



Elizabeth Bentley

Dear Karuk Tribe Members:

I am writing this letter of interest for the Yreka District Member at Large for The Karuk Tribal Council. For the past 15 years I have been employed by the Karuk Tribe, 2 years at Karuk Tribe Health Clinic, and 13 years at Karuk Tribe Housing Authority. In this time, I have gained experience and knowledge of what the tribe has to offer for its members and tribal families. My main goal as a tribal employee was to help our tribal families as best as I could.

As I have exited employment with KTHA, I have been focused on self care and also seeking a new career path. In this journey I have always come back to wanting to help more tribal families. I do believe with my experience I could serve our tribal members, their families, and employees.

I am a lifelong Yreka resident, I have attended and graduated from our Yreka School District, I am a mother of 2 children ages 16 & , my contacts are not only tribal departments but also the community of Yreka and the surrounding areas of Siskiyou County. I do believe that I am an asset to our Tribe and will continue to gain more knowledge to be paving the way to our younger generation. I take pride in helping our tribal members and hope to continue this as a council rep for the Yreka District.

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