

# Help needed at the second Cut Wood for the Elders Day

The Tribal Natural Resources Committee and Natural Resources Department will sponsor the second Cut Wood for the Elders Day of the year on July 15.

The woodcut will be held on the Tribe's Logsdon Road property between the Tribal food distribution warehouse and the Tribal vehicle storage yard in Siletz.

We need lots of volunteers to help cut, split and deliver firewood for Tribal elders. Bring your chainsaws, hydraulic wood splitters, splitting mauls, axes and lots of energy.

Lunch, drinks and snacks will be provided. We will start at 8 a.m. and go until around 2 p.m.

The goal of this event will be to deliver firewood to as many elders as possible. The Elders Program maintains a list of elders who burn wood for their winter heat.

People willing to haul firewood to elders outside of the Siletz area should contact the Elders Program clerk at 800-922-1399, ext. 1261, or 541-444-8261 to be paired up with an elder in need. We especially need folks who can haul wood to the Eugene, Salem and Portland areas.

Elders in need of firewood also should contact the Elders Program clerk to get their name on the delivery list.

The first woodcut held in May was immensely successful. Let's see if we can repeat that success at this one.



Courtesy photo by Denise Garrett

Isaac Butler helps cut wood with 59 other people at this year's first elders woodcut on May 20.

If you have parents or grandparents who burn wood in the winter to stay warm, you need to help out at this event!

Be sure to mark your calendars for the final woodcut of the year that will be held Sept. 16.

# Planning Department wants to know: Paper or digital?

The Planning Department is experimenting with new ways to administer Tribal member surveys.

In January, we developed a web-based Transportation Survey. This month we are trying out social media by creating a Facebook page!

When we send out a survey, we hope to get as many responses back as possible. We need to gather information and get feedback from you in order to make good decisions. But we also want to minimize the burden involved in filling out and returning a survey.

So if having a survey delivered to your email inbox is easier for you than getting a paper one in the mail, we'd like to know that. But if you prefer paper surveys, that's important for us to know as well.

In the future, we might also consider having a staff member call you to read the survey out loud and get your responses verbally. This is the most expensive option, however.

We welcome your opinions on the following questions:

1. Do you prefer paper surveys or web-based surveys?
2. Do you prefer to be contacted by mail, email, phone, text message?

You can let us know using one of the following ways:

- Contact Jen Martin, Planning data coordinator, by phone at 541-444-8271 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1271; or email at [jmartin@ctsi.nsn.us](mailto:jmartin@ctsi.nsn.us)
- Take our poll on Facebook! Search for "Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians Planning Department"

## Change in Siletz Clinic check-in times

The Siletz Clinic asks all patients with appointments to check in 15 minutes prior to your scheduled appointment time. This allows for any necessary paperwork to be completed prior to your appointment with your provider.

Thank you!

## CTSI Jobs

**Tribal employment information is available at [ctsi.nsn.us](http://ctsi.nsn.us).**

Note: "Open Until Filled" vacancies may close at any time. The Tribe's Indian Preference policy will apply. Tribal government will not discriminate in selection because of race, creed, age, sex, color, national origin, physical handicap, marital status, politics, membership or non-membership in an employee organization.

CTSI constantly is looking for temporary employees to cover vacancy, vacations, maternity leave and extended sick leave. If you are looking for temporary work that can last from 2-12 weeks, please submit an application for the temp pool.

**For more information about the Siletz Tribe, please visit [ctsi.nsn.us](http://ctsi.nsn.us).**

<b>TRIBAL COURT OF THE CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF SILETZ INDIANS OF OREGON</b>	<b>Notice of Pending Litigation</b>	<b>June 9, 2017</b>
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Court Address  
P.O. Box 549  
201 SE Swan Ave. Siletz, OR 97380

Court telephone no.  
800-922-1399  
541-444-8228

### In the matter of: Siletz Tribal Per Capita Distribution

These matters came before the court on review and the court being fully informed finds as follows:

#### FINDING OF FACT

1. This court has jurisdiction to review this matter as the respondents are members of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians (CTSI).
2. Petitioner filed a Notice to Offset/Attached Tribal Per Capita in the Siletz Tribal Court.

#### ORDER

The following Tribal members have a lien filed against their per capita and do not have a valid mailing address with the Enrollment Department and need to contact Tribal Court for their hearing date and time:

Jonathan Blalock  
Maria Cochran  
Cynthia (Yarbour) Green  
Shatara Holmes  
Aimee Husberg  
Robert (Yarbour) Logsdon

Gregory Phillips  
Robert Richardson  
Rachael Rilatos  
Jason Simmons  
Jason Torrez

If the above-mentioned people do not show for their hearing date, an Order of Default will be entered against them.

SO ORDERED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of June 2017

Calvin E. Gantenbein, Chief Judge  
Siletz Tribal Court

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by PSU with a Golden Eagle award for being this year's "Outstanding Alumni."

Katy has been the education specialist for PAO for more than 21 years, has served as the head of the Native American Student Community Center (NASCC) board at PSU, and has always been involved in the health and welfare of the Portland Tribal community.

Katy also is currently serving on the Native American Community Advisory Council (NACAC) to Portland Parks and Metro. She has been instrumental in connecting the Siletz community to urban parks and has advised Portland Parks on the cultural significance of land.

She volunteers throughout the Native community. She is a valuable member of PAO and the Siletz Tribe. We are so proud of her!



Courtesy photos from Portland Area Office  
Katy Holland