OUTREACH FOR SENIORS

This month has been very quiet for Outreach. We would like to hear from those who feel that the food stamps they now receive are not adequate (remembering that the cash you formerly spent on food stamps is supposed to be spent on food). A group has been formed to work toward a formal protest for the way the food stamps are being handled by the federal government, especially the new way eligibility is to be figured. By June 30 (July 1) they would like all complaints turned into a central point, for forwarding to their group. Call the office here, 879-5253, if you want help in voicing your complaint. Or, write a statement of your complaint and address it to the Tribal Council. You do not have to live within the Grand Ronde area for this protest. Testimony is being solicited through different agencies throughout the State and other parts of the country.

GLEANING

Application forms for this program are available in the Tribal Office, in the Outreach section located at 9235 Grand Ronde Rd, Grand Ronde Cemetery. The only cost involved is the gas going to the source of the produce and the coming back. You should also plan on gathering some cardboard boxes, or other means of carrying produce back home. At this time strawberries will be the first product available.

TRANSPORTATION FOR SENIORS

This program is operating at full force. Our drivers and escorts are ready and willing to take you wherever you need to go — doctors, dentists, grocery shopping, other shopping. We are trying to make sure that we have a full passenger load whenever the car goes, so you may be called about scheduling your trips when others are already scheduled. Your donations are helping, keep them coming? We need this extra help for the program.

YOUR CEMETERY NEEDS HELP

We are buying back the land in front of the cemetery, from its' present site up to the county road. This purchase will insure burial sites for years to come.

The Confederate Tribes of Grand Ronde have agreed to purchase this land and have made the down payment. Now we need your help to meet the monthly payments. This can be done by monthly or yearly donations by individuals or organizations. Any amount you can contribute will be greatly appreciated. You can send your contribution to The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde, P.O. Box 94, Grand Ronde, Oregon 97347. Remember all contributions are tax deductible! THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP, The Tribal Council.