

# Beavercreek man seeking position in Legislature

by DAN DILLON

A journeyman electrician from Beaver Creek last week became the first candidate to file for the seat from state House District 23.

Bob Shiprack, 31, announced he will seek the Democratic nomination in the new district, created during the recent session of the Legislature.

Shiprack, seeking his first elected position, said he was prompted to enter the race by the state's economy and budget.

"The state budget is tied to the economy," he said. "You can't have 10 percent unemployment and expect to have a solid budget."

"The Republicans voted unanimously against the corporate income tax in the last session. I think that showed poor judgment," Shiprack said.

"We're so dependent on the wood industry," he said. "We need to diversify our industries, but I don't see the



Bob Shiprack

state doing that." Shiprack also said he thinks the state could expand the federal home mortgage loan to the benefit of more Oregonians.

On the field of energy, he said, "Until there's a profit to be made, I don't see alternative energy taking off."

He lauded an Oregon City plan that will burn garbage to generate steam which will be sold to Publisher's Paper Company. "It's a good pro-

ject that will give people jobs," he said.

Shiprack is a 1972 graduate of Portland State University with a bachelor's degree in history, economics and political science.

He has served as a precinct committeeman, on the Clackamas County Democratic Central Committee and serves as chairman of the Resolutions and Bylaws Committee of the county party. He also served on the Clackamas County Labor Council and campaigned against the creation of a countywide PUD.

Shiprack is married and the father of three children.

"I would hope that if I'm elected, I will keep in touch with the people," he said. "My door will always be open."

House District 23 runs from the Mount Hood area to south of Oregon City, encompassing Sandy, Estacada, Molalla and Canby. There is no incumbent candidate in the district.

# Operation Childfind

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Sandy Elementary District

The Sandy District offers a speech therapist who covers all four schools, Sandy Elementary, Cedar Ridge, Kelso and Firwood. That person is trained in screening for hearing tests.

A resource room teacher is available in each school. A child attends school in his regular classroom, but goes to the resource room for what his needs demand.

The director of special education coordinates where testing occurs and supervises within the district. After testing, an Individualized Educational Plan is developed with the parents as equal partners on the Child Study Team.

The district contracts with surrounding educational facilities to accommodate students which it is not equipped to handle.

If a student cannot attend school because of his handicapping condition, the Sandy district sends teachers into the home.

For information on Sandy Elementary District offerings, contact Branson, 668-5541.

Sandy High School

Sandy Union High School offers a learning center with a full-time teacher, full-time aide and part-time aide. A full-time speech pathologist and part-time hearing impairment teacher are also available.

Most students are mainstreamed with all students during the day, according to Sue Chambers, but are brought into the learning center for individualized help.

That help ranges from special science, biology and English tutoring to help through the Title I reading program. Special credits are available so students can pass science classes with one-to-one tutoring.

The district contracts with ESU for trainable mentally retarded students. Special transportation for handicap-

ped students is also available.

Special evaluation is also available through the ESD and WOSC.

The poster girl for Operation Childfind is freshman Terri Bolton.

For information on the SUHS program, contact Chambers, 668-8011.

Cottrell School

Cottrell School offers a resource room, a speech therapist and contracts with the Child Evaluation Center at ESU.

"If it is beyond our facilities," said Superintendent Jean Lundy, "this district will pay to place them in the right school."

For information on the Cottrell School special education offerings, call Lundy, 668-5521.

Boring School

Boring School offers a resource room for grades kindergarten through 8, speech counseling, Title I

reading, diagnostic services and transportation for all special needs.

A new program at the school utilizes a Foster Grandparent as a part-time aide.

"Whatever the child needs, we seek out the service," said Carolyn Fones, coordinator of special services. "If we can't provide it, we buy that service."

Boring School houses a regional classroom for hearing-impaired students which is used by surrounding districts.

A preventive measure for kindergarten and first

graders is a reading disabled program to help students maintain a level similar to classmates.

For information on the Boring School program, call Fones, 663-5909 or 658-3876.

Bull Run School

Bull Run School also offers a resource room and Title I reading program taught by Andy Schmitz. A part-time speech therapist is available as well as services offered by the ESD.

For information on the Bull Run program, contact Schmitz, 668-4411.

For information on Hoodland events, see Hoodland Happenings every week in The Post.

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## By Fire District

# Equipment bids awarded

Sandy Fire District has awarded two bids for equipment to replace tanker trucks at it Roslyn Lake and

## Obituaries: Sandy hunter fatally shot

A Sandy man was fatally wounded last Sunday, Oct. 18, in an apparent hunting accident in the Brightwood area, near Homestead Road, according to Oregon State police.

Dead at the scene with a single gunshot wound in the back was Chester Charles Damon, 55. Damon was with a hunting party of six other persons. Trooper Don Bergin said it appeared that the shot was not fired by any members of the hunting group. No foul play was suspected. State troopers were notified of the accident at 10:30 a.m.

Mr. Damon was born June 9, 1926 in Indiana. He enlisted in the U.S. Navy early in World War II and served for 23 years. After he was discharged as a gunners mate, he lived in San Francisco.

