

## **BISHOP TRIBAL COUNCIL**

#### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Enclosed is a copy of the new Protocol for Reservation Personal Property/Vehicle Repossession that was approved and adopted at the Bishop Paiute Tribal Council Meeting on February 23, 2012. The new protocol is effective as of the date approved and signed by the Bishop Paiute Tribal Council. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Bishop Paiute Tribal Court at 760-873-3584, ext. 261.

August 31, 2015 - Additionally, we ask that you notify the Bishop Paiute Tribal Police at 760-873-4477 and let them know when you will be repossessing personal property/vehicle; this does not mean you are requesting a standby, unless you specifically request and pay for a standby. Tribal Police need to be aware of what is happening on the reservation. Also, we ask that you hand your paperwork to the individual involved and allow the individual to remove their personal property from the vehicle (in cases of vehicle repossession).

We thank you for your cooperation.



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#### **BISHOP PAIUTE TRIBE**

### Protocol for Reservation Personal Property/Vehicle Repossession

The Bishop Tribal Council, exercising inherent sovereignty provides the following protocol that must be followed by all individuals and/or entities who wish to repossess personal property located on the Bishop Paiute Reservation.

- 1. Provide the Bishop Paiute Tribal Court with at least 48-hours notice of intent to repossess.
- 2. Provide a copy of all notices given to the debtor advising the debtor of any repossession action to be taken.
- 3. A full description of the name of the creditor, the name of the debtor and the personal property that is intended to be repossessed.
- 4. The latest amount of money claimed to be due and owing by the debtor which is the subject matter of the repossession action.
- 5. In order to comply with the above requirements, entities wishing to effect repossession of personal property/vehicles must submit repossession paperwork to the Bishop Paiute Tribal Court at 50 Tu Su Lane, Bishop, CA 93514, and pay a \$75.00 filing fee. Tribal Court Clerk will forward paperwork to Bishop Paiute Tribal Court Judge for review and approval.
- 6. All repossession paperwork must be stamped "APPROVED FOR SERVICE ON ALL BISHOP TRIBAL LAND This \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_" and signed by the Bishop Paiute Tribal Court Judge.

- 7. Notice of "APPROVED BY THE BISHOP PAIUTE TRIBAL COURT" should be attached to the Repossession Orders.
- 8. Repossessing entity may request assistance from Bishop Paiute Tribal Police when serving notice. Entity must make the arrangements by contacting the Bishop Paiute Tribal Police at 760-873-4477. There is a \$35.00 Process Service Fee for this service. Entity may also request Tribal Police Stand By on day of Repossession which requires a \$25.00 Stand By Fee.
- 9. If this protocol is not strictly followed, repossession will not be allowed to take place on the Bishop Paiute Reservation.

<u>2/23/12</u>	/s/ Dale Delgado
Revision Approval Date	Dale Delgado, Tribal Chairman



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# APPROVED BY THE BISHOP PAIUTE TRIBAL COURT

The attached Order To Repossess has been reviewed,

APPROVED and signed by the Bishop Paiute Tribal Court

Judge. Procedures have been followed as required by the

"Bishop Paiute Tribe – Protocol for Reservation Personal

Property Vehicle Repossession".

Your cooperation is appreciated