

July 9, 2015

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LBST Tribal Manager

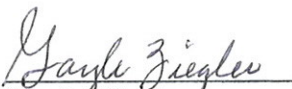
We, the Lakota Oyate Ho, are a group of Lower Brule Sioux Tribal elders (one a previous council member and tribal judge) learning our constitution, our rights and our history. We are and have been interested in how our tribe is doing, financially and otherwise. Our purpose is to understand the workings of our own tribe with transparency for the dollars entrusted to the tribal council for the benefit of all Lower Brule Tribal members. We have studied the approved constitution and amendments. We seek to inform and share information with all Lower Brule tribal members. In last two years we have clarified which is the true constitution for our tribe and made it available to tribal members.

As the new tribal council works on keeping the tribe running, we are concerned that you have not followed the directive of the Acting Chairman Kevin Wright. There was a memo terminating Scott Jones on April 7, 2015. He is no longer an employee of the tribe yet he still remains in the office under whose supervision and control? And who is paying him and from what fund? He resists sharing the important documents that are the property of the tribe such as all the tribal resolutions and is getting paid without the approval of the Acting Chairman of the tribe.


In keeping with the LBST Personnel Policy that states the employees are "At Will", this practice does not need a reason, only notification to the person who is terminated as many have experienced in working with the tribe.


It is your (and your employees under your supervision) responsibility to abide by our constitution and the tribal personnel policies which covers every single employee, none are exempt. We look forward to the future with the tribe operating by the law and its regulations.

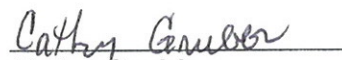
For your information I am also attaching a copy of the organizational chart we drew up based on the real world of Lower Brule Sioux Tribe.

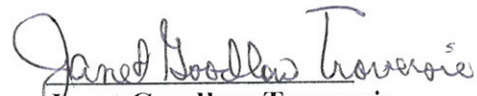

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