



TO: CITIZENSHIP APPLICANTS  
FROM: SOVEREIGN CHEROKEE NATION TEJAS  
SUBJ: REQUIREMENTS FOR TRIBAL CITIZENSHIP

MY BROTHERS AND SISTERS:

IT IS WITH GREAT PLEASURE I WELCOME YOU WITH THIS APPLICATION FOR TRIBAL CITIZENSHIP INTO THE SOVEREIGN CHEROKEE NATION TEJAS (SCNT). YOU WILL NEED TO FILL OUT THE ENCLOSED TRIBAL FORM AND GET TWO PEOPLE WHO CAN ATTEST TO YOU BEING OF NEW SPAIN OR TEXAS INDIAN DESCENT. THESE STATEMENTS MUST BE NOTARIZED. YOU WILL HAVE TO LEARN THE CONSTITUTION AND HISTORY OF THE SCNT, AND THE CHEROKEE LANGUAGE, ALL OF WHICH WILL BE PROVIDED TO YOU. LASTLY, YOU WILL BE SWORN IN AT A SPECIFIED DATE.

TO ANSWER SEVERAL FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

1. OUR NATION IS NOT A BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS NATION.
2. WE'VE NEVER SIGNED A TREATY WITH THE UNITED STATES.
3. WE ARE NOT PART OF THE OKLAHOMA CHEROKEE OR ANY OF THE OTHER THIRTEEN (13) CHEROKEE NATIONS, EXCEPT BY KINSHIP.
4. OUR GOVERNMENT HAS ITS OWN CONSTITUTION AND LAWS.
5. WE ARE IN ALLIANCE WITH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. IN FACT IN THE OATH THAT YOU TAKE WITH THE NATION, YOU SWEAR THAT YOU WILL SUPPORT AND BE IN ALLIANCE WITH THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IN DEFENSE OF OUR HOMELAND FROM INTRUDERS EITHER FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC.

WE HAVE COMPILED A FAMILY TREE OF PEOPLE WE KNOW TO BE OF TEXAS INDIAN DESCENT AND WOULD WELCOME YOUR FAMILY TREE FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.

PLEASE RETURN YOUR APPLICATION AND ALL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO:

SOVERIGN CHEROKEE NATION TEJAS  
ATTN: REGISTRAR  
P.O. BOX 145  
FATE, TEXAS 75132

FOR MORE INFORMATION YOU MAY FAX INQUIRIES TO AREA CODE 214-329-4795.

THANK YOU,

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Morning Star; REGISTRAR  
SOVEREIGN CHEROKEE NATION TEJAS