

Comfort Station Project

If you've driven up on Government Hill lately, and you're wondering what is being built, well wonder no longer — it's a Comfort Station.

The station will include men's and women's restrooms with shower facilities, a laundry room with washers and dryers, a covered picnic area, a utility room, and a storage room.

This project is being funded by the Siletz Tribe. The labor is being done — cost-free — by Angell Job Corps Center from Yachats, Oregon.

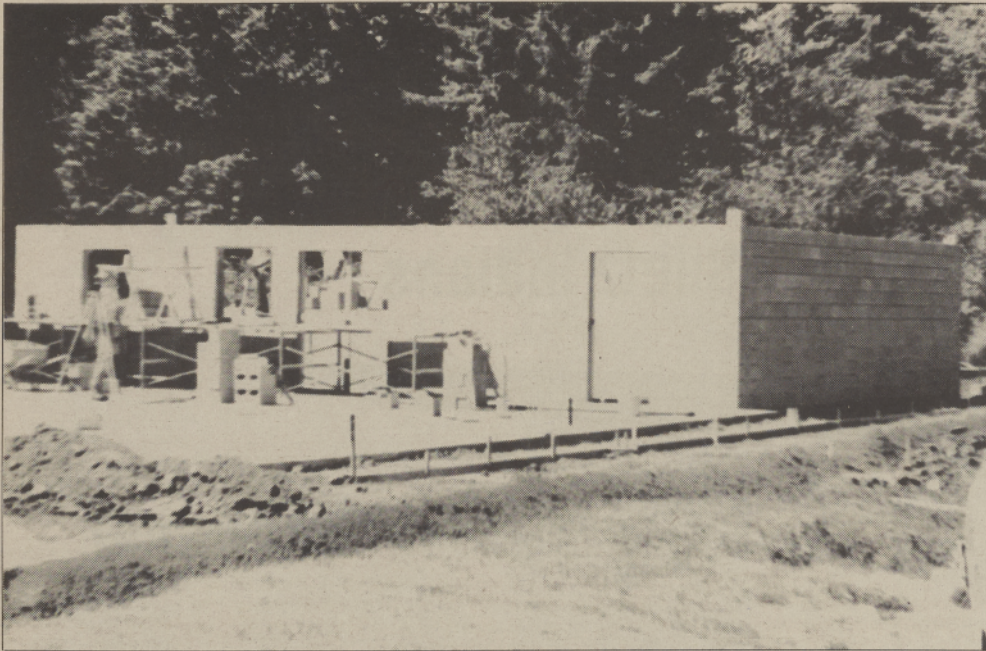
Job Corps is a federally funded program that provides youth ages 16-21 the opportunity to obtain social, educational, and vocational skills necessary to compete in the world of work. The young men and women you see working on this project and the excellent training they receive is quite evident by the quality of student you see on the job and the professionalism that you can observe in simply looking at their handiwork thus far.

Project supervisors Ken Bader (Masonry) and Dick Stenekolk (Carpentry) are top notch instructors and take great pride in their work and work crews.

Angell Job Corps Center has two of their crews working on the Tribe's Comfort Station. They are using this project as a training project for their union carpentry and masonry vocation as well as their food service vocation.

The crew is transported daily from Yachats, and they are fed lunch prepared by their own cook at the Tribal Community Center.

If you happen to drive by the construction site take a minute to observe the fine job that is being done by the Job Corps crew. They planned to have the restroom facility completed by Pow-Wow time, but other commitments will slow down the project. However, they have been working long 10-11 hour days to at least get the facility ready to use. They work hard, and they're doing a mighty fine job!



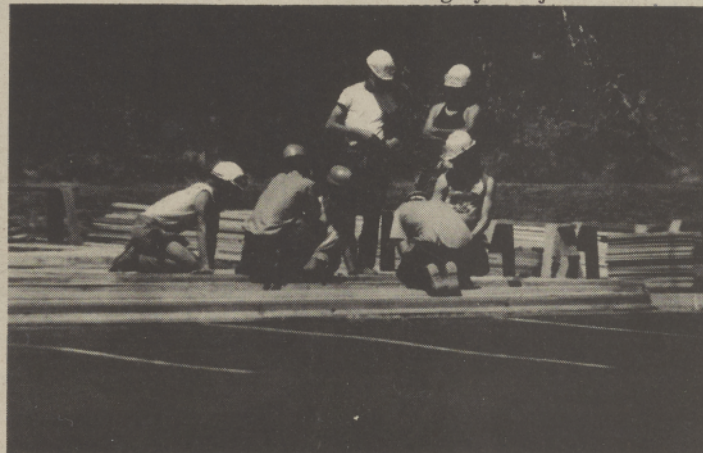
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Ken Bader watches work crew



Job Corps member lays bricks



Dick Stenekolk demonstrates how to build a trestle for a roof.