former Washington, Jefferson in former Oregon(2043), and Frontier in former Alaska(2045). The states or Oregon, Washington and Alaska still exist, but with less territory.

A more minor act was created called the International Highway Act, which worked with these new nations, as well as Canada to create a system of International Highways throughout north America, as well as a body to manage these highways. Currently the highways are just old highways that have been designated as International Highways, but several new highways are in the works.