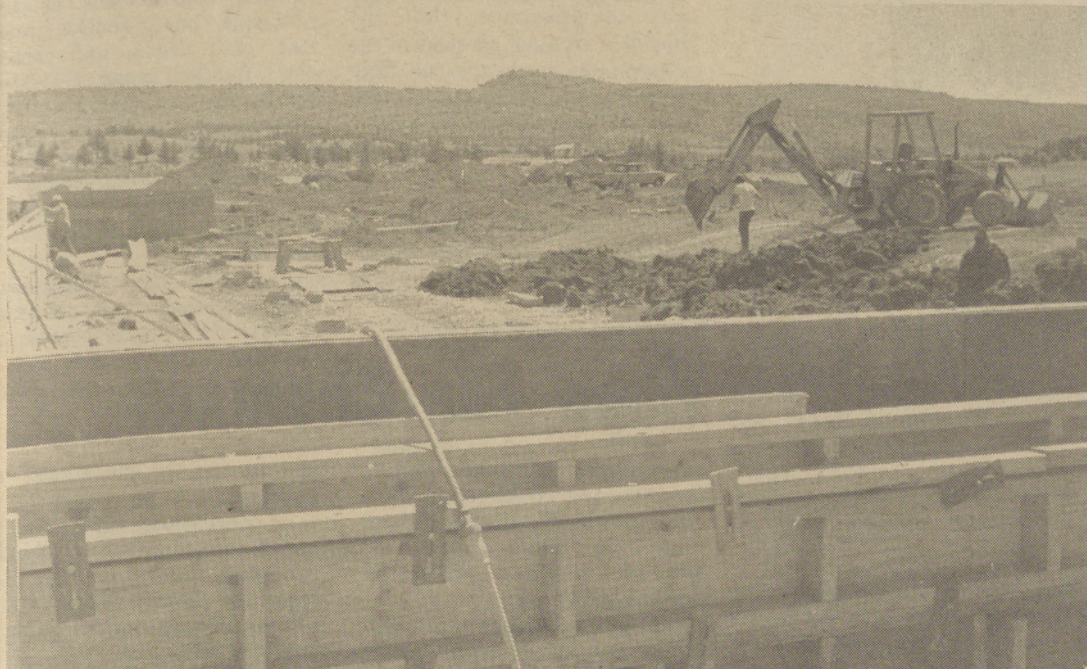


Comprehensive Plan - Update

Completion Dates Predicted



EMPLOYEES OF R.A. CHAMBERS and Associates lay the foundation for the new Tribal Administrative Center, expected to be completed in March of 1977.

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At the time the first issue of Spilyay Tymoo was printed, a number of projects under the Warm Springs Community Comprehensive Plan were in the final planning stages or were not bid upon yet.

Since that time, a bid of \$1,091,000.00 has been accepted and construction is underway on the Tribal Administration Center. Rough grading and pipe placement has begun on the 30 new mobile home park lots and Title X workers have completed the fencing of reservation cemeteries and are currently at work building forms for the foundation of the visitor's information center near Alice's Restaurant.

Tribal Administration Center

Groundbreaking took place in early June on the Tribal Administrative Center, located east of West Hills on the Tenino Creek Valley road. Low bidder for the project was the contracting firm of R.A. Chambers and Associates - headquartered in Eugene - with Dennis Bradstreet as construction foreman.

An increase in Tribal business interests, as well job opportunity program grants, have caused overcrowding of the available office space in the old Tribal Office, necessitating the new complex.

Quanc -

Anyone and everyone is welcome to come learn how to prepare "Quanc", that black moss delicacy, Wednesday July 28th and Thursday, July 29th at the Community Center Park.

The demonstration will begin on Wednesday at 7 p.m. Participants should plan to meet on Thursday at 8 a.m. to conclude the lesson. The preparation of Quanc is being demonstrated by Pruni Williams.

It is the first of several Indian food preparation demonstrations to be sponsored by the Warm Springs Extension Office. Questions can be answered by calling Sue Gangler, Extension Agent, at 553-1161, ext. 46.

As it stands, many of the Tribal departments are housed in older buildings (or temporary quarters) that are spread across the community.

For example: Data processing is quartered in a modified mobile home behind the Tribal wing of the present office; Housing and Urban Development and the Housing Authority are located in the old Rehab building; Personnel, Education, and Social Services have their offices in the old girl's dorm.

All of these departments, as well as the Council, Steno Pool, the Committees, the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Accounting, Planning, Vital Statistics, Purchasing, and Administration will move to the new center.

Cost of the center was nearly the amount predicted; Building and parking lot - \$1,094,000; Furnishings - \$120,000; Architectural - \$120,000; Legal and Auditing - \$10,000; Interest Expense (to financier, Farmer's Home Administration) \$38,000; and \$120,000 for unforeseen expenses.

