

NARF congratulates Siletz grant recipient, summer law clerk McCool

From the Native American Rights Fund

The Native American Rights Fund (NARF) recently received a \$9,600 donation from the Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund (STCCF) to support a law clerk during the NARF 2018 Summer Law Clerk Program. Each summer, NARF hosts a 10- to 12-week program for rising third-year law students.

STCCF has a long history of supporting NARF's law clerk program and NARF would like to recognize the generosity of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians for the many contributions they have made to NARF through the STCCF.

We are pleased to announce that Calandra Dénanimnéikwe McCool, a law clerk in NARF's Boulder, Colo., office, was chosen to be the recipient of the 2018 Siletz grant.

A student at the University of Oklahoma (OU), Calandra is a member of the Citizen Potawatomi Nation and worked as a summer legal intern for her Tribe while enrolled in the OU College of Law's Summer Start Program.

She also has worked for Oklahoma Indian Legal Services on its Cobell Settlement Whereabouts Unknown Project.

Calandra served as a research assistant for OU's Donald E. Pray Law Library, as well as for Professor Katherine Guzman working with the Uniform Laws Commission's Model Tribal Probate Code project.

Calandra is the 2018-2019 OU Native American Law Students Association (NALSA) chapter president, as well as the National NALSA treasurer.

She is a research editor for the American Indian Law Review, which is scheduled to publish her comment, "Welcome to the Mvskoke Reservation: *Murphy v. Royal*, Jurisdiction, and Reservation Diminishment in Indian Country."

Some of Calandra's legal interest areas within the context of indigenous law include water law, cyber security law and natural resource/environmental law.

NARF thanks the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians and the Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund for its grant to further the NARF law clerk program, which allows NARF to mentor Native law students like Calandra and allows the students to make an impact on Indian law and to Native people during their term at NARF.

The Siletz grant also allows NARF to continue our mission to develop Indian



Courtesy photo from NARF

Calandra McCool and John Echohawk with the Siletz check

law and educate the public about Indian rights, laws and issues.

About NARF

Since 1971, the Native American Rights Fund (NARF) has provided legal assistance to Indian Tribes, organizations and individuals nationwide who might otherwise have gone without adequate representation.

NARF has successfully asserted and defended the most important rights of Indians and Tribes in hundreds of major cases and has achieved significant results in such critical areas as Tribal sovereignty, treaty rights, natural resource protection and Indian education. It is a non-profit 501c(3) organization that focuses on applying existing laws and treaties to guarantee that national and state governments live up to their legal obligations.

Most Often Requested Numbers

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians – 800-922-1399	Siletz Community Health Clinic – 800-648-0449
Salem Area Office – 503-390-9494	Siletz Behavioral Health – 800-600-5599
Salem Finance Office – 888-870-9051	Chinook Winds Casino Resort – 888-244-6665
Portland Area Office – 503-238-1512	Chemawa Health Clinic – 800-452-7823
Eugene Area Office – 541-484-4234	Bureau of Indian Affairs – 800-323-8517
Contract Health Services (CHS) – 800-628-5720	Website – ctsi.nsn.us

September USDA distribution dates

Siletz		
Tuesday	Sept. 4	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Wednesday	Sept. 5	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Thursday	Sept. 6	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Friday	Sept. 7	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Monday	Sept. 10	Holiday
Tuesday	Sept. 11	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Wednesday	Sept. 12	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Salem		
Monday	Sept. 17	1:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday	Sept. 18	9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday	Sept. 19	9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Thursday	Sept. 20	By appt only

2 boxes instant vanilla pudding
2 containers of Cool Whip

Rinse all the canned fruit and let it drain while you dice the apples.

Dice the grapes and cherries and put them in a big bowl.

Add all the other fruit and the lemon juice. The lemon juice keeps the apples fresh longer.

Sprinkle vanilla pudding over the top and mix in the 2 containers of Cool Whip. Mix well and serve.

*Indicates product in food package

Vanilla Pudding Fruit Salad

- 1 can diced peaches*
- 1 can fruit cocktail*
- 2 Golden Delicious apples, diced*
- 2 Granny Smith apples, diced*
- 2 Gala apples, diced*
- 1 pound grapes, halved*
- 1 pound cherries, halved/seeded*
- Juice of 1 lemon*

LIKE us on Facebook at Siletz Tribal FDPIR. We would like to see more people sharing their recipes on our FB.



Joyce Retherford, FDP Director
541-444-8393

Lisa Paul, FDP Clerk/Warehouseman
541-444-8279

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Siletz Basketry Classes

Siletz

Tribal Community Center
Oct. 8 • 5-7 p.m.

Eugene

Eugene Area Office
Oct. 9 • 5-7 p.m.

Portland

Portland Area Office
Oct. 15 • 5-7 p.m.

Salem

Salem Area Office
Oct. 16 • 5-7 p.m.



Come and learn how to make Siletz baskets. All ages welcome. Young people under 10 years old need an adult to accompany and assist them.

The Siletz Culture Department will provide round reed material and instructors. If you have your own materials, please bring them.

Contact: Bud Lane at budl@ctsi.nsn.us; 541-444-8320 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1320.

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CTSI Jobs

Tribal employment information is available at 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.

Send applications to:

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians
Attn: Human Resources Department
P.O. Box 549
Siletz, OR 97380-0549

Fax number: 541-444-8375 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1375

Human Resources: 800-922-1399, ext. 1274, or 541-444-8274

Website: ctsi.nsn.us

Email: hrdepartment@ctsi.nsn.us