

Non-Indian firms concerned about tribal contracting dispute

Non-Indian companies are hoping that the federal government's refusal to fully fund tribal self-determination contracts won't affect their industry.

Tribes and Alaska Native corporations have won two major decisions from the U.S. Supreme Court. But the Bureau of Indian Affairs and the Indian Health Service still owe an estimated \$2 billion in contract support costs.

"Can you imagine telling

your landlord, 'Sorry, I'm only going to pay you 80 percent of the rent this month?'" Noni Manning, the former finance manager for the Shoshone-Paiute Tribes, one of the tribes involved in the Supreme Court litigation, told The Washington Post. "In the rest of the world, a contract is a contract."

Non-Indian interests, including the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, have supported tribes in their bid to receive full funding for their con-

tracts. They fear that the government's position could affect thousands of other companies.

"The government's position would have the effect of making contracts illusory by giving it a broad right to refuse payment at the stated price for services rendered," the chamber said in a brief to the Supreme Court last year.

Even as the BIA and the IHS move slowly to resolve outstanding claims, the

Obama administration asked Congress for permission to impose spending caps on individual contracts. The proposal is opposed by tribes and members of Congress from both parties.

"They are not going to be able to sustain this position either legally or politically," Rep. Tom Cole (R-Okla.), a member of the Chickasaw Nation, told the Post of the proposal.

Tribes gets federal green light to pursue casino

BOSTON (AP) - The Mashpee Wampanoag tribe has gotten a green light to pursue a casino in Massachusetts after the federal Bureau of Indian Affairs opted to take no action to block a revised casino compact with the state.

The bureau had rejected

an earlier agreement.

The new compact, approved by lawmakers and signed by Gov. Deval Patrick, spells out a variety of terms including how much in gambling proceeds Massachusetts would receive should the tribe succeed in its plan to open a resort casino in Taunton.

The state would get 17 percent of gambling revenues if the casino is the only gambling facility in the southeast region, and 21 percent if it's the only casino in the state.

The tribe must still clear a potentially greater legal hurdle of securing federal land-in-trust approval.

Reminder to jurors

A reminder to current jurors serving on the Warm Springs Tribal Court:

Thursday morning jury duty check-in time at Tribal Court is 9:30 a.m.

Internship opportunities

Are you a student looking for a unique internship opportunity this summer?

Would you enjoy working for a national, Native nonprofit organization focused on American Indian land recovery?

Do you want to build your professional skills and experience while learn-

ing more about Indian land issues?

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Tribal jobs

See Amelia Tewee in the personnel department to submit an application, or call 541-553-3262. View full descriptions and apply online at www.ctws.org. For jobs at Kah-Nee-Ta, go to kahneeta.com.

Head Start Teacher.

Plan and implement learning experience that advance the intellectual and physical development of children, including improving the readiness of children for school in literacy, phonemic, print awareness. 10 month employee. Salary Range DOE. Kirstin Hisatake 553-3242.

Head Start Home Visitor.

Provide support to Early Head Start families through home visits, communication, and demonstrating skills of effective practice in caring for infants and toddlers. Salary Range DOE. Kirstin Hisatake 553-3242.

Day Care Substitute Teacher.

Entry level position must be at least 18 years of age with a High School Diploma or equivalent. Salary Range \$7.50 Hr. Leah Henry / Edna Campuzano - 553-3241.

Human Resources Director.

Develop, recommend and implement policies and programs in such areas as recruitment, employment and affirmative action, organizational planning, training, wage, salary, benefits and pension administration, and employee relations. Direct Contract Health Services program. Jake Suppah / Lynn Davis - 553-3232 / 553-3212. **Closes 1/10/14.**

Community Health Nurse.

Must possess a valid, unencumbered Oregon Registered Nurse license, Valid Driver's, and Insurance. Salary Range \$50,882. Yr. To

\$54,622. Yr. Tammy Wilson 553-2459.

