STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

LARRY RHODEN | GOVERNOR

1. Letter to President and Members of the Senate from Governor Rhoden.
2. Copy of appointment or reappointment letter.
3. Copy of letter to Secretary of State of South Dakota.
4. Copy of Oath of Office.
5. Copy of Statement of Financial Interest.

Algin Young, Secretary of the Department Tribal Relations. 1-2-3-4-5

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the above documents for Senate confirmation.

Secretary of Senate

1-29-2026

Date Received

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September 2, 2025

The Honorable Tonnis H. Venhuizen
President of the Senate
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Dear Mr. President and Members of the Senate,

Pursuant to the provisions of Article IV, Section 9, of the Constitution, and subject to your consent, I am honored to inform you that I have appointed Algin Young, Jackson County, Interior, South Dakota, to the position of Secretary of the Department Tribal Relations.

This appointment is effective April 25, 2025.

Sincerely,

Larry Rhoden

Larry Rhoden
Governor

LR:dk

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September 2, 2025

Algin Young
20815 SD Hwy 44
Interior, SD 57750

Dear Algin,

I have the honor to inform you that I have appointed you as the Secretary of the Department of Tribal Relations. Your appointment is effective April 25, 2025.

Please complete the enclosed Statement of Financial Interest and Oath of Office and return in the enclosed, self-addressed envelope at your earliest convenience.

Your service to the citizens of this state is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Larry Rhoden

Larry Rhoden
Governor

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Enclosures

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LARRY RHODEN | GOVERNOR

September 2, 2025

Honorable Monae L. Johnson
Secretary of State
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501

Dear Secretary Johnson,

Pursuant to the provisions of SDCL 1-32-3, I am honored to inform you that I have appointed Algin Young, Jackson County, Interior, to the position of Secretary of the Department of Tribal Relations.

This appointment is effective April 25, 2025. It shall continue at the pleasure of the Governor.

You are hereby authorized to issue a commission accordingly.

Sincerely,

Larry Rhoden

Larry Rhoden
Governor

LR:dk

State of South Dakota)
) SS
County of Jackson)

I, Algin Young, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of South Dakota and that I will faithfully discharge the duties as Secretary of the Department Tribal Relations.

Dated this 17th day of September, 2025.

Algin Young

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
17th day of September, 2025.

(Seal)

Leslie A. Ashley
NOTARY PUBLIC
SOUTH DAKOTA
My Commission Expires 12-27-27

Notary

My Commission Expires:

12-27-27

Conflict of Interest
ELECTED OFFICIAL
Statement of Financial Interest

Deadline to file: Within **15 days** after the person assumes office.

File with: The **SECRETARY OF STATE** except **local candidates** file with the office where they file their oath of office.

Elected Officials who file: **State Office** elected officials (governor, lieutenant governor, state treasurer, attorney general, secretary of state, state auditor, public utilities commissioner, commissioner of school and public lands, state legislator, circuit court judge and supreme court justice SDCL 3-1A-2);

Gubernatorial Appointee for whom senate confirmation is required shall file with the secretary of state a statement of financial interest before confirmation SDCL 3-1A-3.

Local Office officials (county commissioner, school board member in a school district with a total enrollment of more than 2,000 students, or commissioner, council member, or mayor in any 1st class municipality SDCL 3-1A-4)

Please print:

Full Name Algin A. Young SR

Complete Address PO Box 16, 536 CHS Housing, Wanblee, S.D. 57577

Office *(list District number if applicable)* _____

What is your occupation/profession? Secretary - SD Dept. of Tribal Relations

****If there are no changes from your previously filed CANDIDATE Financial Interest Statement check the box and sign and date below.** ☐ **NO Changes**

List any source of funds (business or economic relationship) which contributes **more than 10%** of or **more than $2,000** to your family's *(includes spouse, minor children living at home)* **gross income** in the preceding calendar year. This also includes any enterprise in which you or an immediate family member(s) **controls more than 10% of the capital or stock.** Identify who receives the income from each enterprise but do not include the value. (SDCL 3-1A-1)

**The intent of this form is to collect specific information, not generalities. Do not put N/A or leave the grid blank.*

Name of Candidate or Family Member	Name the Source of Funds (Ex: current employer, SD Legislature, 401K, benefits, etc.)	Relationship to funds (Ex: employee, officer, director, associate, partner, shareholder, owner, member, proprietor, etc.)
None	N/A	N/A

I declare and affirm under the penalties of perjury that the information above has been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is a true, correct and complete representation of myself and my immediate family's financial interests for the preceding calendar year.

(Signature) _____ (Date) 09/17/2025