

**LUMMI TRIBAL COURT
LUMMI NATION, WASHINGTON**

IN RE THE ESTATE OF:

Case No.: _____ CVPB _____

_____,
Deceased

**APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL
REPRESENTATIVE**

This matter having come before the Court for appointment of a Personal Representative for the above-named estate, the court enters the following findings:

1) QUALIFICATION OF APPLICANT

☐ The applicant to be Personal Representative is qualified under LCL 35.07.020 and .030 to act as Decedent's Personal Representative. The applicant is over the age of 18, of sound mind, and has not been convicted of a felony or a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude.

☐ The applicant is not qualified because: _____

2) ORDER OF ENTITLEMENT TO APPOINTMENT

The applicant comes within the following order of entitlement, under LCL 35.07.020, to be appointed as Personal Representative:

☐ the person named to serve as the Personal Representative in the Decedent's last will and testament

☐ surviving spouse, or a person requested by the surviving spouse to be appointed

☐ next of kin:

☐ child

☐ parent

☐ sibling

☐ grandchild

☐ nephew or niece

☐ other: _____

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3) RESIDENCE OF APPLICANT

☐ The applicant is a resident of the reservation.

☐ The applicant is not a resident of the reservation. The applicant has appointed _____, as an agent upon whom service of all papers may be made. That person is a:

☐ resident of the reservation

☐ attorney of record for the estate

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that

1) _____ is appointed as Personal Representative for the above-named estate, with the powers and duties set out in LCL 35.07.040.

2) The Personal Representative shall serve ☐ with bond ☐ without bond.

3) Letters of Administration shall be issued to the Personal Representative upon submission of the Oath of Personal Representative.

Dated: _____

Judge
Lummi Tribal Court

NOTICE TO ANY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE WHO IS ALSO A BENEFICIARY OF THE ESTATE. The Lummi Probate Code allows a beneficiary of an estate to be appointed as Personal Representative, but cautions that person to always be mindful of the fact that the Personal Representative serves the estate in a fiduciary capacity and must put the interest of the estate ahead of the Personal Representative's personal interest.