

# Ballots due May 17 for 2022 Primary

The ballots are out for the May 17 Primary Election, including the election of two Jefferson County Commissioners, and the county Sheriff.

The following are the local candidates on the ballot: **Jefferson Count Commissioners Position No. 1:**

- Laurie Danzuka
  - Mae Huston
  - Mark Wunsch
- Jefferson County Com-**

**missioners Position No. 2:**

- Kelly Simmelink
  - Sabria Rios
- Jefferson County Sheriff:**
- Marc Heckathorn
  - Jason Pollock
  - Rick Dupont

**Jefferson County Assessor:**

- Ray Soliz
- On May 17 Election Day, ballots must be in an official drop box; or received by

the Elections Office by 8 p.m. on Election Day, or postmarked by the U.S. Post Office to be counted.

No postage is required on the mail-in ballots. If you have not received your ballot some days after April 27, you can call the clerk's office at 541-475-4451.

There will be a 24-hour drop site in Warm Springs, on Wasco Street by Fire and Safety (*see page*

*10 of this publication for details*). Other drop boxes are at the County Clerk's Office, the Metolius and Culver city halls, and at Crooked River Ranch.

Remember to sign your return envelope. A ballot will not be counted unless the return envelope is signed and the signature matches the signature of the voter registration record.

## High School graduation coming up on June 4

The Madras High School graduation ceremony, and Bridges High School graduation, are coming up on Saturday, June 4. The ceremony will start at 9 a.m. at the school athletic field.

Graduates need to arrive at 8 a.m. at the Performing Arts Center to prepare. Gates for guests will also open at 8 a.m.

The graduation ceremony will be live-streamed and recorded for family and friends to enjoy. Here are some other items coming up on the Madras High School

schedule: Monday, May 9 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. will be a 509-J school district board work session. The regular school board meeting will start at 7.

On Wednesday, May 18, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. will be the Kindergarten Welcome event. This will be at all of the elementary schools of the district, including the Warm Springs Academy. Representatives will be on hand to answer questions. There is also an online option for the Kindergarten Welcome.

## Raymond: now director of tribes' Government Affairs

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As mentioned earlier, Mr. Tsumpti never campaigned or asked for a Council nomination. His approach has always been one of honesty and direct statements no matter the consequence or response.

"People have referred to me as a leader," Raymond says. "No, I have only been a representative of the people of my district and the tribes."

People who know him see the absolute loyalty to the good of the tribal people, past, present and future, to the Treaty of 1855, the Constitution, the Declaration of Sovereignty, the guiding documents of the Confed-

erated Tribes.

Over the years Mr. Tsumpti never declined the Council nomination, until this year. He and wife Beulah agreed, "This is a good time for the next generation to carry on."

Another good thing is that the wealth of knowledge Raymond brings to the table will survive: He will still be working with the tribes as Governmental Affairs director. "I can't retire," Mr. Tsumpti says.

His is a life that cannot be summarized within these few paragraphs. Speak to the man himself, if you wish to know more.

— Dave McMechan



Mr. Tsumpti, back in 2020, addressing a gathering at the Agency Longhouse.

## Employment with the Confederated Tribes

The following are positions recently advertised with the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs. For information, contact the Human Resources office, located in the tribal administration building, 1233 Veterans Street, Warm Springs. Staff are available to answer questions related to the application process and can be reached at 541-553-3262 or hr@wstribes.org

Tribal Member preference is exercised in hiring processes as defined in Tribal Personnel Policy PER 202.

Restoration crew boss. Restoration field crew member (limited duration). Travel accountant. Forest Engineering Tech-

nician.

Fisheries biologist II. Range rider. Fisheries biologist III (Hood River). Administrative officer.

Lookouts (three positions). Fisheries Biologist I. Fish Biologist II. Warm Springs Housing Authority Maintenance Worker.

Assistant Property Warehouse. Budgets/Contracts & Grants Analyst. Patrol Officer. Communications Officer.

C.P.S. Specialist. Prevention Coordinator. Executive Assistant. Wildlife Biologist I. General Staff Technician (three positions).

Protective care provider. Habitat restoration crew member. Secretary/Community Wellness Center.

Surveillance Observer, part-time.

Chief Judge. Tribal Planning administrator. Restoration technician. Maintenance worker/Public Utilities. Wildland firefighter (Hotshot Crew) (8 Positions).

Public administrator. Executive director to Cannabis Commission. Director information systems. Public Safety general manager. Community Health Nurse

Associate Judge/Tribal Court. Fisheries technician I (Creel Tech - limited duration). Assorted work experience jobs - limited duration.

Assorted work experience jobs (Youth - limited duration). Fire/Medic. Registered Nurse.

## Employment with Indian Head, Plateau

The following is a recent list of job openings with Indian Head Casino. For details see the website: indianheadcasino.com

Cage cashier. Cage main bank cashier. Cage supervisor.

Coffee stations attendant. Cook. Groundskeeper. Guest service operator. Lounge bartender. Payroll administrator.

Player development supervisor. Player's Club ambassador. Player's Club lead ambassador.

Revenue auditor. Security manager. Security officer. Server. Slot keyperson.

Tule Grill attendant. Tule Grill cook.

The following are positions advertised recently with the **Plateau Travel**

**Plaza:**

Store cashier. Store supervisor. Custodian. Host cashier/server. Line cook. Security officer.

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### Art-Educator position

Confluence is looking for an energetic and collaborative Indigenous Emerging Artist-Educator to work with our small and dedicated staff to help deliver educational programming and produce culturally relevant art. We're looking for someone with a cultural connection to the Indigenous Tribes of the Columbia River system in Oregon, Washington or Idaho.

This is an hourly paid internship position for 30 hours per week at \$25 per hour. Confluence is an equal opportunity employer and we strongly encourage applicants of all backgrounds to apply.

For more information about Confluence, please visit our website: [confluenceproject.org](http://confluenceproject.org)

To apply, please email us a cover letter, resume and list of references with the words 'Indigenous Emerging Artist/Educator' in the subject line. The position will remain open until Friday, June 3.