

New Retail Outlet Opens on MLK Blvd.

Portland, Oregon - TSRW Products, Inc., manufactures a full line of Fiberglass, Metal and Vinyl cleaners, polishes and Protectors, have opened their first store located at 6019 NE Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. in Portland. Over the past eight years their RV and Marine fiberglass cleaners and Protectors have been sold at Marine and limited RV stores and via telephone and trade shows. "We have opened this store in direct response to our customers and our expanding product line," says Harry Barmon, President of TSRW Products. People like to see the products work on their Boats and RV's. This gives them the opportunity to see exactly what our product can do to improve

the appearance of their Boat or RV."

Now customers can call TSRW's store locally at 283-7006 or toll-free at 800-455-8779 and schedule an appointment to get a test done on their RV or Boat. "By improving the appearance of your RV or Boat you can get hundreds or thousands more when you go to sell it, without buffing or waxing and in less time. Our Protectors System will drastically improve the appearance of any fiberglass, but the protector is not just for fiberglass, says Mr. Barmon. Use it on your tires, plastic, acrylics, vinyl, enamel, LPU and all metals to protect against oxidation, corrosion, and tarnish. Better yet, 12 Plus is recommended for use on non-skid surfaces, as it will not make them slippery. It

can also be used on hot tubs, as it has an upper temperature range of 236 degrees." TSRW has also added to its product line two additional products. Easy Wipe, an Anti-Static Anti-Fog cleaner that eliminates static from freshly polished surfaces. Nitrile Gloves are more durable and last longer than latex. Holds up to Acetone, Minerals Spirits, Solvents, Oil and other fluids. Stop by TSRW new store at 6019 NE Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., for a free demonstration on your boat or RV and/or a free sample, parking available in the rear of the building. You can also visit them on the Internet at www.tsrw.com, or E-mail at info@tsrw.com, to learn more about protecting fiberglass, tires, vinyl, rubber and plastics.

Applications Open For New Enterprise Zones

In Areas Outside State's Metropolitan Areas

Cities and counties are invited to apply for one of up to seven new "enterprise zone" destinations that will be made by the Oregon Economic and Community Development Department. Enterprise zones help private industry grow and diversify in areas of the state that need assistance in creating better employment opportunities. House Bill 2247, as enacted by the 1999 Legislature authorized the new zones. The bill specifies that some of the zones will be located in eastern Oregon and that all designations will be only in "non-urban" areas outside the state's major metropolitan regions. State law

previously limited the total number of enterprise zones to 37, which are all currently designated. House Bill 2247 allows for the additional zones. Enterprise zones were first established by the Oregon Legislature in 1985 to expand existing businesses and attract new investment within the designated zone through property tax incentives on new buildings, additions, machinery and equipment and through other efforts. To allow communities around the state to create hundreds of local jobs by encouraging existing manufacturers and other companies to expand their use of enterprise zones. All enterprise

zones "sunset" 10 to 11 years after designation. Applications are available by calling the Department of Economic and Community Development toll-free at 1-800-233-3306 (TDD) and asking to speak to the regional team for the area interested in the designation. Applications must be completed and postmarked no later than Oct. 29, 1999. The Oregon Economic and Community Development Department is a state agency that invests lottery, federal and other funds to help communities and businesses build quality communities and improve the economic opportunities for all Oregonians.

New Portland Based Mortgage Company

Portland, Oregon (August 26, 1999) - Community Lending Solutions a new branch of mortgage one has announced today that it is open in the Beaumont District of Portland Oregon. This new local Mortgage Lender specializes in assisting first time homebuyers purchase homes with as little out of pocket expenses as possible. They offer home Buying workshops, educating their clients on issues such as what it takes to get Pre-approved, How to go about repairing or correcting reported credit issues, to all the different types of loan options available

to them that a traditional bank may not offer. "By offering these valuable services to our clients we are providing them with not only an education on Home Mortgage loans but also what it takes to go about purchasing the American Dream," said Joel Martin President of Community Lending Solutions. "As President and owner of Community Lending Solutions My goal is to teach as many people as possible how to realize their own personal goals of home ownership either their first or second home," said Joel Martin. Community Lending Solutions

Portland based Company whose mission is to educate people through their home situations, their workshops on all different lending possibilities for their unique situations, their workshop also consists of a private consultation with a Loan Officer to provide answers to individuals questions and concerns. They can also refinance your current residence or even provide a list of local Realtors to help you with your Real Estate needs. For more information on their next homebuyer workshop date, time and location call (503) 287-0400.

DHS Deputy Director and Child Welfare Head Visit NE Oregon

Department of Human Services' leadership continues its series of visits to local offices, partners and facilities with a Sept. 14-17 trip to northeastern Oregon.

Bob Mink, DHS Deputy Director, and Ramona Foley, Administrator of the State Office for Services to Children and Families, will travel to La Grande (9/14), Baker City (9/15) and Ontario (9/16).

"I like to know from our staff and partners what's working and not working, particularly in rural Oregon," said Mink. "I really value these times to observe rural service delivery systems. They are different from urban systems and must be to be successful."

Mink said this would be a great opportunity for Foley to learn more about the child welfare issues facing Oregonians in rural areas.

"Whether the setting is urban or rural, our approach to case practice might be similar," said Foley. "But we have to take into consideration the unique challenges facing families in rural parts of our state. Many families are dealing with issues of transportation and housing, scarce resources and access to treatment."

