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Indian Affairs Proposes Rule to Support Entrepreneurship in Indian Country

The U. S. Department of the Interior's Indian Affairs division announced that the Office of Indian Energy and Economic Development (IEED) has published a proposed rule to establish the Indian Business Incubators Program

Would Establish Indian Business Incubators Program

(IBIP), in accordance with the Native American Business Incubators Program Act of 2020 (P.L. 116-174). The proposed rule sets out who is eligible for

the program, how to apply, how the IEED will evaluate applications and make awards, and how it will administer the program. The IBIP will provide com-

petitive grants to eligible applicants to establish and operate business incubators that serve entrepreneurs (start-up and early-stage businesses) who will provide products or services to tribal reservation communities.

The deadline for comments on the proposed rule is June 14, 2021. In addition, tribal consultation sessions will be held on it via webinar on May 12 and 13 at 1:00 p.m. ET. Details for registering for the sessions can be found in the Federal Register notice on the proposed rule that published April 13.

"Entrepreneurship has a long history in Indian Country, and the Department of the Interior is proud to support businesses in tribal communities," Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs Bryn Newland said. "The Indian Business Incubators Program supports the goals of tribal self-determination by promoting tribal economic self-sufficiency. I encourage tribal leaders to share their perspectives on this proposed rule."

A business incubator is an organization that assists entrepreneurs in becoming viable businesses by providing advice and

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Sac and Fox Nation's Victim Services Program Observes 'Sexual Assault Awareness Month'

Sac and Fox Nation Victim Advocate Coordinator Brittney Sherman, right, and Victim Services Administrative Assistant Toni Smith are pictured wearing t-shirts with front and back logos in observation of Sexual Assault Awareness Month during April. The observation is to raise awareness about sexual violence around the world, and to educate com-

munities on how to help prevent it. The teal ribbon was adopted as a symbol of sexual assault awareness and prevention, and the Sac and Fox Nation Victim Services Program representatives placed teal ribbons on trees and distributed informative fliers for posting in buildings across the Sac and Fox Nation campus. (Photo by Mike Brown)

Mindy Eicher Coordinating Adult Protective Services

by Mike Brown

The Sac and Fox Nation Adult Protective Services Program was established in September 2019 with a mission to enhance, promote and maintain the safety and well-being of tribal elders and vulnerable adults through prevention, education and protective services.

Serving as coordinator of the Multi-Disciplinary Team (MDT) and Adult Protective Services (APS) is Mindy Eicher, whose office is located in the Social Services Building on the Sac and Fox Nation headquarters campus.

"When healthy relationships turn into unhealthy ones, we need to help you get through these and make sure safety is first and foremost," said Eicher. "Person and family-centered services are aimed to promote safety by the means of assessments, investigation and emergency response. We are here to help you," she added.

Eicher said common questions that individuals may have include:

- Why is this happening to me? It could be a mental health issue or it could be an addiction problem.
- Will anyone get into trou-

ble? They could, if a crime has been committed, but our goal is to keep you safe and help you.

• What is abuse? Cruel or violent treatment, mistreating or improper use of stuff.

• What is exploitation? Taking something that belongs to you and uses to benefit self.

Signs of abuse include: unexpected fractures, bruises, welts, cuts, sores, burns and scratches; lack of basic hygiene; lack of adequate food; bed-bound person left with care; caregiver "living off" elder; caregiver has control of money, but fails to



Mindy Eicher

provide elder needs; caregiver isolates elder (not letting people in house or talk to others); and, caregiver is aggressive.

The MTD/APS Program's

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Chief Justin Freeland Wood's Address to the Nation

I'll begin with a word of hope: In April of this year, Christians celebrated the culmination of Jesus Christ's ministry on earth. Good Friday and Easter Sunday represent a fulfillment of Old Testament prophecy predicting the end of the Old Covenant of Mosaic law and the beginning of the New Covenant of Christ's grace.

My life verse is Galatians 2:20 - "I have been crucified with Christ, it is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. The life I now live in the flesh, I live by faith in the Son of God who loved me and gave himself for me." My hope is in the promise of Christ's free grace, of which I cannot obtain on my own, but must be gifted by faith through Christ. This Easter was another opportunity for us to begin anew following a devastating year in 2020. Many have been calling to

ask about the new American Rescue Plan support that has been promised by the Biden Administration. While we have yet to receive any of that funding, we have participated in calls with the White House and the BIA. We have sent in all necessary documentation to begin the process.

An overview of the American Rescue Plan Tribal Government relief:

- The Total amount approved by Congress and signed by President Biden to be split amongst all tribal governments is 31.2 Billion dollars.
- One billion will be divided evenly and 20 billion will be distributed based on a variety of statistics including tribal population.
- Six billion has been set aside for Native Health Systems.
- 1.2 billion was set aside for Housing.

• 1.1 billion was set aside for education programs.

• One billion will be used for

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Enbridge Donation Used for Distribution of Face Masks

The Sac and Fox Nation Education Department assisted in facilitating a facial mask project where donated funds were utilized towards facial masks for Sac and Fox Nation members and employees. Enbridge Energy Company, Inc., located in Edina, MN, reached out and made contact with Business Council Member Robert Williamson for a generous donation. On March 22, 2021 masks were distributed to the Sac and Fox Nation employees and to the Sac and Fox Nation military veterans. The Title VI Food Program was also given masks to hand out with the delivery of meals. "We will be making contact with Stella Nullake, chairwoman of the Sac and Fox Nation Elders Committee to distribute additional masks," said Director of Education Edwina Butler-Wolfe. "We would like to thank Enbridge Energy for their generosity and, Council Member Williamson for his role in making this project happen. The Education Department also sends our thanks to Bessie Morris and the Procurement Department. Thank you everyone for a successful project," she added. Black Hawk Health Center staff members pictured L to R back row: Rick-ey Cline, Lana Jo Butler, Evonne Berryhill, Briana Wakolee, Aislinn Munson and Raiven Franklin; L to R front row: Vicki Sue Butler, Cena Little, Marilyn Thurman and Ashley Pacheco. (Photo courtesy of Edwina Butler-Wolfe.)



Sac and Fox Nation Principal Chief Justin Freeland Wood

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Obituaries

Peggy Ann Paulette Ellis

Peggy Ellis passed away April 3rd at Colonial Nursing Home in Shawnee, Okla. She was born December 2nd in Shawnee, Okla. to Edgar and Myrtle Ellis.

Peggy graduated in the 60s from Central High Schools. She attended a technical trade school and obtained her LPN certification. She practiced nursing over forty years. She loved helping people as much as she could. She enjoyed laughing a cutting up with people. She also enjoyed garage sales and swap meets.

Preceding her in death are her parents, Edgar and Myrtle Ellis; daughter, Kimberly Clark; son-in-law, Anthony Clark; brothers, Jack, Melvin (Couch) and Virgil Ellis; sisters, Gail Marez, Mildred Marcelleno, Joyce Burgess and Gloria Ellis.

Survivors include: four sons, John Deere and family, Leroy Deere and family, Victor Deere and family and James Yarbrough; brothers, Elvis Ellis and Leroy Ellis and sister, Lela Lopez, as well as sixteen grandchildren, twenty six

great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

A graveside service was held Wednesday, April 7th at the Sac and Fox Nation Cemetery.



Peggy Ellis

Business Incubators

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services to entrepreneurs to navigate obstacles in transforming their innovative ideas into operational businesses. Examples of services that a business incubator may provide are workspace and facilities, advice on how to access capital, business education, counseling, and networking and mentorship opportunities.

Congress found that in addition to the challenges all entrepreneurs face when transforming ideas into profitable business enterprises, they also face an additional set of challenges that require

special knowledge when they want to provide products and services in tribal reservation communities.

It further found that the business incubator model is suited to accelerating entrepreneurship in such communities, promoting collaboration to address challenges and providing individually tailored services to overcome obstacles that are unique to each participating business, ultimately stimulating economic development in reservation communities.

Brockway Community Center Added to National Register of Historic Places

The Oklahoma Historical Society, State Historic Preservation Office (OK-SHPO) has announced an additional National Register of Historic Places listing for Oklahoma. The National Register of Historic Places is our nation's official list of properties significant in our past.

The Brockway Community Center was listed in the National Register of Historic Places at the local level of significance for its connection to the area's Black history.

Its period of significance—beginning in the year 1968—aligns with the Oklahoma City Federation of Colored Women's Club's purchase of the building at 10th N. West Ave. in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma County, to serve as its new permanent home, recognizing the ongoing work of the group and its continuing importance to the African American

community.

The purchase of this substantial property represented the culmination of significant efforts begun in 1911 with the formation of the Oklahoma City chapter of the organization. Operating under the statewide organization's slogan "Lifting as We Climb" the club used the Brockway Community Center as its headquarters to provide valuable services to young Black women and children, improve the quality of life in local Black neighborhoods, and advocate for racial equality.

The 1968 purchase provided the club with a significant base for its important activities, which continued in the building until its sale in 2011. The Brockway Community Center remains the only extant building in Oklahoma City directly affiliated with the Oklahoma City Federation of Colored Women's Club.

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tribal child care programs and assistance.

- 900 million will be administered by the Bureau of Indian Affairs for issues concerning; public safety, justice and social services, child welfare, tribal housing improvement, water, and administrative costs and oversight.
- 600 million will be distributed for the use of economic development and infrastructure investments.
- 20 million will be utilized to preserve and protect Native language programs.
- 19 million is dedicated to domestic violence programs.

Again, we have not received nor have we been notified of the total amount we will be receiving from the federal government. As soon as we get word, I will notify tribal members on social media and the Sac and Fox Nation Website.

If you have any needs or further questions please do not hesitate to call or email - 918-968-3526 - justinwood@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov.

Adult Protective Services

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mission is to help the individual get to a healthy and safe place without involving the court system; and, working together to involve the individual in more activities and provide more resources. Those resources include:

- Brain Health: To conduct research and enhance focus on cognitive capacity and mental health of victims and perpetrators;
- Awareness: Increase public awareness of elder abuse that requires a well-coordinated response in service, education, policy and research;
- Caregiving: Provide better support and training for the paid or unpaid caregivers who play a critical role;
- Economics: Quantify the cost of elder abuse, which is often entwined with financial incentives, and come with huge costs to victims, families and society.

Coordinator Eicher can be reached at (918) 968-3526 ext. 1006

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Happy May Birthday Elders!

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 Debora Camille Steiner
 Elizabeth Ann Macias
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COVID-19 VACCINE

The Sac & Fox Nation is offering the Moderna Covid-19 vaccine to the general public. Anyone 18 yrs. or older is eligible. For more information and to schedule an appointment please contact the Black Hawk Health Center at (918) 968-9531 or (800) 830-0683.

WHAT ARE THE INGREDIENTS IN THE MODERNA COVID-19 VACCINE

The Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine contains the following ingredients: messenger ribonucleic acid (mRNA), lipids (SM-102, polyethylene glycol [PEG] 2000 dimyristoyl glycerol [DMG], cholesterol, and 1,2-distearoyl-sn-glycero-3-phosphocholine [DSPC]), tromethamine, tromethamine hydrochloride, acetic acid, sodium acetate trihydrate, and sucrose.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

The Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine uses mRNA to provide a blueprint for your cells to build your body's defense against SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19. The Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine does not contain SARS-CoV-2, or any virus—just the blueprint to help fight against it. The Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine may not protect everyone.

WHAT ARE SOME OF THE SIDE EFFECTS?

