# Summaries of Tribal Council

## December 7

The meeting was called to order at 1 p.m. by Chairman Raymond Tsumpti Sr. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Raymond (Captain) Moody, Lincoln Jay Suppah, Anita Jackson, Wilson Wewa Jr., Chief Joseph Moses, Glendon Smith, Vice Chair Brigette McConville. Minnie Yahtin, Recorder.

**Bureau of Indian Affairs** update with Floy Lori Anderson, Superintendent.

Office of Special Trustee phone update with Kevin Moore.

Indian Health Service update with Dr. Locker and Michelle Miller.

Covid Response Team update Caroline Cruz, Danny Martinez, Carmen Smith, Dr. Locker and Louie Pitt:

- Discussed enforcement of Ordinance 101.
- The recommendation made by the Team will be reviewed and discussed on Wednesday, December 9, and to give the Team time to coordinate amongst each other.

Federal and State legislative update calls.

Tribal attorney update.

- · Increase in CARES funding budgeted items with Michele Stacona, Secretary-Treasurer:
- · Motion by Captain approving budget adjustments from the CARES funds to Warm Springs Community Action Team for administering the Business Grants,

Temperature Reading annual maintenance costs, and High Lookee Lodge Electronic Health implication fees with Pharmacy requirements. Second by Jay. Question: Captain/yes, Jay/yes, Delvis/yes, Wilson/yes, Anita/ yes, Brigette/yes, Glendon/yes, 7/0/0, Chairman not voting; Motion carried.

Motion by Captain to adjourn at 4:02 p.m.

## December 8

The meeting was called to order at 1:07 p.m. by Chairman Raymond Tsumpti Sr. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Chief Joseph Moses, Lincoln Jay Suppah, Raymond (Captain) Moody, Wilson Wewa, Jr., Vice Chair Brigette McConville, Glendon Smith, and Anita Jackson. Minnie Yahtin, Recorder.

Tribal attorney update with John Ogan.

Family First Act discussion with State of Oregon.

Children's Protect Services update with Cecelia Collins.

Motion made by Anita to adjourn at 4:20 p.m.

#### December 9

The meeting was called to order at 1: by Chairman Raymond Tsumpti Sr. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Raymond (Captain) Moody, Lincoln Jay Suppah, Anita Jackson, Vice Chair Brigette McConville, Glendon Smith, chief Joseph Moses, Glendon Smith. Minnie Yahtin, Recorder.

Covid-19 Team update

with Caroline Cruz, Katie Russell, Hyllis Dauphinais, Danny Martinez and Sue Matters:

· Chairman Tsumpti took a poll to approve the recommendations as read into record: Wilson/yes, Anita/yes, Glendon/no response, Joe/no, Captain/no, Jay/yes, Delvis/yes, Brigette/yes: 5/2/1, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

. Resolutions with Michele Stacona and Alfred Estimo Jr.:

## Scholarships:

· Motion by Brigette adopting Resolution No. 12,748, pursuant to Ordinance 26 and Article V, Section 1 (f) of the Constitution and By-Laws as amended, that an amount not to exceed \$650,000 is hereby authorized for expenditure from the Scholarship Fund for calendar year 2021; Second by Anita; Anita/yes, Glendon/yes, Wilson/no, Joe/yes, Captain/yes, Jay/yes, Brigette/ yes, Delvis/yes, 7/1/0, Chairman not voting; Motion carried.

### Per Capita:

• Motion by Brigette adopting Resolution No. 12,749, in accordance with authority contained in Article V, Section 1(t), as amended, of the Tribal Constitution and By-Laws and Section 8 of the Corporate Charter, that per capita distributions are authorized for the calendar year 2021 at \$25 per month for each eligible member of the Tribe, subject to the following conditions:

1) Per Capita payments are to be made to all persons appearing on the official Tribal roll as of January 1, 2021, and persons who are subsequently enrolled.

- 2) All persons appearing on the Tribal rolls as of January 1, 2021 shall be entitled to per capita payments at a rate of \$25 per month beginning January 25, 2021 and ending December 16, 2021.
- 3) All persons enrolled January 1, 2021 shall be entitled to receive per capita payments at a rate of \$25 per month from the date of enrollment through December 16, 2021 and further, all enrollees living as of 12 midnight on the 10 day of the month shall be entitled to receive that month's per capita, and upon the person's death, it will be credited to his/her estate.

Payments shall be processed according to Attachment "A", Per Capita schedule for 2021.

4) Enrollees who die during the year shall receive no further payments after death and his/her estate shall not be entitled to further per capita payments except as provided in Section 3.

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# Housing Improvement grant applications

The Housing Improvement Program is a home repair, renovation, replacement and housing grant program administered by the Bureau of Indian Affairs and federally-recognized Indian tribes for American Indians and families who have no immediate resource for standard housing.

To be eligible for Housing Improvement Program assistance you must be a member of a federally recognized American Indian tribe or an Alaska Native, and live in an approved tribal service area. Additional requirements: Have an income that does not exceed 150 percent of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Poverty Guidelines;

- · Have present housing that is substandard, as defined in the regulations 25 CFR, Part 256;
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   Have no other resource for housing assistance;
- · Have not previously received HIP assistance for repairs, renovation, replacement or housing, or down payment assistance;
- And have not acquired your present housing through a federally sponsored housing program within the previous 20 years.

Interested applicants should contact Sharon Jackson for an application package containing the application, guidelines and required supporting documentation necessary in order to qualify for eligibility.

Complete applications and all supporting documentation are due by December 31, 2020.

Sharon Jackson, Tribal Government Specialist, BIA Northwest Region. email:

Sharon.jackson@bia.gov

Phone: (425) 258-2651 ext. 252

Note: Regulations have changed; there is an additional Category D—Down Payment Assistance, for information contact the Warm Springs Housing Authority for more information, 541-553-3250.

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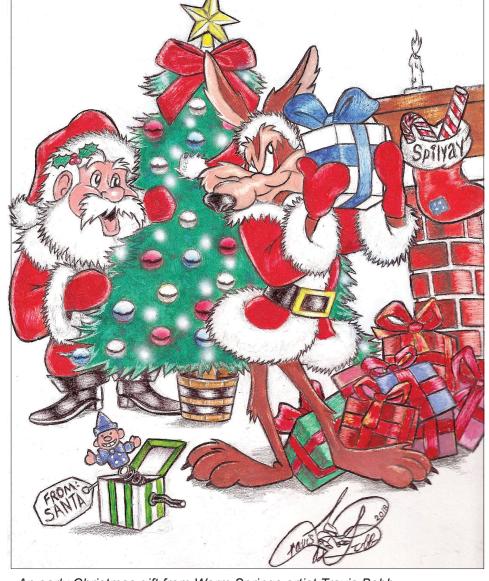
## PARENT SESSION

1 a.m. Jan. 15 · 10 a.m.



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b. In advance of College events, persons needing accommodation or transportation because of a physical or mobility disability, contact Joe Viola at 541.383.7775. For accommodation because of other disability such as hearing impairment, contact Disability Services at 541.383.7583.



An early Christmas gift from Warm Springs artist Travis Bobb.

# Casino temporary closure

The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Tribal Council made the decision to temporarily close Indian Head Casino.

This is a safety measure as Covid-19 cases have seen an increase, especially since Thanksgiving.

The Cottonwood restaurant will remain open for curbside pick-up with debit and credit card transactions only. No cash transactions. Reopening date of the casino is to be determined.



