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Surprise luncheon for Judge JoAnn Jones' 80th birthday

Ardith Van Riper
Editor

Friday, January 3, 2020, the Tribal Courts staff organized a surprise luncheon in celebration of Judge JoAnn Jones' 80th birthday. The multi-purpose room at the District 1 Community Center was bursting with people, favorite foods of the Judge, and vibrant decorations.

The staff was able to surprise Judge Jones under the guise that the clerks were having a staff meeting at DICC. All the while, they were preparing dishes and making the room festive.

A roaring, "Surprise!" greeted Judge Jones as she walked through the streamers adorning the entryway. Laughter filled the room before the crowd broke out in a happy birthday song. Hugs were shared before Pete Camacho said a prayer over the meal.

Guests visited and shared stories while enjoying lunch.

JoAnn Jones was born at the Tomah Indian Hospital in 1940 and raised in the Indian Mission near Black River Falls. She attended an

Indian Boarding school and graduated from Alma Center High School. She later joined the Air Force.

Jones returned to Wisconsin in 1979. She completed a bachelor's degree in social work and political science, a master's degree in social work, and a law degree from the University of Wisconsin – Madison.

After graduation from law school, Jones became an Assistant Corporation Counsel for Sauk County in Baraboo. She served in this position until being elected the first woman to hold the office of Tribal Chairperson of the Ho-Chunk Nation. The Ho-Chunk Nation experienced turbulent changes at the time.

When guests nearly finished their lunches, Judge Mary Jo B. Hunter cut and distributed the birthday cake. Richard Mann was the



The Ho-Chunk Nation Tribal Courts staff surprised Judge JoAnn Jones with a birthday luncheon at District 1 Community Center.

emcee. Health Littlejohn read the birthday cards and displayed the gifts Judge Jones received and opened.

"I was so surprised, I've never been surprised like

this. I could almost cry, but I don't want to. I want to remember the happiness," said JoAnn Jones.

She went on to say, "Thank you for this. I will

remember my 80th birthday, and I'll make it to 100 like my dad did."

Judge Jones' birthday is January 5.

Calverley named as Executive Compliance Officer

Tracy Calverley, formerly the Contract Division Administrator for the Ho-Chunk Nation Department of Justice, recently was named as Executive Compliance Officer by Ho-Chunk President Marlon WhiteEagle.

Her new role was effective on Monday, January 6, 2020.

Calverley was born and raised in Black River Falls. She graduated in 2013 from Western Technical College with high honors with an associate degree in Criminal Justice.

She worked a short amount of time for the Black River Falls Police Department, and then switched career paths to better support her family. Calverley then sought employment with the Ho-Chunk Nation Department of Justice and

was hired as a legal assistant reviewing contracts.

She was promoted to the Contract division Administrator position where she worked for the last five years. In that capacity, Calverley worked on instilling the best practices and standardization into the Contract Division.

She is working toward her



Tracy Calverley

Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from University of Wisconsin – Green Bay. She also has been working toward receiving her Certified Public Procurement Officer (CPPO) from the National Institute for Government Procurement (NIGP).

Outside of work, Calverley is a mother of four children. She has two boys: Logan (14) and Jordan (10), and two girls: Kadyne (11) and Amarie (5).

"I spend what little spare time I have with friends and family enjoying the outdoors or catching up on my latest Netflix binge. I recently have taken up ice fishing and am working on becoming an expert angler," she said jokingly.

For now, she is taking on a large role in keeping the Ho-

Chunk Nation in compliance with the rules and regulations.

"I am honored to be asked to serve Marlon's administration and it is a responsibility I take seriously," Calverley said.

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A letter from the president

Greetings my friends and relatives. I trust you all had a happy holiday season.

The New Year has begun and change is inevitable. Where change will not occur is with my resolve to uphold my oath of office. I do vow to make positive changes within our government.

One way I plan to make a positive impact is by having each department prepare a strategic plan for the decade ahead. That way we know which direction we going and how we can continually improve. These strategic planning meetings will occur in our communities and all tribal members are invited to attend.

Recently, I wrote a Vision Statement and issued it to the executive directors to guide

them and their departments in their strategic planning efforts. I look forward to hearing about positive, innovative, and achievable objectives from the Executive branch.

In writing the Vision Statement, I thought about all I've observed as president, an employee, and a tribal member. Through it all, I know our work culture could use some attention and direction.

I feel our work culture mirrors the tribal culture. My dad used to say when people talk about someone's faults, they're looking at themselves in a mirror. He also said, you can't tell people things if your backyard isn't clean. In short, he was telling me to say little and do a lot.

If we want our government

to improve, we must improve as people. If, as president, I got to make a New Year's resolution for the Nation, I'd say we resolve to positively engage in our tribal, local, state, and national governments.

My biggest takeaways from attending the National Congress of American Indians annual convention was the importance of the 2020 U.S. Census and the November general election.

Participating in the census helps our government by having all 7,654 tribal members recorded in the U.S. population, which effects the number of dollars we'd qualify for in grant consideration. I'd like to see us seek more grant dollars, so our NPD funds could be used more for discretionary spending.

In the November national election, Wisconsin is considered one of the seven swing states. Wisconsin is a state that could be won by either major political party.

The state recently elected a Democratic governor by just over one percent difference, after eight years of a Republican in the office. Democrats were also elected to the Supreme Court, as Attorney General, Lieutenant Governor, and Treasurer.

In 2016, a Republican presidential candidate won the state for the first time since 1984. That was largely due to low voter turnout. Republicans are the majority in the state legislature.

In July, the Democratic National Convention will be held in Milwaukee, where the party's presidential nominee will be determined. Republicans will convene in Charlotte, North Carolina in August.

You can see why Wisconsin is considered a swing state.

Participation in both the 2020 census and election are highly encouraged.

I ask for your continued support and increased engagement throughout the year ahead to make positive changes in our government to overcome cultural and political disparities so our voice can be heard clear, loud, and true.

Sincerely,

Marlon WhiteEagle
President of the
Ho-Chunk Nation

Vision Statement

"The Ho-Chunk Nation aims to develop a professional, dedicated and courteous work culture to empower our people, government and generations to come through love, care, and respect for one another."

-Ho-Chunk Nation President Marlon WhiteEagle

Within the next decade, the Ho-Chunk Nation will exercise its strength and unique status as a sovereign nation. Our ancestral homelands are borderless lying within Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, and Iowa. Our tribal population spreads throughout the United States and around the world.

Our people are our greatest asset. We will promote opportunities to succeed in safe and positive learning environments. Our true culture promotes doing, seeing, saying, and hearing good things in the physical world around us.

In 2029, the Ho-Chunk Nation and its communities are distinct leaders with their adaptation and development of economic infrastructure while maintaining cultural identity.

Ho-Chunk children excel in the Nation's language immersion school that outperforms Hawaii and the Maori language immersion schools. Graduates leave ready to complete advanced degrees at any university.

Tribal members are highly trained, experienced, and sought after to work in their chosen career at any organization. Their positive cultural identity makes them an asset and a natural leader.

Ho-Chunk communities are self-sustaining, energy efficient and leaders in the green initiative.

Tribal infrastructure promotes entrepreneurial ownership and partners with global industry leaders to conduct business on our lands. Our financial institution fosters prosperity and economic growth throughout the global economy.

The Ho-Chunk Nation, its people and communities thrive and prosper socially, economically, and culturally.

December 31, 2019

Attention:
The Next Deadline of the Hocak Worak will be Jan. 17th which will be published on Jan. 24th. Please contact Hocak Worak at ext. 1006 if you have a change of address or would like to be placed on the mailing list.

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Kaili Berg
Staff Writer

Gary Garvin, a UW-Eau Claire junior marketing major from Black River Falls, was a cinematographer on a film, sharing stories of Somali refugees who have settled down in Baron County and how U.S immigration policies have directly impacted their families.

Joel Friederich, associate professor of English at UW-Eau Claire, initially wrote the immigrants stories, which were published last May in the UWEC-Baron County's literary journal, Red Cedar.

After the stories were published, IABC members showed interest in using stories as a basis for the "Somali Stories" film project. Lee Friederich contacted Dang Yang, Office of Multicultural

Affairs Director, along with Garvin, for help on starting the film.

"This documentary-style film challenges viewers to connect the evolving federal immigration policies with some of the real community members living in our area," said Dang Yang.

"I am humbled and honored to have helped encapsulate their stories and to have played such an extensive role in the production of the film. One family separated is one too many," said Garvin.

Right photo: Lee Friederich (second from L, back row) and Gary Garvin (third from L, back row) pose for a picture with Somali Immigrants and their families.



Gary Garvin receives an award for his contribution to the film Somali Stories of Family Separation.

****PER CAPITA ADVANCE UPDATE (formerly known as the per cap loan)****

PER CAP ADVANCES CLOSE AT NOON on JANUARY 10, 2020

WE WILL BE ACCEPTING PER CAP ADVANCE APPLICATIONS FOR THE NEXT QUARTER FROM **February 3, 2020 THRU THE END OF QUARTER APRIL 10, 2020**. THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT WILL NOT ACCEPT OR HOLD ANY ADVANCE APPLICATIONS BEFORE OR AFTER THAT TIME FOR THE QUARTER.

THE FIRST DISBURSEMENT OF FUNDS WILL BE DONE ON **Monday - February 10, 2020**

MEMBERS MUST PROVIDE RECEIPTS FOR ANY SHORTAGES PAID IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT ON PER CAP ADVANCES**

PLEASE DESTROY ALL OLD APPLICATIONS AS LEGISLATURE HAS APPROVED THE REVISED APPLICATION ON 1/8/2014. THE LOAN DEPARTMENT WILL NO LONGER ACCEPT THE OLD APPLICATIONS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

- PLEASE REVIEW THE CHANGES ADDED TO THE ADVANCE PROGRAM POLICY WITH DIRECT DEPOSIT & EMAIL NOTIFICATION OPTIONS.

APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT: WWW.HO-CHUNKNATION.COM. Click **Tribal Members**. Scroll down to bottom of page. Click on **plus sign (+)** for **Treasury**. Click on **Per Capita Advance Policy and Application**. Print and complete the two-page application. Sign both pages of application in front of a notary public. **The application must be notarized.**

Return your application to the loan department by one of the following ways:

- LOAN DEPARTMENT FAX NUMBER; 715-284-7887
- LOAN DEPARTMENT EMAIL ADDRESS; tob.loans@ho-chunk.com
- LOAN DEPARTMENT MAILING ADDRESS; PO Box 640, Black River Falls, WI 54615
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8 AM—4:30 PM

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53214 County Road BD, Baraboo, WI 53913

Must attend both days (16 hours) *Training start promptly at 8 am
Lunch provided—Maximum of 30 spots

Please pre-register at 888-685-4422 Ext: 5087 with Rita Kingswan
Email: Rita.Kingswan@ho-chunk.com

FREE for HCN Tribal Members, and HCN Employees

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Who Should Attend:

- People concerned about family & friends
- Workers in health, social services, gaming
- Community volunteers
- Emergency service workers

Open to anyone 16 years and older




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2016 BETTER NEWSPAPER CONTEST AWARD WINNER

BRMH hosts Grief Support Group

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Memorial Hospital
A Grief Support Group for
people who are grieving the
loss of a loved one will be
meeting for six weeks begin-
ning January 28, 2020. The
meetings will run Tuesdays

from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
at B-Home Services and Sup-
plies, 311 County Highway A,
Black River Falls. There is no
cost to attend the sessions.
Material and information on
the grieving process will be
shared with the participants.
These sessions will provide
those who have lost a loved

one the chance to meet with
others who are feeling the
same sense of loss. Tools will
be provided to help people go
through the grieving process.
To register for the sessions
or for more information,
please call 715-284-3662 or
visit www.brmh.net/news.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

YOU ARE NOT ALONE
These **FREE** sessions will provide those who have lost a loved one the chance to meet with others who are feeling the same sense of loss.

(6 weekly meetings)
Sessions Begin
January 28, 2020
Tuesdays
4:30pm - 6:00pm
B-Home Services and Supplies

To register, call 715-284-3662

Note: This program is not paid time for employees who choose to attend.

Quit Smoking Services

Written by Suriya Xiong, UW-Madison Doctor of Pharmacy Candidate 2019

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), in 2017, 34.3 million Americans smoked cigarettes regularly. Smoking cigarettes and the use of any commercial tobacco product (chew, snuff, dip... etc) can cause serious health problems such as lung disease, heart disease and cancer. Just from being around people who smoke can cause these health problems as well, even if they do not smoke themselves. Smoking around children can make them more likely to have infections and lung problems, and there is also a greater risk for sudden infant death syndrome. Therefore, quitting is one of the best things that commercial tobacco users can do for their health, their loved ones, and their community.

BENEFITS OF QUITTING

After 20 mins:
Lower heart rate and blood pressure

After 3 months:
Improved lung function and blood circulation

After 1 year:
Risk of heart attack decreases in half

After 10 years:
Risk of lung cancer decreases in half

After 15 years:
Risk of heart disease equal to someone who never smoked

IS VAPING OR JUULING BETTER THAN SMOKING?

Vaping or juuling is inhaling vapor from the burning of a liquid in e-cigarettes, and has become popular among youth because of the variety of flavors and attractive designs. Even though e-cigarettes have fewer toxic chemicals than regular cigarettes, that doesn't mean they are safe. The aerosol from e-cigarettes still contain a lot of chemicals that can cause cancer and other harms to the body. E-cigarettes also contain nicotine, and so they can still be as addicting as regular cigarettes. It is not recommended to use e-cigarettes to help people quit smoking.



WHY IS IT SO HARD TO QUIT?

All commercial tobacco products contain nicotine that makes users become addicted and have difficulty with quitting. When people try to quit, they start having withdrawal symptoms from the nicotine such as feeling angry or stressed, having trouble concentrating, and gaining weight. About 7 out of 10 cigarette smokers want to and have tried to quit, but most are not successful. People who want to quit need help from their family and friends, healthcare providers, and community to succeed.

THE HO-CHUNK DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IS DEDICATED TO HELPING PEOPLE QUIT

Services and medications are available to help people quit FREE of charge for Ho-Chunk Nation employees and tribal members.

Support Group

- Meets the first Wednesday of each month at the Wisconsin Dells Ho-Chunk Casino from 11:30am - 12:30pm
- Share stories, connect with others trying to quit, learn from one another

Medications

- Use of medications double success rates of quitting
- Available options: nicotine patch, nicotine gum, nicotine lozenge, nicotine inhaler, nicotine nasal spray, Chantix, and Zyban/Wellbutrin

One-on-One Counseling

- Work one-on-one with a Tobacco Treatment Specialist
- Establish personal goals, identify triggers and behaviors, create a personalized quit plan

If you are interested in more information please contact the House of Wellness Pharmacy or the Ho-Chunk Department of Health to schedule an appointment with a Tobacco Treatment Specialist.

HHCDA COMMUNITY GARDENS

INDIGENOUS COOKING MEAL EVENT

INDIAN HEIGHTS COMMUNITY BUILDING
WISCONSIN DELLS
FRIDAY - JANUARY 24, 2020
COOKING DEMOS STARTING AT 11 A.M

THERE WILL BE A COMMUNITY GARDEN MEETING TO FOLLOW

Come cook and eat with our Ho-Chunk chefs!
Learn cooking techniques and shared indigenous food knowledge at this event.

Any questions contact Celia Lonetree
609-343-5998
celia.lonetree@ho-chunk.com

HHCDA COMMUNITY GARDEN 2020 PLANNING MEETINGS

- Wisconsin Dells
(Indian Heights and Ho-Chunk Village Gardens)
Indian Heights Community Building
N974 Dyer Street, Wisconsin Dells WI 53965
Friday 1/24, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Black River Falls
Indian Mission Community Building
W8813 Mission Road, BRF WI 54615
Tuesday 1/28, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Tomah
Blue Wing Community Building
Wednesday 1/29, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
320 Epinal Road, Tomah WI 54660
- Nekoosa
Cexhaci Community Building
Thursday 1/30, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
916 Chak-hah-Chee Lane, Nekoosa WI 54457

Snacks and drinks will be provided at each meeting

Any questions contact
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HHEDA COMMUNITY GARDENS
JANUARY - 2020

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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05	06	07	08	09	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17 Hunter/Gather Potluck @5:00 - TOB Black River Falls	18
19	20	21	22	23	24 Wisconsin Dells Indian Heights Indigenous Cooking Event @11 Garden Meeting to follow	25
26	27	28 Garden Meeting BRF - Indian Mission Comm. Bldg @5:30	29 Garden Meeting Tomah - Bluewing Comm. Bldg @5:30	30 Garden Meeting Nekoosa Comm. Bldg @5:30	31	

WORKING ON SCHEDULING FOR FUTURE CLASSES AND MEETINGS IN UPCOMING MONTHS.
ANY QUESTIONS CONTACT CELIA LONETREE: 608-343-5998 CELIA.LONETREE@HO-CHUNK.COM



January 2020 Exercise Physiologist Schedule – Kathleen Clemons



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	1 New Year's Day	2	3	4
			No classes		Elder / Chair fitness, BRF, Independent Living, 11:00	
5	6 Elder / Chair fitness, BRF Clinic, 9:30	7 No classes	8 Elder / Chair fitness, Tomah, TAU, 11:00 Boot camp, BRF clinic, 4:00	9 Pow Wow Sweat DVD workout, BRF Clinic Conf room, 4:00	10 Elder / Chair fitness, BRF, Independent Living, 11:00	11
12	13 Elder / Chair fitness, BRF Clinic, 9:30	14 Elder / Chair fitness, Dells TAU, 11:00	15 Elder / Chair fitness, Tomah, TAU, 11:00 Boot camp, BRF clinic, 4:00	16 Tai Chi, 12:00, BRF Clinic Conf room	17	18
19	20 Martin Luther King Day	21 No classes	22 No classes	23 No classes	24 No classes	25
26	27 Elder / Chair fitness, BRF Clinic, 9:30	28 Elder / Chair fitness, Dells TAU, 11:00	29 Elder / Chair fitness, Tomah, TAU, 11:00 Boot camp, BRF clinic, 4:00	30 Tai Chi, 12:00, BRF Clinic Conf room	31 Elder / Chair fitness, BRF, Independent Living, 11:00	1



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If you have any questions, contact Kathleen at 715-284-9851, ext 5308.

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SUMMONS
(First Publication)
IN THE HO-CHUNK NATION TRIAL COURT

Ho-Chunk Nation Child Support Agency and Children and Family Services, Petitioner, v. Chelsea A. Naquayouma, Respondent.
Case : CS 19-29

TO THE ABOVE-NAMED: Chelsea A. Naquayouma
You are hereby informed that you have been deemed an interested party in this child support action. This legal notice of the filed *Petition for Child Support* is now served upon you by publication. A proceeding concerning the above-named child is pending in the Ho-Chunk Nation Trial Court, and an adjudication will be made.

You have twenty (20) days from the date of service to respond to the *Petition for Child Support*. Failure to do so will cause the Court to proceed without your participation, which may result in the entry of a *Default Judgment* against you. An *Answer* (response) shall be filed with the court at the address given below, and must be served on all parties to the action. The Court shall convene an *Initial Child Support Hearing* as permitted by CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT CODE, 4 HCC § 7.28.

The court shall commence a proceeding no sooner than twenty-five (25) days from the date of service. The shall be held at **1:30 p.m. CDT** on the **30th** day of **March, 2020**. The Court also provides notice of the potential of being held in contempt of court:

NOTICE - VIOLATION OF THIS ORDER IS SUBJECT TO PROCEEDINGS FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT. SUBPOENAS: THE FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH A SUBPOENA SHALL SUBJECT THE PERSON FAILING TO COMPLY TO THE CONTEMPT POWER OF THE COURT. THE COURT MAY FIND ANY PARTY TO THIS MATTER IN CONTEMPT OF COURT FOR FAILURE TO APPEAR AT A COURT HEARING OR FOR FAILURE TO FOLLOW COURT ORDERS.

The Trial Court is physically located at Wa Ehi Hocira, W9598 Highway 54 East, Black River Falls, (Jackson County) Wisconsin. The Trial Court's mailing address is P.O. Box 70, Black River Falls, WI 54615. The telephone number is (715) 284-2722, or toll free 800-434-4070, and the facsimile number is (715) 284-3136.

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IN THE HO-CHUNK NATION TRIAL COURT

In the Interest of Minor : C.M.H., DOB 07/01/2018 Case : PA 19-17
TO THE NATURAL MOTHER, POTENTIAL FATHER, GUARDIAN, HO-CHUNK NATION CHILD SUPPORT AGENCY, OR ADULT CHILD WHOSE PATERNITY WAS NEVER ESTABLISHED: John W. Cloud

You are hereby informed that you have been deemed an interested party in this paternity action. This legal notice of the filed *Petition for Paternity* is now served upon you by publication. A proceeding concerning the above-named child is pending in the Ho-Chunk Nation Trial Court, and an adjudication will be made.