Side effects that have been reported with the Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine include:

Injection site reactions: pain, tenderness and swelling of the lymph nodes in the same arm of the injection, swelling (hardness), and redness

General side effects: fatigue, headache, muscle pain, joint pain, chills, nausea and vomiting, and fever

There is a remote chance that the Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine could cause a severe allergic reaction. A severe allergic reaction would usually occur within a few minutes to one hour after getting a dose of the Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine. For this reason, your vaccination provider may ask you to stay at the place where you received your vaccine for monitoring after vaccination. Signs of a severe allergic reaction can include: Difficulty breathing, swelling of your face and throat, a fast heartbeat, a bad rash all over your body, and dizziness and weakness

These may not be all the possible side effects of the Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine. Serious and unexpected side effects may occur. The Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine is still being studied in clinical trials.

DOES IT WORK?

Moderna vaccine is 95% effective 2 weeks after the second dose.

HOW LONG WILL IT LAST?

Studies are ongoing, but the latest research suggests 6 months.

SOURCES:

<https://www.fda.gov/media/144638/download>

<https://www.modernatx.com/covid19vaccine-eua/eua-fact-sheet-providers.pdf>

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SAC AND FOX NATION
2021 PRIMARY ELECTION
JUNE 5, 2021

VOTING BEGINS: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

POLLING SITES: **SHAWNEE** Shawnee Multi-Purpose Center
215 N. Harrison
Shawnee, OK 74801

STROUD Sac and Fox Nation Cultural Center
920907 S. Hwy. 99
Stroud, OK 74079

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Sac and Fox Nation Election Board

4/6/2021
Date

Section 408. Contest of Candidate Eligibility
Any candidate or eligible voter may challenge a candidate's legal qualifications to run for office by filing a written petition with the Election Board within three (3) business days of the closing of the filing period. Each petition shall state with particularity the reasons the candidate is not eligible to file for office. There is a one-hundred dollars (\$100.00) non-refundable cashier's check contest fee.

DEADLINE TO CONTEST: TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 2021 BY 4:30 P.M.

(Approved: 2010 SFNEB MINUTES-May 18, 2010 / Revised: June 24, 2014)

Sac and Fox Nation Education Department News

by Edwina Butler-Wolfe

We would like to inform again on some of the deadlines that the Education Department will be enforcing:

- Higher Education Applications: DOI and RAP Deadline for Fall Semester IS JUNE 10. ALL DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED BEFORE OR ON JUNE 10.

- School Clothing/school supplies: WE WILL START TAKING APPLICATIONS ON JUNE 1. IF YOU DID NOT SUBMIT RECEIPTS BEFORE APRIL 1, YOU WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR CLOTHING/SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR 21 SCHOOL YEAR.

- RAP 12TH GRADE (SENIOR GRADUATE) INCENTIVE GRANT:

1 STUDENTS MUST SUBMIT A COMPLETED 12TH GRADE GRADUATION APPLICATION WITH ALL THE REQUIRED INFORMATION AND RETURN THE APPLICATION TO THE SAC AND FOX NATION'S EDUCATION DEPARTMENT. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED AND WE WILL NOT BE CALLING FOR MISSING DOCUMENTS.

2 STUDENTS MUST SUBMIT A TRIBAL ENROLLMENT CARD

(CDIB) AS VERIFICATION OF MEMBERSHIP IN THE SAC AND FOX NATION.

3 STUDENTS MUST PROVIDE VERIFICATION OF HAVING GRADUATED FROM THE 12TH GRADE WITHIN SIXTY (60) DAYS OF GRADUATION. VERIFICATION MUST BE ON A SCHOOL'S LETTERHEAD AND SIGNED BY THE PRINCIPAL, COUNSELOR, OR TEACHER (ONLY IF HOME SCHOOLED) STATING THAT THE STUDENT HAS GRADUATED WITH THE REQUISITE NUMBER OF CREDITS AND HAS MET THE STATE GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS.

4 STUDENTS MUST SIGN AND SUBMIT THE PRIVACY STATEMENT AS PART OF THE APPLICATION.

5 STUDENTS DUALY-ENROLLED IN HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE AND/OR VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL SHALL NOT QUALIFY FOR BOTH HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE/VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL INCENTIVES IN THE SAME ACADEMIC YEAR.

6 EACH COMPLETED APPLICATION FROM A QUALIFIED SAC AND FOX STUDENT WILL BE REVIEWED IN THE ORDER IN WHICH IT WAS

RECEIVED. EACH ELIGIBLE STUDENT WILL RECEIVE \$1000 DEPENDING UPON THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS. NOTE: FUNDING IS ON A FIRST-COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS AND DOES REQUIRE THAT THE APPLICATION IS FULLY COMPLETED AND THE REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS ARE INCLUDED.

7 W-9 MUST BE FILLED OUT AND SIGNED BY STUDENT.

- RAP 8TH GRADE INCENTIVE GRANT:

1 STUDENTS MUST SUBMIT A COMPLETED 8TH GRADE GRADUATION APPLICATION AND RETURN THE APPLICATION TO THE SAC AND FOX NATION'S EDUCATION OFFICE WITHIN 60 DAYS OF GRADUATION.

2 STUDENTS MUST SUBMIT A TRIBAL ENROLLMENT CARD (CDIB) AS VERIFICATION OF MEMBERSHIP IN THE SAC AND FOX NATION.

3 STUDENTS MUST PROVIDE VERIFICATION OF HAVING GRADUATED FROM THE 8TH GRADE BY AUGUST 15TH OF THE GRADUATION YEAR. VERIFICATION MUST BE ON THE SCHOOL'S LETTERHEAD FROM THE PRINCIPAL, COUNSELOR, OR TEACHER (ONLY IF HOMES SCHOOLED) STATING THE STUDENT HAS GRADUATED WITH THE REQUISITE NUMBER OF CREDITS AND HAS MET THE STATE GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS.

4 STUDENTS MUST SIGN AND SUBMIT THE PRIVACY STATEMENT AS PART OF THE APPLICATION.

5 EACH COMPLETED APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY A QUALIFIED SAC AND FOX STUDENT WILL RECEIVE \$1000 DOLLARS. THE PROGRAM HAS LIMITED FUNDING; THEREFORE, THE PROGRAM WILL FUND AS MANY STUDENTS AS FUNDING PERMITS. NOTE: FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE ON A FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVE BASIS AND DOES REQUIRE THAT ALL OF THE ABOVE ARE INCLUDED WITH THE SUBMITTED APPLICATION.

6 W-9 IS REQUIRED TO BE SIGNED BY STUDENT.

The past month, we have had numerous consultations with public schools. Here is a list of schools that have had their Every Student Success Act Consultations:

SCHOOL and NUMBER OF SAC AND FOX STUDENTS ATTENDING:

Shawnee Public School 111
McLoud Public School 7
Tecumseh Public School 3
Stillwater Public School 10
Tulsa Public School 8
Cushing Public School 3
and Prague Public School 2

The Education Department is working on the planning of this summer and fall of having tutors available for virtual tutoring.

If you have any concerns or questions please call, 918 968-3526, ext: 2046 with your questions.

Edwina Butler-Wolfe

College Student Spotlight

My name is Anna Smist and I am a senior graduating from Yale College in New Haven, Connecticut at the end of May. I am Deer Clan and my grandmother is Mary McCormick.

At Yale, I am majoring in English and History of Art with a focus on Native literatures and contemporary Native art. This past year I have been a first-year counselor for my residential college called Branford, and in the years before that I was a Peer Liaison for the Native American Cultural Center (NACC) in which I supported Native first-years in their transition to college.

I went to high school in Norman and my transition to college was pretty hard. I was so far away from home and my family lost several members of our family during my first year. College has in no way been easy, but the NACC made it a lot better even though no one else was from our tribe because it reminded me of being around people from home. And then when I would come back home for breaks, my family and our community has always supported me and made me feel like what I was studying was important and that there was a reason to continue learning whatever I could while at school.

This past year, I wrote research papers on the efforts to repatriate Jim Thorpe's

remains, time in Native communities, and two plays Cherokee play right Lynn Riggs one of which served as the inspiration for Oklahoma! the musical. It is kind of strange to think about graduating from a place I have spent the better part of the last four years at, but I am very much looking forward to finally coming home and spending time with my family. Kewâwîg menepwa!



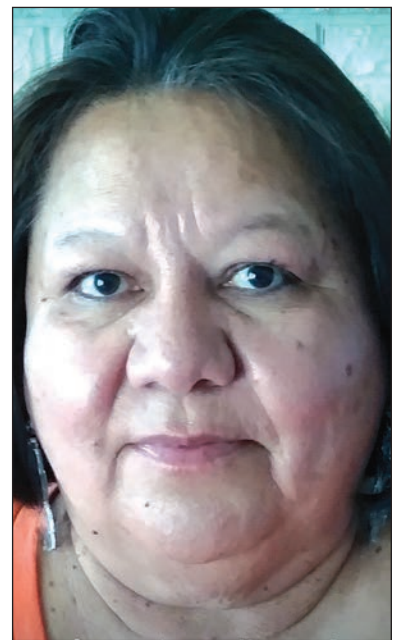
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**HAPPY 1ST BIRTHDAY,
MURPHY!
WE LOVE YOU!
FROM DADA, MAMA,
& SISTER**



Dear Tribal Members of the Sac and Fox Nation,

My name is Lana Butler, and I would like to announce my candidacy for the office of Secretary of the Sac and Fox Nation. I am an enrolled member of the Sac and Fox Nation, and a member of the Bear Clan. My Indian name is A-Si-Ke-Na-Sa-Bi. My deceased parents are, Roland Butler (enrolled member of Sac and Fox Nation) and Beverly Longhorn Butler (enrolled member of the Abenkee Shawnee Tribe). My grandfather was the late Dewey Butler. I have six living sister and one deceased sister. I have one son and daughter-in-law and four grandchildren. Born and raised and reside in Shawnee, Okla. My hobbies are working in the yard (landscaping), playing golf and checking on my elderly neighbors.



Upon graduating from Dale High School, I went to work for the Dept. of Justice in Oklahoma City over 19 years. I then pursued my interest in the medical field. I worked for 7 years for a surgeon in Seminole, and my duties consisted of receptionist, medical coder, biller and working with numerous medical insurance companies. I have been employed with the Black Hawk Health Center at the Sac and Fox Nation for two years. Being employed at the Health Center, I have gained first-hand knowledge about specific that affect the Sauk Nation. With your support and our combined efforts, we can strive to increase our efficiencies with our health center services and create new opportunities for advancement to help today's ongoing critical issues with our nation's health.

1. Look at better medical needs to serve our tribal people.
2. The need to get the clinic accredited so more revenue can be brought in.
3. Better serve our Sac and Fox Veterans by entering into a contract with the Veterans Administration.
4. Work with the Elders Programs.
5. Economic Development Plan for convenience store, gift shop and looking to increase revenues for the Nation.

The primary issue of my campaign will be improving communications, look at ways to help the elders and veterans with their needs. I will work on communication issues and I will be honest and fair to ALL tribal members. I have taken the time in the past years to attend the Annual General Council meeting, Special Meetings, RAP and other meetings that the Nation had scheduled. I have heard and seen what needs to be fixed. We need to change and move forward with the 21st Century. I am asking for your support to move us forward. Stand beside me and let's all work together.

Please contact me by email:
butlerlana@sfhooc.com

**VOTE FOR LANA BUTLER
FOR CHANGE ON AUGUST 28**

ATTENTION!

