

RENO-SPARKS TRIBAL COURT



TRIBAL COURT RULES

Rule 18A. Attorney Representation

1. A party may be represented before the Court by any person who is a member in good standing of the bar of any federal or state court and who has been admitted to practice before the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony Tribal Court, at his or her own cost.
2. An attorney who seeks admission to practice before this Court shall file a petition for admission setting forth his or her bar membership and sign a certification that the applicant has read the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony Tribal Law and Order Code and the Rules of Court, is familiar with them and will uphold and apply them in practice before the Court. The application shall be accompanied by an admission fee to be set by the Court, which shall be paid annually in order to retain good standing to practice before the Court. The Clerk of Court shall maintain a list of individuals who have been admitted to practice. The list shall be updated annually by January 31 of each year.

Rule 18B. Representation by a Private Court Advocate at Own Cost

1. A party may be represented before the Court by a private Tribal Court Advocate, at his or her own cost.
2. A Tribal Court Advocate may be a person over the age of eighteen years who submits a written certificate that he or she has read the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony Tribal Law and Order Code and the Rules of Court, is familiar with them and will uphold and apply them in practice before the Court. The application shall be accompanied by an admission fee to be set by the Court, which shall be paid annually in order to retain good standing to practice before the Court. The Clerk of Court shall maintain a list of individuals who have been admitted to practice. The list shall be updated annually by January 31 of each year.

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OATH

TITLE 1-80 PRACTICE BEFORE THE TRIBAL COURT

1-80-020 WHO MAY BE A REPRESENTATIVE:

- a. Any person may be a representative and appear on behalf of another upon payment of a filing fee and subscribing to the following oath:

"I, _____, do hereby (swear/affirm) that I am familiar with the Tribal Law and Order Code and that I will conduct myself with honor towards those I represent and with respect before the Tribal Court."

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Signature

Telephone No.

Address

Cell No.

YEARLY ADMISSION TO PRACTICE:

Lay Advocate.....\$25.00 and \$5.00 for Oath
Attorney.....\$50.00 and \$5.00 for Oath

OFFICER OF THE COURT:

"I, _____, (Officer of the Court), received from: _____ Lay Advocate/Attorney on this _____ day of _____, 20____, the payment of \$5.00 for the Oath and \$_____ for the yearly admission fee for a total of \$_____.

Signature of RSIC Tribal Court Officer