You have twenty (20) days from the date of the fourth publication to respond to the *Petition for Paternity*, failure to do so will cause the Court to proceed without your participation. An *Answer* (response) shall be filed with the court at the address given below. The Court shall convene a *Paternity Hearing* in accordance with HOCĀK NATION CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT CODE 4 HCC § 7.19.

The Court shall commence a proceeding at **9:00 am CDT** on the **27th** day of **February 2020** for the following purpose: **Paternity Hearing.** Pursuant to HOCĀK NATION CHILDREN AND FAMILY ACT, Para. 3.35, the parties have a right to counsel at their own expense; a right to confront and cross-examine those appearing against them; a right to present and subpoena witnesses; a right to substitution of judge; and a right to a jury trial. You have additionally been provided a "Notice to Respondent" that sets forth your right and defenses and provides notice of the potential of being held in contempt of court:

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Notice to Respondent

- You have been named in a petition alleging paternity. A judgment of paternity would legally designate the child as your child, grant rights to you, create the right of inheritance for the child, obligate you to pay child support and make failure to pay child support punishable as contempt.
- You may request a genetic test which will indicate the probability that you are the father of the child. The court will order a genetic test on request from you, a designated tribal agency, or any other party to the case. Any person who refuses to take a court ordered genetic test may be punished for contempt.
- The petitioner has the burden of proving by clear and convincing evidence that you are the father. If a genetic test shows that you are not excluded as the father and that the statistical probability of you being the father is ninety-nine percent (99.0%) or higher, you are presumed to be the father.
- The following defenses are available to you:
 - That you were sterile or impotent at the time of conception;
 - That you did not have sexual intercourse with the mother of the child during the conception period; or
 - That another man did have sexual intercourse with the mother of the child during the conception time period.
- If you fail to appear at any stage of the proceeding, including a scheduled genetic test, the Court may find you in contempt.

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In the Interest of Minor : C.M., DOB 12/17/2019 Case : JV 19-32

TO THE PARENT, GUARDIAN, LEGAL OR PHYSICAL CUSTODIAN AND/OR TRADITIONAL RELATIVE(S): Frances Sanchez

You are hereby informed that you have been deemed an interested party in the above-entitled juvenile protection case. This legal notice of the filed *Child/Family Protection Petition* is now served upon you by publication. A proceeding concerning the above-named is pending in the Court, and an adjudication will be made. The Court shall convene an *Emergency Removal Hearing* in accordance with HOCĀK NATION CHILDREN AND FAMILY ACT, Para. 3.41. Any parent(s), guardian(s) and/or person(s) having legal or physical custody of the must personally appear along with the at the *Hearing* described below.

The Court shall commence a proceeding at **2:30 p.m. CDT** on the **19th** day of **December 2019** for the following purpose: **Emergency Removal Hearing.** Pursuant to HOCĀK NATION CHILDREN AND FAMILY ACT, Para. 3.35, the parties have a right to counsel at their own expense; a right to confront and cross-examine those appearing against them; a right to present and subpoena witnesses; a right to substitution of judge; and a right to a jury trial.

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The Court shall commence a proceeding at **9:15 am CDT** on the **27th** day of **February 2020** for the following purpose: **Paternity Hearing.** Pursuant to HOCĀK NATION CHILDREN AND FAMILY ACT, Para. 3.35, the parties have a right to counsel at their own expense; a right to confront and cross-examine those appearing against them; a right to present and subpoena witnesses; a right to substitution of judge; and a right to a jury trial. You have additionally been provided a "Notice to Respondent" that sets forth your right and defenses and provides notice of the potential of being held in contempt of court:

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Notice to Respondent

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SUMMONS
(First Publication)
IN THE HO-CHUNK NATION TRIAL COURT

In the Interest of Minor : C.A.C., DOB 06/27/2017 Case : PA 19-19
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HO-CHUNK NATION TRIAL COURT, Juneau County For Official Use

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Joseph Eli Decorah Amended

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Probate

Case No. PR19-05

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

- A *Petition for Probate* was filed.
- The decedent, with date of birth 6-22-46 and date of death 10-19-19 was domiciled in Juneau County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of Nb052 15th Ave, New Lisbon, WI 53950.
- The names or addresses of the following interested person are not known or reasonably ascertainable:

4. The petition will be heard at Wa Ehi Hocira, W9598 Hwy 54 E, Black River Falls, WI, 54615, before Judge Jo Ann B. Lave on (Date) 2/10/2019 at (Time) 1:30 pm.

You do not need to appear unless you object. The petition may be granted if there is no objection.

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 715-284-2722 at least 10 working days prior to the scheduled court date.
Please note that the court does not provide transportation.

Mary Thander
Clerk of Court
Mary Thander
Name Printed or Typed
12-11-2019
Date

DO NOT PRINT the following text when publishing this notice.

*** If not all of the addresses of the interested parties are known, give this form once it is returned to you filled out by the Clerk of Court to the newsletter staff for publication ***

Notice to Petitioner:
The petitioner is responsible for providing a copy of this notice, a copy of the will and codicils (if any), and a copy of the petition to all interested persons by certified mail or personal service at least 45 days before the hearing. If the address, or identity of any person is not known and cannot be ascertained by reasonable diligence, the petitioner must post a copy of the notice in at least three (3) conspicuous public places within the Nation at least forty-five (45) days before the time set for the hearing and publish the notice in the official newsletter of the Ho-Chunk Nation, currently known as the Hockak Worak, for three (3) consecutive issues. See 8 HCC § 13.65a(2).

Notice to Newspaper:
Notice must be given by publication of this form in the official newsletter of the Ho-Chunk Nation for three (3) consecutive issues with the first publication occurring at least forty-five (45) calendar days prior to the hearing date noted in Section 4.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF: Levi H Thunder Sr.

A *Petition for Probate* was filed in the Ho-Chunk Nation Trial Court. You have 90 days from the date of the first publication of this notice to present your claims to the personal representative Dashell Thunder, or the Clerk of Court at P.O. Box 70, Black River Falls, WI 54615. The deadline for filing claims is **March 13, 2020**. Only those claims so presented may be paid from the estate.

Stolen Sisters Exhibition

January 30 - February 29

Crossman Gallery at the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

Submitted by Professor Teresa Faris, UW-Whitewater

(Whitewater, WI) *STOLEN SISTERS* Exhibition featuring thirty-one indigenous artists and allies will open at the Crossman Gallery January 30, 2020. The exhibition will showcase technically diverse artworks of regional, national and international indigenous artists and allies addressing a range of experiences and emotions surrounding the violence against, and loss of indigenous women and girls. Materials will range from works on paper, mixed-media installation, metal, clay, quillwork, textile and paint. *STOLEN SISTERS* exhibit runs from January 30-February 29, 2020.

The issue of Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women (MMIW) <https://mmiwusa.org> is gaining national attention

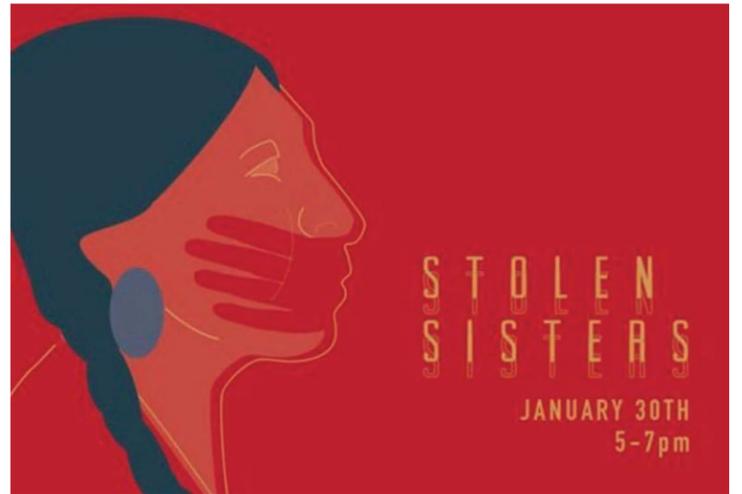
due to the recent election of Deb Haaland and her initiatives surrounding this issue, and various other MMIW efforts. The choice to use Crossman Gallery at University of Wisconsin-Whitewater as a platform for this project is because Wisconsin is home to eleven registered tribal communities, and the adjacent Highway 90 acts as a main corridor for missing persons. With four out of five native women affected by violence in today's society, it is vital that the issue of MMIW is given a voice in this region.

The exhibit is being organized with the curatorial assistance of Professor Teresa Faris, a faculty member in the Department of Art and Design and artist, and Nieves Galvan, a UW-Whitewater alumni and artist. The exhibition is scheduled to be on display from January 30 – February

29. An opening reception for the exhibit will be held in the Greenhill Center of the Arts atrium on January 30th from 5-7 pm. Red Birds drum, jingle dancer Sophia Ford and artist Alfonso Cervera will perform at the start of the opening reception.

Artist list:

Antoinette Thompson (ATA), Alfonso Cervera, Avis Charley, Bryan Joe, Chrystal Tourtillott Lepscier, Craig George, Courtney Leonard, Dakota Mace, Diane Hill, Drew Askenette Lacefield, Elias Jade NotAfraid, Gregg Deal, Jay Garcia, Jennifer Conners, Jennifer Curtis, John Hitchcock, Kaluhyak[^]le Stephenie Muscavitch VanEvery, Laritza Garcia, Lorena Lazaro, Lyndon Tsosie, Nieves Galvan, Ray Scott, Rebecca Burns, Sébastien Carré, Scott Hill, Shawn Stevens, Teresa Faris, Tim Herrera, Tom



Jones, Tonya June Rafael, Valeria Tatera

STOLEN SISTERS exhibition runs from January 30- February 29 with an opening reception on Thursday, January 30 from 5-7 pm. The Crossman Gallery is open Monday through Friday from

10am - 5pm, Monday through Thursday evenings from 6pm - 8pm and Saturdays from 1pm - 4pm. The Gallery is located at 950 W. Main Street, Whitewater, WI 53190 in the Greenhill Center of the Arts.

Beat the Drum. Be Counted!

Running Strong for American Indian Youth Launches Major Push for 2020 Census New Effort Partners with the 2020 Census Bureau

Hanna Hayden Communications Manager Running Strong for American Indian Youth

Running Strong for American Indian Youth today launched a major new effort with the 2020 Census Bureau to make sure Native Americans count. Beat the Drum. Be Counted! will work in communities across Indian Country to improve the accuracy of this key measure used to determine federal funding for critical programs.

