

BIA hopes to reach land-to-trust goal

The Bureau of Indian Affairs has taken 416,000 acres into trust since President Barack Obama came on board, Interior Secretary Sally Jewell said on Wednesday.

The agency hopes to hit 500,000 acres before Obama leaves office in January 2017, Jewell told the National Congress of American Indians at its mid-year conference in Spokane, Washington.

"These lands will make your nations whole again," Jewell said.

Tribes complained that the land-to-trust process nearly ground to a halt during the Bush administration. Efforts

have picked up since January 2009 and, earlier this year, the BIA approved the largest single acquisition in history -- 90,000 acres for Isleta Pueblo in New Mexico.

In hopes of ensuring that tribes won't be left out in the dark whoever comes on board in just a few months, the BIA released a new Fee-to-Trust Handbook on Thursday. Larry Roberts, the leader of the agency, said the changes will help streamline the process.

"After hearing from tribal leaders, we have taken another step in reducing lengthy and burdensome processes that

hinder tribal governments in more fully utilizing their lands for the betterment of their people," Roberts said.

"The BIA's revisions to its Fee-to-Trust Handbook provide tribes with greater flexibility in submitting land-into-trust and reservation proclamation requests while reducing the time spent to process them."

One key change allows tribes to combine their land-into-trust and reservation proclamation applications. Previously, they had to wait until their land was placed in trust before seeking a proclamation.

Court passes on labor sovereignty dispute

The U.S. Supreme Court won't be wading into a controversial labor sovereignty dispute that affects tribal casinos nationwide.

The justices issued orders last week declining petitions in *Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Government v. NLRB* and *Soaring Eagle Casino and Resort v. NLRB*. That means the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians and the Saginaw Chippewa Tribe, both from Michigan, won't be able to argue that their gaming facilities should be exempt from the National Labor

Relations Act.

Law professor Matthew L.M. Fletcher, the director of the Indigenous Law and Policy Center at Michigan State University, said that he wasn't surprised by the court's move. Had the justices accepted the cases, he predicted it could have led to a 4-4 tie.

The Supreme Court deadlocked in *Friedrichs v. California Teachers Association*, a high-profile labor union case, in March due to the absence of Justice Antonin Scalia, who died in February. His vote would have tipped the case in another way.

The court also deadlocked

on *Dollar General Corporation v. Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians*, a closely-watched tribal jurisdiction case. In that situation, the tie benefited the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians because it affirmed a lower court ruling in the tribe's favor.

The same would not be true for the Michigan tribes because because the 6th Circuit Court of Appeals ruled against them.

A tie would merely affirm that decision although it would not set a nationwide precedent.

Employment

The following jobs were posted recently with the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Human Resources Department:

Warm Springs Tribal Gaming Regulatory Authority
CPS Specialist
Network / Computer Tech
Purchasing Agent Specialist
Fuels Monitor Technician
CPS Protective Care Provider
Limited Duration Fisheries Technician I
Deputy Prosecutor
Fish Biologist
Check Scaler
Internal Audit Officer
Fitness and Activity

Coordinator
Chief of Police
BNR Conservation Law Enforcement Ranger
OSU Extension Office Coordinator
Billing Specialist
ECE Day Care Substitute Teacher
Fire Medic (Part-Time)
Heath Systems Specialist
Journeyman Plumber
Corrections Officer
Communications Officer (Limited Duration)
Police Officer
Restoration Crew Boss
Restoration Crew/Member Driver
Engine Operator
Assistant Engine Operator
Equipment Operator/Operations
Hydrologist
Bus Driver

Teacher Aide
Daycare Teacher
Teacher Assistant
Lead Teacher
Sports & Athletics III
Adolescent Substance Abuse Treatment Specialist
Adult Substance Abuse Treatment Specialist
Dual Diagnosis Therapist
Adult Mental Health Specialist
Children's Mental Health Specialist (2 Positions)
Chief Judge
Secretary Treasurer

Jobs at Indian Head

The following are positions advertised recently with the Indian Head Casino Human Resources Department:

IT network adminis-

trator. Contact Donovan Todacheene 541-460-7777 Ext. 7674

Busser. Contact: Esten Culpus 541-460-7777 Ext. 7710

Slot keyperson. Yvette Brunoe 541-460-7777 Ext. 7724

Line cook. Contact: Mark Oltman 541-460-7777 Ext. 7755

Lounge bartender.

Heather Cody 541-460-7777 Ext. 7725

Guest services operator. Naomi Shy 541-460-7777 Ext. 7734

Players Club host. Naomi.

