

INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

We specialize in providing historic research for Indigenous Peoples. Our research team brings more than twenty-five years' experience in conducting original document research in support of the legal and cultural initiatives of Indigenous communities. The services we offer include research for:

- Fee-to-trust projects
- Federal acknowledgement/recognition/reaffirmation
- Treaty rights
- Reservation boundary disputes
- Fraud investigations (e. g., allotments, homesteads, land grants, etc.)
- Hunting and fishing rights (usufruct)
- Water rights



We are equipped to provide 21st century solutions for 19th and 20th century problems. Our commitment to our clients is to provide high quality products and services utilizing the latest technical solutions, keeping cost to the client low while ensuring project completion as scheduled. To accomplish these goals we maintain rigorous quality standards and utilize the best tools available for the task such as:

- High Resolution digital scanners and cameras to copy pertinent documents
- Adobe PDF images of documents for rapid recall
- Various state of the art document and image editing software packages
- Data organization and indexing systems for ease in finding documents
- Project management controls to ensure budget and time line adherence

Our research professionals generate a comprehensive package of the items needed to provide convincing evidence to courts, the U. S. Congress, and federal administrative departments to support tribal initiatives. Some of the products we provide include:

- Documents in evidence
- Digitally generated maps
- Genealogical charts
- Tables demonstrating demographic patterns, bloodlines, etc.
- Expert Reports with clear, concise citations
- Attractive and appropriate PowerPoint presentations
- Training materials
- Conversion of existing paper collections to digital

We are committed to the concepts of tribal sovereignty and self-determination. Our promise is to provide the highest quality services to bands, tribes, nations, and communities in support of their initiatives without interfering in their internal politics or intruding into their cultures. We are determined to keep rates competitive, so that Indigenous Peoples can commit more of their resources to meeting the needs of their communities. Contact us today to work out a cost-effective proposal for your overall project needs.

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