



My name is Melissa Gilman. I am the daughter of Nicholas Gilman Sr. and the late Kimberley Charles, and the granddaughter of the late Marjorie Johnson and Donald Gordon McCallum. I carry my family and our ancestors with me in the work I do for our people.

It has been an honor to serve our community over the past three years. During this time, I have worked alongside our leadership, tribal departments, and our state and federal partners to support the needs of our Tribe. I have remained committed to showing up, listening, and advocating for our people in every space I represent us.

I have had the privilege of learning from strong mentors and working with many dedicated community members. Those experiences have shaped me into a leader who is committed, accountable, and focused on the well-being of our people.

I am proud of the work we have done together, and I know there is still more to do.

If re-elected, my priorities continue to be:

- Supporting growth from our tribal businesses so they continue to benefit our members
- Strengthening policy for services to ensure fairness and access for all
- Investing in our youth and creating opportunities for the next generation
- Continuing to work at the state and federal level to be sure our needs are heard

I believe leadership is not about making promises, it is about being present, listening, and doing the work every day. That is what I will continue to do.

My goal is to continue building on the strength of our Tribe, honoring our legacy, and creating a better future for our children and future generations.

For those who know me, you know I am always available. I will continue to be someone you can call, visit, and rely on. That is who I am, and that is the kind of leader I strive to be.

I humbly ask for your support and your vote so I can continue serving our community.

With love and respect,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Melissa Gilman". The signature is stylized and cursive.

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