SAC AND FOX COLLEGE STUDENTS DEADLINE NOTICE

JUNE 10 IS THE DEADLINE FOR ALL RAP AND DOI HIGHER EDUCATION APPLICATIONS FOR FALL SEMESTER OF BOTH APPLICATIONS WILL NEED TO BE COMPLETE WITH ALL DOCUMENTS SIGNED BY SCHOOL AND SIGNED BY STUDENT.

LIST OF DOCUMENTS THAT NEEDS TO INCLUDED IN RAP AND DOI APPLICATIONS:

FIRST TIME COLLEGE APPLICANTS:

1. COMPLETE THE APPLICATIONS (RAP AND DOI)
- A. SIGN PRIVACY STATEMENT
- B. CDIB CARD/PROOF OF SAC AND FOX TRIBAL MEMBERSHIP
- C. PERSONAL LETTER STATING COLLEGE MAJOR AND CAREER GOALS
- D. ADMISSION LETTER FROM THE COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY
- E. COPY OF SEMESTER CLASS SCHEDULE
- F. COPY OF OFFICIAL HIGH SCHOOL OR COLLEGE TRANSCRIPT
- G. COMPLETED "VERIFICATION OF ACADEMIC ENROLLMENT FORM", MUST BE SIGNED BY COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY.
- H. RELEASE OF INFORMATION FORM
- I. W-9 FORM
- J. FINANCIAL NEEDS ANALYSIS FORM (FAFSA) IF APPLYING FOR DOI FUNDING. FORM WILL NEED TO BE SIGNED AND COMPLETED BY COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY

CONTINUING COLLEGES STUDENTS

IS THE SAME AS ABOVE EXCEPT STUDENT WILL NOT NEED TO DO PERSONAL LETTER, W-9 FORM, CDIB CARD. EVERYTHING LISTED IS REQUIRED TO BE A COMPLETED APPLICATION.

ALL DOCUMENTS ARE REQUIRED FOR FALL SEMESTER!!

**Sac and Fox Nation
Black Hawk Health Center
Covid-19 Statistics
(Through 4/15/21)**

County	Total Cases	Total Deaths
Lincoln	3198	69
Pottawatomie	8271	123
Payne	8623	70
Tests Performed*	Total Positives*	
1425	172	
Total Vaccinations Given		
1225		



*Indicates number of tests performed, not number of individual patients

Letter to Editor

Dear Tribal Members:

Having served as the Tribal Secretary for the Sac and Fox Nation for several terms of office, I want you to know what you can do, to preserve not only your own personal history, and family history, but you can also leave information for tribal history. Please know, when I received the Tribal Files in October of 1969, the files were in twelve (12) boxes, with one red box that contained the membership cards of each enrolled member, at that time.

The box of membership cards was used for a few years to control our Tribal Membership. Then, I created a file of manila folders for each enrolled tribal member. After a few years of usage of that method, I could see that a more durable file folder was needed. Thus, a red, heavier file folder was then purchased to transfer each individual tribal member to the more durable file.

I, then invited each member to send in copies of documentation of their personal achievements, that they wanted to have filed in their personal folder. That premise is still available today. However, that bit of information is not published more, for your information. Many members have attained great heights in their lives, and thus, we need to remember them, and their work. While serving the Sac and Fox Nation, I came to the conclusion, years ago, " - the Sac and Fox Nation are "smart people."

Thus, I do urge you to reply to the information for our Sac and Fox Nation

Historical purposes. We no longer visit each other, anymore, to " - keep our family history and stories alive." Yes, I know. We have had the Coronavirus-19 with us, all the past year. But, you must agree, we have lost a lot of our family and tribal stories. We are forgetting who we are "kin to."

Do you get my point? So, inform our Tribal Secretary (the Constitutional person), or mail in to her, all your personal family history. It would be good to begin with the grandparent's name, and their Roll number. Many of them will be listed with Indian names, maybe. Also, ask her for any information. That is the office that has all the tribal records.

This information is to each tribal member! So, feel free to do it.

Mary F. McCormick,
Past Tribal Secretary



Jacklyn (Petey) King for Secretary of the Sac and Fox Nation

Daughter of Jellene (Factor) Morehead and Granddaughter of Alice (Morris) Grant

Stroud resident • Proud mother of three enrolled tribal members • Thunder Clan

The duties and responsibilities of the Secretary's Office cannot be overlooked and must be consistently maintained and tended to. These tasks consist of, but are not limited to timely preparation of Business Committee and Governing Council meeting minutes, resolutions, agendas, deadline notices, maintaining a records management system of files, general correspondence, appointment notices to committees/commissions/boards/judges/justices, enrollment functions, familiarity with the various laws/policies/ordinances/bylaws, knowledge of corporation files and procedures, supervise and oversee Government staff personnel, and assist and support tribal members with any questions and concerns.

I am ready and prepared to assume the many challenges and tasks this Office presents. Please allow me the opportunity to bring to you my experience, knowledge and dedication to continue as your Secretary. I am respectfully requesting and looking forward to your vote in the Sac and Fox Nation General Election on August 28, 2021.



Kids and Grandkids Are G-R-E-A-T!!



We want to feature the scholastic, academic and athletic awards or achievements of your child or grandchild of the Sac and Fox Nation!
Send all pertinent information, such as name of student, town, school and grade attending, explanation of award or achievement, and names of parents and/or grandparents, along with a current photo of the student to:

newspaper@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov
or: Sac and Fox News, 920963 S. Hwy. 99
Stroud, OK 74079



**VOTE:
Nicholaus Jennings (LiTiKoWa) For Treasurer**

Ahō Châkînânekômenôkway all my relations:

My name is Nicholaus Jennings (LiTiKoWa) and I am the son of Mary Melissa Jennings, and the Grandson of the late Edwin C. Jennings (Jiggs) & Mary Olene Baker Jennings (Bobbie).

I'm a candidate for Treasurer and I'm asking for your vote in the Upcoming Primary Election June 5, 2021.

I began my Employment with the tribe in 2019 and quickly moved into my current position as Information Technology Assistant. During my time at the tribe, I have become familiar with how the tribal government works and developed relationships with employees from every department.

Where I may lack in experience, I will look to leaders who have served before, and I will continue to learn how and why our laws were enacted. Where I may lack in Education, I will listen to our elders and to those with the necessary education to help the nation rise to its potential. I will lead with an open mind, but stand strong in my values. I will look at each challenge with the vision for what is best for the tribe as a whole, now and into the future. As a young tribal member, I want to see our Nation become what it has the potential to be. I would like to see us become financially strong for the good of our People, our communities, and the citizens of our jurisdiction.

My Platform is simple. I want us to prosper. Prosperity starts with Leadership. Below is a summary of goals I have set for myself, should I become your next Treasurer.

Finances- as the elected Tribal Treasurer, it is mandated for the Treasurer to oversee all Financials for the Tribe. As Treasurer, I will work to ensure all finance employees have the knowledge, skills and resources to complete tasks completely, timely, and accurately. I will, with the help of my fellow BC members, Directors, and outside Contractors, if necessary, perform a review of the internal control processes and update the Processes and policies where necessary.

General Council- My Goal is to have the financials ready to be presented in the Council packet to allow tribal members time to process the information and ask questions, if any. My goal will to improve Communication between finance and the program directors as well as the Business Committee and the General Council.

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SAUK LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT PHILOSOPHY

Indians are born speaking our languages. For some of us, they lie dormant within our bodies. They are looking for a way out. God gave us these beautiful languages. All of us hold them in a sacred manner within. There is no such thing as an Indian person who cannot speak Indian.

Our language programs find these languages within our bodies. They bring them out through our mouths and deliver them to their rightful resting places within our hearts.

May Scramble

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 mhaôâiikntwywe _____
 nhâkÂêipmeha _____
 makêmhêê _____
 haipîspnkwi _____
 wkiemyâi _____
 keisweâmyainh _____
 kaaawênw _____
 akyahawap _____
 iiyâwâytpêkh _____

May 2021 Word Match

Âpâminehkêha	Butterfly
Kemiyâwi	Makes it rain
Kemiyâneshiwa	It rains
Kemiyânwihtôwa	There is a rainbow
Anakwêwa	Cattail
Anakwêwiwi	The trees bud
Pashkinîpiwi	Rainbow
Sâkipyêyâwi	Tree is budding out
Mêmêkêha	May
Apahkwaya	Gets caught in the rain

SAUK LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT HAPPENINGS & NEWS

May 2021
Âpâminehkêha
 (Moving Camp Moon)

From the Sauk Language Department.

The new Sauk I and Sauk II online courses are now available for high school students who want to learn Sauk. If you are interested in taking these courses, please contact the Sauk Language Department to learn more.

The Sauk Language Department now has 3 free downloadable, stand-alone language apps for both Android and iPhones. Go to Google Play Store or iTunes to get yours today, and start learning Sauk.

Join us online or visit our website for Sauk words and to play games at www.talksauk.com!

Suggestions and comments from tribal members are always welcome on programs you have attended, or would like to see scheduled.
 Call 918-968-3526 or 800-259-3970, or email at:
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May 2021 Quotations

You have to look deeper, way below the anger, the hurt, the hate, the jealousy, the self-pity, way down deeper where the dreams lie, Son. Find your dream. It's the pursuit of the dream that heals you.

Billy Mills, Oglala Lakota (1938)