Running Strong is a non-profit founded by Olympic Gold Medalist Billy Mills (Oglala Lakota). It helps Native American people meet their immediate survival needs while creating opportunities for self-sufficiency

and self-esteem in Native American youth. These opportunities, such as improved schooling and healthcare, rely on accurate representation in the census – but, historically, Native Americans have been dramatically underserved in part due to undercounting. Beat the Drum. Be Counted! will push to improve counting accuracy in these communities with targeted outreach and strategic messaging.

“The Census makes a real impact in people’s lives,” said Running Strong and Beat the Drum spokesperson Billy Mills. “You can feel it in understaffed health clinics, and see it in everything from roads to veterans’ support to housing assistance. As an American who went

to public schools and served our country, I know first hand how much we rely on these programs.

“Everyone deserves to be counted – and that starts in our Native American communities,” said Mills.

Native Americans and Alaskan Natives living on reservations or in Native communities were undercounted by approximately 4.9 percent in the 2010 Census. That is more than double the undercount rate of the next closest population group. This inaccuracy has financial ramifications resulting in a loss of millions of annual federal dollars to Indian Country that would otherwise be used to improve public utilities such as public schooling and transporta-



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tion infrastructure. It also has political consequences in redistricting voting geographies and allocating Congressional seats.

Beat the Drum. Be Counted! will address this inequality with a series of PSAs, social media campaigns, phone banking, and local organization partnerships designed to inform and empower local marginalized residents about their census rights.

“The 2020 Census has been specifically designed to improve response rates from all over Indian Country, but with

Running Strong and Billy on board we hope for unprecedented turnout,” said Anne Eagle Bull, 2020 Census Tribal Partner Specialist. “This is an exciting joint venture and we are excited to partner with Running Strong.”

More information, outreach materials and updates on Beat the Drum. Be Counted! events will be available at Running Strong for American Indian Youth’s website, www.IndianYouth.org.



THE 7 DIVISIONS OF THE HO-CHUNK NATION DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

808 Red Iron Road, Black River Falls, WI 54615 • (715) 284-2622

Child and Family Services Division

The mission of the Ho-Chunk Nation Department of Social Services Child and Family Services Division is to work to ensure the safety and well-being of Ho-Chunk children, adults and elders who are at risk or in need of prevention or protection by carrying out the duties and actions of the Ho-Chunk Nation laws, along with the authority granted in the Federal Indian Child Welfare Act and State laws supporting this Federal law.

The **scope** of Child and Family Services Division is to **protect** the children of the Ho-Chunk Nation **from abuse and neglect** and to **protect** the adults at risk and elders of the Ho-Chunk Nation **from abuse, neglect, self-neglect and exploitation** by:

- Receiving and responding to reports of abuse and neglect of Ho-Chunk children
- Receiving and responding to reports of abuse, neglect, self-neglect and exploitation of Ho-Chunk adults and elders at risk and in need of protection
- Offering and establishing services for children, families, adults at risk and elders based on safety and harm reduction by using appropriate least restrictive available methods.



- Engaging the individuals in defining skills and services they need to strengthen and stabilize their life or family according to Ho-Chunk tradition and customs.
- Facilitating goals for effective outcomes as to have as minimal length of time in the lives of these individuals as possible

Referrals received by the CFS Initial Response Program that do not meet the scope of services will be directed to other Ho-Chunk Nation Departments, Counties or other Agencies that can facilitate the service need.

CFS Intake ~ Direct line: 715-284-8080 • Toll Free: 855-732-5341 Fax: 715-284-0097

Community Supportive Services Division

The Community Supportive Services Division (CSS) has 5 programs: Child Care Assistance Program (CCAP), Economic Assistance Program (EAP) formerly known as the Emergency Assistance Program, Coordinated Services Team (CST), Clan Mothers and the Family Services Program (FSP), which provide our life skills (LSC). We provide wrap around supportive services and culturally-infused prevention/intervention programming.

CCAP provides financial assistance to Ho-Chunk enrolled, or enrollable children utilizing child care in a state licensed facility. This program is mostly grant funded. CCAP has received extra grant funds, which has

eliminated the waitlist until these additional funds run out. Financial assistance can be provided to these children anywhere within the U.S..

EAP provides financial assistance to Ho-Chunk enrolled tribal members as a payer of last resort. Enrolled tribal members can get up to \$600.00 per fiscal year (July 1st- June 30th) to assist in rental assistance, electric/fuel/utility assistance and food. There is a different application for an enrolled tribal member who is needing lodging and/or food assistance when a close family member is in critical care situation as well.

CST can coordinate voluntary wrap around care for your child that may fall into 2 of these categories:

Behavioral Health/AODA, academically challenged, physical disability, within the child welfare system, or at risk for out of home placement. Parents must be willing to be involved in team care. These services can be coordinated with the school, case workers, parents or guardians and so on to put together a support team for the child. The CST will advocate for the needs of the child.

FSP/LSC this is our prevention/intervention program. The Life Skills Coordinators travel to work in as many Ho-Chunk communities as they can. They provide culturally-infused coping skills/prevention/intervention work. LSC work collaboratively with many

other programs/departments as well as outside entities like some of the state's county jails. They can do one on one work as well as provide specific trainings and/or workshops for your area if requested. There is a lot of support provided and fun to be had. Learn and then teach what you learn by assisting these workshops as a peer-support.

Clan Mothers provide cultural information and support to our women as well as enrolled children in placement or guardianship outside the Nation. For more

information, or to make an appointment contact Myrtle Long, Program Manager, or Sheryl Cook, Clan Mothers Coordinator.

For more information on any of the CSS programs please contact: Kimberly Whitewater, CSS Division Director, or Kristi Green, CSS Division Coordinator. CCAP - Bonita Rhymer, Program Manager, EAP - Fredricka Miner, Program Manager, CST - Jacqueline Gunderson, FSP/LSC - Barbara Blackdeer Mackenzie, FSP Supervisor at (715) 284-2622.

Domestic Abuse Division

TAKE A STAND AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE



The Ho-Chunk Nation Domestic Abuse Division office is located in the HCN Social Services Building, 808 Red Iron Road, in Black River Falls, Wisconsin. The HCN DA Division offers free and confidential advocacy and supportive services for individuals, both native and non-native, **in all areas**, who have experienced Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Human Trafficking, Stalking, and/or Teen Dating Violence.

The goal of the HCN DA Division is to increase awareness and assist individuals to pursue safe and healthy lifestyles.

Advocacy and supportive services offered include:

- * Restraining Order Assistance * Crisis Intervention * Court Accompaniment * Supportive Listening * Safety Planning * Transportation * Community Outreach & Education Awareness Activities * Community Resource Referrals — Housing, Food & Basic Necessities, Employment, Shelter, Child Care Resources, Re-location assistance, etc.

The HCN DA Division is still available to assist with services, even if an individual is unable or not ready to leave, such as safety planning.

Domestic Violence is when a person uses a pattern of abuse to gain and maintain power and control over another person. Types of abuse can include but are not limited to: Physical, Emotional, Spiritual/Cultural, Sexual Abuse, Financial Abuse, and/or Digital Abuse.

If you are experiencing abuse, please know that we are here to support:

You are not alone. It's not your fault. Help is available.

HCN DA Division Advocates can be reached on the 24 hour crisis line:

1-877-847-8689

Youth Services Division

Mission statement "to empower youth K-12 to become productive members of the societies in which they live".

Vision statement "value will be placed on language, culture, academics and healthy living as they learn to preserve, protect, and enhance the Ho-Chunk people for future generations".

Eligibility requirements: youth must be in enrolled in Kindergarten, youth can be 18 years old, but must be enrolled in high school, charter high school, or an alternative high school. Youth must be enrolled with the HCN or have a parent or grandparent enrolled with the HCN. The exception to this rule would be for those centers that are receiving Federal Funds to provide services to all Native American youth. Participants must have parent/guardian consent with their signature on all required documents on file prior to participants attending any event sponsored by the Youth Services Division.

Youth Services Division has 10 Centers. We are currently working on having quarterly all-area events and college visits. We are also working with Heritage Preservation Department to develop a Ho-Chunk class for each area. Please contact your local area Youth Services for their event calendar or if you have any questions.

Lori Pettibone, Youth Services Division Director can be reached at (715) 284-2622.



The Independent Living Facility Division

This project was designed to meet the need for an Elder community facility to improve the quality of life of our Elder residents. Located within the West Sand Pillow property, the facility will increase visibility and accessibility; promoting health, safety, and community living among Ho-Chunk Elder residents. The Independent Living facility has 8-rental units that will house Ho-Chunk Elders age 55 and up.

Six (6) applicants were approved to move in. Two (2) applications are under review.

Four (4) Elders have moved in. Five (5) leases have been signed. One (1) lease pending.

HCN Health Dept. will begin cooking demonstrations at the facility on 11/4/2019. HCN Health Dept. Exercise Physiologist will bring Elder fitness classes at the facility in November (11/8 and 11/22).

The occupants enjoyed the cooking class of Squash & Apple Soup and Salmon patties. Bonus! Everyone got to take some home. They also enjoy Kathleen Clemmons and her chair exercise class, right in the middle of the dining room. Attendance was high! Three of the four occupants joined with two visitors! Thank you Kathleen and see you soon!

We've geared up for the winter snow. With an agreement for snowplowing and a purchase of shovels and some salt for the sidewalks. We are as prepared as we can be! Thank you to the occupant who wanted exercise and volunteered to shovel the sidewalk!

We're working with the main contractor to finish up the last details of the building and fixtures/furniture. If you haven't stopped out to tour the facility, please do so. It is a beautiful building, located at N7176 Branched Antlers Ave, Black River Falls, WI 54615

Kelly Jo Funmaker, ILF Division Director can be reached at (715) 284-2622 Ext. 5198



Tribal Aging Division

Mission Statement:

The Ho-Chunk Nation Tribal Aging Division's purpose is to provide quality services to our Tribal Elders in a timely fashion. We believe Ho-Chunk Elders deserve respect, advocacy, and assistance with their daily needs. Their precious and valuable experience provides needed guidance for current and future Tribal leadership so that their knowledge and wisdom is protected and preserved for those yet unborn.

Vision Statement:

The Ho-Chunk Nation Tribal Aging Division is a program within the Social Services Department under the Executive office of the Ho-Chunk Nation. It is headquartered in its Administrative office in Black River Falls, WI. It also has established meal sites in our Ho-Chunk communities in Black River Falls, Wisconsin Dells, Tomah, Nekoosa, and Wittenberg. The Tribal Aging Division has a Community Elder Representative residing in the following Branch Offices: Milwaukee, Madison, and La Crosse, and St. Paul.

The staff that are employed with this program assist with congregate meals, home delivered meals, transportation, energy assistance, home repairs, appliances, Medicare/Insurance information, etc.