Meetings scheduled for Mink and Foley include those with DHS staff, tribes, county officials, faith community leaders, legislators, judges, journalists and coalitions involved with teen-pregnancy prevention.

DHS Officials to Visit Programs in Pendleton

The deputy director of the Oregon Department of Human Services and administrators of two DHS divisions will visit programs and meet with local officials in cities from Hood River to Pendleton Sept. 7-10.

Deputy Director Bobby Mink; Roger Auerbach, administrator of the Senior and Disabled Services Division; and Barry S. Kast, administrator of the Mental Health and Developmental Disability Services Division, will stop in Hood River, The Dalles, Hermiston and Pendleton.

They will be in Hood River on

Sept. 7, The Dalles on Sept. 8, Pendleton on Sept. 9, and Hermiston on Sept. 10.

They will hold meetings with staff at DHS offices in each city, and visit local programs that provide services in areas such as assisted living for senior citizens, vocational programs for adults with disabilities and local health programs.

Mink and DHS Director Gary Weeks scheduled several roadtrips in August, September and November to various areas to meet staff and partner organizations that provide human services.

Tistilal Village

Tomorrow, Low-Income housing for Native American of Portland, Oregon (LIHNAPO) will dedicate their third housing development project, Tistilal Village. The project features 34 rehabilitated affordable apartments at 7622 N. Gloucester in the Portsmouth neighborhood. LIHNAPO will hold a naming and blessing ceremony from 1-4 p.m. featuring drumming and a blessing from elders in the Native American com-

munity. LIHNAPO purchased the property; the former Parkside Apartments built in 1973, in September 1998. Tistilal Village contains 34 two-bedroom units, six of which are larger townhouse style units with 1 1/2 baths. All units are designed to serve families living at or below 30%, 50% and 60% and will be kept affordable for 60 years. LIHNAPO intends to support qualified tenants through partnership with the St. Johns YWCA

other service providers for rental assistance and other emergency services. The name "Tistilal" comes from the Quilliate tribe of coastal Washington State. The word means "Thunderbird" and traditionally, the Thunderbird was a protector of the coastal native from killer whales. Tistilal's logo and signage depict the Thunderbird with an Orca whale clutched in its talons.

Tribal Fishers to Make a SPLASH! In Upcoming Fishery

Direct-to-Public Sales and Events to Highlight Brief Commercial Season

Portland - The public will have the opportunity to purchase fresh Columbia River Indian-Caught fish direct from individual tribal fishers and/or attend cultural events when the commercial fishery opens August 31. Buyers can expect to choose from a selection of "bright" fall Chinook, coho, steelhead, shad and walleye.

Salmon Splash! A day-long family event featuring tribal dancers,

children's activities, traditional salmon preparation demonstrations and giveaways, will be held Saturday, September 11 at Marine Park in Cascade Locks, Oregon. This event will run from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Major sales locations include Marine Park in Cascade Locks, Lone Pine in The Dalles, the boat launch near Roosevelt, Washington and for the first time ever, Columbia Point in Riceland. Sales

hours are approximately 10 a.m. until dusk. Buyers should bring sufficient ice and coolers to keep fish fresh, sales are cash only. Customers may call 1-888-BUY-1855 for more information regarding location special events and confirmation of season dates/times. The direct-to-the-public fish is a project of Columbia River Inter Tribal Fish Commission, a not-for profit exempt organization.

Top Oregon Employers To Greet Job Seekers

If you are after a job with one of Oregon's top companies, brush up on those interview skills, craft that power resume and head on down to the job fair at PCC's Portland Metropolitan Workforce Training Center on Thursday, Sept. 16 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The fair, located at 5600 N.E. 42nd in the Building 2 Auditorium of the

center, boasts an employer line-up of high-tech manufacturer Wacker-Siltronix, Fred Meyer, Pacificare, ODS, Nationwide Insurance, the Portland Fire Department, the City of Portland and several other high-profile companies.

Organizers of the event hope it will provide networking opportunities for students, people seeking new career op-

tions, and others wanting to see first-hand the multitude of career choices available right here in the Portland metro area.

Job seekers are encouraged to bring resumes.

To learn more about the job fair, or for a detailed list of the companies that will be represented there, call Eddie Lincoln at 943-2000.

PGE | SEED THE FUTURE PROJECT



Celebrate Y2K with a tree.

The future is in your hands. Or could be. In the coming months, grab a shovel and volunteer a few hours as a Seed the Future tree planter. You'll be making a contribution that will last long after January 1, 2000. Trees deliver clean air, water and unmatched beauty and livability to the community.

PGE is the presenting sponsor of Friends of Trees' Seed the Future campaign, a five-year effort to plant 144,000 trees throughout the Portland metropolitan area by April 22, 2001. In three years, more than 10,000 volunteers have planted 85,000 trees and seedlings.

Can you dig it? If so, join your neighbors and help usher in a new era of green for the next century. Call Friends of Trees at 284-TREE (8733).



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The First Steps to Recovery

Jan invited Ned to her survivor's group even though he hadn't beaten cancer or bounced back from a heart attack. As Jan reminded him, problem gambling is an illness and he'd worked hard to recover just like the rest of them.

Like other illnesses, the key to surviving problem gambling is treatment. If someone you know is suffering, start the healing process by calling 1-800-233-8479.