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*Training and Technical Assistance to Tribal Organizations*

## ***JANE M. SMITH***

Ms. Smith is an enrolled member of the Colville Tribe in Nespelem, Washington. For over a decade she has been that tribe's Court Administrator and the main reviser for its Law & Order Codes. With both experience as a Tribal Judge and experience in Colville's Prosecutor's Office, Ms. Smith has garnered an excellent background in the intricacies of how a Tribal Court System should function.

Further, her extensive experience as both past President and member of the National American Indian Court Clerks' Association, has also offered her an excellent background in the day-to-day organizational functions of the Court. She has also testified before the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights regarding the enforcement of the Indian Civil Rights Act.

Empowered by both an impressive background in the tribal court system and an affable personality, Ms. Smith is an excellent presenter and trainer, fully aware of the key responsibilities of a court and the unique makeup of the tribal, social system. Among her special training interests:

- Establishing and Strengthening Tribal Court Systems
- Developing a Tribal Court Code/Ordinance
- Tribal Judges' Ethical Standards
- Case Management in Tribal Courts
- Court Procedures in Child Abuse Cases
- Pre-Trial Procedures
- Civil Trial Procedures
- Introduction to Jury Trials
- Appellate Procedures in Tribal Courts

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