

TRIBAL PROGRAM NEWS

Business and You!

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Taking Advantage of Opportunities – A Key to Success!

The difference between being successful and not being successful is often related to the number of opportunities to which an individual has access.

For Siletz Tribal members, many opportunities are available to help improve your skills and learn new ones, and to help you improve your chances of both personal and business success. If you don't take advantage of them, you are cheating yourself and missing opportunities that can help you to succeed.

Some of the opportunities currently available to Siletz Tribal members include:

Siletz Tribal Action Network (S.T.A.N.)

Training workshops focusing on improving skills

Contact me at 541-994-2142 or 1-877-564-7298 (toll free)

Siletz Employment Services and On-the-Job Training

Providing assistance for tribal members seeking employment

Contact Nancy McCrary, 541-444-8220 or 1-800-922-1399, ext. 1220

Human Resources

Offering information about job opportunities with the tribe and Chinook Winds Casino Resort

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians

Contact Michele Louvet-Rowan, 541-444-8240 or 1-800-922-1399, ext. 1240

Chinook Winds Casino Resort

Contact Billie Jo Wills or Susanne Aleson, 541-994-5800

Jobline – 541-994-8097 or 1-888-244-6665, ext. 8097 (toll free)

Small Business Program

- Offers one-on-one business counseling
- Free Fax and copying services for Tribal business owners
- Business Loan Program for qualified Tribal members
- Access to computers and the Internet
- Assistance with Business Plan development and business research
- Business reference and video library
- Contact me at 541-994-2142 or 1-877-564-7298 (toll free)

Being successful takes determination and hard work, but it's worth the effort. So if you are looking for a way to improve yourself, get a new job, or start a business of your own, take advantage of the opportunities the Siletz Tribe provides for members by contacting one of these resources. You will be glad you did!

General Council Meeting

Nov. 4, 2006

**Siletz Tribal Community
Center
Siletz, Oregon
1 p.m.
Agenda**

Call to Order

Invocation

Roll Call

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Minutes

Reports: Tribal Council

Committee/Activity Reports

Tribal Member Concerns

Declaration of Candidacy

for 2007 Election

Chairman's Report

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Adjournment

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reviewed by the tribal enrollment staff and Indian Child Welfare staff, who shall submit a written recommendation on the proposed relinquishment to the Tribal Council. The Tribal Council shall decide whether to accept or reject the relinquishment request. [Added by Resolution No. 90-136, dated May 19, 1990].

§ 2.310 LOSS OF MEMBERSHIP

(a) Grounds. The enrollment staff shall recommend to the Tribal Council removal from the tribal roll of any person who becomes ineligible for membership because of enrollment in another federally recognized Tribe or whose application, after approval is found to contain certain false information that is material to the eligibility for enrollment of that person, or who is already enrolled in another federally recognized Indian tribe as outlined in Section 2.308 of this Ordinance. [Amended by Resolution No. 86-135, dated March 15, 1986; amended by Resolution No. 90-136, dated May 19, 1990].

(b) Procedure. Prior to removal, a person shall be given notice in writing by the enrollment staff of the right to a hearing and to hear the evidence against him or her, confront the witnesses, be represented by counsel at his or her own expense, and, to present evidence to the Tribal Council within thirty (30) days after the enrollee's receipt of notice of his proposed disenrollment. [Amended by Resolution No. 86-135, dated March 15, 1986; amended by Resolution No. 90-136, dated May 19, 1990].

(c) Tribal Council. The Tribal Council shall, by resolution, order removal from the roll of any person it finds to be ineligible for membership because of enrollment in another federally-recognized Tribe or for filing a false application. The removal shall be retroactive to the date of adoption of this ordinance or of enrollment in another Tribe or upon entry on the roll of the name of any person based upon false application, whichever is later. [Amended by Resolution No. 86-135, dated March 15, 1986; amended by Resolution No. 90-136, dated May 19, 1990].

§ 2.311 DECEASED MEMBERS

The death of a person on the tribal membership roll shall be noted with supporting written evidence, and that name shall be removed from the roll by the enrollment staff upon a resolution of the Tribal Council directing such action.

§ 2.312 BLOOD DEGREE CORRECTIONS

Corrections of blood degrees on the Tribal roll shall be initiated by the enrollment staff which shall make recommendations from time to time to the Tribal Council with supporting reasons and evidence. The Tribal Council shall direct the enrollment staff to make such corrections as to blood quantum on the tribal roll as it deems necessary and proper. The corrected roll shall be the basis for evaluating all future applicants. Persons who are subject to adjustment of their blood quantum as set forth in this section shall have the right

to a hearing as set forth in Section 2.310(b) of this ordinance. Any change in blood degree shall be made by the Tribal Council following such hearing by resolution directing the enrollment staff to make such changes, subject to the appeals procedure set forth in Section 2.313. [Amended by Resolution No. 84-75, Feb. 18, 1984; amended by Resolution No. 86-135, March 15, 1986; amended by Resolution No. 90-136, dated May 19, 1990].

§ 2.313 PUBLICATION

All additions, deletions and corrections of the Tribal roll shall be published on an annual basis by the enrollment staff. An alphabetized list shall be kept in the tribal office at Siletz, with copies in each area office and shall be available for inspection upon the reasonable request of any tribal member. [Amended by Resolution No. 86-135, dated March 15, 1986; amended by Resolution No. 86-136, dated March 15, 1986].

PART V APPEALS

§ 2.314 APPEAL PROCEDURE

[Moved within Ordinance by Resolution No. 86-135, March 15, 1986].

(a) Definition. An appeal is a written request to the Tribal Court for judicial review of a rejection of any individual's application for enrollment under Section 2.304 or a removal of any person from the Tribal Roll under

Section 2.310 or a modification of a member's blood quantum by the Tribal Council under Section 2.312 of this ordinance. [Amended by Resolution No. 86-135, March 15, 1986].

(b) Standing. Any person whose application for enrollment has been rejected, any person whose blood quantum has been adjusted or any person who has been removed from the roll may appeal. [Amended by Resolution No. 86-135, March 15, 1986].

(c) Filing. The appeal shall be filed pursuant to the Tribal Court Rules of Procedure adopted by the Tribal Council. Failure to file the appeal within the deadline set forth in Tribal Court Rules of Procedure shall not bar an appellant from the remedy set forth in subsection (d). All appeals shall be supported by the record of the hearing before the Council. Decisions of the Court shall be final except as provided for in subsection (d) of this Section. [Amended by Resolution No. 86-135, March 15, 1986].

Reconsideration of Applications. At its discretion, the Tribal Council may reopen old applications when new and substantial evidence is submitted to support the applicant's position and when the Council determines that justice requires such a reconsideration. Unless the Council determines otherwise, membership granted after such a reconsideration shall be prospective and not retroactive. [Amended by Resolution No. 86-135, March 15, 1986; original subsection (d) deleted by same Resolution].