

Council seeks to fill Election, Counting board positions

The Twenty-Eighth Tribal Council of the Confederated Tribes seeks to fill positions on the tribal Elections and Counting boards. The tribal member positions are:

One Counting Board member; and one Election Board alternate.

The candidate should be community oriented, and possess a positive rapport with the community.

The candidate must have an interest in the tribal culture and heritage; and understanding and appreciation of and capability to interpret the traditional activities of the community. And the candidate should possess some understanding of the tribal organization and functions.

If the candidate is an employee of the Confederated Tribes, the person should have the approval

of the supervisor to serve on the board. The approval should be submitted with the application.

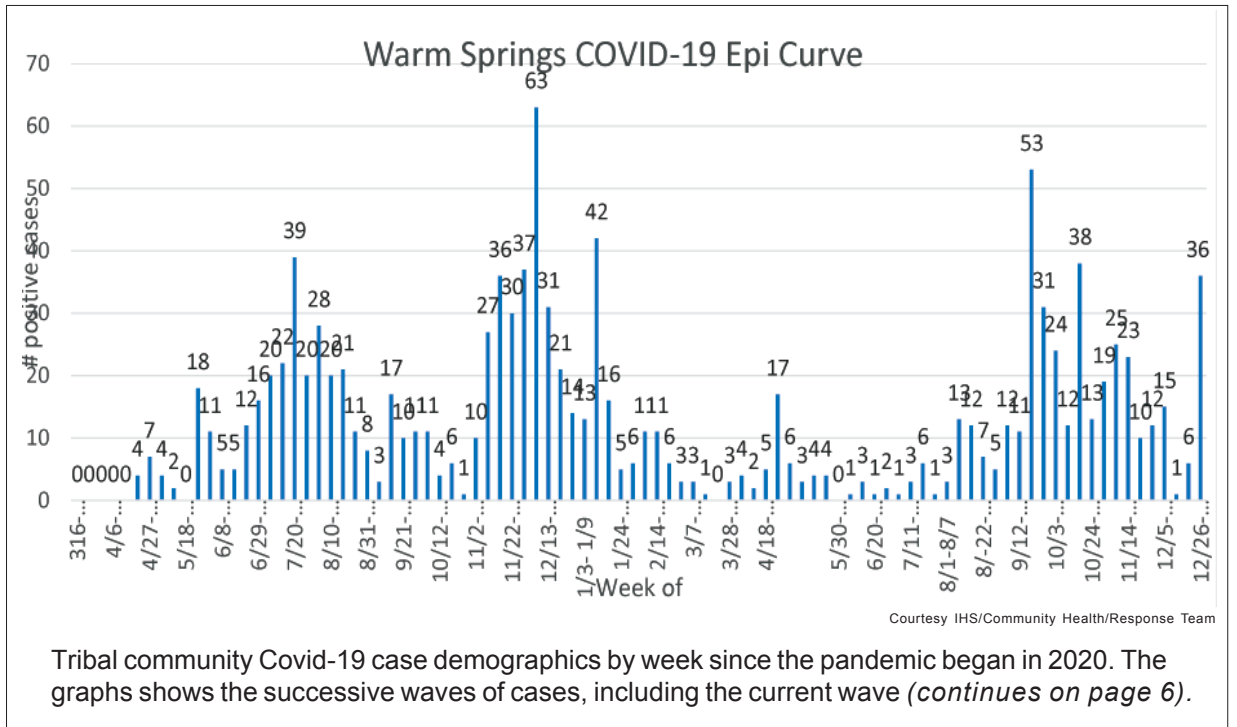
If you are interested in serving, letters of interest and resume should be submitted no later than January 18, 2022. You can drop off at the tribal administration building, addressed to Glendon Smith, Secretary-Treasurer.

Or send by mail to Glendon Smith, S-T; PO box 455, Warm Springs OR 97761. Or submit by email:

gsmith@wstribes.org
Please sign a criminal background check:

Forms are available at the Management area at administration; or can be mailed to you.

Information will be submitted confidentially to the Secretary-Treasurer.



Tribal community Covid-19 case demographics by week since the pandemic began in 2020. The graphs shows the successive waves of cases, including the current wave (continues on page 6).

SHUTDOWN

“In alliance with Warm Springs and the Task Force recommendation, there will be no school for students attending the K-8 Academy through Friday, January 14.”

The decision to close the school down was not made lightly, Mr. Mathisen said, adding:

“Current numbers of covid-related absences for students and staff are not driving this decision. We are making this decision as good partners with the tribes while they take precautionary measures to slow the spread of the

highly contagious Omicron variant.”

Last school year, 2020-21, saw the extended closures of the schools of the district, requiring distance learning. Shorter closures—a week, for instance—would not require this approach.

The teachers can make assignments for the closure days, keeping in touch with students as the week progresses. Without question, Mathisen said, the goal of the district is to have in-person learning in the classroom throughout the school year.

SEASON OF NONVIOLENCE

EVENTS HONORING NONVIOLENT ADVOCACY FOR HUMAN RIGHTS

2022 SCHEDULE

- ★ Winona LaDuke – February 1
- ★ Examining Inequalities in Central Oregon – February 22
- ★ Black History Month Events – February
- ★ Inequity in Healthcare – March 3
- ★ Climate Justice as Freedom – March 10
- ★ And More!



All events are **FREE & OPEN** to the public.

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WHEN THE GOING GETS TOUGH, THE TOUGH GET VACCINATED.

COVID fatigue is the biggest threat to keeping Oregon schools open and kids safe this winter. But, getting vaccinated is just one of 11 health and safety measures we can take to protect what’s most important. Find out more at Oregon.gov/readyschools.