Following is the contact information for each location:

Nioxawani s'ak hosto woruc ra – Black River Falls W8825 Decorah Rd., Black River Falls, WI 54615 Phone (715) 284-0811 or (888) 701-8284	S'ak Hosto woruc ra – Nekoosa 4912 Winneshiek Lane, Nekoosa, WI 54457 Phone (715) 886-5199
Ahu haci woruc ra – Tomah 358 Eos Road, Tomah, WI 54660 Phone (608) 372-4547	Niz haci woruc ra – Wisconsin Dells E8863 Winneshiek Rd., Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965 Phone (608) 253-2185
Pac cinak woruc ra – Wittenberg W17956 Witt-Birn Townline Rd., Wittenberg, WI 54499 Phone (715) 253-3536	La Crosse Branch Office Community Elder Rep 724 Main Street, La Crosse, WI 54601 Phone (608) 784-3083 or (608) 317-8447
Milwaukee Branch Office Community Elder Rep 3501 South Howell Ave., Milwaukee WI 53207 Phone (414) 747-8680	St. Paul Branch Office Community Elder Rep 1724 Shelby Ave, St. Paul, MN 55104 Phone (651) 641-1801 or (612) 759-8179
Madison Branch Office Community Elder Rep 4724 Trade Winds Pkwy., Madison, WI 53718 Phone (608) 838-1901 or (608) 576-1940	

Child Support Agency Division

Ho-Chunk Nation parents have a responsibility of caring for their children, bonding with them. Making sure, they are safe, and providing for all their basic needs. Aunts, uncles, grandparents and other extended family members assist the parents and their children when they need help by advising the parents in decision-making, showing love to the children, teaching values and respect, and taking over in parents' absence. Grandparents share with their grandchildren the wisdom of their experience and traditional values.

The Ho-Chunk Trial Court is the most appropriate forum for deciding issues related to the well-being of a child who is a member of a Ho-Chunk Nation family. The Ho-Chunk Nation Child Support Agency (HCN CSA) can assist with the establishment of paternity and an order for child support. The agency can further assist with the enforcement of a child support order. The HCN CSA cannot assist with custody and placement issues. Those issues are not considered functions of the agency and are not covered by the federal grant that funds the agency.

The HCN CSA has a Facebook page that provides updates on per capita disbursements or any other issues that are child support related. The agency can also be reached at childsupport@ho-chunk.com. We are located at W9598 Hwy 54 E Black River Falls, WI 54615. We have a satellite office located in the House of Wellness that we use every other Wednesday or by appointment. Stay tuned for the next article where you will meet the people who work in the Child Support Agency.

Linda Moser-Buse, CSA Division Director can be reached at (715) 284-1052



Rosella D. Stanley,
Executive Director of Social Services



**HO-CHUNK NATION
LEGISLATURE
REGULAR MEETING
TRIBAL EXECUTIVE
OFFICES
BLACK RIVER FALLS, WI
DECEMBER 17, 2019**

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by President Marlon White Eagle at 10:02 a.m.

ROLL CALL: President Marlon White Eagle-P Vice President Karena Thundercloud-P

Rep. George Stacy-P
Rep. Hinu Smith-P
Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr.-P
Rep. Stephanie Begay-P
Rep. Kristin White Eagle-EX
Rep. Darren Brinegar-P
Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr.-P(10:08)

Rep. Sarah Lemieux-P
Rep. Matthew Mullen-CC
Rep. Robert TwoBears-P
Rep. Paul Fox-P
Rep. Kathyleen Lone Tree-Whiterabbit-EX

CC - Conference call

DETERMINATION OF

QUORUM: Quorum was established at 10:03 a.m.

OPENING PRAYER: President Marlon White Eagle offered a word of prayer.
Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. arrives at 10:08 a.m.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

MOTION by Rep. Robert TwoBears to approve the agenda as presented. Second by Vice President Karena Thundercloud. 10-0-1(Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr.) **MOTION CARRIED.**

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS

MEETING MINUTES:

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to approve the December 3, 2019 Legislative Meeting minutes with corrections. Second by Rep. Stephanie Begay. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

MOTION by Rep. Darren Brinegar to approve the December 4, 2019 Legislative Meeting minutes with correction. Second by Vice President Karena Thundercloud. 10-0-1(Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr.) **MOTION CARRIED.**

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Finance Committee Meeting-

December 4, 2019

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to TABLE the December 4, 2019 Finance Committee Meeting minutes. Second by Rep. Stephanie Begay. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

Resolution-2020 Health, Dental, Vision Funding Rate Changes

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to adopt **Resolution 12-17-19 A**, Amendments to Ho-Chunk Nation Health and Prescription Plan. Second by Rep. Hinu Smith. 10-0-1(Rep. Matthew Mullen) **MOTION CARRIED.**

Resolution-Transfer of Funds from Josephine WhiteEagle Restricted Account to Higher Education Scholarships

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to adopt **Resolution 12-17-19 B**, Transfer of Funds from Josephine WhiteEagle Restricted Account to Higher Education Scholarships. Second by Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. 10-0-1 (Rep. Matthew Mullen) **MOTION CARRIED.**

Resolution-Transfer of Funds from Student Loan Fund Restricted Account to Higher Education Scholarships

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to adopt **Resolution 12-17-19 C**, Transfer of Funds from Student Loan Fund Restricted Account to Higher Education Scholarships. Second by Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. 9-0-1(Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr.) **MOTION CARRIED.**

Xerox Ho-Chunk Nation Future State Recommendations

Mark Campbell, Director of Information Technology Department, did an overview of what request will do. Centralize all printing, have over 100 leases and over 150 models, would reduce by 50 % which would provide cost savings. If the Service Agreement is approved, Xerox to pay off current leases. Assessment and cost benefits, the recommendation is to go with Xerox. According to the Finance Manual, need to do the three bid. It was asked if there were three bids. Mr. Campbell spoke with Tracy Calverley regarding the current contract with

Xerox, would be just revising the Service Agreement. There was a question about cancellation fees, it was stated Xerox would buy those out. This is an Executive function and the Department of Justice will look over the contract. This was informational for the Legislature. **Whitetail Crossing Redesign – Wisconsin Dells** Curtis Lavender from the Business Department was present to discuss the Whitetail Crossing redesign. This was just an update to the Legislature, as it will be going to the Finance Committee. The Legislature had a question regarding if the project needs three bids. Ms. Lavender didn't think so, as using Maintenance funds to come and look at. The Business Department will work with the Department of Justice to make sure following appropriate procedure.

Lynwood Demolition Bids

Legislative Attorney Nicole Homer stated this is a continuing issue to obtain the three bids. Mr. Ed Mullen was present via telephone and stated he did get the bids, and were referred to the Finance Committee. There was question at the Finance Committee, if could pick or chose between the bids. It was not possible, but MBR Wrecking, Inc. was willing to match the lowest bids on all properties. In the packet is the new proposals with MBR Wrecking, Inc.

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to approve the bid provided by MBR Wrecking, Inc. for the amount of \$65,700 with \$35,000 from the Lynwood Restricted Contract Services line item and \$30,700 from the General Fund Contract Services line item. Second by Rep. Darren Brinegar. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Office of General Council

Cari Faye was present to answer any questions regarding her report. There was a request for her to attend the January District Meeting on a financial report.

Economic Diversification

Rep. Matthew Mullen stated there was no meeting, so no report at this time.

Illinois Gaming

No update.

Resolution-Opposition to Native American School Mascots, Logos & Nicknames

There was concern from Legislators regarding the wording each district and wanting a united front as the Nation. It was stated that some areas are okay with Native American Mascots. Attorney Wendi Huling states how would this be define, it is very difficult. Rep. Walker was in agreement of the resolution due to our geographical membership. There is no date in the resolution of when this has to be decided and it would be at some point.

MOTION by Rep. Darren Brinegar to adopt **Resolution 12-17-19 D**, Opposition to Native American School Mascots, Logos and Nicknames. Second by Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. 8-3(Rep. George Stacy, Rep. Stephanie Begay, Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr.)-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

Child Support Code Comments

The Child Support Code Comments were not addressed per the request of the Social Services Department to table

until the 01-07-2020 Legislative Session.

Resolution-Establishment of Sustainability and Clean Energy Workgroup

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to adopt **Resolution 12-17-19 E**, Establishment of Sustainability and Clean Energy Workgroup. Second by Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. Darren Brinegar was out of the room).

NEW BUSINESS:

Resolution-Support for the Health Department to Partner with University of Wisconsin Hospitals and Clinics Authority for Care Link Site Agreement and Partner with University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to adopt **Resolution 12-17-19 F**, Authorization to Execute the University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Medicine and Public Health Affiliation Agreement, Program Letter of Agreement Between Swedish Medical Center and House of Wellness Clinic, and UW Health Care Link Site Agreement. Second by Rep. Robert TwoBears. 10-0-1(Rep. Matthew Mullen) **MOTION CARRIED.**

Resolution-Acceptance of BIA Project Grant Funds for Ho-Chunk Nation Geospatial Contract Services

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to adopt **Resolution 12-17-19 G**, Rescission and Restatement of Resolution 09-17-19G Acceptance of BIA Project Grant Funds for Ho-Chunk Nation Geospatial Contract Services. Second by Rep. Sarah Lemieux. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

Resolution-Authorization for the Department of Social Services to Apply for the 2020 Tribal Elderly Transportation Program

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to adopt **Resolution 12-17-19 H**, Authorization for the Department of Social Services to Apply for the 2020 Tribal Elderly Transportation Program. Second by Rep. Sarah Lemieux. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

Resolution-Apply for the Funding for 2020-2023 Older Americans Act Title VI Native American Programs

MOTION by Rep. Darren Brinegar to adopt **Resolution 12-17-19 I**, Authorization for the Tribal Aging Unit to Apply for the 2020-2023 Older Americans Act Title VI Nutrition and Supportive Services Caregiver Grants for American Indians and Alaskan Native Tribes. Second by Rep. Sarah Lemieux. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

Cash Access Services Kiosks/ Savings Realized

Scott Marecek from the Department of Business was present and stated this was just for informational purposes. The three bid selection process was completed. A new contract will be in place in January 2020 to replace the existing ATM/Ticket Redemption kiosks at the Ho-Chunk Gaming locations. It was asked if it would be possible to make charitable contributions from the kiosk. Mr. Marecek believed with the new contract, the kiosks will be able to take ticket before next Summer on the contributions.

Resolution-Affirmation of Procedure for Ratification of Legislative Meeting Minutes

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to TABLE the Affirmation of Procedure for Ratification of Legislative Meeting Minutes resolution until after Executive Session. Second by Rep. Darren Brinegar. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. Paul Fox was out of the room).

