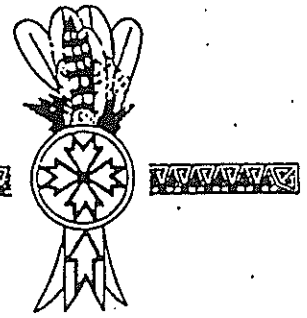


**Redding Rancheria
Adoption Ordinance**

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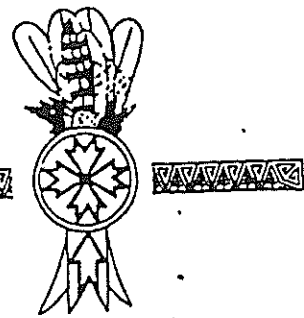
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Be It Resolved By The Redding Rancheria Tribal Council that the following Adoption Ordinances have been passed by a vote of 6 for and 0 against at a duly called meeting of the Redding Rancheria Tribal Council.

TRIBAL COUNCIL CONSENT

There shall be a unanimous consent of all seven (7) council members at a duly called meeting in which all 7 council members must be in attendance.

TESTIMONY

Testimony in favor and against adoption of such tentative members by any Redding Rancheria member including members of the Tribal Council shall be allowed to be heard.

VERIFICATION

The tentative members shall be of Indian decent with verification of $\frac{1}{4}$ degree Indian blood.

ADOPTEE HEIRS

Those tentative members that are approved shall not have the right to bring into the membership of the Redding Rancheria with them any heirs or future heirs. Any benefits that the adoptee shall receive shall not be obligated by any will or probate, nor any emcumberance during his or her life or death.

RESTRICTIONS

The seven Tribal Council members shall only allow a maximum of one (1) adoptions per year and the Tribal Council shall seek and have guarantee of extra funds to take care of that adoptee of the previous year before they allow any new adoptions to be approved.

INAL APPROVAL

No person shall be enrolled as an adopted member of the Redding Rancheria except by a majority vote of the General Council at a Regular or Special meeting of the General Council.

DUEL MEMBERSHIP

Any person submitting an application for adoption into the Redding Rancheria shall not be a member of any other tribe or band.

BURDEN OF PROOF

The burden of proof for verification of Indian decent and no duel membership shall be on the applicant.

ADOPTION HEARINGS

Adoption hearings shall be held one month prior to the annual General Council meetings and closed thereafter until the following year.

HONORARY ADOPTIONS

A person may be adopted as an honorary member subject to approval of the majority of the Tribal Council. Honorary adoptees shall have no monetary benefits or voting powers or any other benefits the Redding Rancheria membership shares.

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