

HEE HEE ILLAHEE RV RESORT

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by Brent Merrill

The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians operate many businesses – including a 14-and-a-half acre, 139-space recreational vehicle resort in Salem called the Hee Hee Illahee RV Resort. Hee Hee Illahee in the Tribal language means a “fun place to be.”

The business that opened in 2006 is in a prime Northwest location in the Willamette Valley in Salem. Located west of the Cascade Mountains and east of the Coast Range, the business is located in the State’s capital and close to attractions, shopping and many recreation opportunities.

Some of the features that keep bringing in the crowds are a first-class swimming pool, a spa facility, a playground for the younger visitors, meeting rooms for professional and personal occasions, laundry that is accessible 24 hours a day, a card room and Broadband Internet access. Water, cable, electricity and garbage service are all available to folks who stay short term or for longer-term visits.

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the larger coach motor homes. The slots are long and paved with plenty of room between slots.

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Customers have pointed out several amenities they preferred, like the hidden garbage and recycling areas and the flat terrain easily accessed by motorized mobility carts.

There also is a pay phone, a propane facility, reading room and exercise area near the spa.

“The park is well-lit,” said another reviewer on the resort’s website. “There are lights located at every other slot.”

“The staff is wonderful,” said online reviewers Bob and Dee Schultz.

The RV resort has a convenient location off of Interstate 5 near one of Salem’s main thoroughfares, Portland Road. The address is 4751 Astoria Street NE in Salem. The phone number for the resort is 503-463-6641 or toll free at 877-564-7295.



Left: Resort office

Below: Entrance to Eagle Court

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