

Tribal Court Warrant – SAMPLE

_____ TRIBAL COURT

In The Matter of the Search of)
)
[Property, e.g. Jones residence)
2 houses east of Catholic Church)
)
Or Person & his/her Address)
)
_____)

CASE NO. Warrant 001 - 2013

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

TO: Native Village Tribal Police Department

An application by a tribal police or other law enforcement officer or an authorized official representative of the tribal government requests the search of the following person or property located in the Village of _____:

[Identify the person or the specific property to be searched, and give its location]

The person or property to be searched, described above, is believed to conceal:

[Identify the evidence that you are looking for in the search, and why it is illegal under tribal law or why it may prove that something illegal has occurred]

I find that the affidavit(s) or any recorded testimony, establish probable cause to search and seize the person or property.

YOU ARE COMMANDED to execute this warrant on or before _____
(not to exceed 14 days)

in the daytime 6:00 a.m. to 10 p.m.

at any time in the day or night as I find reasonable cause has been established.

You must give a copy of the warrant and a receipt for the property taken to the person from whom, or from whose premises, the property was taken, or leave the copy and receipt at the place where the property was taken.

The officer executing this warrant, or an officer present during the execution of the warrant, must prepare an inventory as required by law and promptly return this warrant and inventory to the _____ (*tribal court/tribal council*).

Date and time issued: _____

Judge's signature

Village: _____

Printed Name and Title