Tule Grill attendant. Caldera, Heather Cody 541-460-7777 Ext. 7725

Host/cashier. Culpus 541-460-7777 Ext. 7710

Tule Grill cook. Jordan Caldera, Heather Cody 541-460-7777 Ext. 7725

Cage cashier. Wyal Rosamilia 541-460-7777 Ext. 7737

Security officer. Tim Kerr 541-460-7777 Ext. 7749

Table games dealer. Contact Jami Deming 541-460-7777 Ext. 7724

The Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission is advertising for the following position:

Police Officer - Law Enforcement Department of the Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission. Full time, regular, non-exempt. Starting salary \$49,035 - \$53,551.

Location: Hood River or Boardman. Submit a letter of interest, application, list of at least three professional and three personal references, and proof of

tribal enrollment, if applicable, to:

Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission; Attn: Human Resources; 700 NE Multnomah Suite 1200; Portland, OR 97232. Phone: 503-238-0667 - Email: hr@critfc.org

For additional details, you may also contact the HR department in Portland, 503-238-0667, or the Captain at the law enforcement office in Hood River, phone number 541-386-6363.

In the Tribal Court of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs

CTWS, Petitioner, vs. PAUL MARTINEZ JR, DORIANN MILLER, RESPONDENT; Case No. DO6-15. TO: PAUL MARTINEZ JR, DORIANN MILLER, CPS & JV PROSECUTION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an REVIEW/BENCH PROBATION has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are

summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the **26TH day of JULY, 2016 @ 10 AM**

CTWS, Petitioner, vs. ROSE SANCHEZ, HAROLD BLACKWOLF, RESPONDENT; Case No. DO56, 57, 58-14. TO: HAROLD BLACKWOLF:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a PERMANENCY HEARING has

been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the **26TH day of JULY, 2016 @ 11:00 AM**

PROBATE

Regarding the following two estates: Affidavit of giving notice of supplemental account and order setting time

for filing objections was posted on June 23.

In the matter of the estate of Mary K. Bailey, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 2011-PR 12.

In the matter of the estate of Catherine V. Courtney, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 032-PR13-02.

Regarding the following two estates: Affidavit of giving notice of supplemental ac-

count and order setting time for filing objections was posted on June 29.

In the matter of the estate of Joyce Surface, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate file no. 989-PR36-00.

In the matter of the estate of Nikiki L. Courtney, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate file no. 008-PR19-01.

In the matter of the estate of Shirley A. Tufti, non

member, deceased. Estate no. 2016-PR14. Notice is hereby given that Shirley A. Tufti, who at the time of her death, last known residence was 8510 Hwy 26, Warm Springs, OR, died on the 11th day of April 2016 and the court has appointed Valerie Squiemphen as public administrator to administer the estate.

Public Safety

Criminal arraignments - June 21

CHARLEY, Suzei; CR381-16; A&B
CLEMENTS, Coder; CR80-16; A&B, HA
DANZUKA, Ashlynn; CR385-16; DWS/R, TH
DANZUKA, Gibson; CR382-16; CNx2
GUARDIPEE, Raymond; CR380-16; CP
HOLLIDAY, Lauren; CR384-16; FI, CN; CR841-15; A&B
LECLAIRE, David Jr.; CR371-16; HA, A&B, PDP
LUCI, Erickson; CR335-16; DUII, REX3
SMITH, Jasper; CR365-16; A&B, CCW, HAx3
SMITH, Mateo; CR341-16; DWS/R
SPINO, Evaline; CR344-16; MM, DDWA
WHITELANCE, Jered; CR359-16; CN; CR201-16; CN, DUII, RE SC/FTC-SP
WOLFE, Walter; FG15-16; OFF-RFBM

Bail/bonds - June 27

AMERICANHORSE, Leonard; CR175-16;

PDCWARR; SC/FTC-WELLBRIETY
BERRY, Lovetta; CR44-12; DUII WARR; SC/FTA-CR ARR
CALICA, Lei; CR55-16; A&BWARR; SC/FTC-SP
CHARLEY, Allen; CR423-16; DUII DTX; NEW CHARGES; CR170-16; PDC SC/FTC-SP
FRANK, Jacoby; CR530-14; WARR; SC/FTC- CSW; CR78-15; WARR; SC/FTC- CSW
GILBERT, Rose; CR293-16; TRWARR; SC/FTA-STATUS
JIM, Warner; CR431-16; COOCSC/FTC-EXCL.
KNIGHT, Melissa; CR369-13; DUII, DWS/RWARR; SC/FTC-SP
LEWIS, Jerome; CR326-16; PDC DTX; SC/FTC-BP
NAPYER, Nathan; CR424-16; THDTX; NEW CHARGES
SAHME, Franck; CR137-16; WARR; SC/FTC-SP
SMITH, Andrew; CR98-16; DUII DTX; SC/FTC- CSW
SMITH, Kenneth; CR303-16; A&BWARR; SC/FTA- STATUS