Request for Participation

Rep. Walker gave a brief update on National Congress of American Indians (NCAI) on the issue of eagle feathers. NCAI does not pass resolutions that would cause inter-tribal conflict. Rep. Walker received a request for participation on a team with the singular mission of stopping the proposed U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service proposal to allow non-Indians and person from state recognized tribes obtaining eagle feathers.

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud that the Ho-Chunk Nation support the team of the Tribal Eagle Feather Protection Coalition and send representation as needed. Second by Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

DISTRICT MEETINGS:

District 1 Wausau Meeting – December 10, 2019

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to refer to the Office of the President and Enrollment the Motion by Bruce La Mere to have the Enrollment Division provide Tribal IDs a the Siga Funmaker Center for one day, from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at no cost for Elders. Second by Rep. Hinu Smith. 9-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. Darren Brinegar and Rep. Sarah Lemieux were out of the room).

District 1 Black River Falls Meeting – December 11, 2019

READ FOR THE RECORD:

Motion by Marcus Lewis to nominate Lee Brown, Jr. to the Ho-Chunk Housing & Community Development Agency Board.

Motion by Regina Funmaker to nominate Kelly Jo Funmaker to the Ho-Chunk Housing & Community Development Agency Board

MOTION by Rep. Hinu Smith to accept Anna Longtail to the Housing Board, per the Motion by Martina Littlewolf to accept Anna Longtail to Housing Board pending background check. Second by Vice President Karena Thundercloud. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. Darren Brinegar was out of the room).

MOTION by Rep. Hinu Smith to refer to the Finance Committee the Motion by Isaac Pettibone to request \$1,000 for an adult 5 on 5 basketball league to be a District 1 Community Center. Second by Vice President Karena Thundercloud. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. Darren Brinegar was out of the room).

District 2 La Crosse Meeting – December 9, 2019

The District 2 La Crosse Meeting of December 9, 2019 were included in the Legislative Session packet. There were no items that needed action.

District 2 Baraboo Meeting – December 12, 2019

MOTION by Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr. to confirm Clariss Funmaker to the Election

HO-CHUNK TRIBAL ID'S

WHEN
January 23rd
2pm - 4:30pm & 5pm - 7pm

January 24th
8am - 2:30pm

WHERE
HCG Wittenberg Hotel
conference room
N7198 US Highway 45, Wittenberg, WI

THE ENROLLMENT DEPARTMENT WILL BE PRESENT TO OFFER TRIBAL ID'S FOR MEMBERS. NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY.

A valid picture ID is required along with applicable fee.

ELDERS:

There is no fee for elders

FEES:

Expired ID \$20
Duplicate ID \$25

Cash, money order or cashier's check will be accepted.

A certified birth certificate is required for minor children ID cards.



Questions can be directed to the Enrollment dept. (800) 294-9343, ext. 1015

Board, per the Motion by Estelle Greendeer to nominate Clariss Funmaker as the Baraboo Area Delegate to the Election Board. Second by Rep. Stephanie Begay. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

MOTION by Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr. to confirm Rebecca Davis to the Election Board, per the Motion by Clariss Funmaker to nominate Rebecca Davis as the Baraboo Alternate to the Election Board. Second by Rep. Stephanie Begay. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Vice President Karena Thundercloud was out of the room).

MOTION by Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr. to confirm Cynthia Tack to the Election Board, per a Motion by Rebecca Davis to nominate Cynthia Tack as the Wisconsin Dells Delegate to the Election Board. Second by Rep. Stephanie Begay. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Vice President Karena Thundercloud was out of the room).

MOTION by Rep. Stephanie Begay to confirm Estelle Greendeer to the Election Board, per a Motion by Rebecca Davis to nominate Estelle Greendeer as the Wisconsin Dells Alternate for the Election Board. Second by Rep. Sarah Lemieux. 9-0-1 (Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr.) **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. Darren Brinegar was out of the room).

MOTION by Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr. to refer to the Finance Committee the Motion by Jim Delarosa to approve \$5,445 for the House of Wellness All Stars Basketball Team Sponsorship. Second by Rep. Stephanie Begay. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

MOTION by Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr. to refer to the Office of the President the Motion by Sheridan Cloud to raise the minimum wage to \$15 an hour – Motion Amended that job descriptions be job specific to the Baraboo/Wisconsin Dells area raising the minimum wage to \$15 a hour – Motion amended to have a Living Wage review done on only entry level positions within the Department of Business and to raise the minimum wage accordingly within a year of the Comp and Class Study. Second by Rep. Stephanie Begay. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

READ FOR THE RECORD: Motion by Rebecca Davis to nominate Henrietta Funmaker as the Alternate to the Law Enforcement Commission.

MOTION by Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr. to refer to the Finance Committee the Motion by Joyce Warner to provide funding for Della Lowe's new roof. **MOTION AMENDED** to refer to Finance Committee and Housing Committee **MOTION AMENDED** to refer to Housing Committee. **MOTION IS WITHDRAWN.**

READ FOR THE RECORD: Motion by Joyce Warner to provide funding for Della Lowe's new roof.

For the Record: It was stated that Della Lowe was not enrolled with the Ho-Chunk Nation.

District 3 Madison Meeting – December 4, 2019

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to refer to Ho-Chunk Housing & Community Development Agency the Motion by Marlys Whiteagle to refer to

Ho-Chunk Housing & Community Development Agency regarding an update on representation for Dane County. Second by Rep. Darren Brinegar. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

READ FOR THE RECORD: Motion by Nicole Ward to revoke the 12 Clans' Charter for being in non-compliance. **MOTION** by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to refer to the Office of the President and Employment Relations Act Workgroup the Motion by Marlys Whiteagle for Legislature and President to review and update policy of inclement weather condition. Second by Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to read for the record **MOTION AMENDED** to refer to the Finance Committee the Motion by Muriel Whiteagle-Lee to get \$1,000 for playground at Glenn Stephens Elementary to match the funds with private company. Second by Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

District 3 Wittenberg Meeting – December 9, 2019

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to refer to the Election Board the Motion by Lanette Walker to check the due process of the selection of Myrna Littlewolf as the Alternate to the Election Board. Second by Rep. Darren Brinegar. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to refer to the Legal Staff the Motion by Gloria Visintin to request Legislature to formulate a felony pardon process within the Ho-Chunk Nation. Second by Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

District 3 Green Bay Meeting – December 10, 2019

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to refer to the Office of the President the Motion by Pam Wilber to request Margaret Garvin to come to the next meeting to give a report and why the Veteran Advisory Board is not meeting. Second by Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

District 3 Milwaukee Meeting – December 11, 2019

READ FOR THE RECORD: Motion by Alexandria Lange not to discuss personnel issues at the Area Meetings.

District 3 Wisconsin Rapids Meeting – December 12, 2019

READ FOR THE RECORD: Motion by Barb Smith to approve the Wood County Agreement 2020.

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to refer to the Office of the President the Motion by Daniel Topping to get a facility for a dentist. Second by Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

District 4 Chicago Meeting – December 9, 2019

MOTION by Rep. Paul Fox to refer to the Office of General Council the Motion by Sunshine Thunderchief to nominate Ben Krause to continue to assist and serve on the General Council Planning Committee for 2020. Second by Rep. Robert TwoBears. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr. was out of the room).

District 4 St. Paul Meeting – December 12, 2019

MOTION by Rep. Paul Fox to refer to the Finance Committee

the Minnesota Indian Women's Sexual Assault Coalition (MIWSAC). Second by Rep. Robert TwoBears. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

CONFERENCE APPROVALS:

There were no Conference Approvals that needed action.

RECESS:

MOTION by Vice President Karena Thundercloud to recess for thirty (30) minutes for lunch. Second by Rep. Hinu Smith. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

The Legislative Meeting recessed at 12:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by President Marlon White Eagle at 12:37 p.m.

ROLL CALL: President Marlon White Eagle-P Vice President Karena Thundercloud-P

Rep. George Stacy-P
Rep. Hinu Smith-P
Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr.-P
Rep. Stephanie Begay-P
Rep. Kristin White Eagle-EX
Rep. Darren Brinegar-P
Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr.-P
Rep. Sarah Lemieux-P
Rep. Matthew Mullen-CC
Rep. Robert TwoBears-P
Rep. Paul Fox-P
Rep. Kathyleen Lone Tree-Whiterabbit-EX

CC - Conference call

DETERMINATION OF QUORUM: Quorum was established at 12:38 p.m.

AGENDA AMENDMENT:

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to amend the agenda to add the Acceptance/Denial of the Executive Director of Heritage Preservation. Second by Vice President Karena Thundercloud.

MOTION WITHDRAWN. SECOND CONCURS.

For the Record: President Marlon White Eagle provided the Legislature with his nomination for the Executive Director of Heritage Preservation, and no action is needed by the Legislature at this time.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

MOTION by Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr. to move in to Executive Session. Second by Rep. Darren Brinegar. 11-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.**

The meeting went in to Executive Session at 12:41 p.m.

MOTION by Rep. Darren Brinegar to move in to Open Session. Second by Rep. Conroy Greendeer, Jr. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. George Stacy was out of the room).

The meeting went in to Open Session at 2:32 p.m.

MOTION by Rep. Darren Brinegar to ratify all action taken in Executive Session. Second by Rep. Sarah Lemieux. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. George Stacy was out of the room).

AGENDA AMENDMENT:

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to revisit item F. Resolution-Affirmation of Procedure for Ratification of Legislative Meeting Minutes under New Business. Second by Vice President Karena Thundercloud. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. George Stacy was out of the room).

NEW BUSINESS:

Resolution-Affirmation of Procedure for Ratification of Legislative Meeting Minutes **MOTION** by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to adopt Resolution

12-17-19 J, Affirmation of Procedure for Ratification of Legislative Meeting Minutes. Second by Vice President Karena Thundercloud. 5-3 (Rep. Hinu Smith, Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr., Rep. Matthew Mullen)-2 (Rep. Darren Brinegar, Rep. Robert TwoBears) **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. George Stacy was out of the room).

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Finance Committee Meeting- December 4, 2019

MOTION by Rep. Sarah Lemieux to approve the December 4, 2019 Finance Committee Meeting minutes striking the budget modifications five (5) and six (6) on page seven (7). **MOTION DIES DUE TO LACK OF SECOND.**

MOTION by Rep. Robert TwoBears to approve the December 4, 2019 Finance Committee Meeting minutes with corrections. Second by Rep. Paul Fox. 6-2 (Rep. Sarah Lemieux, Rep. Darren Brinegar)-2 (Rep. Lawrence Walker, Jr., Vice President Karena Thundercloud) **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. George Stacy was out of the room).

