Codebook for Data Used in Blasingame, Hansen, and Witmer, "Are Descriptive Representatives More Successful Passing Group-Relevant Legislation? The Case of Native American State Legislators," *Political Research Quarterly.*

- sponsortype – Categorical variable describing measure sponsor. 0 = non-legislator or outside agency sponsor, 1 = partisan sponsors (e.g. all Democrats or all Republicans), 2 = bipartisan sponsors
- pass – 1 = bill was signed into law by governor, 0 = otherwise
- topic1 – original coding of measure topic by NCSL
- maintopic – reduced coded topics by authors
- gamingleg – 1 = measure topic is gaming/gambling, 0 = otherwise
- healthleg – 1 = measure topic is healthcare, 0 = otherwise
- total_native – a count of the number of Native American sponsors of the measure
- native_primary – 1 = the measure's primary sponsor is Native American, 0 = otherwise
- native_sponsors – a count of all Native American sponsors of the measure besides the primary author
- resolution – 1 = the measure is a resolution, 0 = otherwise
- bill – 1 = the measure is a bill, 0 = otherwise
- senate – 1 = the measure originated in the state's upper chamber, 0 = otherwise
- symbolic – 1 = the measure is coded as "symbolic," 0 = the measure is coded as "substantive"
- inmajority – 1 = the primary sponsor of measure belongs to the majority party in their chamber
- splitgov – 1 = partisan control of the upper chamber, lower chamber, and governorship is split between the two parties, 0 = otherwise
- percentage_native – percent of the measure's sponsors who are Native American
- state_abbrev – two letter postal abbreviation for each state
- year – year of measure' introduction
- seniority – number of two-year terms the primary sponsor has served in office
- committeechair – 1 = the primary sponsor chairs any committee, 0 = otherwise
- leaderincSpeakerPresiden – 1 = the primary sponsor holds the top leadership position in their chamber, 0 = otherwise
- majorityleader – 1 = the primary sponsor is the majority leader in the chamber, 0 = otherwise
- minorityleader – 1 = the primary sponsor is the minority leader in the chamber, 0 = otherwise
- grayarea – 1 = the measure coded be reasonably coded as either symbolic or substantive, 0 = otherwise
- contsymb – an ordinal measure of the measure's symbolism. 0 = substantive, 1 = grayarea/both substantive and symbolic, 2 = symbolic
- nativecomp – count of Native American legislators in the chamber