

**LUMMI TRIBAL COURT  
LUMMI NATION, WASHINGTON**

In re the Name Change of:

No. \_\_\_\_\_ CVMN \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Minor's Current Name: First Middle Last  
Minor,

**SUMMONS**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner on behalf of Minor.

**TO: RESPONDENT (OTHER PARENT OF ABOVE-NAMED CHILD).**

**YOU ARE HEREBY GIVEN NOTICE** that a petition has been filed to change the name of the above-named child. A copy of the Petition for Name Change (Minor Child) is attached to this summons.

**Within twenty-one (21) days** after the Respondent is served with a copy of the Petition for Name Change (Minor Child) and summons, he/she must either contact the court clerk and state whether he/she will appear in court to respond to the petition or file a written answer.

(a) A written answer stating the nature of the defense must be filed with the Court and a copy served on the petitioner.

(b) If a written answer is not filed, an oral answer may be given if requested by the respondent. The clerk shall set a hearing within the time for response for the respondent to state his/her answer on the record. Notice shall be given to the petitioner of the date and time of the hearing for presenting the answer.

If you do not appear or answer within **twenty-one (21) days** from the date the petition and summons were served on you, the Court will grant the request to change the name of the child as requested by the petitioner.

If you wish to seek the advice of an attorney, you should do so promptly so that your response may be made by the deadline. This summons is issued pursuant to Lummi Code of Laws 3.03.030 – 3.03.070.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

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PETITIONER'S SIGNATURE

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FILE YOUR ORIGINAL RESPONSE  
WITH THE CLERK OF COURT AT:

SERVE A COPY OF YOUR RESPONSE ON:

Lummi Tribal Court 2665 Kwina Road Bellingham, WA 98226	Petitioner: <hr/> Address <hr/> City, State, Zip Code
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