

Sac and Fox Nation Police Department
From Sac and Fox Tribal Police Chief Bob Roberts



Police body cameras will benefit both officers and public



front of the police officer's uniform. The great thing about the technology is that it provides a permanent video record of what happened.

Police departments everywhere are continuously getting use-of-force complaints, so the cameras will act as an accountability partner for officers. The cameras will serve as evidence that the police are doing their job correctly and also provide security against liability issues for the Sac and Fox Nation. The body camera will provide definitive evidence of an incident by providing video evidence. It is a great tool for law-enforcement agencies. It will assist us tremendously in the prosecution of our cases and ensuring that our officers are conducting themselves in a professional manner.

In conclusion, body-worn cameras are great tools to protect the public from the police and defend the police from the public. Hopefully the Sac and Fox Nation Tribal Police Officers will be wearing these body cameras in the very near future as the officers will have to be trained and become familiar with the new policy. The funding was provided by the Department of Interior.

The policy for the use of the body cameras was approved by the Sac and Fox Nation Business Committee on April 09, 2015. The cameras to be worn by the Sac and Fox Nation Tribal Police Officers will benefit not only the public, but the officers as well. The body cameras are about the size of a deck of cards and will record both video and audio and will be attached to the



Oklahoma City Public Schools' Staff recently met with the Sac and Fox Nation Business Committee to gain a better working relationship with the tribe. (From Left) Stella Nullake, Business Committee Member; Ashleigh Arnall, Community Relations (OK-CPS); Star Yellowfish, Native American Student Services (OKCPS); Tiernery Tinnin, OKCPS Communications; Mary McCormick, Secretary SFN; Rob Neu, Superintendent OKCPS; George Thurman, Principal Chief SFN and Jarod King, Treasurer SFN

Sac and Fox Transportation Program

Criteria You Must Meet Before Being Eligible for Transportation:

- You must have an established chart at BHHC
- You must have no other means of transportation
- You must have an active referral from a BHHC provider to the facility where being transported

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Native Employment Works (NEW)

Native Employment Works Funds Available Now

The Sac and Fox Nation Human Services Department is currently taking applications for Native Employment Works. NEW is a federally funded program that helps low-income households with expenses while attending school or if underemployed. We encourage you to apply at our office in Stroud or at the Shawnee Multi-Purpose Center. Please call us at the number on the bottom of this article, if you have any questions.

To qualify for NEW, you must be an enrolled member of the Sac and Fox Nation and reside within the Sac and Fox Nation jurisdictional boundaries.

The NEW program eligibility includes teen parents, unemployed parent(s) if attending school, underemployed parent(s), and other tribal members if they have one or more Sac and Fox children.

PLEASE BE PREPARED TO PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING:

- Tribal enrollment cards for all household members
- (Birth certificates for those without a tribal enrollment card)
- Driver's license if over 18 and not enrolled.
- Driver's license or photo ID for applicant.
- Social Security cards for all household members.
- School enrollment verification or employment verification.
- Proof of income – including paycheck stubs, Social Security or disability benefits, unemployment compensation, pension or retirement funds, etc. for all household members 18 years of age or older.

Other documents may be required based on your situation.

Sac and Fox Nation Human Services

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ATTENTION TRIBAL MEMBERS

A MEMBER OF THE TAX COMMISSION STAFF WILL NOW BE AT 1st INDIAN BAPTIST CHURCH CUSHING OKLAHOMA 1034 EAST WALNUT ONCE A MONTH.

THE TAX COMMISSION WILL BE THERE 2nd THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH WE WILL BE ABLE TO BETTER SERVE TRIBAL MEMBERS LIVING IN THE CUSHING AREA WITH MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND ANY OTHER SERVICE THAT WE CAN ASSIST YOU WITH.

OKLAHOMA INDIAN LEGAL SERVICES, INC. Indian Wills Clinic

Attorneys from Oklahoma Indian Legal Services will provide free will preparation services for eligible tribal members who own interest in Indian Trust/Restricted Land

Tuesday, May 5, 2015
(10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

Sac and Fox Tribal Courthouse
Stroud, OK

Please call Norma to register @ 1-800-658-1497, (M-F 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.).
You must have an appointment to talk to an attorney.



Oklahoma Indian Legal Services, Inc. is a non-profit law firm funded principally by the Legal Services Corp. For additional information regarding other legal services, please call Oklahoma Indian Legal Services, Inc. 1-800-658-1497.



Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

LIHEAP runs from Nov. 10 – April 15 for heating assistance and from May 11 – Sept. 11 for cooling assistance

LIHEAP Clients
Please allow 7-14 working days for your application to be reviewed, verified and processed for payment.
If you have a cut-off notice we ask that you make payment arrangements.
Thank you.

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The Sac and Fox Nation Human Services LIHEAP Program is a federally funded program that helps low-income households with their home energy bills. LIHEAP can help you stay warm in the winter and cool in the summer. By doing so, you can reduce the risk of health and safety problems (such as illness, fire or eviction). We encourage you to apply at our office in Stroud or at the Shawnee Multi-Purpose Center. Please call us at the number to the left if you have any questions. The program runs from Nov. 10 through April 15 for heating and from June 11 through Sept. 11 for cooling.

To qualify for LIHEAP, you must be an enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe and reside within the Sac and Fox Nation jurisdictional boundaries.

PLEASE BE PREPARED TO PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING:

- CDIB cards for all household members (birth certificates for those without a CDIB)
- Social Security cards for all household members.
- Driver's license or photo I.D.
- Current utility bill or cut-off notice.
- Proof of income-including paycheck stubs, Social Security or disability benefits, unemployment compensation, pension or retirement funds, etc. for all household members 18 years of age or older. Other documents may be required based on your situation.