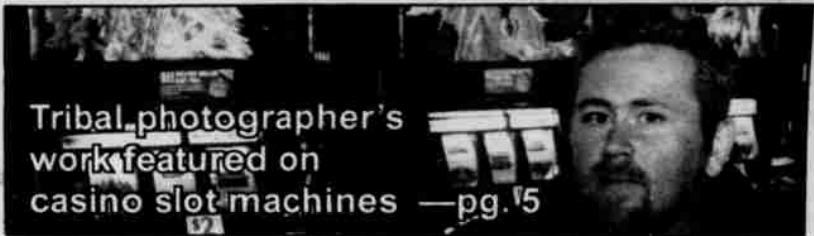




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Grand Ronde Tribal Council members and Tribal members who testified during the five public hearings regarding the Warm Springs Tribe's proposal to build a casino in the Columbia River Gorge included (from top left, clockwise): Tribal Council member June Sell-Sherer in Stevenson; Tribal Council Chairwoman Cheryle A. Kennedy in Portland; Tribal Council member Steve Bobb Sr. in Portland; Tribal Council member Valorie Sheker in Stevenson; Tribal Elder Carol Logan in Cascade Locks; Tribal Council member Chris Mercier signing up to speak in Cascade Locks; Tribal Council Vice Chairman Reyn Leno in Stevenson; Tribal Elder Valerie Alexander in Portland; Tribal Council member Wink Soderberg and his wife, Kathy, in Warm Springs; and Tribal Council member Kathleen Tom in Portland.