

## **Tribal Council Phone Polls**

### **6.1002 REGULAR AND SPECIAL MEETINGS, EMERGENCY ACTION**

A. With the exception of emergency action described in subsection (B), all official action of the Tribal Council must take place at regular and special meetings properly called under Bylaw Article I of the interim Constitution and Bylaws.

B. In situations where vital interests of the Tribe require immediate emergency action prior to a regular or special meeting, such action can be taken by phone poll or teleconference call for the limited purpose of addressing a matter for which the Tribe will suffer severe damage. In such situations, the Tribal Secretary or designee must certify that more than one attempt was made to contact each Tribal Council member by any practical means including telephone, fax, e-mail or in person. The action taken must be ratified at the next regular meeting of the Tribal Council, and the minutes must state the reason such emergency action was necessary.

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