ADJOURNMENT:

MOTION by Rep. Robert TwoBears to adjourn the Legislative Meeting. The next Legislative Meeting will be January 7, 2020 at the Tribal Office Building in Black River Falls, WI. Second by Rep. Darren Brinegar. 10-0-0 **MOTION CARRIED.** (Rep. George Stacy was out of the room).

The Legislative Meeting adjourned at 2:35 p.m.
Respectfully submitted,
Rep. Hinu Smith,
Tribal Secretary

FAMILY SNOWSHOE DAY 2020

Saturday, January 11 at 9am

Check-in 8:30am

Lake Wazee Recreation Area

N6302 Brockway RD, Black River Falls

Perfect opportunity to snowshoe for the first time and enjoy the beautiful outdoors!



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International Open Call for Native American and Indigenous actors

Vincent Schilling
Reprint from
Indian Country Today

As part of the Casting Society of America's stated "ongoing commitment to diversity and inclusion in casting" in the film and television industry, the organization has set an international open call for Native American, First Nations and Indigenous actors for Sunday January 12, 2020 on a scheduled appointment-only basis.

For in-person scheduled auditions, participating locations will include Los Angeles, New York, Albuquerque, Portland, Chicago, Norman, Oklahoma and Montreal. If interested applicants are not able to make it to the location, self-tape auditions are also being encouraged for union and non-union actors.

According to the Casting Society of America (CSA) press announcement, "CSA members across the globe will open their offices to union and non-union Native American and Indigenous Actors. Artists who are professionally trained, as well as those actively pursuing professional careers as performers are welcome to attend. Artists will be given an opportunity to perform a prepared scene of their choice in front of a panel of CSA casting directors offering actors the opportunity to interact with casting directors who are looking to expand their knowledge and understanding of underrepresented and undiscovered talent in a professional casting environment."

Russell Boast, the Casting Society of America president and DeLanna Studi, Chairperson of the SAG-AFTRA National Native Americans Committee both offered comments in the announcement regarding the casting call.

"The Native American and Indigenous Actors Open Call

follows the huge success of CSA's Inclusion and Diversity open calls for Trans and Non-binary actors, Performers with Disabilities, Seniors and MENASA (Middle Eastern, North African & South Asian) actors," said Russell Boast in the release.

"These open calls offer both an opportunity for these underrepresented actors to be seen and a chance for our Casting Director members globally to become familiar with their work. Our hope is that empowering Casting Directors by giving them the tools to cast authentically will create a ripple effect through the industry that will result in more opportunities for diverse actors and filmmakers both in front of and behind the camera."

"As Native Americans, one of our biggest obstacles is just being seen as present-day human beings. We are an important part of our shared American story, not only of the past, but of the present and future as well. We have a responsibility to ensure that this vibrant and vital part of our shared experience is not lost or set aside," said DeLanna Studi. "As Native people, we are often called the 'Vanishing Race' or the 'Disappearing People.' One of our biggest burdens and greatest opportunities is educating the Industry about who we really are: to break past these stereotypes and to move our communities forward."

"We live in a digital age where the majority of all of our information comes from on-screen images. In addition to our families, our communities, and our education system, how we learn who we are and how we relate to others is powerfully influenced by the media. Especially now. It is imperative that Hollywood stories move beyond stereotypes and reflect the

great diversity and vitality of who we are as Native Americans today. We are still here, and we are thriving."

How to sign up and schedule an audition

Interested union and non-union actors are invited to any of the locations on an appointment-only basis. For more information and to sign up for one of the locations visit:

http://bit.ly/CSA_NativeAmericanOpenCall

How to submit a self-tape
To submit a self-tape send an email inquiry to:

inclusionanddiversity@castingsociety.com

In the self-tape:

Slate: (A piece of paper with the following info held up to the camera):

Your name, location, email address.

Read: A scene of your choice that best shows off



Open call locations in the U.S. and Canada on January 12, self-tape auditions are also accepted via email

your strengths. No longer than 2-3 pages.

About: If you would like to tell us a little about yourself please share a minute.

Label: Please label your self-tape FirstNameLast-

Name_OpenCall

Email: Self-tape to inclusionanddiversity@castingsociety.com

Subject heading: Open Call Self-Tape

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Holly Hoffman

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Holly Hoffman was the last remaining member of her tribe and the last woman standing on Season 21 of CBS' reality show 'Survivor Nicaragua.' Through that experience, and others throughout her life, Holly was inspired to share her message of positivity, determination, and confidence. Holly is an author and national speaker.



Executive career coach, national speaker and best-selling author Aimee Cohen will also be a keynote speaker at the event.

Wednesday, January 15 | 8:15 am to 5:30 pm

Central Wisconsin Convention + Expo Center, Rothschild
Cost: \$75 for members and non-members

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ATTENTION HO-CHUNK NATION BASKET MAKERS



The Ho-Chunk Nation Forestry Division has a unique opportunity to obtain a few black ash logs from a parcel of State of Wisconsin (DNR) land. We would like to hear from basket makers who are interested in obtaining black ash logs specifically for basket making purposes. Contacting us does not guarantee that you will receive a log, but it is important to know how many logs are needed so we can make a formal request. The Ho-Chunk Nation Forestry Division would also like to hear ideas on how to store surplus ash logs. Please contact Rural Lands Forester, Brandon Bleuer at 715-284-2852 Ext.1122 or email Brandon. Bleuer@Ho-Chunk.com for more information.

Red Banks Native Art Market on Broadway

Submitted by
Beth Bashara, Oneida
Nation Arts Program

The Oneida Nation Arts Program (ONAP) is holding its first pop up artists boutique featuring Native American artists. The art show is titled the, "Red Banks Native Art Show," and harkens back to the history of Green Bay, Wisconsin. When explorer Jean Nicolet arrived, he landed in a place called the Red Banks. As the City of Green Bay grew, there were at least two trading posts in the area owned and managed by Native American people.

The Red Banks Native Art Show will be held on Sat. Feb. 8, 2020, in The Premier, 520 N. Broadway St., Green Bay, WI 54313. Doors open to the public at 10:00am, and the show ends at 4:00pm. Admission is free.

This art show is essentially a "Pop Up Native Art Boutique," since the event is for one day only. The artists and crafts people will have handmade works of art including beadwork, jewelry, paintings, baskets, metal work, pottery, carvings, fine art, crafts and more. Arts patrons, art collectors and the general public

can purchase unique gifts, collect works of art, or home/office decor from the artists.

The Red Banks Native Art Show was born from a grant funded program called the, "Twenty Years From Now," funded by the Native Arts Initiative program of the FNDI. ONAP brought in Native American master artists to Oneida, WI, to mentor and teach local Native Artists. The "20 Year" workshops included metal work, silverwork, pottery, and basket making. ONAP expects the apprentices in the 20 Year grant program to continue

learning and gaining skills in their chosen art form, and to become teachers.

So, the Red Banks Native Art Show was created to encourage the apprentices and other Native American artists to produce their works of art, set goals, and gain experience in art markets. Artists who choose to sell their work need to be comfortable with pricing their work, talking with art buyers, and educating the general public about their art forms. Artists in every community are part of the creative economies and make communities healthy and beautiful

places.

During the show, light refreshments will be provided courtesy of the Woodland Indian Art Show & Market.

This Red Banks Native Art Show is supported in part by a grant from the Wisconsin Arts Board with funds from the State of Wisconsin and the National Endowment for the Arts. For more info, call ONAP at 920-490-3832, or visit the website at <https://oneidanationarts.org/news.html>.



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Request for Proposals (RFP)

Interpretive Illustrations

Overview

Garman Nature Preserve in Waterloo and Indian Mounds County Park near Fort Atkinson, both in Jefferson County, WI, are currently undertaking a project to develop interpretive signage. The completed Concept Plan has identified the need for new, original illustrations related to the interpretation of the Native American Mound Culture that built the conical and effigy mounds. These mounds are a sacred site for the people of the Ho-Chunk Nation and were the center of Native American life.

We are now seeking a Ho-Chunk artist to develop the concept into full-color art to be used on wayside exhibits at both parks.

To learn more about the parks, visit

http://www.jeffersoncountywi.gov/departments/parks/parks_outdoor_activities/index.php

Budget

Not to exceed \$27,000.

Eligibility

This project is open to all artists regardless of race, color, creed, gender, gender variance, sexual orientation, national origin, age, religion, marital status, political opinion or affiliation, or mental or physical disability. Preference will be given to Ho-Chunk artists.

Scope of Work

The artist shall provide 106 Group with all labor, materials, and travel necessary to research, finalize, and develop new, full-color, full-bleed illustrations for Garman Nature Preserve and Indian Mounds County Park.

New color illustrations

GNP-013: New custom illustration depicting how many mounds were here at this site prior to their destruction/reduction. Approximate size is 36" wide x 24" high. See Attachment A.

GNP-015/IMP-002: New custom illustration of cultural activities at Koshkonong site. Approximate size is 36" wide x 24" high. See Attachment A.

GNP-016: New custom illustration of cultural activities when this site was in use. Approximate size is 36" wide x 24" high. See Attachment A.

Optional

GNP-014: New custom illustration depicting mound archaeology (in consultation with the Ho-Chunk Nation). Approximate size is 12" wide x 8" high. See Attachment A.

Site Visit

Travel to Garman Nature Preserve and Indian Mounds County Park with 106 Group to tour the sites, meet with the Jefferson County Parks staff for one 4-hour day.

Deliverables

1. Site Visit Notes: Document refinements of the concept based on site visit discussions
2. Draft Design: Detailed black and white illustrations and proposed color palette (or color sample)
3. Final Design: Final, full-color art
4. Production-Ready Files: High-resolution digital files of the final art ready for print in a non-loss format such as .tiff.

Timeline

Proposals Due January 24, 2020
Award Decision/Contracting January 31, 2020

Preliminary Project Schedule (dates to be finalized after contracting)

Kick-off Call February 2020
Site Visit March (weather dependent)
Draft Design April 2020
Final Design June 2020
High-Resolution Files July 2020

Submission Requirements

Please respond with:

- Up to five (5) images of past comparable artwork (pdf or jpg format, not to exceed 2 MB per image)
- Resume or CV, not to exceed two pages (pdf or word document)
- Two professional references (include name, phone, and email)

Submissions should be sent via email to RegineKennedy@106Group.com with subject "GNP-IMCP Ho-Chunk".

