



Jordan Tinoco cuts siding for the new Grand Ronde Tribal Police Station as construction continues on Friday, Sept. 9. The 4,400-square-foot building is expected to be completed by Dec. 1. Funding for the \$1.1 million building includes a \$500,000 Housing and Urban Development Indian Community Development block grant, \$167,000 in HUD Indian Housing block grant funding and some Tribal funds. Cearley Construction, located in Estacada, is the contractor for the job and is a Tribal Employment Rights Ordinance-certified Indian-owned business. Tinoco is a Tribal member working through the Tribe's TERO office.

Construction season



The new Grand Ronde Tribal Police Station is located on Grand Ronde Road next to the Grand Ronde Food Bank.

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Juan Lara, working for CG Construction, pounds a beam in while building the new Community Building located on Grand Ronde Road, just north of Hebo Road, on Friday, Sept. 9. The 3,600-square-foot building is expected to be completed by Dec. 1. The building will be owned and operated by Lighthouse Church and Recovery and it will be used for their church services and meetings, as well as be open for community use. The building is located on Tribal trust land, which the church leased from the Tribe. The Tribe applied for a Spirit Mountain Community Fund Tribal Grant on behalf of the church to help fund the building, the church raised some money and some materials and labor were donated for the building.

