



The Pi-Ume-Sha Traditional Parade (left), including the float with a Warm Springs Total Solar Eclipse display (above).

## New route to Upper Warm Springs River

As our service is to protect and enhance cultural and natural resources for tribal member subsistence and enjoyment, the Branch of Natural Resources will begin re-routing access to the Upper Warm Springs River area by eliminating portions of the W-240 and the W-245 roads that are directly next to the river.

Traffic will be rerouted around the project area using the following directions:

Travel north on the W-200 road for 4.2 miles.

Turn west and travel on the W-260/S-649 road for 4.2 miles.

Turning back east on the W-240/S-650 roads for 4 miles.

Alternatively, access is also maintained through the B-180 road those approaching from the south.

The new reroute will be

marked with detour signage.

This will be a permanent reroute of traffic, as these portions of the W-240 and W-245 roads will be permanently closed.

Why is this being done? This project will protect and enhance some of the most productive habitat for multiple traditional and endangered species.

The BIA placed these roads through vital wildlife migration corridors and often the roads are inches from critical salmon-bearing streams.

By permanently removing the road from this sensitive riparian area, we are helping to ensure the longevity of vital species to the Warm Springs community.

Moreover, many of the water crossings of the existing road have blocked fish passage for over 60 years.

This project will open several miles of high-quality fish habitat.

**Transportation effects:** Although immediate river access will be eliminated, the reroute will ensure access to the upper Warm Springs River with an added travel time of approximately 15 minutes.

Deconstruction of portions of the W-240 and W245 began July 1, and the reroute is expected to be completed by the end of September.

The project will be well signed for safety and convenience for navigating the new route. A map of the project area will be in the the next publication of the Spilyay Tymoo.

For more information, please call: Ryan Smith Sr., Tribal Environmental Office Manager at (541) 553-2023

## Questions, answers about computer virus attack

*(The following advice is provided by the tribal Office of Information Systems. If you have questions, you can reach them at 541-553-3275.)*

A different version of ransomware was released on the world in late June.

The Petya is by no means a new thing: It has been around since 2015-16, and was activated again in June with a few changes. So it gets a new name, NotPetya.

The new variant was targeting financial institutions, government offices, airlines, hospitals, ATMs, and even retail outlets.

Some common questions of the day:

Question: Is the tribe safe?

Answer: As much as anyone can be.

Q: I am on an Apple computer, so I am safe right?

A: No, the newer versions are attacking everything.

Q: What can I do if I think I have this?

A: If someone suspects they have this virus, the best thing to do is reach behind the computer and pull the power cord out.

If the NotPetya is allowed to reboot the computer, all information, including the ability to get into the computer, is locked.

Q: Should I pay the ransom?

A: The e-mail address has since been blocked by most providers, so that wont work. And even if it were not blocked, chances are that they will not release a key to you or it will not work.

Q: What can I do to protect myself?

A: Run your updates! This can be prevented by installing critical updates. Just to be safe, back up your vital files with different flash drives.

A simple rotation would be to back up your files once a week using different flash drives for each week of the month.

There are several programs that will do this for people, a decent free one for Windows is SyncToy: Very easy to use and it's free.

Q: Is there software I can purchase?

A: There are a lot of companies laying claim to being able to block this type of activity. I would not put much trust in any of them. Your best resource is to install critical updates and watch what you download, install or run on your computer.

Q: Is this why OIS has been tightening things down?

A: Yes, the more restrictive the network permissions are, the better we can control the damage, should we get infected.

## Vacation Bible School in July

Vacation Bible School is coming at the Warm Springs Baptist Church, July 10-14.

This is open to children completing kindergarten through fifth-grade.

The school will be Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.

to noon at the church, located at 230 Elliot Heights. There will be Bible lessons, songs, games, crafts, snacks and lots of fun.

For more information you can reach the church at 541-553-1267.

## Estate planning free this summer for members

Tribal members through this month can receive free assistance with drafting a will, power of attorney, or other estate planning document.

Working with a supervising attorney, Courtnee Grego, law student at Seattle University, is providing the service. Her office is at the Commu-

nity Action Team building on campu. Or call 541-553-3148; or 509-460-0077 (c). To contact by email: gregoc@seattleu.edu

## Summaries of Tribal Council

### June 12, 2017

1. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Chief Alfred Smith Jr., Chairman Eugene Greene Jr., Vice Chairman Charles Calica, Ronald Suppah, Raymond Tsumpti, Carina Miller, Lee Tom and Valerie Switzler. Minnie Yahtin, recorder.

