



# Iowa Tribe of Oklahoma-Member Non-Eagle Feather Permit

PERMIT APPLICANT (Please print)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_ PURPOSE: \_\_\_\_\_

Mississippi Kite    Black Vulture    Barred Owl    Peregrine Falcon    Crow    Moluccan Cockatoo

Red-tailed Hawk  
Eastern OR Harlans

Notes to GSEH mgmt.:

**Please call 405-334-7471 to make a 10 minute appointment with the feather manager.**

### CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

(By Certifying Tribal Official)

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service administers the Migratory Bird Treaty Protection Act, the Federal law protecting migratory birds. Non-eagle feathers are accumulated by the Iowa Tribe of Oklahoma and made available to Native Americans through the USFWS. Applications for a permit to acquire non-eagle feathers requires certification that the requesting individual is an enrolled member of an Indian tribe that is federally recognized under the Federally Recognized Tribal List Act of 1994, 25 U.S.C. 479a-1, 108 Stat. 4791 (1994). **This certificate must be signed by the tribal official who is authorized to certify that an individual is an enrolled member of a tribe and must include the official title of the certifying official.** (50 CFR 22.22)

Name of certifying official (print): \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that \_\_\_\_\_ is an enrolled member of the Iowa Tribe of Oklahoma. Enrollment # \_\_\_\_\_

**I understand that making a false statement can make me subject to the criminal penalties of 18 U.S.C. 1001.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE TO CERTIFYING OFFICIAL:** Please expedite this completed Certification of Enrollment to the applicant at the above address. **This permit is not applicable or complete without the Tribal Seal.**

**APPLICANT:** Mail this completed permit application to: Iowa Tribe of Oklahoma. ATTN: Business Committee 335588 E 750 Rd, Perkins, OK 74059. Phone: (405) 547-5355

#### OFFICE USE ONLY

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ NUMBER & TYPE FEATHERS: \_\_\_\_\_

FEATHER MANAGER: \_\_\_\_\_ STANDARD FEATHERS RECEIVED OVER LIFETIME: \_\_\_\_\_

## NON-EAGLE FEATHER DISTRIBUTION- S.O.P

### I. Feather Allotments

- A. All non-eagle feathers will be distributed in a bag with assorted feathers based on availability. To view example pictures of each of the currently available species and an example of what a current bag may look like, visit [eagles.iowanation.org/noneaglefeathers](http://eagles.iowanation.org/noneaglefeathers). If you have a special request, please bring them up when the feather appointment is made.
- B. Applicants can receive one bag per species per lifetime. Bags for each species may be picked up at different times. The Eastern and Harlan's red-tails are different colorations of the same species, therefore the applicant can have either the Eastern coloration or the Harlan's coloration.
- C. No applicant will receive more than one "straight"/ "center feather" feather per species, due to the low quantities of incoming feathers. Straight feathers are not guaranteed and availabilities can be visualized in the example pictures on the website.
- D. Applications will be filled on a first come first served basis. If requested feathers are not available, applications will be put on a wait list in order of receipt.

### II. Eligibility Requirements

- a. An applicant must be a member of the Iowa Tribe of Oklahoma and at least 18 years of age.
- b. An applicant must have a CDIB card.

### III. Application Procedures

- a. Non-Eagle Feather Permit applications will be located at the Main Office (Boys Ranch) at Tribal Headquarters in Perkins, OK. Alternately, they may be found at [eagles.iowanation.org/applications/](http://eagles.iowanation.org/applications/).
- b. Applicant must fill out the top portion of the application. The following information must be completed on the application before submitting to a Certifying Officer:
  - i. Name, address, and telephone number
  - ii. The type of feathers requested.
  - iii. Copy of CDIB card.
- c. The applicant must submit the application to a Certifying Officers, preferably the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, or Secretary. The Certifying Officer will complete the Certification of Enrollment portion of the application including placing the Tribal seal next to their signature.
- d. The applicant should make an appointment with the Aviary Director, Megan Judkins, or Aviary Assistant Director, Ashley LoneTree, at the Grey Snow Eagle House to ensure she is available to issue feathers. Appointments will be scheduled between the hours of 8:00-5:00 CST. Please call 405-334-7471 to make an appointment. Same day appointments are generally not possible.

### IV. Issuance of Permits and Feathers

- a. Feathers cannot be issued prior to the Grey Snow Eagle House receiving a completed application with the Tribal seal. An application without a Tribal seal or not completed will not be accepted.
- b. Feathers will only be issued to applicants in person. Feathers will not be mailed to an applicant.
- c. Upon receiving a completed application, the Grey Snow Eagle House will date, initial, and document the number of feathers given to the applicant.
- d. A copy of the application will be kept by the Grey Snow Eagle House and the original copy will be kept by the applicant.