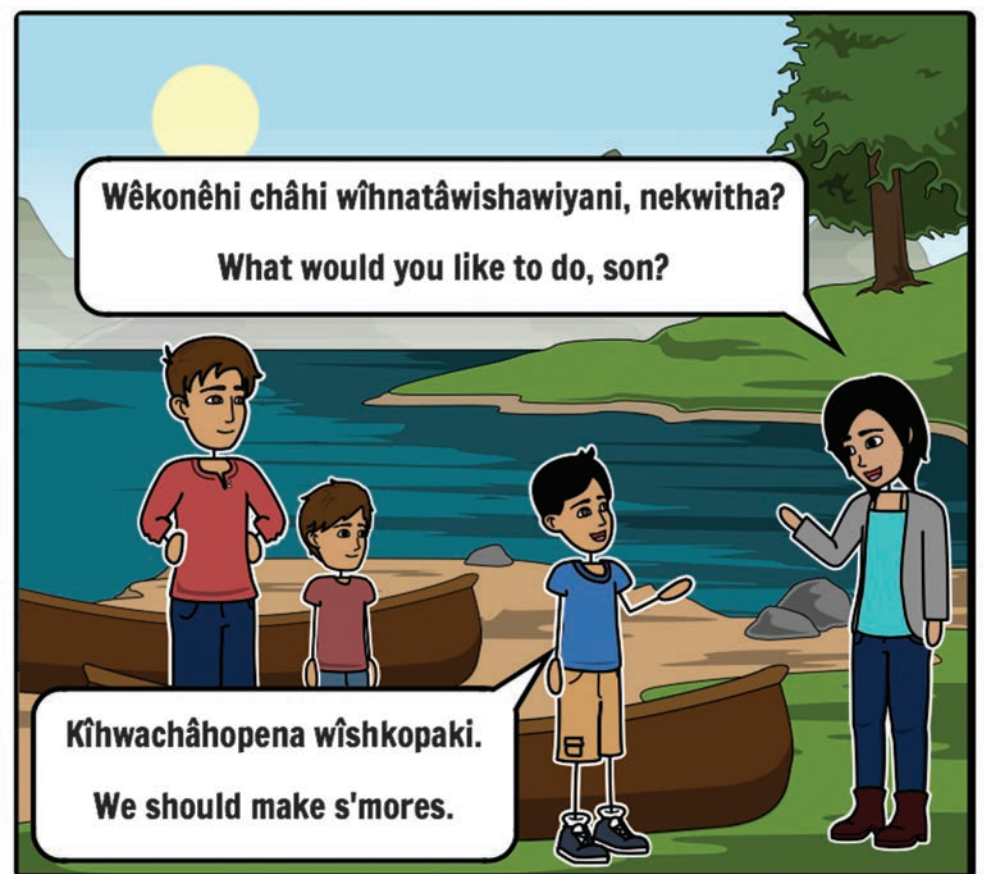
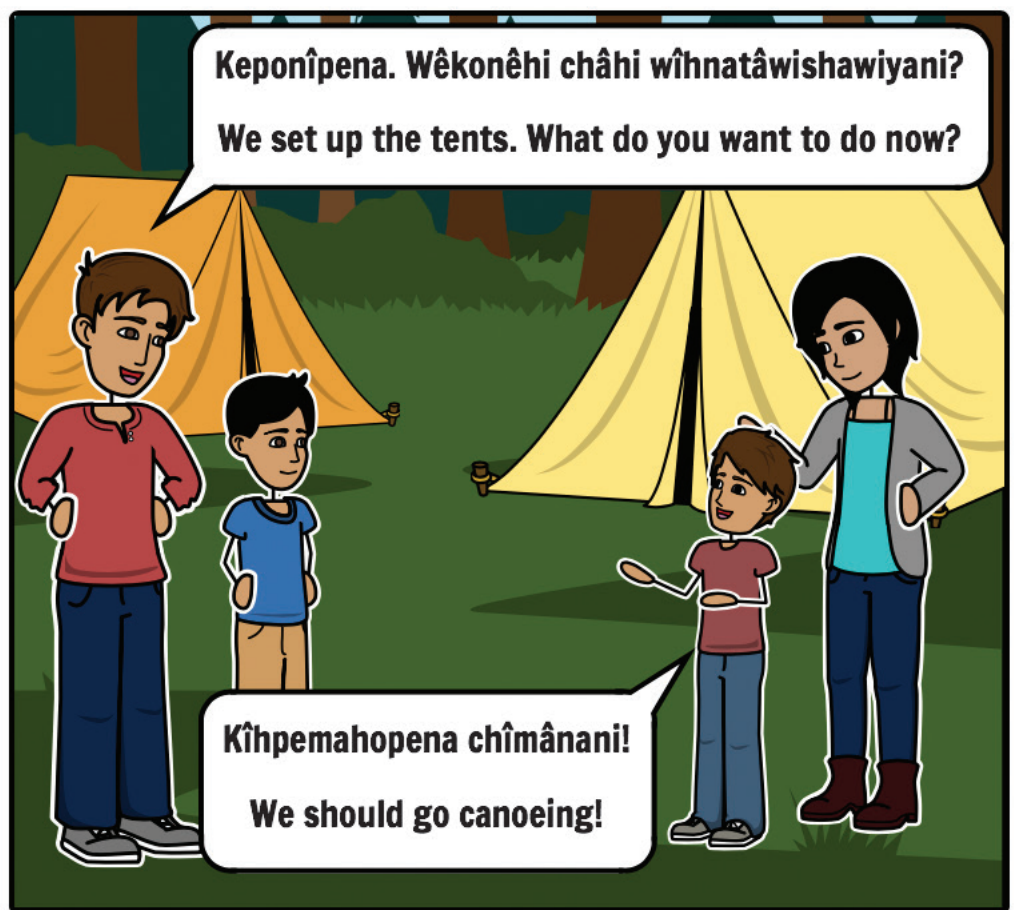
When you have a spiritual foundation, you look at poverty different then.

Russell Means, Lakota (1939-2012)

I am an Indian, American Indian. I prefer American Indian (because anyone born in the western hemisphere is a Native American).

Russell Means, Lakota (1939-2012)

May Comic



Business Committee Meeting Minutes

Please be advised that the following are official actions taken by the Business Committee in a Special Business Committee meeting held on March 23, 2021. These actions are to be followed up by the appropriate departments.

- 1) Jacklyn K. King motion to approve, with corrections, the Regular Business Committee meeting minutes dated March 4, 2021. Robert E. Williamson-2nd. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 2) Don W. Abney motion to approve, with corrections, the Recessed Regular Business Committee meeting minutes dated March 9, 2021. Jacklyn K. King-2nd. VOTE: Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes. Motion carried.
- 3) **Resolution SF-21-103**, A resolution adding six (6) persons to the Membership Roll of the Sac and Fox Nation in accordance with the Constitution and Laws of the Sac and Fox Nation. Don W. Abney-motion. Robert E. Williamson- 2nd. VOTE: Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes. Motion carried.
- 4) Jacklyn K. King motion to approve, with changes, the request for approval of the Sac and Fox Nation Juvenile Detention Center Policy and Procedure during a Pandemic Crisis. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes. Motion carried.
- 5) Jacklyn K. King motion to ratify straw poll for **Resolution SF-21-81**, a resolution approving and authorizing the submission of an application to the United States Department of Justice Office for SMART support for Adam Walsh Act Implementation Grant Program Fiscal Year 2021. (passed 03-01-21) Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes. Motion carried.
- 6) Robert E. Williamson motion to ratify straw poll for **Resolution SF-21-100**, a resolution approving the DDHS Administration for Native Americans Sauk Language Atowe Project Budget in the total amount of Two Hundred Sixty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-Two Dollars (\$265,922.00). The funding source is identified as the DHHS Administration for Native Americans Award #90NL0657-01-00 Year 1 of 3. (passed 3-11-21) Don W. Abney- 2nd. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 7) Don W. Abney motion to ratify straw poll for **Resolution SF-21-101**, a resolution approving the Administration for Native Americans Sauk Language Atowe Project In-Kind Match Budget in the total amount of Sixty-Seven Thousand Dollars (\$67,000.00). The funding source is identified as Fiscal Year 2021 Sauk Language Budget. Jacklyn K. King-2nd. VOTE: Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes. Motion carried.
- 8) Robert E. Williamson motion to ratify straw poll for **Resolution SF-21-102**, a resolution authorizing and approving an agreement between the Sac and Fox Nation and Larry Finch Building Corporation for a sanitation station located on the Pow Wow Campgrounds. The funding source is identified as the CARES Act Sanitation Stations CY 2021 Budget. (passed 3-18-21) Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes. Motion carried.
- 9) **Resolution SF-21-104**, a resolution approving the Black Hawk Health Center COVID-19 Provider Relief Funds Budget in the total amount of One Million Six Hundred Thirty-One Thousand Five Hundred Ninety-Eight Dollars (\$1,631,598.00). The funding source is identified as the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). Jared A. King-motion. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes. Motion carried.
- 10) **Resolution SF-21-105**, a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2021 Sauk Language Department Budget in the total funding amount of Two Hundred Twenty-One Thousand One Hundred Sixty-Nine Dollars (\$221,169.00). The funding source is identified as Treasury Appropriations. Jacklyn K. King-motion. Don W. Abney- 2nd. VOTE: Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes. Motion carried.
- 11) **Resolution SF-21-106**, a resolution approving Paycheck Protection Program Health Care Enhancement Act (PPPCEA) Budget in the amount of One Million Two Hundred Thirty-Four Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Eight Dollars (\$1,234,888.00). The funding source is identified as the Fiscal Year 2020 Indian Health Services Funding Agreement. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 12) **Resolution SF-21-107**, a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2021 Department of Interior Compact Library Budget in the total funding amount of One Hundred Thirty-One Thousand Dollars (\$131,000.00). The funding source is identified as the US Department of Interior Compact Multi-Year 2018-2021 Funding Agreement. Jacklyn K. King- motion. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes. Motion carried.
- 13) **Resolution SF-21-108**, a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2021 Revenue Allocation Plan 1.5% General Welfare Office of Enrollment Burial Assistance Budget in the total funding amount of Sixty-Seven Thousand Three Hundred Thirteen Dollars (\$67,313.00). The funding source is identified as the Fiscal Year 2021 Governing Council approved Resolution SF/GC-21-03. Jared A. King-motion. Robert E. Williamson-2nd. VOTE: Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes. Motion carried.
- 14) **Resolution SF-21-109**, a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2020 Economic Development Budget Modification #2 in the total funding amount of Seventy Thousand Two Hundred Three Dollars (\$70,203.00). The funding source is identified as Treasury Appropriations. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes. Motion carried.
- 15) Robert E. Williamson motion to approve request for the redirection of the Department Of Justice Tribal Victim Services Program (Elders) Grant #2019-VO-GX-0171 to be placed back under the Human Services Director to oversee. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes. Motion carried.
- 16) Robert E. Williamson motion to approve request for the renewal of Sac and Fox Nation Juvenile Detention Center Educational Contract for Summer School between the Sac and Fox Nation and Sharon Emmons Contract #2009-05-23k. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 17) Jacklyn K. King motion to approve, with changes, the revised job description for the Maintenance Director, including organizational chart. Robert E. Williamson-2nd. VOTE: Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes. Motion carried.
- 18) Robert E. Williamson motion to approve a renewal contract between Rose Rock CPA's PLLC and the Sac and Fox Nation Gaming Commission for Fiscal Year 2021 External Audit of the Nation's gaming facilities. Jared A. King-2nd. VOTE: Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes. Motion carried.
- 19) Jared A. King motion to approve juvenile detention service renewal agreement between the Sac and Fox Nation Juvenile Detention Center and the Otoe-Missouria, Contract #2020-03-05a. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Jacklyn K. King-2nd. VOTE: Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes. Motion carried.
- 20) Jared A. King motion to approve Fiscal Year 2021 RAP Elders Lawn Care Program. Robert E. Williamson-2nd. VOTE: Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes. Motion carried.
- 21) The recommendation of recipients for the Oklahoma Natives Asset Coalition (ONAC) Emergency Cash Assistance Program was acknowledged and accepted unanimously by the members of the Business Committee.
- 22) Jacklyn K. King motion to approve, with changes, the Legal Services Engagement and Billing Policy and Procedures. Robert E. Williamson-2nd. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 23) Robert E. Williamson motion to approve the 2021 Davenport Chamber of Commerce Membership in the amount of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00). Jared A. King-2nd. VOTE: Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes. Motion carried.
- 24) Jacklyn K. King motion to approve the 2021 Prague Chamber of Commerce Membership in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00). Jared A. King-2nd. VOTE: Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes. Motion carried.
- 25) Jacklyn K. King motion to approve the 2021 National Indian Gaming Association (NIGA) Membership in the amount of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00). Robert E. Williamson-2nd. VOTE: Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes. Motion carried.

Business Committee Meeting Minutes

- 26) Jacklyn K. King motion to approve the following Local (Government) Donations totaling Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$2,550.00): Stroud High School Prom Committee, One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00). North Rock Creek 3Up 3Down Baseball Booster, Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$350.00). Agra/Carney Public Schools, One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00). Chandler Chamber of Commerce, Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00). Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes. Motion carried.
- 27) Jacklyn K. King motion to approve the following Charitable Donations totaling Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$350.00): Oklahoma Prospects AAU High School Basketball Team, Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$350.00). Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.

Business Committee Meeting Minutes

Please be advised that the following are official actions taken by the Business Committee in a Regular Business Committee meeting held on April 9, 2021. These actions are to be followed up by the appropriate departments.

