



**The Klamath Tribes
Tribal Council
COMMITTEE APPLICATION**

Date: _____

Committee Applying For: _____

NAME: _____

TRIBAL ROLL #: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PHONE and or MESSAGE NUMBER: _____

The Advisory Committee Ordinance states:

The committees are established to assist the Tribal Chairperson and the Tribal Council in carrying out their responsibilities to provide quality services to the Tribal membership and to develop, maintain, and protect the assets, resources and interest of the Tribes. Each committee shall:

- A. Act in an advisory capacity to the Chairperson and Tribal Council in recommending policies and procedures, identifying needs, and developing priorities of the Klamath Tribes;
- B. Submit quarterly written reports to the Tribal Council specifying activities, recommendations and any other relevant information;
- C. Upon request of the Tribal Chairperson and the Tribal Council, report to the Tribal Council or General Council on its activities;
- D. Undertake any other duties and responsibilities as developed and approved by the Tribal Council; and
- E. If so assigned by the Tribal Council, act as an advisor to a particular Tribal program.

1. In addition to the above listed information, please attach your:
 - A. Intentions
 - B. Contributions
 - C. Experience
 - D. Qualifications

(Please try to exceed 100 words)

NOTE: This Committee term is commensurate with the current Tribal Council terms (3 years), when the Council terms are up, the committee term is up.

No Tribal staff member or their immediate family may serve on a committee where that committee plays an advisory role to the staff member's program. Immediate family members include a spouse, person in a spousal relationship, father, mother, daughter, son, brother and sister, including such relationships established through adoption or marriage.

Committee members shall be at least 18 years of age unless provided otherwise by the Tribal Council and must be an enrolled member of the Klamath Tribes.

*Please return the completed application and documentation to:

The Klamath Tribes
ATTN: Tribal Secretary
PO Box 436
Chiloquin, OR 97624

Klamath Tribal Committees

Constitution Committee – The purpose of the Constitution and Bylaws Committee is to advise and make recommendations to the Klamath Tribes Tribal Council regarding proposed amendments to The Klamath Tribes Constitution, The Klamath Tribal Code, The Klamath Tribal Judicial System, Klamath Tribal Ordinances and other Committee Bylaws as requested. The committee will provide a unified voice as an advisory arm of The Klamath Tribes.

Culture & Heritage – The purpose of the Culture and Heritage Committee is to advise and make recommendations to the Klamath Tribal Chairman and the Tribal Council regarding identification, preservation and protection of the traditional culture and heritage of the Klamath and Modoc Tribes and Yahooskin Band of Snake Indians. The Committee will provide a unified voice as an advisory arm of the Klamath Tribes. **Mission Statement** – To assist the Klamath Tribes Tribal Council and the Culture and Heritage Director on the formulation of general Tribal policies governing culture and heritage preservation, enhancement and development. Provide advice to the Culture and Heritage Director on Tribal heritage preservation and enhancement programs and activities including a program for the preservation of the Klamath, Modoc and Yahooskin Band of the Snake Indians languages. Provide advice regarding a program for identification and protection of archaeological and other cultural resources, and in developing a system to ensure federal, state and private compliance with statutes, executive orders, etc... Designed to protect, preserve, and enhance the spiritual, cultural, and physical values and resources of the Klamath, Modoc, and Yahooskin Peoples by maintaining the customs and heritage of our ancestors.

Provide advice to the Culture and Heritage Director and the Tribal Council on the development of general policies governing the planning, establishment and operation of a Tribal museum.

Assist in the preparation and implementation of a plan with the Tribal Council approval, for the acquisition of artifacts and other cultural materials to be displayed in the museum.

Education – The purpose of the Education Committee is to advise and make recommendations to the Klamath Tribes Tribal Council regarding Adult Basic

Education, Adult Vocational Education, Higher Education, and Johnson O'Malley programs along with other education and employment matters affecting the Education Program of the Klamath and Modoc Tribes and Yahooskin Band of Snake Indians. The committee will provide a unified voice as an advisory arm of the Klamath Tribes.

Elders – The purpose of the Elders Committee is to resolve Tribal Elder concerns by gathering information and documentation to present to Tribal Council. A Tribal Elder – 60 years of age or older – Tribal Senior – 55 to 59 years of age.

Enrollment - The Enrollment Committee's purpose is to advise and make recommendations to the Klamath Tribal Chairman and Tribal Council regarding enrollment matters affecting the Klamath Tribes. The authority for the Enrollment Committee is set forth in the Enrollment Ordinance of the Klamath Tribes.

The Enrollment Committee derives its authority from the Enrollment Ordinance of the Klamath Tribes.

Enrollment Ordinance Klamath Tribal Code Title 1 Chapter 4:

4.01 The purpose of the Enrollment Committee is to provide for the development and maintenance of the Klamath Tribal membership roll and to provide an orderly method for considering applications and other actions associated with the maintenance of the Klamath tribe's membership roll, including but not limited to, forfeiture of enrollment, voluntary withdrawal, actions for removal and blood degree corrections.

4.02 Enrollment Committee: The Enrollment Committee shall be composed of six Klamath Tribal members who have attained the age of 40 appointed by the Tribal Chairman with concurrence of the Tribal Council.

Health Advisory – The purpose of the Health Advisory Committee is to advise and make recommendations to the Klamath Tribal Council regarding aspects of health programs and health related matters affecting the services provided by Klamath Tribal Health & Family Services. The Committee will provide a unified voice as an advisory arm of the Klamath Tribal Council.

Housing Advisory – The Klamath Tribes Housing Advisory Committee has been established for the purpose of assisting the Tribal Chairperson and the Tribal Council in carrying out their responsibilities to provide quality housing services to

the Tribal membership and for the purpose of advising the Klamath Tribes Housing Department. The Committee does not oversee the day to day activities of the Housing Department, which oversight and implementation is carried out by Tribal staff under the administration of the Tribes. The Housing Advisory Committee will serve as the Hearing Panel or appoint some portion of the Committee members to serve as the Hearing Panel, in any grievances submitted pursuant to the KTHD's Grievance Policies and Procedures.

Klamath Indian Game Commission – The Klamath Indian Game Commission, acts in an advisory capacity to the Klamath Tribal Council, to provide recommendations and advice on natural resource matters such as management and utilization of fish and wildlife through the regulation of hunting, fishing, trapping and other matters, the Tribal Council deem necessary, for all enrolled Tribal members and on all lands over which the Klamath, Modoc and Yahooskin Band of Snake Indians possess treaty reserved rights.

For achieving this purpose, the Commission may recommend to the Tribal Council for review and approval, the promulgation of such rules, regulations and sanctioning procedures for violations of Tribal laws delegated to the Commission.

NAGPRA – The purpose of the Committee is to provide guidance to the Tribal Council and General Council regarding the disposition of ancestral human remains, objects of cultural patrimony and materials and objects possessing ongoing cultural significance to the Klamath, Modoc and Yahooskin people.

Veterans – Per the Klamath Tribes Veterans Committee By-Laws; Under Membership- It states, members who have served in the US Armed Forces.