One of the problems that will face the organization at its completion will be how to move the staff and employees of the tribes without seriously

disrupting the daily routine or losing records.

Administrative Manager Doug McClelland hopes that the move can be made in a week. Completion date is presently set for March of 1977, and occupation for April.

Mobile Home Park, Phase II

The 30 new mobile home lots, located south of the present park, are due to be completed in the late fall of 1976 - possibly November - according to Roads Department Supervisor Don Schmith.

Roads Department surveyors were the first on the scene, plotting the course for the road and marking the locations for the lots. Heavy equipment operators are presently grading and preparing the roads for the paving contractors.

A Construction and Maintenance crew is also deployed at the site trenching and installing a water supply line.

The project is being jointly funded by the Bureau of Indian Affairs, the Public Health Service, and The Confederated Tribes.

Paving - Old Hollywood Road

Don Schmith and R.L. Coats of Jefferson County Redi-Mix held a preconstruction conference to finalize plans for the paving of Old

Youth Activities Planned

The Yakima Indian Nation Youth Activities Program is working on a proposed concert and cultural day with an art show, poetry readings, and drama for a proposed date of the last weekend in August.

The plan is for a least five or six bands, musical groups, or acts for this event. The intent is to begin the program around noon and let it be a full day program. Any craftsman, group, individuals who would like to sell beadwork or jewelry at this time are welcome. There will be a very small fee but nothing that would break anyone.

An art show is planned by Indian artists to be set up as

part of the program. Also during the program there will be poets doing their readings, and skits put on by the local people to make this the cultural show of this event.

There has to be a program worked out and all Indian Newspapers, Newsletters, or publications are being contacted for coverage. This is a fund raising event for their youth program on the reservation so people will be able to share and experience something of this nature.

A concert was held last September, 1975 and all in all it was a success. The plan is to draw more people and it is preferred that this will be through the Indian Media.

Hollywood Road. Coats' firm will also do the road leading to the rodeo grounds and longhouse. Tentative plans are being considered to begin construction of the road to the site of the new Senior Citizen's housing.

Warm Springs Community Park

Drawings are due back this month from the State Parks and Recreation Department on proposed projects in the Warm Springs Community Park, according to Tribal Planner Dale Parker.

The drawings must be approved by the Parks and Recreation Dept. before funds can be allocated by the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, said Parker.

The park projects include underground irrigation, a picnic shelter, and night lighting and curbing for the baseball field parking lots.

Matching funds of \$138,900 have been approved by both

the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation and Title X for the Kah-Nee-Ta Day Recreation area.

The day recreation area will consist of a children's playground, a picnic shelter, a playfield, a play court, and a foot bridge. A portion of the funds will also go toward a paved parking lot and overflow parking (the latter to be located across the road, near the horse corral, and will not be paved), as well as landscaping. Visitor's Information Center

Taking shape near Alice's Restaurant on Highway 26 is the Visitor's Information Center, expected to be completed sometime in late September or early October. It is expected that it will provide employment for four to six people, and will include a gift shop.

The \$66,000 cost of the structure was covered by Title X Job Opportunities Grant Funds, and will include landscaping, and includes paving Alice's parking area.

Until August 20th

Tribal Court Offers Legal Representation



TRIBAL COURT legal aides Doug Hutchinson and Cathy Wilson. Photo Olney Patt, Jr.

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Since June 21st, persons appearing in Warm Springs Tribal Court have had an opportunity to be represented by legal counsel.

Sponsored by the American Indian Lawyers Training Program, Cathy Wilson and Doug Hutchinson play opposing roles in the workings of the Tribal Court; she as defense counsel, and he as prosecutor.

Miss Wilson, a Nez Perce from Kamiah, Idaho is preparing for her second year in a three year law degree program at Arizona State University, Tempe. Upon completion of the program she hopes to return to her reservation to work with their law and order system. There is, she says, no established tribal court system on the Nez Perce reservation.

Hutchinson, an Osage from Oklahoma, makes his home in Boise, Idaho and will start his second year in a similar program at the University of Utah at Salt Lake City.

Part of their duties as interns will be to review the

Warm Springs Law and Order Code, and to leave recommendations to the Law and Order Committee before their departure, on August 20th. Both have also been assigned projects by the A.I.L.T.P. Miss Wilson's project involves natural resources; a report on the reservation's conservation practices, usage, etc. Hutchinson is doing a study on the jurisdictional boundaries of the various law enforcement agencies in the area: state, county, city, etc.

Both concur that Warm Springs has a good court system that "concentrates on the human aspects; culture, family background, income, and past record. . ." Reception to the new service has been good, and most of those the interns have been assigned to represent have been cooperative.

The program will wind up on August 15-16-17, when all sixteen of the A.I.L.T.P interns nationwide will gather at Kah-Nee-Ta Lodge.