

LEGAL NOTICE – ATTENTION

THE TULALIP TRIBAL COURT for the Tulalip Indian Reservation, Tulalip, WA  
**Notice of Petition for Forfeiture and Summons by Publication**

The Tulalip Tribes Office of Reservation Attorney gives notice that the property listed below was seized for forfeiture for violation of Tribal Law. Laws and procedures applicable to the forfeiture process can be found in Tulalip Tribal Code (TTC) Chapters 2.10 and 2.60. The code is available online at this website: (<http://www.codepublishing.com/WA/Tulalip/>).

**TO FILE A CLAIM:** If you are an owner or claimant, you may contest the forfeiture of the property listed below by filing an answer with the Tribal Court no later than 30 days after the date of final publication of this notice. You must serve a copy of your answer on the Tribal Prosecutor. You may request a copy of the summons, petition, and evidence in your case from the Tribal Prosecutor.

Tribal Court  
6332 31st Ave. NE, Suite B,  
Tulalip WA 98271  
360-716-4773

Tribal Prosecutor  
6330 31st Ave. NE  
Tulalip WA 98271  
360-716-4810

**DEADLINE TO FILE ANSWER: March 31, 2019**

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: January 30, 2019

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY IS BEING HELD PENDING FORFEITURE:

**2001 BMW 330I VIN #WABAN53441JU31410** seized by Tulalip Tribal Police from Arturo Pinzon (driver) and Serrano Pedro (registered owner) on January 9, 2019 at 8924 Quil Ceda Blvd., Tulalip, Washington 98271. – A Summons re Seized Property and Petition for Forfeiture of Seized Property have been filed with the Tulalip Tribal Court.

FAILURE TO FILE AN ANSWER WITHIN THE TIME ALLOWED MAY RESULT IN FORFEITURE OF THE LISTED PROPERTY.

THE PETITION AND SUMMONS IN THESE CASES CAN BE FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.

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3 **IN THE TULALIP TRIBAL COURT**  
4 **FOR THE TULALIP INDIAN RESERVATION**  
5 **TULALIP, WASHINGTON**

6 IN REM THE FORFEITURE OF:

7 2001 BMW 330I  
8 VIN#WBABN53441JU31410

NO. QCV-CV-FO-2019-

**SUMMONS RE SEIZED PROPERTY**

TPD Incident No. 19-0095  
Primary Officer J. Wilcox

**(Clerk's Action Required)**

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10 TO: Arturo Pinzon  
11 23632 Hwy 99, Suite F361  
Edmonds, WA 98026

Serrano Pedro  
3718 S. 170<sup>th</sup> Street  
Seatac, WA 98188

12 YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Tulalip Tribes, Plaintiff, by and through its  
13 prosecuting authority, has filed a petition with the Court that seeks to have forfeited, to the  
14 benefit of the Tribes, certain property that you allegedly own, claim, or have an interest.

15 Pursuant to Chapter 2.60.070§(4)(a), of the Tulalip Tribes Code of Law, you have thirty  
16 (30) days after you have been served the petition and this summons to file with the Court a  
17 response to the allegations described in the petition. No extension of the time for filing the  
18 response may be granted. Failure to respond within 30 days may bar you from presenting  
19 evidence at any later evidentiary hearing regarding the seized property. Further, if no response  
20 is filed within 30 days after service of the petition and summons, the Court, upon motion of the  
21 Tribes, shall order the property forfeited to the Tribes.

22 Chapter 2.60.070§(4)(b) governs responses to forfeiture petitions. The Clerk's Office  
23 does not provide legal advice. It is your responsibility to familiarize yourself with the applicable  
24 tribal law—which is available from the Clerk's Office and on-line at:  
25 <http://www.codepublishing.com/WA/Tulalip/>  
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1 Your response must be mailed to, or personally filed with, the Clerk's Office at 6332-  
2 31<sup>st</sup> Ave NE, Suite B, Tulalip WA 98271.

3 Questions regarding the petition should be addressed to the Tulalip Tribes Prosecutor's  
4 Office at 360-716-4810, not to the Clerk's Office.

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6 DATED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of January, 2019.

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**PETITION FOR FORFEITURE OF  
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10 COMES NOW the Tulalip Tribes, Plaintiff, by and through its prosecuting authority, to  
11 petition the Court to institute proceedings for the forfeiture of the property described in section  
12 I, below. The Court has subject matter jurisdiction over these proceedings, and this Petition is  
13 made pursuant to, Chapter 2.60 of the Tulalip Tribes Code of Law.

14 **I. SUBJECT PROPERTY**

15 As described in detail in Tulalip Police Incident Report #19-0095, which is on file with  
16 the Tulalip Tribal Court under this cause number, on or about the 9<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2019,  
17 Tulalip Tribal Police (TPD) seized a 2001 BMW 330I, VIN# WBABN53441JU31410 from  
18 Arturo Pinzon (driver) and Serrano Pedro (registered owner) in the vicinity of 8924 Quil Ceda  
19 Blvd., Tulalip, Washington in connection with narcotics trafficking on the Tulalip Reservation.

20 **II. AUTHORITY**

21 Because the Subject Vehicle was used or was intended to be used to facilitate the  
22 transportation, sale, receipt, possession, or concealment of a controlled substance, listed  
23 chemical, or proceeds from the sale of a controlled substance in violation of Tulalip Law, it is  
24 subject to forfeiture pursuant to Tulalip Tribal Code 2.60.020§(5).  
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1 **III. CLAIMANTS**

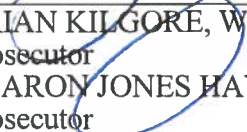
2 Arturo Pinzon, driver, from whom the subject property was seized and the registered  
3 owner of the vehicle, Serrano Pedro, are the only people who the Tribes knows or has reason to  
4 believe has or may asset a claim to the subject property. Arturo Pinzon is believed to reside at  
5 23632 Hwy 99, Suite F361, Edmonds, Washington 98026 (police report). Serrano Pedro is  
6 believed to reside at 3718 S. 170<sup>th</sup> Street, Seatac, Washington 98188 (police report).

7 **IV. CONCLUSION**

8 Based upon the foregoing, the Tribes requests the Clerk of the Court issue a Summons  
9 to have Arturo Pinzon and Serrano Pedro answer the allegations of this Petition, and, ultimately,  
10 for the Court to order that the Subject Property be forfeited for the benefit of the Tulalip Tribes.

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12 DATED this 21 day of January, 2019.

13 TULALIP TRIBES  
14 Office of the Reservation Attorney

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17 BRIAN KILGORE, WSBA No. 44275  
18 Prosecutor  
19 SHARON JONES HAYDEN, WSBA No. 23839  
20 Prosecutor  
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