

On the Tribal Council agenda this month

The following are some of the items coming up on the Tribal Council agenda for the rest of the month of August (subject to change at Council discretion):

Wednesday, August 7 – Committee reports (continued from the start of this week):

- 9 a.m.: Timber Committee.
- 10: Land Use Planning Committee.
- 11: Health and Welfare Committee.

Monday, August 12

- 9 a.m.: Government Affairs with Raymond Tsumpti Sr.
- 10: Human Resources with William Sam.
- 11: Education with Valerie Switzler.
- 1:30 p.m.: Gaming Committee

executive director discussion with Josephine Johnson.

Tuesday, August 13

- 9 a.m.: Kah-Nee-Ta funding update with Jim Souers.
- 10: Indian Head Casino funding with Shawn McDaniel.
- 11: Finance plan funding discussion with S-T Robert Brunoe and Pam Douglas, Finance.
- 1:30: Early Childhood Education Center update Caroline Cruz, Sue Matters and Cheryl Tom.

Wednesday, August 14

- 9 a.m.: Transmission workshop with Cathy Ehli, Power and Water executive director, and Ellen Grover, tribal attorney.
- 1:30 Tribal Employment Rights Office update.

Monday, August 19

- 9 a.m.: Housing Authority with Danielle Wood, executive director.
- 10: Tribal Court discussion with Gayleen Adams, Chief Judge.
- 11: Secretary-Treasurer review.
- 1:30 p.m.: Tribal Council priorities update.

Tuesday, August 20

- 9 a.m.: Secretary-Treasurer update with Robert Brunoe.
- 10: September agenda and review minutes.
- 11: Draft resolutions.
- 1:30 p.m.: Enrollments with Lucille Suppach-Samson, Vital Stats.
- 2:30: Indian Health Services update with the acting director.
- 3:30: Health and Human Services with Caroline Cruz.
- 4:30: Managed Care update with Michael Collins.

Youth track meet next week

The Wings Invitational Youth Track Meet is coming up on Tuesday, August 13 starting at 6 p.m.

The Invitational competitions will be in age groups: Two to 5 years. Six to 9 years; and 10-12 years. Events are:

50 meters. 100 meters. 400 meters. The Standing Long Jump, and the Long Jump. The Softball Throw, and the T-Ball Throw.

The Invitational is hosted by Warm Springs Prevention, Aftercare-JCP, and Suicide Prevention.

Tribes hiring committee secretary

Interested in the interworking of the tribal government? The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs seeks to hire a committee secretary, working at the Tribal Council Office, administrative services center. The position is a full time.

This position would work closely with the second committee secretary to cover the administrative functions for the nine tribal committees.

Duties include scheduling committee meetings, taking meeting minutes, reviewing committee correspondence, setting up tours, assisting committee chairs with preparing reports and annual budget, track budget, tracking attendance, working with finance for travel, purchase orders, payment authorizations, etc. Maintain files and

records. Work on special events for committees and on occasion assist with Tribal council functions.

Skills: Type 45-50 words per minute minimum.

Be comfortable with Microsoft Word and Excel.

Maintain strict confidentiality. Strong organization skills are a plus.

Some travel is required, a valid Oregon driver's license is required. A background check is also required. Salary depends on experience. The job is full time with benefits. The position is open until filled.

Contact Sandra Danzuka or Minnie Yahtin at 541-553-3257. Emails: sandra.danzuka@wstribes.org minnie.yahtin@wstribes.org

Home for sale

A four bedroom, two bath home for sale.

The residence has a detached garage, and is completely remodeled in like-new condition.

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Summary of Tribal Council

(The following is a summary of a Tribal Council meeting from last month.)

July 22, 2024

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Jonathan W. Smith Sr.

Roll call: Lincoln Jay Suppah, Chief Joseph Moses, Vice Chairman Raymond 'Captain' Moody, Chairman Jonathan W. Smith Sr., Alvis Smith III, Carlos Calica, James 'Jim' Manion, Rosa Graybael, Wilson Wewa Jr. Sandra Danzuka, Recorder9-9:50 a.m., Minnie Yahtin, Recorder9:50-11:10.

• June financial overview for 2025. Budget forecast with Pamela Douglas:

Motion by Captain approving \$2,000 each for the Simnasho, Hehe, and Agency huckleberry feasts. Second by Alvis. Question: Jim/yes, Joe/yes, Captain/yes, Jay/yes, Alvis/yes, Wilson/yes, Rosa/yes, Carlos/yes, 8/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

Tribal Gaming Regulatory Authority discussion with Robert Brunoe:

• Motion by Captain adopting Resolution No. 13,269 that the following tribal members are appointed as members of the Warm Springs Tribal Gaming Regulatory Authority effective immediately: Mariam Tias, Chairwoman. Sandra Main, Vice Chairwoman. Robyn Miller, Secretary. Terms ending June 30, 2026.

That the continuation of such appointments are conditioned upon the applicants satisfying the qualifications for the Tribal Gaming Regulatory Authority, as set forth in the Gaming Ordinance in a timely manner. Second by Wilson. Question: Jim/yes, Joe/yes, Captain/yes, Jay/yes, Alvis/yes, Wilson/yes, Rosa/yes, Carlos/yes, 8/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

• Columbia River Inter-tribal Fish Commission Dinner with Sandra Danzuka:

Motion by Jim authorizing \$1,200 if needed for the Commis-

sioner dinner cooks on July 25. Second by Alvis. Jim/yes, Joe/yes, Captain/yes, Jay/abstain, Alvis/yes, Wilson/yes, Rosa/yes, Carlos/yes, 7/0/1, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

• The Museum at Warm Springs Grant Resolution discussion with Elizabeth Woody and Olney Patt Jr.:

Motion by Jim adopting Resolution No. 13,170. That the Museum at Warm Springs is a priority and hereby approves the preparation and submission of a grant application by the Museum to the Spirit Mountain Community Fund Tribal Grant Program for \$100,000 for the hiring of contractors to continue fulfilling essential museum needs. Second by Wilson. Question: Jim/yes, Joe/abstain, Captain/yes, Jay/no, Alvis/yes, Wilson/yes, Rosa/yes, Carlos/yes, 6/1/1, Chairman not voting; Motion carried.

Motion by Alvis to adjourn at 11:09 a.m.



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