

Conflicts Of Interest

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Ethics Brief

Conflicts of interest arise when a Tribal Official or their immediate family have a financial interest, personal interest, or other interest in a matter before the Tribal Official. (117-45.1(a)(4))

Tribal Officials are prohibited from using the prestige of their office to advance personal interest of others or themselves (117-45.3(d)(5))



A Tribal Official shall not vote or participate in any discussion on an issue that presents a conflict of interest. (117-45.3(d)(14))



Tribal Officials are advised to make a verbal statement of recusal on the record and abstain from voting when they encounter an issue that presents them with a conflict of interest

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