He moved to Portland in 1966. He married Mary Belle Merithew on July 11, 1979 in Vancouver, Wash. They moved to Sandy in 1979. He was a security guard at the Troutdale Reynolds Aluminum Plant and was a member of the Lower Columbia Police Association.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Belle of Sandy, and a stepson, Don Gunter, also of Sandy.

Funeral services were held Wednesday in the chapel of Carroll Funeral Home in Gresham. Private interment was at Willamette National Cemetery in Portland.

## William Nielsen

Services for Sandy resident William Christian "Will" Nielsen were held last Thursday at Carroll Funeral Home in Gresham. He died Oct. 12. He was 94.

Born Jan. 17, 1887 in Avoca, Iowa, he moved to Oregon in 1927, living in Cottrell, Pleasant Home and Gresham before moving to Sandy 15 years ago. He married Mabel Woodyard, June 26, 1912 in Ellensburg, Wash. She died in 1940.

He was employed by the Multnomah County Road Department for 30 years. He was a member of the Lutheran faith and the Multnomah County Employees Union.

He is survived by three sons, Robert of Sandy, William of Canby and Elbert of Portland; a daughter, Ruth Miller of Sandy; a brother, Otto Nielsen of Toledo, Wash.; 14 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Burial was at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Dover substations.

Pierce Manufacturing of Appleton, Wis., will deliver two trucks to the Sandy district in July 1982, according to Sandy Fire Chief Bob Rathke, at a cost of \$232,000.

The old tankers will be revamped for other uses in the district. One tanker will be used as a reserve pumper in the district.

The other will be built into a squad truck, Rathke said, by members of the district. The squad truck is a specialized piece of apparatus which can be used to haul large firehose, additional oxygen or rescue equipment, he said.

During the week, Sandy Fire District personnel responded to a hit-and-run accident Friday at 8:09 p.m. at Smith Chevron, 39191 Proctor Blvd.

According to police and fire reports, a car struck a gas pump at the station, knocking it from the island into a car owned by John Michael of Boring. The car then brushed a second pump dislodging it, before the driver drove off.

The broken pumps caught on fire, damaging Michael's car which was parked next to the pumps.

Rathke said the danger was not as great as might be imagined because there was an insufficient amount of oxygen mixed with the gasoline to cause the storage tank to explode. He said the fire was knocked down with a fire extinguisher.

During the week, the district also responded to six first-aid calls, a car fire which caused approximately \$100 damage, two non-injury auto accidents and one mutual aid with the Boring Fire District.

## Sandy woman instructing

# Training conference set

A Sandy woman will be among the instructors this weekend when the Assessment, Counseling and Training Resource Center and Institute for Managerial and Professional Women sponsor the fourth annual Career Training and Development Conference at Portland State University.

Arty Trost, a consultant and trainer, designs and conducts training programs in a broad range of human resource areas for public and private non-profit agencies, business and industry. She is a specialist in volunteer program management and training of trainers, and has presented workshops, seminars and institutes throughout the United States.

Her workshop at the conference, Oct. 23-25, is called "Down With Being Uptight: Managing Professional Burnout." It is designed to raise participants' awareness level of organizational and personal burnout and help them to discover techniques for reducing negative stress

in the work environment and in their personal lives.

More than 600 men and women attended last year's conference, according to Joyce Larsen of ACT. This year the program will offer 33 workshops, covering managerial, communication and career-advancement skills.

The ACT Conference is the only of its size and quality sponsored by a local resource organization, Larsen said. The non-profit center regularly sponsors programs in which profes-

sional and business people in the community share their knowledge and experience with participants.

Workshops on Saturday and Sunday will focus on specific areas of career development including making career changes, working smarter not harder, assuming managerial responsibility and balancing work and personal time.

Registration forms are available at the ACT Resource Center, 1979 SW 5th, Portland. For further details, call 226-7703.

