



PUEBLO OF LAGUNA COURT

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PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME OF A MINOR CHILD (COVERSHEET)

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT PETITION IS FILLED OUT ACCURATELY OR TO THE BEST OF YOUR KNOWLEDGE. UNAVAILABLE INFORMATION WILL ONLY DELAY THE COURT PROCESS.

PETITIONER:

Name: _____ DOB: _____ Social No: _____

Tribal Affiliation: _____ Enrollment No: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Physical Address: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone No: _____

RESPONDENT:

Name: _____ DOB: _____ Social No: _____

Tribal Affiliation: _____ Enrollment No: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Physical Address: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone No: _____

PLEASE DOUBLE CHECK YOUR DOCUMENTS:

- One Petition for each child
- Attach a copy of the Birth Certificate for the minor child
- Other supporting documents
- Affidavit's MUST be signed in front of a Notary
- Filing Fee of \$6.00 in a Money Order or Cashier's Check
- If you should have any questions or need assistance with the Petition, please refer to our Approved Attorney list for help. Thank you.

IN THE TRIBAL COURT
PUEBLO OF LAGUNA
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

CASE NO: _____

PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME OF MINOR CHILD

IN THE MATTER OF:

_____,
(Minor child)

COMES NOW, _____, (Petitioner), and
hereby states the following in support of this Petition:

1. I am requesting that my minor child's (under 18yrs) name be changed from (print full name as stated on child's Birth Certificate, to (proposed new name).

Name on Birth Certificate:

Proposed full name:

Date of Birth:

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2. Is the child a Laguna Tribal member:

☐ Yes Enrollment No: _____

☐ No Tribal Affiliation: _____

3. Is the Mother, a Laguna Tribal member:

☐ Yes Enrollment No: _____

☐ No Tribal Affiliation: _____

4. Is the Father a Laguna Tribal member:

☐ Yes Enrollment No: _____
☐ No Tribal Affiliation: _____

5. Petitioner seeks a name change for the following reason(s):

6. Do both parents agree to the name change?

☐ Yes
☐ No

7. If, both parents agree, you will both need to fill out an Affidavit of Consent for Change of Name of a Minor Child. (The Affidavit's are attached to this Petition; these forms must be signed in front of a notary).

8. If, parents disagree, this matter will be set for Court.

Wherefore, the Petitioner respectfully requests that the Court issue an Order granting a Change of Name as requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

Signature of Petitioner

Print Name

Mailing Address

Mailing Address

Signature of Other Biological Parent

Print Name

Mailing Address

Mailing Address

Reminder: The following Affidavits' of Consent MUST be signed in front of a Notary.

**IN THE TRIBAL COURT
PUEBLO OF LAGUNA
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

**NATURAL FATHER'S AFFIDAVIT OF
CONSENT FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

IN THE MATTER OF A PETITION FOR
CHANGE OF NAME FOR A MINOR CHILD:

_____,
(Minor child)

AFFIDAVIT OF CONSENT FOR CHANGE OF NAME OF A MINOR CHILD

I, _____ being duly sworn, state that I am the
Natural Father of the above-named child, whose date of birth is:

_____. I voluntarily consent to my child's legal
name being changed to: _____.

Signature of Natural Father

Print Name

Address: _____

The foregoing Affidavit of Consent of the Natural Father was acknowledged, subscribed and
sworn to me before this _____ day of _____, 20 ____ by
_____, (natural father).

(SEAL)

Notary Public: _____

My commission expires on: _____

**IN THE TRIBAL COURT
PUEBLO OF LAGUNA
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

**NATURAL MOTHER'S AFFIDAVIT OF
CONSENT FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

IN THE MATTER OF A PETITION FOR
CHANGE OF NAME FOR A MINOR CHILD:

_____,
(Minor Child)

AFFIDAVIT OF CONSENT FOR CHANGE OF NAME OF A MINOR CHILD

I, _____ being duly sworn, state that I am the
Natural Mother of the above-named child, whose date of birth is:

_____. I voluntarily consent to my child's legal
name being changed to: _____.

Signature of Natural Mother

Print Name

Address: _____

The foregoing Affidavit of Consent of the Natural Mother was acknowledged, subscribed and
sworn to me before this _____ day of _____, 20 ____ by
_____, (natural mother).

(SEAL)

Notary Public: _____

My commission expires on: _____