- 1) Don W. Abney motion to approve Special Business Committee meeting minutes dated March 23, 2021. Jacklyn K. King-2nd. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 2) Jared A. King motion to approve, with corrections, The Policy and Procedure for the Sac and Fox Nation Juvenile Detention Center. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes. Motion carried.
- 3) **Resolution SF-21-110**, a resolution authorizing and approving an agreement between the Sac and Fox Nation and Back 40 Design for the court website development. The funding source is identified as the Department of Justice Tribal Victims Services (Court) CY 2021 Budget. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes. Motion carried.
- 4) **Resolution SF-21-111**, a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2021 Revenue Allocation Plan 23% Tribal Government Operations Office of Enrollment Burial Assistance Budget in the Total funding amount of Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$80,000.00). The funding source is identified as the Fiscal Year 2021 Governing Council approved Resolution SF/GC-21-03. Jacklyn K. King-motion. Robert E. Williamson-2nd. VOTE: Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes. Motion carried.
- 5) **Resolution SF-21-112**, a resolution approving the Calendar Year 2021 Department of Justice Tribal Victim Services Program (Court) Budget Modification #1 in the total funding amount of Three Hundred Fourteen Thousand Six Hundred Seven Dollars (\$314,607.00). The funding source is identified as the Department of Justice Grant #2019-VO-GX-0117, Year 2 of 3. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes. Motion carried.
- 6) Robert E. Williamson motion to approve the following juvenile detention service renewal agreements for the following counties: Adair #2019-10-05b, Atoka #2019-10-06b, Caddo #2020-05-02a, Coal #2019-10-42b, Craig #2019-10-07b, Delaware #2019-10-09b, Garvin #2019-10-12b, Garfield #2019-10-11b, Greer #2019-10-47b, Harmon #2019-11-05b, Haskell #2019-10-38b, Latimer #2019-10-14b, Leflore #2019-10-45b, Love #2019-10-15b, McCurtain #2019-10-18b, McIntosh #2019-10-17b, Major #2019-10-19b, Nowata #2020-05-06a, Osage #2019-10-26b, Pittsburg #2019-10-28b. Don W. Abney-2nd. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 7) Don W. Abney motion to approve the combination of the Self Governance and Transportation Director and revised Organizational Chart; contingent upon funding, budget, and notification to proceed. Robert E. Williamson-2nd. VOTE: Don-Yes, Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes. Motion carried.
- 8) Jacklyn K. King motion to approve Local/Government Donations to Davenport Junior Class in the amount of Six Hundred Seventy-Five Dollars (\$675.00). Robert E. Williamson-2nd. VOTE: Jacklyn-Yes, Jared-Yes, Robert-Yes, Justin-Yes, Don-Yes. Motion carried.

May Word Search

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May 2021 Word List

Âpâminehkêha	May
Kemiyâwi	It rains
Kemiyâneshiwa	Gets caught in the rain
Kemiyânwihtôwa	Makes it rain
Anakwêwa	Rainbow
Anakwêwiwi	There is a rainbow
Pashkinîpiwi	Tree is budding out
Sâkipyêyâwi	The trees bud
Mêmêkêha	Butterfly
Apahkwaya	Cattail



Santana Spang

Santana Spang Graduates From Arizona State

Sac and Fox tribal member Santana Spang (Wákothekehêhêtà) graduated from Arizona State University's College of Health Solutions where she earned her Bachelor of Science degree, majoring in Medical Studies (Pre-Optometry).

Santana is the daughter of Sam and Carrie Spang, the granddaughter of Ray Spang and Jan Steens and Harriet Hunter, and the great-granddaughter of Marvin and (Marjorie) June Steens and Harrison and Doris Hunter.



Getting vaccinated protects you and the ones you love.

Helps keep you safe.

Studies show that COVID-19 vaccines are effective at keeping you from getting COVID-19. Getting a COVID-19 vaccine will also help keep you from getting seriously ill even if you do get COVID-19.

Why should I get the vaccine?

Key things to know

COVID-19 vaccines are safe and effective.

You may have side effects after vaccination, but these are normal.

It typically takes two weeks after you are fully vaccinated for the body to build protection (immunity) against the virus that causes COVID-19.

People who have been fully vaccinated can start to do some things that they had stopped doing because of the pandemic.

Effectiveness-What We Know

- COVID-19 vaccines are effective at keeping you from getting COVID-19.
- After you are fully vaccinated, you may be able to start doing some things you had stopped doing because of the pandemic.

Sac and Fox Nation

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Principal Chief JUSTIN WOOD
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 Committee Member ROBERT WILLIAMSON

STATEMENT OF RESIDENCE

To Whom It May Concern:

I hereby certify that the information I have provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand this information is subject to verification and that if I am found to have provided false or fraudulent information, I may be subject to prosecution under the law.

Additionally, the person(s) identified in this statement of residence will NOT be considered or claimed as part of my household for the current year for tax purposes.

I, _____, provide a place of residence, room and board only, to the person(s) listed:

First Name	Last Name	Social Security Number
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		

Place of Residence:

Address	City	State	Zip

Name of Homeowner/Renter/Landlord:

Signature _____ Date _____

Notary Seal: _____ Name of Notary: _____

Commission Expires: _____

Date: _____

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The W-9 FORM CAN BE FOUND IN THIS EDITION



SAC AND FOX NATION RAP ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

HARDSHIP

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 RAP APP
 Form#2011-01
 BC Approved on
 10/06/2020

NAME _____ PHONE# (____) _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

BIRTHDATE ____/____/____ SOCIAL SECURITY# xxx-xx-(____) SFN ROLL# _____

Sac and Fox Nation tribal membership will be verified by the Sac and Fox Nation RAP Department

Please List Statement of Need: _____

Please Provide the Following:
 Completed W-9 form and proof of residency.

CLIENT'S STATEMENT OF RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

I hereby authorize the Sac and Fox Nation RAP Department to make any necessary inquiries relating to my account's which the RAP Department may be considering making payment on my behalf. I understand that I have the right to a hearing of any action of the Sac and Fox Nation, which I consider improper, and also any unreasonable delay in decision. (Request for fair hearings may be made in writing to the Business Committee of the Sac and Fox Nation, 920963 S. Hwy. 99 Stroud, OK 74079) I understand that any person who knowingly, willfully and fraudulently provides false information for the purpose of obtaining benefits which he/she is otherwise ineligible to receive; may be subject to prosecution to the fullest extent to the appropriate Tribal statutes.

DATE _____ SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT OR GUARDIAN _____ GUARDIAN FOR _____

PERSON ASSISTING WITH APPLICATION _____ RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT _____

DATE _____ RAP SPECIALIST _____

Education Dept. to Distribute Excess Laptops From Social Security Office

by Edwina Butler-Wolfe
Director of Education Department

The Sac and Fox Nation Education Department would like to announce an upcoming project we are excited to fulfill with Mr. Jose Olivero, Public Affairs Specialist from Social Security Administration Office.

Mr. Olivero contacted the Sac and Fox

Nation Education Department in February, to see if we could utilize some of their excess laptops. We accepted 50 laptops on March 30, 2021. This opportunity will provide the technologies needed for various telecommunications while we continue to combat COVID-19.

My plan is to use the laptops for virtual tutoring for our Sac and Fox Stu-

dents, we would like to start sessions this summer if possible. This will allow our students to have additional resources for assistance and provide a safe environment virtually where our tribal students can receive a more one-on-one approach with their studies.

The Social Security Office also would like to help set up software with our health clinic for the Sac and Fox patients and tribal members who would need to do any business with the Social Security Office.

This would allow people to have ease of access to doing their business affairs with Social Security through the Health

Clinic, instead of having to travel to the nearest Social Security Office.

Interim Health Director Scott Miller has agreed and will be working out the logistics with the Social Security Office on additional actions needed to make this project successful. Sac and Fox Nation Education Department would like to thank everyone involved from the Nation and Mr. Jose Olivero for reaching out.

The following departments and organizations will be offered the laptops for their use within their departments or organizations as followed: Black Hawk Health Center, Library, Veterans, Elders, IT and Human Services.



Black Hawk Health Center staff members Rickey Cline and Ben Bailey are shown from left holding laptop computers received from Jose Olivero, who serves as public affairs specialist with the Social Security Administration's regional office. (Photo courtesy of Edwina Butler-Wolfe)



Vote For Charlotte (Gray) Valero Sac & Fox Nation Treasurer

I have worked in Indian Country for 32 years. I have spent the last 14 years working directly with the Bureau of Indian Affairs managing the trust assets for individual Indian trust land owners and settling land disputes.

It is time the Sac and Fox Nation Business Committee invest in your future by buying businesses and creating jobs throughout the jurisdiction, becoming self-efficient and non-dependent on federal agencies.

Goals:

- Expand Land Base
- Create Jobs by Buying Businesses
 - Purchase Tribal Nursing Home
 - Purchase Tribal Funeral Home
 - Develop the Tanger Property



My name is Carla Wallace and I am asking for your support in the election for Treasurer of the great Sac & Fox Nation. The combined effort of your vote on Saturday, June 5th and my professional finance and accounting experience will ensure the Finance Department will be held accountable to Tribal Members.

My parents, Harold and Kay Wallace, instilled the importance of a solid work ethic as well as respect to others. I have lived within the Sac & Fox Nation jurisdiction my entire life, currently residing in the Shawnee/Meeker, Oklahoma area where I grew up and have raised my sons Ryan and Dax, who are also members of the Sac & Fox Nation.

For over 20 years I worked in the Sac & Fox Nation Accounting Department, gaining valuable experience and knowledge in every aspect of finance. My career in Tribal Finance and Accounting now exceeds thirty years, giving me extensive knowledge of Tribal budgets, federal grants/contracts, banking and audit requirements as well as financial compliance. My education consists of an Associate Degree in Business and Accounting Certifications.

- Lifelong Sac & Fox Tribal Member
- 30+ years Tribal Finance & Accounting experience
- 20+ years serving as Sac & Fox Accounting employee
- Recipient of Treasurer Leadership Award
- Worked with Tribal Committees and Boards on revenue/expense reports
- Decades of attending Governing Council Meetings
- Served on Election Board
- Served as Interim Treasurer 2011-2013
- Proven fiscal responsibility
- Best qualified candidate for Treasurer

Now, more than ever, we need a Treasurer with financial experience and proven leadership skills. A Treasurer who will protect Tribal assets and work with the Business Committee to advance Tribal commerce.

Commitment to Serve as Your Treasurer:

I will uphold the Oath of Office of Treasurer; will attend Business Committee and Governing Council meetings; will issue payments to Tribal Members timely and accurately; will improve programs and services for Tribal Members and work to secure Tribal business ventures.

Respectfully, I ask for your vote in the Primary Election.

**Vote Carla Wallace
for Treasurer on Saturday, June 5th, 2021**



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Main Number: 918-968-3526

- Chief - 1004 • Second Chief - 1005 • Treasurer - 1006 • Secretary - 1007
 Committee Member - 1010 • BC Front Desk - 1009 • Tax - 1043-1045
 Accounting - 1030-1036 • Property and Procurement - 1020-1039-1022
 Maintenance - 2063 • BHHC - 918-968-9531 • ICW - 1711 • Court - 2039
 Library - 2020-2021 • Language - 1075 • JUVI - 4000
 USDA - 2077 (WIC 2079)-2080-2081-2082 (Warehouse USDA 2089)
 Education - 2046 • IT - 2041 • Police - 2033 • Self-Governance - 1080
 Capitol Security - 1090 • Realty - 1050 • Enrollment - 1040-1041
 RAP - 2000 - 2001 • Social Services - 2010-2011 • OES - 2091-2092-2094
 Veterans - 1065 • Newspaper - 1060 • Chief of Staff - 1001
 NAGPRA/Historic Preservation - 1070 • Covid Relief - 1819

2021 PER CAPITA PAYMENT INFORMATION

- Individual must be enrolled by September 30, 2021 to be eligible for the 2021 per capita payment.
 - Tribal members will need to submit a W9 to the Finance Department for the upcoming 2021 Per Capita Payment.
 - Once a W-9 form is received, it will be updated into our system and all payments due will be made at a time of distribution.
 - If an individual is a NEW tribal member, or has had a NAME CHANGE, a copy of Social Security card is needed for our records.
 - There is NO deadline on submitting a W9. All benefits will be mailed, no exceptions.
 - The IRS 1099 form will be mailed by January 31, 2022.
- NEW MINORS . . . PLEASE SEND COPY OF SOCIAL SECURITY CARD SO WE CAN GET TRUST ACCOUNTS ESTABLISHED**

W-9 Form

It is critical that the W-9 Form be completed correctly and thoroughly for each individual tribal member. Be sure to fill out your NAME, MAILING ADDRESS, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER, and then SIGN and DATE your form.