#### 2. Resolutions

• Consensus to table the resolution regarding the Rainbow gas station until more information from Ventures this afternoon to answer questions about the property, tax issues and EPA standards.

• Motion by Valerie to table the resolution for the National Elder Justice Initiative Innovation Program for further informational; seconded by Raymond. Question; 5/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

#### 3. Records center update.

4. Public safety concerns discussed.

5. Motion by Raymond approving Valerie to attend the Senate Bill 13 hearing today at 3 in Salem; seconded by Lee. Question; 4/0/2, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

6. Lee gave a report on the Return of the Boise Valley People gathering, including an opportunity to work with the National Guard on the tribes' possibly acquiring excess property.

7. Indian Health Service, Joint Health Commission and Managed Care update.

8. Indian Health Service Budget/Financials update.

9. Warm Springs Ventures:

• Motion by Charles to propose a supplemental budget in the amount of \$3 million from Warm Springs GeoVisions for appropriation into CP (cannabis project) Enterprise, a limited liability company, for membership approved capital improvements and economic development; seconded by Carina. Question; motion is moving CP Enterprise forward financially; 4/1/3, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

10. Motion by Ronald approving Charles to attend the U.S. V. Oregon mediation in Portland; seconded by Carina. Question; 6/0/2, Chairman not voting.

Motion carried.

11. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

### June 13

1. Roll call: Chief Alfred Smith Jr., Chairman Eugene Greene Jr., Vice Chairman Charles Calica, Ronald Suppah, Carina Miller, and Lee Tom. Minnie Yahtin, recorder.

#### 2. Bond legislation

• Motion by Charles adopting Resolution No. 12,340; Seconded by Ronald; Reflection of 2009B Bonds as read into record; Question; 5/0/0, Chairman not voting; Motion carried.

3. 509-J school district discussion.

4. National Indigenous Elder Justice Initiative Resolution:

• Motion by Charles to continue tabling this resolution until appropriate steps are taken with the Health and Welfare Committee; seconded by Lee. Question; 4/0/1, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

5. Tribal Court and pub-

lic safety update.

6. 2017 Personnel Manual update.

7. Columbia River Treaty update.

#### 8. Other business

• Concerns expressed regarding the 509J School district.

• Concerns expressed regarding the Education Committee.

9. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 5:01 p.m.

### June 19

1. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Chief Alfred Smith Jr., Vice Chairman Charles Calica, Carina Miller, Brigitte McConville, Valerie Switzler, and Raymond Tsumpti. Minnie Yahtin, recorder (morning), Phoebe Joe, recorder (afternoon).

2. May 2017 financial update.

3. FY 2017 Tribal Transportation Program:

• Motion by Raymond adopting Resolution No. 12,341, approving the transportation improvement plan for 2017-2021; Question; 6/0/0, Chairman not voting;

Motion carried.

4. Transportation Safety Plan

• Motion by Carina adopting Resolution No. 12,342, approving the Warm Springs commercial corridor safety plan; Seconded by Raymond; Question; 6/0/0, Chairman not voting; Motion carried.

#### 5. TERO update.

6. Executive session requested by the Secretary-Treasurer 3-3:40.

7. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 3:42 p.m.

### June 20

1. Roll Call: Chief Delvis Heath, Chief Alfred Smith Jr., Eugene Greene Jr. Chairman, Charles Calica Vice-Chairman, Raymond Tsumpti Sr., Carina Miller, and Lee Tom. Emily Yazzie Recorder.

#### 2. Timber appraisals:

• Warm Springs Timber Company LLC power point presentation.

• Northwest Regional Bureau of Indian Affairs forest management power point presentation.

• Warm Springs Branch of Natural Resources Forestry timber sale power point presentation.

• Analysis, options and plan for Forest presentation to work with Secretary Treasurer on schedule to bring back in 4 to 6 weeks along with the reports and Timber Committee be a part of this process.

3. Inter-Tribal Timber Council Symposium is June 26-29 in Yakama. Our tribe is up for re-election.

4. Motion to break for lunch and reconvene at 1:30 to hear forest health presentation. Vote: 0-5-0-chairman not voting. Motion denied.

• Motion to reschedule the forest health presentation. Vote: 5-0-0-chairman not voting. Motion carried.

5. Motion made by Charles, seconded by Delvis to purchase a gift for Stan Speaks the Bureau of Indian Affairs Northwest Area Director for his years of service to be presented at Friday's dignitary dinner. Question; vote: 5-0-1, chairman not voting. Motion carried.