

**Tribal Resolution in Support of Electronic Noticing  
(Indian Child Welfare Act Cases)  
Sample Resolution**

**WHEREAS, NAME of TRIBE** is concerned with protecting the health and welfare of its children who are living in California.

**WHEREAS, NAME of TRIBE** recognizes that children and families are best served within their tribal communities.

**WHEREAS, NAME of TRIBE** shares a common purpose and common interest with the courts in California when it comes to the Tribe's children who are subject to the jurisdiction of the California courts:

The early identification of its children who are subject to the Indian Child Welfare Act and application of the Act's protections.

**WHEREAS, NAME of TRIBE** supports the concept of receiving actual notice by electronic means in lieu of notice by certified, registered mail under the Indian Child Welfare Act.

**WHEREAS, NAME of TRIBE** agrees to promote electronic notice through mutually beneficial intergovernmental cooperation with the California courts and county child welfare agencies to protect the health and welfare of its children living there.

**BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED** that the **NAME of TRIBAL COUNCIL** is, and shall be, committed to working with the California Tribal Court / State Court Forum and the California Administrative Office of the Courts to support and implement electronic noticing for the benefit of **NAME of TRIBE'S** children.

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Tribal Chair

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Dated