Required Legal Documents

If you have had a name change due to marriage, divorce, adoption, etc., it is important the Finance Department has a copy of your social security card. All other legal documents could be sent to the Enrollment Department so their records can be updated. Any guardianship or Power of Attorney documents need to be on file with the Finance Department.

Minors

Parents or guardians are responsible for providing a W-9 for minor children; not doing so could result in the minor's payment not being deposited into the minor's trust fund account in a timely manner.

Contact information - Finance Department

For identity security purposes a W-9 form will not be accepted by e-mail. Completed forms may be hand delivered, mailed, or faxed.

Contact information:

Sac and Fox Nation
Finance Department
920963 S. Hwy 99, Bldg. A
Stroud, Oklahoma 74079

Direct fax 918-968-4528

If you have any questions, please contact the Finance Department staff by phone at 918-968-3526 or 800-259-3970 ext. 1033, 1038 or 1027.

Tax Liability Notification

What are the withholding requirements for distributions that are made per a Revenue Allocation Plan (RAP)? The first step is to identify the source of funds used for the distribution. Unless the source of funds is specifically exempt from taxation, the amounts that make up the distributions to tribal members are taxable.


Which funds get reported on Form 1099-Misc? Distributions could be derived from many sources, including the profits from a tribal business other than a Class II or Class III gaming operation, interest income on investments, or rental payments from tribal lands. All these payments require a tribe to prepare a Form 1099-MISC

When does a person receive a Form 1099-Misc, Statement for Recipients of Miscellaneous Income? If a person receives **\$600 or more in 1 calendar year** from the same source, that amount must be reported on a Form 1099, and that Form 1099-Misc. must be provided to the individual.

It is only the amount distributed from NET GAMING REVENUE that is subject to withholding. The Internal Revenue Code provides that "Every person, including an Indian tribe, making a payment to a member of an Indian tribe from the net revenues of any Class II or Class III gaming activity conducted or licensed by such tribe, shall deduct and withhold from such payment a tax in an amount equal to such payment's proportionate share of the annualized tax." The amount to withhold is provided in Withholding Tables found in IRS Publication 15-A, Employer's Supplemental Tax Guide.

If the Indian tribe anticipates making a distribution of any kind, the Indian tribe needs the tribal members' Social Security number before the distribution is made. If an Indian tribe does not know a tribal member's Social Security number at the time of distribution, the distribution is subject to "backup withholding" (at 28% in 2009). (Source: Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Indian Tribal Governments Frequently Asked Questions, Last Reviewed or Updated: April 22, 2013)

Per capita payments could affect any Tribal, Federal, State, and/or Local benefits you may receive or programs in which you participate. The Sac and Fox Nation encourage you to check with your tax accountant or benefit specialist.



SAC AND FOX NATION
920963 S. Hwy. 99, Building A • Stroud, OK 74079 • (918) 968-1141 • FAX (918) 968-1142

NAME CHANGE AND/OR CHANGE OF ADDRESS FORM

NAME

PRINT CURRENT FULL NAME (First, Middle & Last) _____ ROLL NUMBER _____

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

A COPY OF THE LEGAL DOCUMENT CHANGING YOUR NAME AND A COPY OF YOUR NEW SOCIAL SECURITY CARD MUST BE ATTACHED.

PLEASE LIST PREVIOUS NAME (PRINT) _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

MAILING ADDRESS

<u>OLD</u>	<u>NEW</u>
ADDRESS _____	ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____	CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

STREET ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT THAN MAILING ADDRESS)

<u>OLD</u>	<u>NEW</u>
STREET ADDRESS _____	STREET ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____	CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

CHANGE OF ADDRESS FOR MINORS REQUIRE A W-9 FORM BE COMPLETED FOR THE BANK. PLEASE REQUEST A FORM FOR EACH CHILD FROM THE ENROLLMENT DEPARTMENT, 918-968-3526 ext. 1040 or 1041.

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE ENROLLMENT DEPARTMENT

Date Electronic File Was Updated _____ Date Sac and Fox News Was Notified _____ Staff Initials _____

NOTICE

Why does a W-9 needed to be submitted yearly?

If a tribal member receives income that is taxable, a 1099 must be issued for Tax Purposes. The W-9 also serves as a yearly address update.

Can the allotted minor payment be refused in order to have the entire per capita payment be deposited in trust? Yes, but in order to do so we must still receive a W-9 for the same reasons stated above. We would also need a written statement to that effect to be included with the W-9.

↓ W-9 FORM MUST BE CUT ON DOTTED LINE BEFORE MAILING ↓

Form W-9
(Rev. October 2018)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

**Request for Taxpayer
Identification Number and Certification**

Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

**Give Form to the
requester. Do not
send to the IRS.**

1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank. X

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check **only one** of the following seven boxes.

Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC

C Corporation

S Corporation

Partnership

Trust/estate

Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership) ▶ _____

Note: Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is **not** disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.

Other (see instructions) ▶ _____

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):

Exempt payee code (if any) _____

Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____

(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions.

6 City, state, and ZIP code

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Requester's name and address (optional)
SAC AND FOX NATION
920883 S. HIGHWAY 99 BLDG. "A"
STROUD, OKLAHOMA, 74079

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number _____

or
Employer identification number _____

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign Here Signature of U.S. person ▶ Date ▶ X

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)
- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding, later.

Cat. No. 10231X Form **W-9** (Rev. 10-2018)

FNS HANDBOOK 501
EXHIBIT M

FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM ON INDIAN RESERVATIONS (FDPIR)
FY 2021 NET MONTHLY INCOME STANDARDS
(Effective October 1, 2020 to September 30, 2021)

The net monthly income standard for each household size is the sum of the applicable Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) net monthly income standard and the applicable SNAP standard deduction.

48 Contiguous United States: **Use this Amount**

Household Size	SNAP Net Monthly Income Standard		SNAP Standard Deduction		FDPIR Net Monthly Income Standard
1	\$1,064	+	\$167	=	\$1,231
2	\$1,437	+	\$167	=	\$1,604
3	\$1,810	+	\$167	=	\$1,977
4	\$2,184	+	\$181	=	\$2,365
5	\$2,557	+	\$212	=	\$2,769
6	\$2,930	+	\$243	=	\$3,173
7	\$3,304	+	\$243	=	\$3,547
8	\$3,677	+	\$243	=	\$3,920
each additional member					\$374

Alaska: **Use this Amount**

Household Size	SNAP Net Monthly Income Standard		SNAP Standard Deduction		FDPIR Net Monthly Income Standard
1	\$1,330	+	\$286	=	\$1,616
2	\$1,796	+	\$286	=	\$2,082
3	\$2,263	+	\$286	=	\$2,549
4	\$2,730	+	\$286	=	\$3,016
5	\$3,196	+	\$286	=	\$3,482
6	\$3,663	+	\$304	=	\$3,967
7	\$4,130	+	\$304	=	\$4,434
8	\$4,596	+	\$304	=	\$4,900
each additional member					\$467

FNS HANDBOOK 501
EXHIBIT M

FY 2021 FDPIR Income Deductions (see 7 CFR 253.6(e))
Effective October 1, 2020 to September 30, 2021

Earned Income Deduction	Households with earned income are allowed a deduction of 20 percent of their earned income.
Dependent Care Deduction	Households that qualify for the dependent care deduction are allowed a deduction of actual dependent care costs paid monthly to a non-household member.
Child Support Deduction	Households that incur the cost of legally required child support to or for a non-household member are allowed a deduction for the amount of monthly child support paid.
Medical Expense Deduction	Households that incur monthly medical expenses by any household member who is elderly or disabled are allowed a deduction in the amount of out-of-pocket medical expenses paid in excess of \$35 per month. Allowable medical expenses are provided at 7 CFR 273.9(d)(3).
Home Care Meal-Related Deduction	Households who furnish the majority of meals for a home care attendant are allowed an income deduction equal to the maximum SNAP benefit for a one-person household. The home care meal-related deduction amounts are as follows: 48 Contiguous U.S. States = \$204 Alaska by Area Designations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban = \$251 • Rural 1 = \$320 • Rural 2 = \$390 See 7 CFR 272.7(b) for area designations in Alaska.
Standard Shelter/Utility Expense Deduction	Households that incur at least one monthly shelter or utility expense are allowed a standard income deduction (see chart below). Allowable shelter/utility expenses are provided at 7 CFR 273.9(d)(6)(ii).

FNS HANDBOOK 501
EXHIBIT M

FY 2021 FDPIR Standard Shelter/Utility Expense Deductions
Effective October 1, 2020 to September 30, 2021

Baseline by Region*

Region	States Currently with FDPIR Programs	Shelter/Utility Deduction
Northeast/Midwest	Michigan, Minnesota, New York, Wisconsin	\$450
Southeast/Southwest	Arizona, Mississippi, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Texas, Utah	\$350
Mountain Plains	Colorado, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming	\$450
West	Alaska, California, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Washington	\$400

*If the geographic boundaries of an Indian reservation extend to more than one region per the identified regional groupings above, then a qualifying household has the option to receive the appropriate shelter/utility expense deduction amount for the State in which the household resides or the State in which the State agency's central administrative office is located.

Title VI - Elders Meals
May 2021 Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
26	27	28	29	30
3 HAM SWEET POTATO CASSEROLE GREEN BEANS SALAD MIXED FRUIT	4 CHICKEN ENCHILADA CASSEROLE SPANISH RICE CORN SALAD TROPICAL FRUIT	5 SALMON CROQUETTES CALIFORNIA BLEND RICE PILAF SALAD MIXED BERRIES	6 HAMBURGER STEW CORN BREAD SALAD APRICOTS	7 PANCAKES SUGAR FREE SYRUP BACON BLUEBERRIES MILK
10 SLOPPY JOE SANDWICHES TATOR TOTS SALAD FRUIT COCKTAIL	11 BBQ BOLOGNA FRIED OKRA PEAS SALAD MANDARIN ORANGES	12 BEEF FAJITAS W/PEPPERS AND ONIONS CAULIFLOWER SALAD MANGO	13 CHICKEN CORDON BLEU MIXED VEGETABLES ROASTED POTATOES SALAD PEACH COBBLER	14 BREAKFAST BURRITO HASHBROWN PEACHES JUICE
17 CLOSED DAY OF OBSERVANCE SAC AND FOX VICTORY DAY	18 GRILLED CHICKEN WRAP TABOULI FRUIT YOGURT	19 HAMBURGER STEAK W/ONIONS MASHED POTATOES CARROTS SALAD SHERBERT	20 BLT SANDWICH BAKED CHIPS MACARONI SALAD SUGAR FREE COOKIES	21 SAUSAGE GRAVY BISCUITS FRIED POTATOES CANTALOUPE JUICE
24 SOFT TACOS W/FIXINGS REFRIED BEANS CORN ICE CREAM	25 BAKED POTATO BAR W/FIXINGS SALAD BANANA PUDDING	26 CHICKEN POT PIE BROCCOLI SALAD STRAWBERRIES	27 BBQ RIBS CORN ON COB POTATO SALAD SALAD APPLE COBBLER	28 CEREAL W/ MILK SCRAMBLED EGGS BACON PEAR JUICE
31 CLOSED DAY OF OBSERVANCE MEMORIAL DAY	Notes MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE.			