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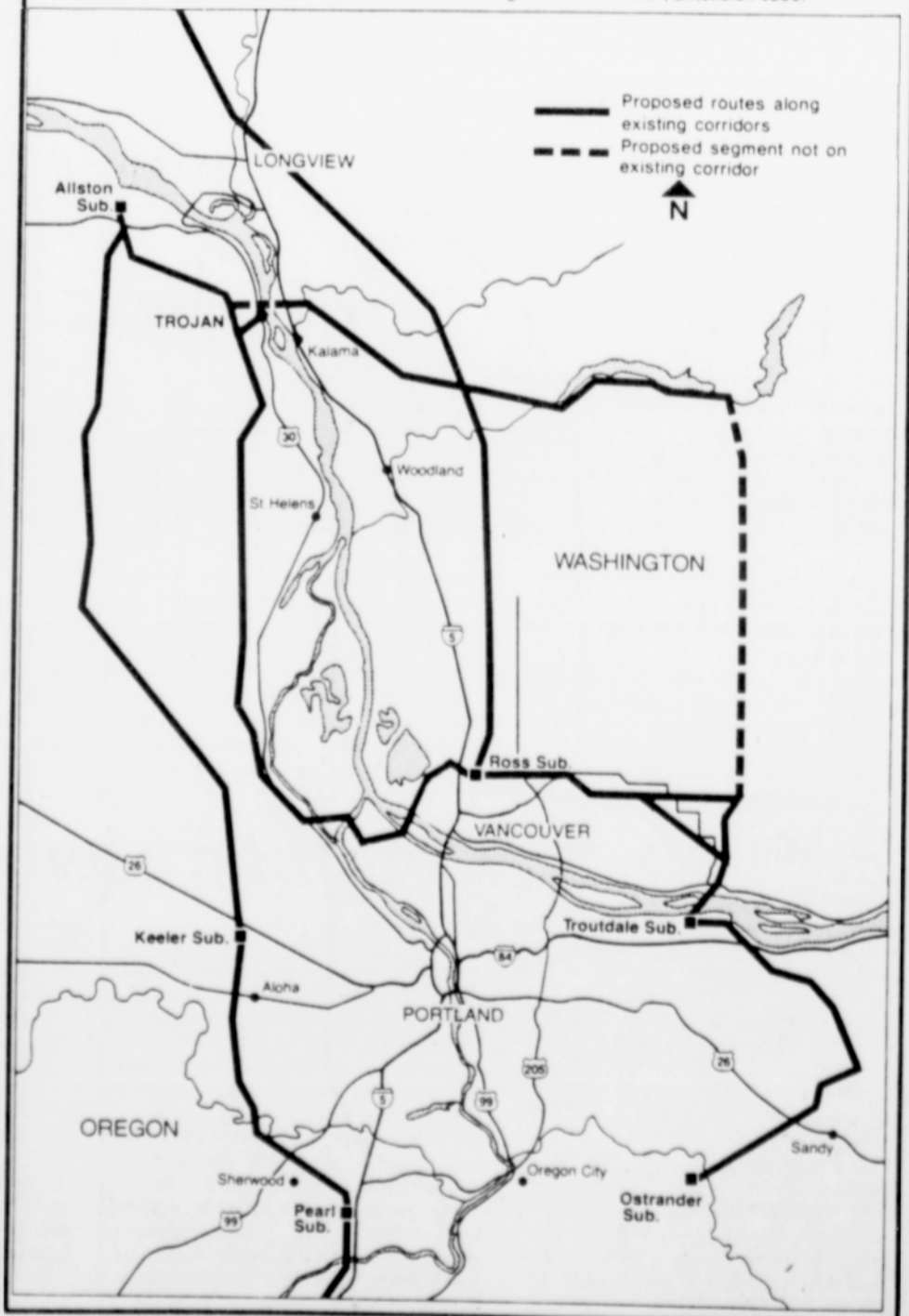
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Friday, Oct. 30

## U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BONNEVILLE POWER ADMINISTRATION LONGVIEW-PORTLAND AREA PUBLIC MEETINGS

BPA is proposing construction of a 500-KV transmission line between the Longview and Portland areas. Possible routes are shown on the map. To help with the environmental studies which are part of this project, we are asking for your comments. This information will be used to determine the areas of environmental concern. Please plan to attend if you are interested in this project.

Fort Vancouver Regional Library Library Hall 1007 E. Mill Plain Blvd. Vancouver, Washington 98663	Date ... Oct. 13, 1981 Time ... 7:30 p.m.	Rainier High School/Hudson Elementary School Complex Brarcliff Auditorium Route 4, Box 4245 Rainier, Oregon 97048	Date ... Oct. 21, 1981 Time ... 7:30 p.m.
Camas/Washougal Office Public Utility District of Clark County Community Room 89 C Street Washougal, Washington 98671	Date ... Oct. 14, 1981 Time ... 7:30 p.m.	Scappoose Middle School 401 South Columbia River Highway Scappoose, Oregon 97056	Date ... Oct. 22, 1981 Time ... 7:30 p.m.
Woodland High School Library 757 Park Street Woodland, Washington 98674	Date ... October 15, 1981 Time ... 7:30 p.m.	Kelso Elementary School 34651 SE Kelso Road Boring, Oregon 97009	Date ... October 26, 1981 Time ... 7:30 p.m.
Cowlitz County Public Utility District District Public Service Room 960 Commerce Avenue Longview, Washington 98632	Date ... Oct. 20, 1981 Time ... 7:30 p.m.	Rock Creek Campus Portland Community College Building No. 3 - "Forum" 17705 NW Springville Road Beaverton, Oregon 97229	Date ... October 27, 1981 Time ... 7:30 p.m.
		Sherwood Elementary School 800 N. Sherwood Blvd. Sherwood, Oregon 97140	Date ... Oct. 28, 1981 Time ... 7:30 p.m.

If you wish to comment and are unable to attend any of the meetings or if further information concerning the project is required, write to the Lower Columbia Area Office, PO Box 3621, Portland, Oregon, Attention OPE, or call the Area Engineer at 234-3361, Extension 5235.



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