



SANTA ANA CONTEMPORARY TRIBAL COURT

02 Dove Road, Santa Ana Pueblo, NM 87004

Memorandum

To: All Pueblo Community Members and Administration Staff

From: Santa Ana Contemporary Tribal Court

Date: July 3, 2023

Re: **Enaction of Santa Ana Tribal Code**

Santa Ana Tribal Community members,

On December 17, 2022, Tribal Council passed Resolution No. 2022-R-39 creating a compilation of Santa Ana Tribal Codes, which embodies all the laws adopted by tribal council over the past 40 years, as well as some new codes. This compilation of law will go into effect starting July 1, 2023. The Santa Ana Tribal Court will now implement and enforce all adopted sections within the compilation of the codes including a new criminal code, domestic violence, and vulnerable adult codes.

With the adoption of these new codes and rules, the Pueblo of Santa Ana is now in compliance with the 2010 Tribal Law and Order Act which provides enhanced sentencing guidelines that can increase maximum sentencing in a criminal matter of up to three (3) years and \$15,000 in fines. If an offender has multiple convictions, their term of incarceration can last up to nine (9) years.

These codes can be accessed on the tribal court website. If you should have any questions, please contact any Santa Ana tribal court staff.



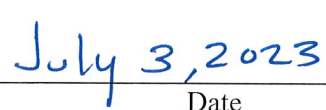
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