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<https://www.ver>

May 2021

**SAC AND FOX NATION
FOOD DISTRIBUTION
PROGRAM**
STROUD WAREHOUSE
918-968-3030 • 1-800-256-3398
SHAWNEE OFFICE
405-395-0063 • 1-886-622-2310

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
3	4 ELDERS DAY	5 ELDERS DAY SHIPMENT	6 ELDERS DAY	7 SHAWNEE HD
10 LATE NIGHT SHAWNEE 12PM - 6PM	11	12	13 STROUD HD	14 SHAWNEE HD
17 CLOSED FOR SF VICTORY DAY	18	19 SHIPMENT	20 STROUD HD	21 SHAWNEE HD
24 LATE NIGHT STROUD 8AM-6PM SHAWNEE 12 PM- 6PM	25	26	27 CLOSED FOR INVENTORY	28 CLOSED FOR INVENTORY
31 CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY				

**ALL FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS
ARE BY APPOINTMENT ONLY! THANK YOU!!**

HOURS		HOME DELIVERIES ARE FOR HOMEBOUND AND/OR DISABLED ELDERS. CALL OUR STROUD OFFICE TO SEE IF YOU QUALIFY.
MONDAY - FRIDAY		
CERTIFICATION	8:00 am - 4:30 pm	This institution is an equal opportunity provider.
STORE	8:30 am - 2:30 pm	
STORE AM INVENTORY	8:00 am - 8:30 am	
STORE PM INVENTORY	2:30 pm - 4:30 pm	

Business Committee Meeting Minutes
are now accessible on the Website and Facebook
sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov



**Elect
Amanda
Ramirez**

**Sac and Fox
Nation
Treasurer**

Hello my fellow Tribal members,

My name is Amanda Ramirez and I am seeking your vote for Treasurer. I am the daughter of Edward Wood, granddaughter of Freeland Wood Jr., and great granddaughter of Lorena Mack-Wood. My husband Anthony and I have one daughter, Amora. We live in Shawnee and attend Sallateeska Baptist Church where I have served as Treasurer for the past thirteen years.

Three years ago, I started a financial services and education business; helping individuals, families, and businesses learn about money and, recently obtained my license to be a Financial Advisor. I know the importance on managing money properly, creating and following budgets, and working towards and reaching financial goals. I have a strong desire to serve and help people and I believe with the knowledge and skills I have attained can help grow our great Nation. I will ensure that our Nation is strong now and into the future. I will do my best and work hard for you.

With gratitude,
Amanda Ramirez

SAC AND FOX NATION 2021 PRIMARY ELECTION

REQUEST FOR ABSENTEE BALLOT

**THE ELECTION BOARD MUST RECEIVE THIS FORM BY DEADLINE DATE OF
MAY 6, 2021**

(FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE, THIS FORM MAY BE DUPLICATED)

NAME (Please Print): _____
(First) (Middle) (Maiden) (Last)

ADDRESS: _____ **CITY:** _____ **STATE:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

ROLL #: _____ **DATE OF BIRTH:** _____

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

All requests must be returned by mail (only) to the address below

**SAC AND FOX NATION ELECTION BOARD
P.O. BOX 240
STROUD, OKLAHOMA 74079**

PLEASE fill out EACH BLANK completely and return by deadline date.

**ELECTION BOARD USE ONLY
PRIMARY REQUEST**

RECEIVED: _____ APPROVED: _____ MAILED BALLOT: _____

DISAPPROVED: _____ REASON: _____

ELECTION BOARD

Chairman	Vice-Chairman	Secretary	Assistant Secretary
Member	Member	Member	Member
Member	Member	Member	Member

RAP Department Application Form



SAC AND FOX NATION RAP ASSISTANCE APPLICATION TRIBAL ENERGY

FAX: 918-968-4207
 PH: 918-968-3526
 EXT: 2001
 EMAIL: sfnrap@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov
 ADDRESS: 920963 S. Hwy 99
 Stroud, OK 74079
 RAP APP
 Form#2011-01
 BC Approved on
 10/06/2020

NAME _____ PHONE# (____) _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

BIRTHDATE ___/___/___ SOCIAL SECURITY# xxx-xx-(____) SFN ROLL# _____

Sac and Fox Nation tribal membership will be verified by the Sac and Fox Nation RAP Department

Please List Statement of Need: _____

Please Provide the Following:

The most current bill you are requesting assistance with & proof of residency if the bill is not in your name.

CLIENT'S STATEMENT OF RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

I hereby authorize the Sac and Fox Nation RAP Department to make any necessary inquiries relating to my account's which the RAP Department may be considering making payment on my behalf. I understand that I have the right to a hearing of any action of the Sac and Fox Nation, which I consider improper, and also any unreasonable delay in decision. (Request for fair hearings may be made in writing to the Business Committee of the Sac and Fox Nation, 920963 S. Hwy. 99 Stroud, OK 74079) I understand that any person who knowingly, willfully and fraudulently provides false information for the purpose of obtaining benefits which he/she is otherwise ineligible to receive; may be subject to prosecution to the fullest extent to the appropriate Tribal statutes.

DATE _____	SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT OR GUARDIAN _____	GUARDIAN FOR _____
	PERSON ASSISTING WITH APPLICATION _____	RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT _____
DATE _____	RAP SPECIALIST _____	

Sac and Fox Nation 2021 Election Dates to Remember

FILED
 SAC AND FOX NATION DATE 01-26-2021
 SECRETARY
 SAC & FOX NATION
Judith K. King

NOTICE OF POSITIONS FOR ELECTION

The Sac and Fox Nation Election Board is declaring and officially posting the following positions that will be open for the 2021 election year.

BUSINESS COMMITTEE POSITIONS
TREASURER
SECRETARY
GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE
GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE

Georgia F. Nullake
 Georgia F. Nullake, Chairman
 Sac and Fox Nation Election Board

January 26, 2021
 Date

**Sac and Fox Nation
 2021 Election Dates to Remember
 (Approved: January 26, 2021)**

FILED
 DATE 01-26-2021
 SECRETARY
 SAC & FOX NATION
Judith K. King

Section 201. Election Days

(c) Any such Primary Election shall be held at least thirty (30) days prior to the regular General Election.
 PRIMARY ELECTION: Saturday, June 5, 2021.

Section 201. Election Days

(a) Regular General Elections of members of the Business Committee and Grievance Committee shall be held on the last Saturday in August of each election year. All other required Tribal elections shall be held upon call of the Business Committee.
 GENERAL ELECTION: Saturday, August 28, 2021.

Section 208. Poll Watchers

Each candidate may designate in writing one person, not a candidate, to watch the activities at the polls. Such designation shall be presented to Election Board Officials prior to the election. Such persons may not interfere in any way with the conduct of the election, but may observe only. Any poll watcher interfering with the election or attempting to electioneer, in any way, shall be rejected from the poll area by a Sergeant of Arms or law enforcement officer.

PRIMARY ELECTION:

Notification of Poll Watchers Deadline: Friday, May 28, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

GENERAL ELECTION:

Notification of Poll Watchers Deadline: Friday, August 20, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

All notifications must be sent to the Sac and Fox Nation Election Board, 920883 S. Hwy 99, Bldg. A, Stroud, OK 74079

Section 302. Voting List

(a) It shall be the duty of the Tribal Secretary to compile from the Tribal membership rolls a list of all persons who will be eligible voters on the date scheduled for the Primary Election and General Election and to present sufficient certified copies of this list as requested to the Election Board no later than sixty (60) days prior to the Primary Election and no later than sixty (60) days prior to the General Election. The said copies are to be returned to the Tribal Secretary.
 (b) One copy of the voting list shall be maintained in the Tribal Office and be open to public inspection during Regular business hours no later than sixty (60) days prior to the election.

PRIMARY ELECTION:

Voting List Open to the public: Tuesday, April 6, 2021

GENERAL ELECTION:

Voting List Open to the public: Tuesday, June 29, 2021

Section 303. Challenges to Voting Lists

(a) At any time more than twenty (20) days before the Primary Election and General Election, any person may challenge the voting eligibility of any person whose name appears on said list, or may apply to have their name added to said list by filing an application with the Election Board. The application shall clearly indicate the substance of the challenge, the specific names challenged, and the relief requested.

PRIMARY ELECTION:

Deadline for Challenges: Friday, May 14, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

GENERAL ELECTION:

Deadline for Challenges: Friday, August 6, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

Section 402. Filing for Office

To be eligible for election and have one's name placed upon the ballot Notice of Candidacy for an elective office must be filed with: The Tribal Secretary after depositing the candidate's non-refundable filing fee of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) (cashier's check only) with the Tribal Treasurer during regular business hours at the Tribal Office complex not later than sixty-five (65) calendar days prior to the date of the Primary Election and General Election. The Tribal Secretary shall notify the Chairman of the Election Board of all candidates who have filed for office.

Opening date to File for Office: Tuesday, January 26, 2021

PRIMARY ELECTION

Closing date to File for Office: Thursday, April 1, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

If no Primary Election is held, the closing date to File for Office for

GENERAL ELECTION: Thursday, June 24, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

Section 403. Petition for Office

A petition of ten (10) or more members of Council may submit a written notice with required filing fees of two hundred (\$200.00) non-refundable (cashier's check only), no later than sixty-five (65) calendar days prior to the date of the Primary Election and/or General Election stating the name of the candidate, age, birth date, and proof of actual residence and domicile.

PRIMARY ELECTION:

Deadline to Petition for Office: Thursday, April 1, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

If No Primary Election is held, the deadline to Petition for Office for the

GENERAL ELECTION: Thursday, June 24, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

Section 406. Withdrawals

Any candidate for office may withdraw by filing a written notice of withdrawal with the Election Board at any time within ten (10) days after the closing date of filing for office. Such notice shall contain the candidates name, the office filed for, a statement of withdrawal and shall be notarized or sworn to before a person authorized to administer oaths. (Required filing fee non-refundable)

PRIMARY ELECTION deadline to Withdraw: Saturday, April 10, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

GENERAL ELECTION deadline to Withdraw: Saturday, July 3, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

Section 408. Contest of Candidate Eligibility

Any candidate or eligible voter may challenge a candidate's legal qualifications to run for office by filing a written petition with the Election Board within three (3) business days of the closing of the filing period. Each petition shall state with particularity the reasons the candidate is not eligible to file for office. There is a one-hundred dollars (\$100.00) non-refundable cashier's check contest fee.

PRIMARY ELECTION:

Deadline to Contest Candidate Eligibility: Tuesday, April 6, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

GENERAL ELECTION:

If no Primary Election, deadline to Contest Candidate Eligibility: Tuesday, June 29, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

Section 602. Application for Absentee Ballot

Qualified voters wishing to cast vote by absentee ballots shall notify the Election Board not sooner than ninety (90) days and not later than thirty (30) days prior to the election. Such notices must be in writing and must include the correct mailing address of the person making the request. Only one ballot per written request.

