

# General Council meeting

11 a.m. Sunday, May 5

Governance Center Chambers

Tribal members can participate remotely via Zoom and in-person attendance. Call 503-879-2304 for more information.

## NOTICE — Monthly Tribal Council Wednesday Meetings

DATE	TIME
Wednesday, May 1.....	4 p.m.
Wednesday, May 15.....	4 p.m.

Please note that these times and dates are subject to change if needed. In-person attendance in Tribal Council Chambers and via Zoom.

## LETTERS

Dear Smoke Signals,

Not having children or grandchildren of my own, I don't have a personal dog in this lineal descent fight except that I recognize that our Tribe's children, all of them, deserve the same benefits that we are receiving.

We want them to be properly clothed, fed and well-educated. That will give them opportunities that some of us never had because our families were poor and the Tribe didn't yet have the kind of income that we have now.

I want so much for our young people to have every opportunity to thrive and do well in their lives.

We can help them get there by welcoming them into Tribal membership.

Judy G. Williams

Roll No. 2888

## Gas discount in Grand Ronde

Grand Ronde Tribal members, as well as Tribal and Spirit Mountain Casino employees, can receive a 30-cent per gallon discount on gasoline at the Tribally owned Grand Ronde Station convenience store.

There are, however, a few rules. Tribal members and employees must go inside and show either their enrollment card or employee identification card to receive the discount. ■

## TRIBAL OFFICE CLOSURES

Tribal offices will be closing at noon Friday, May 24, and closed on Monday, May 27, in observance of Memorial Day.

NOW ACCEPTING NEW AND EXPIRING TERM APPLICATIONS!!

### TRIBAL COMMITTEE/BOARD AND COMMISSION

\*DO YOU WANT TO BE MORE INVOLVED WITH THE TRIBE?

\*ARE YOU INTERESTED IN MAKING POSITIVE CHANGES FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS?



APPLY TODAY

OR PICK UP A HARD COPY NEAR GOVERNANCE SECURITY.

PLEASE DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS TO TRIBAL COUNCIL ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT SHANNON HAM-TEXEIRA@SHANNON.HAM-TEXEIRA@GRANDRONDE.ORG OR CALL (503) 879-2301.

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TUESDAY, MAY 23.....	JUNE 1
FRIDAY, JUNE 7.....	JUNE 15
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24.....	JULY 1

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