

Photo by Diane Rodriquez

Interim General Manager Mike Kennedy (left) presents a \$50,000 check to Dave Lapof, fire chief for the Siletz Valley Fire District. The money will go to the district's general fund, with a focus on recruiting underrepresented members of the community to become volunteers for the fire district. If you're interested in volunteering or have questions, please call 541-444-2043.

What to expect when you're approved for hearing aids through PRC

You will be referred to Costco for hearing aids. Costco hearing aids cost 50-60 percent less than other providers with equal quality.

Your Purchased/Referred Care team will help you obtain a Costco membership and help with transportation barriers.

We look forward to working with you.

General Council Meeting

Saturday, Feb. 5, 2022 • 1 p.m. • Siletz, Oregon

Call to Order Invocation Flag Salute Roll Call Approval of Agenda Approval of Minutes Tribal Council Committee Reports Tribal Member Concerns Chairman's Report Announcements Adjourn

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, in order to continue to keep the membership safe/healthy, the Feb. 5, 2022, General Council Meeting will be on the Zoom platform. For access to the meeting link, please email generalcouncil@ctsi.nsn. us and include your name and roll number in the email. The link to the meeting will be sent to your email address on Feb. 4, 2022, prior to 4:30 p.m.

To discuss Tribal member concerns, please indicate so in your email or by using the "raise hand" option in Zoom. The Tribal chairman will call upon Tribal members in the order they are received. Tribal members who plan to speak, please ensure there is audio on your device. The deadline to request the meeting link is Feb. 3, 2022.

The Lincoln County Jail in Newport, Ore., is seeking additional cultural practitioners to provide services to American Indians who are incarcerated. They are seeking both female and male practitioners to provide online, one-on-one and group guidance (once it is safe to hold in-person meetings).

If you have questions, please contact Lisa Norton at lisan@ctsi.nsn.us. If you want to volunteer, contact Dennis Buckmaster (dbuckmaster@co.lincoln. or.us) to start the process. This process does include a background check, but all situations will be considered individually.

Ecotrust PRESENTS THE INDIGENOUS LEADERSHIP BRIEFING SERIES

Four, free educational webinars that examine the theme of Indigenous Leadership: Ensuring a Future for Native Peoples, Cultures, and Lands.

Through a series of four hour-long, online gatherings, eight tribal leaders from across the Pacific Northwest will provide the historical context of issues tribal communities have confronted over time and the ways Native leaders responded. Learn about little-known eras, issues, and subjects, all from an Indigenous perspective, and about the impact of Indigenous leadership on the well-being of tribal communities and beyond.

NEGOTIATING A FUTURE: INDIGENOUS LEADERSHIP THROUGH THE AGES

with Roberta "Bobbie" Conner (Nez Perce/Cayuse) and Ron Allen (Jamestown S'Klallam) DECEMBER 15, 2021

TERMINATION: THE ATTEMPT TO DESTROY AND THE REBUILDING OF THE SILETZ TRIBES

THE ALASKA NATIVE CLAIMS

SETTLEMENT ACT: IMPACTS ON

ALASKA NATIVE COMMUNITIES

with Joe Nelson (Tlingit) and

FEBRUARY 16, 2022

Nicole Borromeo (Athabaskan)

with Ed Ben (Siletz) and Bud Lane (Siletz) JANUARY 19, 2022



We're Back!

Calling all Gamers, K-12

CTSI Minecraft Gathering

The briefings will be held at **11am PST on the third Wednesday of each month, starting December 2021 through March 2022**:

This inaugural briefing series serves as the run-up to the 2022 Indigenous Leadership Awards, an annual event that celebrates Indigenous determination and survival.

To RSVP for one or any of these briefings, visit ecotrust.org/project/indigenous-leadershipbriefings/#RSVP BREAKING THE CHAINS: TRANSFORMATIVE FEDERAL LEGISLATION AND TRIBAL PEOPLES

with Robert Miller (Eastern Shawnee) and Dave Tovey (Cayuse/Joseph Band Nez Perce) MARCH 16, 2022

FEBRUARY 19, 2022 at 11:00 am

Contact:

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for registration

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