Medical Social Worker.

Provides comprehensive clinical social work services to community members, including; crisis intervention, psychosocial support, case management, coordination of care, outreach and education within the community. Salary Range \$40,731. Yr. To \$55,393. Yr. Tammy Wilson 553-2459.

Nutritionist-Registered Dietitian.

Registered Dietitian with a minimum of Bachelor's Degree in Nutrition or Re-

lated Field required. Tammy Wilson 553-2459.

Conservation Enforcement Ranger.

Represent the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon of Natural Resources as a commissioned Law Enforcement Officer. Salary

Range \$25,000. Yr. To 35,000. Doug Calvin / Larry Holliday - 553-2043 / 553-2040.

Corrections Officer.

High School diploma or equivalent. Salary Range \$25,235. Yr. To \$33,651. Yr. Lt. Crystal Greene 553-3272.

Jobs at Indian Head Casino

Count team member - part time.

Contact Sylvania Russell 541-460-7777 Ext. 7719. Responsible for rapidly counting, verifying, and recording money for slot games and table games while ensuring accuracy and the safety of IHC assets. Wage: \$9.10.

Server - part time.

Contact Esten Culpus / Gus Conner 541-460-7777 Ext. 7710. Responsible for helping your co-workers and other staff at IHC provide each of our guests a pleasant, enjoyable and special experience.

Tule Grill attendant - part time.

Contact Kip Culpus, Jordan Caldera, Heather Cody 541-460-7777 Ext. 7725. Responsible for taking in and putting out food orders in a timely manner. Wage: \$9.

Coffee stations attendant - part time.

Contact Esten Culpus / Gus Conner 541-460-7777 Ext. 7710. Responsible for stocking and brewing coffee on the main casino floor stations, employee café, and back storage area.

Forest: Deschutes National Forest: Newberry National Volcanic Monument. **Dates:** June 3 - September 1, 2014. Number of openings: up to 3 Individuals
Commitment: 8 hour shifts, 4-days per week alternating with 5-days per week. Consecutive days off guaranteed, unless otherwise negotiated. Interns will be required to submit information for background check prior to agency final acceptance. Internship commitment will be secured using a standard agency volunteer agreement. **Compensation and Housing:** Uniform, \$15 /work day per diem and furnished shared lodging provided for interns. No guests or pets allowed in gov't housing. Housing may be co-generated and pets are not allowed. Rooms may be shared with another intern of the same gender. Interns are expected to maintain a clean household, and will be checked-in and out of housing. Job Duties: Uniformed intern position duties include, but are not limited to: welcoming and orienting

Monument visitors, providing in-depth information on Monument sites, assisting with trip planning within the Monument, cashiering at the Paulina Visitor Center bookstore and limited selling of passes at the Newberry Welcome Station. To Apply: Go to www.volunteer.gov and search "Newberry National Volcanic Monument Ranger Training Internship" and complete the online application.
Primary Contact: Karen Gentry, karen.gentry@discovernw.org, 541-233-6110
Agency Contact: Scott McBride, semcbride@fs.fed.us, 541-383-4712 - Deschutes National Forest
Application Period: Applications are accepted thru February 15 with final selections no later than February 28, 2014

In the Tribal Court of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs

AT RECOVERY FOR WESTLAKE FINANCIAL SERVICES, Petitioner, vs. GRETA WHITE ELK, Respondent; Case No. CCO19-13. TO: GRETA WHITE ELK.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a Petition to Recover Debt or Enforce or Foreclose a Right Secured by a Security Interest has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing rescheduled for the 28th day of January, 2014 at 3 p.m., at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

AT RECOVERY FOR SUNDANCE LENDING LLC, Petitioner, vs. JASPER SWITZLER SR., Respondent; Case No. CCO22-13. TO: JASPER SWITZLER SR.

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Thursday, 10 am -12 pm and 1pm-3pm

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