PRIMARY ELECTION:

Requests will be accepted from Sunday, March 7, 2021 and cannot accept requests after Thursday, May 6, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

GENERAL ELECTION:

Requests will be accepted from Sunday, May 30, 2021 and cannot accept requests after Thursday, July 29, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

Section 706. The Tally

The Election Board shall unlock the ballot box(es), shall remove the ballots one by one, and as each one is removed, the clerks shall read off the names of the candidates marked thereupon. At least two election officials shall view each ballot, and each counter shall keep a separate tally of the votes cast. Each candidate may select a watcher of their choice, not a candidate, to observe and keep a separate record of the tally of the ballots, and who shall not interfere with the tally process. After the tally is complete, all ballots, absentee ballots, voter registers, and ballot boxes shall be transported to the Sac and Fox Nation Tribal Court House.

PRIMARY ELECTION Deadline for Notification: Friday, May 28, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

GENERAL ELECTION Deadline for Notification: Friday, August 20, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

All notifications must be sent to the Sac and Fox Nation Election Board, 920883 S. Hwy 99, Bldg. A, Stroud, OK 74079.

Section 710. Certification of Election

The election shall be certified by the Election Board immediately after the ten (10) day period for filing an election contest expires, provided, that if an election contest petition is filed within the time period allowed, then no Certificate of Election shall be issued until after such election contest is finally decided.

PRIMARY ELECTION:

If the tally is completed on Saturday, June 5, 2021, Certification is on Tuesday, June 15, 2021.

If the tally is completed on Sunday, June 6, 2021, Certification is on Wednesday, June 16, 2021.

GENERAL ELECTION:

If the tally is completed on Saturday, August 28, 2021, Certification is on Tuesday, September, 7, 2021.

If the tally is completed on Sunday, August 29, 2021, Certification is on Wednesday, September 8, 2021.

Section 802. Contest Petition

A candidate or qualified voter contesting a Tribal Election shall, within ten (10) days after completion of the tally of the election and declaration of the results, shall deposit a two hundred dollar (\$200.00) non-refundable cashier's check contest filing fee with the Tribal Treasurer, file with the Election Board a statement in writing setting forth their particular grounds for the contest. The statement shall be verified by affidavit of the contestor(s) that they believe the matters and things therein contained are true. After the statement is filed the Election Board shall set a time for a hearing of the contest, no later than ten (10) days after the date on which the statement of contest was filed. Written notice of such hearing shall be mailed or delivered to each candidate for the office contested. Any party to the election protest and the Election Board shall have the right to view the election ballots and records in the presence of the Court Clerk in the clerk's office. Any party to the protest or a Tribal member shall be entitled to receive a photocopy of said documents certified as true and correct copies by the Court Clerk upon payment to said clerk of the normal and customary charges.

Said certified copies shall be received as evidence by the Election Board in like manner as an original. Alternatively the Election Board, upon request of a party or on its own motion, may convene a hearing for any protested election at the Tribal Courthouse for the purpose of review of said election materials. After hearing the proofs and allegations of the contestants, the Election Board shall make their findings and shall have authority to pronounce their judgment either setting aside, or confirming the election.

PRIMARY ELECTION:

If the tally is completed on Saturday, June 5, 2021

The Contest Petition deadline date: Tuesday, June 15, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

If the tally is completed on Sunday, June 6, 2021

The Contest Petition deadline date: Wednesday, June 16, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

GENERAL ELECTION:

If the tally is completed on Saturday, August 28, 2021

The Contest Petition deadline date: Tuesday, September 7, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

If the tally is completed on Sunday, August 29, 2021

The Contest Petition deadline date: Wednesday, September 8, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

Section 805. Request for Recount

Since the Election Ordinance provides for automatic recount of ballots, any request for recount of ballots must list the reasons therefore in writing and be submitted to the Election Board Chairman, or the Chairman's designated representative within five (5) days after the election. Such request must be accompanied by a non-refundable cashier's check of two-hundred dollars (\$200.00) made payable to the Sac and Fox Nation. Said check shall be forwarded to the Tribal Secretary-Treasurer to be credited against the cost of the recount. The Election Board shall meet and decide within ten (10) days of receipt of the notice whether or not the reasons listed in the request are sufficient to cause a recount of ballots.

PRIMARY ELECTION:

The deadline date to Request a Recount: Thursday, June 10, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.

GENERAL ELECTION:

The deadline date to Request a Recount: Thursday, September 2, 2021 by 4:30 p.m.



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ENROLLMENT PACKET

PLEASE COMPLETE AND ATTACH ALL REQUESTED DOCUMENTS

1. **SAC AND FOX NATION MEMBERSHIP CRITERIA:** Identify the section of the Sac and Fox Constitution under which the applicant claims a right to membership per Article I – Membership of Tribe." Please check only one blank.
2. **APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT:** Please furnish as much information as possible on this portion, sign and date. Attach any legal guardianship papers.
3. **CERTIFIED BIRTH CERTIFICATE:** A certified birth certificate has an embossed seal of the State in which the applicant was born and the signature of the State Registrar. A photo copy "IS NOT" acceptable. The certificate should indicate the name of the applicant. **THIS CERTIFIED BIRTH CERTIFICATE WILL BE RETURNED** once all documentation is verified by the Enrollment Department. A copy of the birth certificate will become a part of the official records of the Sac and Fox Nation. If the name on the application differs from the BIRTH NAME, please provide documentation of name change with the application, i.e. Marriage License, Adoption Papers.
4. **SOCIAL SECURITY CARD:** Please provide a copy of the applicant's card. Name on Birth Certificate, Social Security Card and Application must match.
5. **ANCESTRAL INFORMATION:** This guides the researcher in verifying ancestral information and any Indian Blood degree. Please include maiden names if they are known.
6. **AFFIDAVIT:** Please complete, sign and date. This affidavit must be signed by a Notary Public before it is accepted by this office.

RETURN TO: SAC AND FOX NATION
Enrollment Department
920883 S. Hwy. 99
Stroud, OK, 74079

APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT

1. Name of Applicant: _____
2. Other names used (Maiden, Alias, etc.): _____
Indian Name: _____ Clan: _____ Meaning: _____
3. Date of Birth: _____ 4. Social Security Number _____
(PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF SOCIAL SECURITY CARD)
5. Address: _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)
6. Phone Numbers: _____
Home Work Cell
7. Degree of Sac and Fox Blood: _____ 8. Degree of other Indian blood: _____
9. Have you ever been denied by the General Council? () NO () YES
 Date(s): _____
10. Are you currently enrolled with another Tribe? () NO () YES
 a. If YES, name of the Tribe and Name by which you are known on that roll:

(Please include copy of Conditional Relinquishment from that tribe.)
11. Name and Roll number of Parent(s) on the Sac and Fox of Oklahoma roll:

12. APPLICANT: To certify your desire to become a member of the Sac and Fox Nation, please sign below.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT/PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN DATE
(Please attach supporting legal documents)

SAC AND FOX NATION MEMBERSHIP CRITERIA

IDENTIFY THE SECTION OF THE SAC AND FOX CONSTITUTION UNDER WHICH THE APPLICANT CLAIMS A RIGHT TO MEMBERSHIP PER ARTICLE I - MEMBERSHIP OF TRIBE (Per SFN Code of Laws Title 24. Tribal Enrollment and Membership Act, Chapter 3 – Enrollment, Section 301):

Please check only one blank.

_____ SECTION 1. All enrolled persons who names appear on the official Tribal Roll as of the date of the ratification of this constitution.

_____ SECTION 2. All persons of one-eight (1/8) or more degree of total combined Sac and Fox Indian blood at least one of whose parents is a member of the Sac and Fox Nation.

SECTION 3. All persons now living and eligible for membership under Article I of the Constitution of the Sac and Fox Nation as amended August 26, 1967.

- _____ a. All enrolled persons who names appear on the official census roll of the tribe as of January 1, 1937, and who were living on that date.
- _____ b. Each child born since the date of the said roll and prior to the effective date of Amendment I (October 16, 1954) each of whose parents was a member of the tribe.
- _____ c. Each child of Sac and Fox Indian blood born prior to the effective date of Amendment I (October 16, 1954) of a marriage between a member of the tribe and any other person, if such child is admitted to membership by the council.
- _____ d. Each child who is of one-eighth or more Sac and Fox Indian blood born on or after October 16, 1954, each of whose parents is a member of the tribe.
- _____ e. Persons born after date of October 16, 1954, who possess one-eighth (1/8) or more Sac and Fox Indian blood, * at least one parent is a member of the Sac and Fox Nation, shall be entitled to membership with the Sac and Fox Nation, provided an application is submitted in writing to the Sac and Fox Nation and provided that such person,* if enrolled with another tribe, shall first file a conditional relinquishment with the other tribe.
- _____ f. Persons making application for membership shall be entitled to file application under Section 3 (c) only two times, and if rejected both times, they shall not be entitled to further consideration under 3 (c).

*Having been duly ratified and approved, proposed Amendment A is hereby designated as Amendment No. VII to the Constitution of the Sac and Fox Nation.

TRACE ANCESTRY TO SAC AND FOX ANCESTOR ON BASIC ROLL

PLEASE COMPLETE THE WHOLE SHEET AND USE "N/A" FOR "NOT APPLICABLE" WHERE APPROPRIATE

FATHER of Applicant: _____
 Sac and Fox blood degree: _____ Roll Number: _____
 Other Indian blood degree: _____ Tribe(s): _____
 Enrolled with another tribe: () NO () YES If YES, name and address of Tribal Office: _____

FATHER'S FATHER: _____ TRIBE(S): _____
 FATHER'S MOTHER: _____ TRIBE(S): _____
 FATHER'S PATERNAL GRANDFATHER: _____ TRIBE(S): _____
 FATHER'S PATERNAL GRANDMOTHER: _____ TRIBE(S): _____
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 FATHER'S MATERNAL GREAT-GRANDMOTHER: _____ TRIBE(S): _____

MOTHER of Applicant: _____
 Sac and Fox blood degree: _____ Roll Number: _____
 Other Indian blood degree: _____ Tribe(s): _____
 Enrolled with another tribe: () NO () YES If YES, name and address of Tribal Office: _____

MOTHER'S FATHER: _____ TRIBE(S): _____
 MOTHER'S MOTHER: _____ TRIBE(S): _____
 MOTHER'S PATERNAL-GRANDFATHER: _____ TRIBE(S): _____
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AFFIDAVIT

County of _____ }
 State of _____ }

I, _____, of lawful age, being first sworn upon oath
 (Name of Applicant/Parent (Biological)/Legal Guardian)

deposes and states:

That _____, for whom this application is made,
 (Applicant's Name)

(check one) is or is not an adopted child
 a direct descendant by blood of a member
 of the Sac and Fox Nation.

(check one) is or is not an adopted child

ON BEHALF OF A MINOR:

I further state that I am the (check appropriate box):

() parent (Biological)
 () legal guardian

of _____ (child's name) and I am vested with the authority to make and submit the above and foregoing application to the Sac and Fox Nation and all information provided and furnished by me in this application is true and correct.

In executing the foregoing application, I am fully aware that the provisions in Sec. 1001, Title 18, U.S.C., provide for a fine or not more than \$10,000 or imprisonment for not more than five years or both, for making false or fraudulent statements in connection with any matter within the jurisdiction of any Department or Agency of the United States.

DATE: _____ NAME: _____
 GUARDIAN SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT/PARENT (BIOLOGICAL)/LEGAL

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____.

 NOTARY PUBLIC'S PRINTED NAME NOTARY PUBLIC SIGNATURE

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