

IN THE SAC & FOX TRIBE OF THE MISSISSIPPI IN IOWA TRIBAL COURT
Meskwaki Settlement
307 Meskwaki Road
Tama, Iowa 52339-9629

_____,
Plaintiff/Petitioner,

vs.

_____,
Defendant/Respondent.

Court Case No.

**MOTION TO APPEAR
REMOTELY**

1. I, _____ (*name*), am the:
 plaintiff/petitioner defendant/respondent other parent
 attorney for _____ other _____ in this matter.
2. I ask the Court to allow me to appear for the hearing set before this Court on date _____, 20____, at _____ am/pm Central Standard Time (CST).
3. I would like the Court to consider the following information in making its decision to allow a telephone appearance (*Check all that apply. **The Court can still deny your request even though boxes are checked.***)
 - a. I live or work outside the State of Iowa.
 - b. I live in _____, Iowa, which is _____ miles from the Sac and Fox Tribal Court located on the Meskwaki Settlement in Tama, Iowa.
 - c. I am asking not to appear personally because of domestic violence.
 - d. I will be incarcerated or confined in _____
prison, jail, or other institution at the time of the hearing.
 - e. Other (*Specify reason. Attach additional paper if necessary.*)

4. **I understand I must serve all parties, other parent, or other attorneys, if any, with a copy of this form by personal delivery, mail, or service by other means allowed upon written**

permission of the party served (examples: service by fax, email or other electronic means).

5. I understand I may be required to make all arrangements for the remote appearance at my own expense.
6. I understand I may be required to verify my identity to court staff by driver's license number, social security number, or other information.
7. I understand that the Court, in its discretion, may decide to terminate the telephonic or virtual appearance if it determines during the hearing that a personal appearance would materially assist in the determination of the proceedings. Other reasons for terminating the remote appearance could include my not being available when the case is called, delay, questions about credibility, disruption, noise, misconduct, a communication problem, a technical problem, or other items.
8. I understand that the Court may decide at any time to require my personal appearance and continue the hearing.
9. I assume the risks of any problems that could arise out of this telephonic or remote appearance, including cost, time, delay, technical failure, wrong number, etc. I understand that if problems occur, this matter may proceed without my personal or remote appearance and the Court may decide my case based on the documents I have filed for the hearing.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

DATE: _____

Signature of Moving Party In Front of Notary

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
_____ day of _____, _____.

Notary Public

**I also certify a copy of this Motion to Appear Telephonically was served
(per Item #4) on the following Party/s on the following dates, by me:**

Name _____ on date _____ by (circle one) mail /fax / other

Name _____ on date _____ by (circle one) mail /fax / other

Name _____ on date _____ by (circle one) mail /fax / other