SPINO JR, Evans; CR430-16; UUPCS, PDP, DWS/RDTX; NEW CHARGES
STAHI, Maryann; CR427-16; DUII DTX; NEW CHARGES
SUPPAH, Ulysses; CR429-16; ANEW CHARGES
TENORIO, Leona; CR29-15; DWS/RWARR; SC/FTC- CSW
WALLULATUM, Randall; CR425-16; UUPCS, REX2DTX; NEW CHARGES; CR231-16; DC DTX; SC/FTC-BP
W E A S E L H E A D, Raenelle; CR426-16; CN DTX; NEW CHARGES

Bail/bonds - June 28

CALICA, Lei; CR55-16; A&BWARR; SC/FTC-SP
GILBERT, Rose; CR293-16; TRWARR; SC/FTA-STATUS
JIM, Warner; CR431-16; COOCSC/FTC-EXCL.
LEWIS, Jerome; CR326-16; PDC DTX; SC/FTC-BP
PAYNE, Ariel; CR39-16; DCWARR; SC/FTA-WELLBRIETY REV.
WALLULATUM, Randall;

CR425-16; UUPCS, REX2DTX; NEW CHARGES; CR231-16; DC DTX; SC/FTC-BP
Criminal arraignments - June 28
EAGLEHEART, Bobby; CR362-16; COOC
FRANK, Eldred; CR403-16; FID

Criminal arraignments - June 28

CARTNEY, Shawn; CR359-16; PDC
CHARLEY, Allen; CR391-16; DWS/R, DUII, REX2
DANZUKA, Gibson; CR382-16; CNx2
FOX, Margaret; CR257-16; A&B
FRANK SR, Cyril; CR393-16; A&B
FRANKS, Amanda; CR414-16; CN
FUENTES, Thomas; FG11-16; ORFBM
GEORGE, Ike; CR416-16; DWS/R
GEORGE, Olivia; CR394-16; TR, HA, A&B
HOWTOPAT JR, Donald; CR779-15; TR; CR378-16; EXC. VIO
LECLAIRE, Cecilia; FG19-

16; ORFBM; FG20-16; ORFBM
LECLAIRE, Johnnie; FG23-16; ORFBM
MILLER, Jeremiah; CR397-16; DC
SAMPSON III, Elmer; CR351-16; TH; CR389-16; PDP
SCOTT, Crystal; CR162-16; DWS/R

Bail/bonds - June 29

CALICA, Lei; CR55-16; A&BWARR; SC/FTC-SP
GILBERT, Roes; CR293-16; TRWARR; SC/FTA-STATUS
LEWIS, Jerome; CR326-16; PDC DTX; SC/FTC-BP
RUSSELL, Ursula; C R 4 3 2 - 1 6 ; A & B, H A D T X ; N E W CHARGES
SUPPAH JR, Garrett; CR638-12; UUPCSC/FTC- CSW
WALLULATUM, Ransall; CR425-16; UUPCS, REX2DTX; NEW CHARGES; CR231-16; DC DTX; SC/FTC-BP

Bail/bonds - June 30

CALICA, Lei; CR55-16; A&BWARR; SC/FTC-SP

GILBERT, Rose; CR293-16; TRWARR; SC/FTA-STATUS
JAMES, Lillian; CR433-16; HA, DCNEW CHARGES
WALLULATUM, Randall; CR425-16; UUPCS, REX2DTX; NEW CHARGES; CR231-16; DC DTX; SC/FTC-BP

Criminal arraignments - July 1

BOISE, Nena; CR406-16; DUII, DWS/R, REX3
KALAMA, Jerrod; CR409-16; A&B
LAWRENCE, Candra; CR339-16; PDP; CR130-16; TR SC/FTC-BP
LECLAIRE, Johnnie; FG14-16; OFF-RFBM
PEDRAZA, Francisco; CR747-16; UUPCS
SUPPAH, Mandy; CR410-16; A&B
THOMPSON, Marvin; CR412-16; DUII, PDP, UUPCS, CWWP
WILLIAMS, Alex; CR408-16; COOC; CR305-16; PDP SC/FTC-SP