

Replacing the bulbs

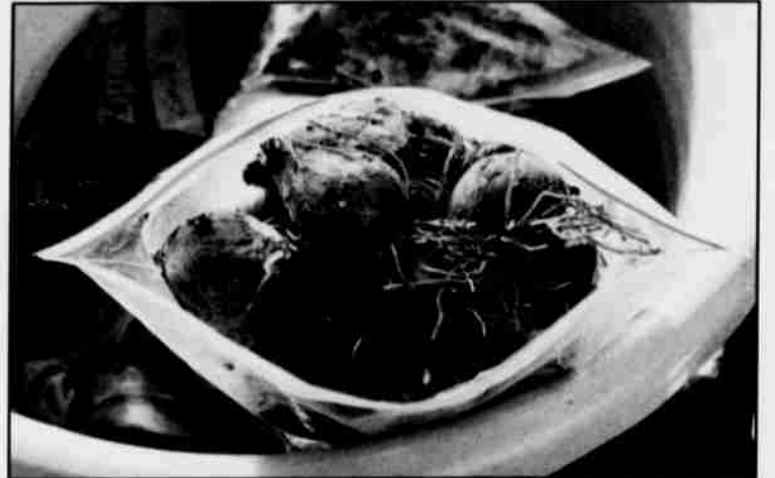


Photos by Michelle Alaimo

Kathy Cole, Tribal Cultural Resources Department program manager and Tribal member, makes a hole to plant a camas bulb in the Tyee Nature Reserve, located behind the Grand Ronde Tribal Housing Authority building in Grand Ronde, on Friday, Nov. 18. The Tribe's Cultural Resources and Natural Resources departments partnered with the Institute for Applied Ecology for the planting. The institute supplied 4,000 camas bulbs for the planting; 2,000 bulbs were harvested from the Corvallis Plant Materials Center and the other 2,000 were ordered from a local nursery. Tribal Biologist Rebecca McCoun and Melanie Gisler, a restoration ecologist with the Institute, also helped plant the bulbs along with some additional volunteers Gisler brought. Juncus and tarweed were also planted in the reserve.



David Harrelson, left, Tribal Site Protection specialist and Tribal member, and Bobby Mercier, Tribal Language and Culture specialist and Tribal member, unwrap Juncus to plant in Tyee Nature Reserve on Friday, Nov. 18.



Camas bulbs harvested from the Corvallis Plant Materials Center will soon be planted in the Tyee Nature Reserve.

Legal Notice

If you are a Native American Farmer or Rancher

or the heir of one who was denied a

USDA farm loan or loan servicing

between 1981 and late 1999,

The claims-filing period is about to end.

To receive a payment you must file a claim
by December 27, 2011.

For free assistance filing a claim:

call 1-888-233-5506 or visit www.IndianFarmClass.com.