Any questions regarding this call for artists should be submitted by January 16, 2020, and directed to:

Regine Kennedy, Planning & Engagement Manager
106 Group
RegineKennedy@106Group.com
651-403-8713

Selection Process

Proposals will be reviewed and selected by representatives of 106 Group and the Ho-Chunk Nation. Final designs must also be approved by Jefferson County Parks.

Evaluation Criteria

Experience working on comparable, interpretive projects
Experience working collaboratively with a project team
Proven ability to meet project deadlines
Positive feedback from references

Attachments

Download the following attachment from our ftp site:

<https://106group.box.com/s/ki8biv3cym3akcw86z72bcokr6e7vx2b>

A. Garman Nature Preserve and Indian Mounds County Park Concept Plan



**MANDATORY
Insurance Open Enrollment
2020**

THE ENTIRE MONTH OF JANUARY 2020

Open Enrollment 2020 is MANDATORY. This means that if you are on the Nation's Health Plan, you must attend a scheduled meeting

Enroll/Change the following:

- ◆ Health Insurance - Dental/Vision
 - Enroll if you previously declined coverage
 - Add eligible dependents*
 - Drop currently covered dependents; or
 - Drop all coverage
- ◆ Short Term Disability
 - Apply for coverage (with EOI) or change current benefit level
- ◆ Life Insurance
 - Increase or add coverage (with EOI)

*If **adding any dependents** on your major medical health/vision/dental plan, remember to **bring their Social Security numbers** with you. If the dependent is Ho-Chunk Enrolled, please **bring Ho-Chunk Enrollment number**. If adding a spouse with a different last name bring a copy of **Marriage License**.

New Health and RX cards will be distributed

A representative for the 401k will be onsite at some locations

All paperwork must be in the Black River Falls Insurance Department by 4:30 pm on Friday, January 31st, 2020 or it will be too late and not processed!

DON'T MISS OPEN ENROLLMENT OR YOU WILL WAIT UNTIL JANUARY 2021

Staff will be at various locations to assist employees with questions, updates or changes. See reverse side for scheduled dates and times.



Ho-Chunk Nation Employee Insurance 2020 Open Enrollment

January 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	30	31	01	02	03	04
MANDATORY - Attendance Required			Happy New Year! Office Closed			
			OPEN ENROLLMENT BEGINS @ 8:00 AM			
05	06	07	08	09	10	11
Madison Branch Office 4724 Tradewinds Parkway Meeting Start Times: 8:30 AM 11:00 AM 1:30 PM 3:30 PM	HCG - Wisconsin Dells Upper Ballroom B Meeting Start Times: 8:00 AM 11:00 AM 2:00 PM 5:00 PM	Wittenberg Stiga Funmaker Comm. Bldg. W17634 Radke Rd. Meeting Start Times: 8:30 AM 10:30 AM 1:30 PM			Tomah TAU Meeting Start Times: 10:00 AM 1:00 PM 3:00 PM	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
BRF Executive Bldg Cafeteria Meeting Start Times: 9:00 AM 11:00 AM 1:30 PM 3:30 PM	HCG - Wisconsin Dells Lower Ballroom B/H Meeting Start Times: 10:30 AM 1:00 PM 4:00 PM 6:30 PM	HCG Black River Falls Bingo Hall Meeting Start Times: 8:30 AM 10:30 AM 1:30 PM 3:30 PM	HCG Nekoosa Banquet Hall Meeting Start Times: 9:00 AM 11:00 AM 1:30 PM 3:30 PM			
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HO-CHUNK NATION TRUST & INVESTMENT COMMITTEE VACANCY

The Ho-Chunk Nation's Trust & Investment Committee is currently seeking three (3) qualified candidates to serve as Committee members responsible for the oversight of the Nation's investments.

Eligibility for an interview: Must be an enrolled member of the Ho-Chunk Nation and have one or more of the following qualifications:

- Certified Public Accountant or Chartered Financial Analyst
- An Associate's or, preferably, a Bachelor's degree in accounting, business or finance
- Possess a Financial Professional Certification: CFP, CFS, CFC, CIC, CIMA, CMT, and PFS.
- At least three years proven experience managing investments as a fiduciary on another's behalf
- Must be able to obtain a financial bond

All potential Committee members shall undergo a credit check and criminal background check. Potential Committee members shall not be eligible for service if the criminal background check reveals a felony or any crime of dishonesty, including, but limited to, fraud, misrepresentation, theft, or deception in any form.

Qualified individuals must submit a letter of interest and extended resume by: **January 17, 2020 to:**



**Ho-Chunk Nation
Treasury Department
Trust & Investment
PO Box 640
Black River Falls, WI 54615
ayako.thundercloud@ho-chunk.com**

Deadline Alert for Small Businesses in Illinois to Apply for SBA Working Capital Loans Due to March 2019 Severe Storms and Flooding

Submitted by Michael Lampton, U.S. Small Business Administration

The U.S. Small Business Administration is reminding businesses in Illinois that working capital loans are still available to small businesses, small agricultural cooperatives, small businesses engaged in aquaculture and private nonprofit organizations affected by severe storms and flooding on March 15 - 23, 2019.

"Businesses that suffered economic losses as a result of the disaster and want to apply for low-interest loans from the SBA are urged to do so before the Feb. 7 deadline," said Kem Fleming, director of SBA Field Operations Center East.

Low-interest disaster loans are available in the following counties: Carroll, Jo Daviess, Ogle, Stephenson and Winnebago in Illinois; Green and Lafayette in Wisconsin.

Working capital disaster loans up to \$2 million are available at 4 percent for small businesses, and 2.75 percent for private nonprofit

organizations with terms up to 30 years. The loans are intended to pay fixed debts, payroll, accounts payable, and other expenses that could have been paid had the disaster not occurred. To be considered for this assistance, eligible entities need to apply by the deadline.

Applicants may apply online using the Electronic Loan Application (ELA) via SBA's secure website at Disaster-Loan.sba.gov.

Businesses may also obtain information and loan applications by calling the SBA's Customer Service Center at 1-800-659-2955 (1-800-877-8339 for the deaf and hard-of-hearing), or by emailing disastercustomerservice@sba.gov. Loan applications can also be downloaded www.sba.gov. Completed applications should be mailed to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.

The deadline to return economic injury applications is Feb. 7, 2020.



Ho-Chunk Nation
Department of Natural Resources

"Preserving Ho-Chunk traditions through land and natural resource management."

Board of Director Applications

The Ho-Chunk Nation Department of Natural Resources is seeking candidates to fill Board of Directors vacancies. Per the HCC § 20 the Board of Directors will serve in an advisory capacity only, not as a policy making body. The Board will also be involved in and consulting on strategic planning, development of annual goals and objectives pursuant to the Appropriations and Budget Act.

Interested Parties can review the 1HCC20 Department of Natural Resources Establishment Act for more information related to Board of Director Meetings, Terms and Director roles and responsibilities.

<https://ho-chunknation.com/home/government/legislative/ho-chunk-nation-laws/>

Please mail or email a one-page Letter of Interest and a copy of your resume to:

Tina Brown
Executive Director

Ho-Chunk Nation Department of Natural Resources
PO Box. 677

Black River Falls, WI 54615

Tina.Brown@Ho-Chunk.com

Office 715-284-2852 | Cell 715-299-4672

All applications will be reviewed and all applicants will be notified upon selection of Board members. Selected candidates will be subject to Presidential review.

Application Period Open for the 73rd Alice in Dairyland

Rick Hummell, Public Information Officer, DATCP

The Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) is seeking a communications professional eager to help Wisconsin residents make meaningful connections with Wisconsin agriculture as the 73rd Alice in Dairyland. Individuals interested in applying may submit applications through Monday, Feb. 3, 2020. Application materials and information are available on DATCP's website at https://datcp.wi.gov/Pages/Growing_WI/BecomingAlice.aspx.

"Applying to serve as Alice in Dairyland is one of the best decisions I've ever made," said 72nd Alice in Dairyland Abigail Martin. "Being Wisconsin's agricultural ambassador has allowed me to share the story of our state's \$104.8 billion agriculture industry with many diverse audiences across the state. It's also broadened my own view of agriculture and deepened my appreciation for the industry."

In this highly visible, fast-paced position, Alice in Dairyland cultivates relationships with television, radio, and print media outlets; writes and delivers speeches at events large and small; and leverages social media to promote Wisconsin agriculture.

Minimum Qualifications

Applicants should have:

- Considerable knowledge or work experience with Wisconsin agriculture
- At least three years of experience, education or training in communications, marketing or public relations
- Public speaking experience, and
- A willingness to attend an extensive number of work-

related events on evenings and weekends.

Applicants must be female Wisconsin residents who are at least 21 years old.

Position Information

The one-year, full-time contractual position starts June 1, 2020. The position is headquartered in Madison and travels extensively throughout the state. The salary is \$45,000 annually and includes holiday, vacation, and sick leave as well as use of a vehicle for official business. Reimbursement is provided for health insurance as well as travel expenses for official purposes.

Selection Process

Interested individuals should submit an application form, cover letter, resume, three professional references, and a summary of their qualifications by 4:30 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 3, 2020. Application materials are available at https://datcp.wi.gov/Pages/Growing_WI/BecomingAlice.aspx

In contrast to previous years, preliminary interviews will be held on a Saturday (Feb. 22, 2020) and may be conducted via Skype or in person. Following these preliminary interviews, up to six top candidates will be required to attend a two-day program briefing and press announcement on March 13-14. Top candidates must also attend the three-day final interview process May 14-16 in Walworth County, which culminates in the selection of the 73rd Alice in Dairyland.

Questions regarding the position or application process can be directed to Debbie Vine (Gegare) at 608-224-5116 or Debbie.Gegare@wisconsin.gov.

WE'RE HIRING

We are looking to add 2 - 3 upbeat members to our 2nd and 3rd shifts in the Vault.

CAGE CASHIER: \$14.85 /hour + tips, set schedule
Full-time: 2nd Shift (3pm-11:30pm) and 3rd Shift (11pm-7:30am)

SUMMARY: This is a vault position, which requires attention to detail, great organizational skills and ability to adhere to strict gaming regulations. Customer service, both internal and external, is our top priority.

RESPONSIBILITIES: Reconciling the Cage inventory. Dropping, filling and reconciling various currency dispensing machines. Lastly, ensures accuracy of documentation throughout their shift.

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. High school diploma or GED
2. Good eyesight and full dexterity in both hands, cannot be colorblind.
3. Comfortable/familiar with using a calculator, computers and other office equipment.
4. Able to walk, stoop, bend, and stand for long periods of time.
5. Prior experience in customer service, gaming, accounting/book keeping/banking preferred.

MUST FILL OUT HO-CHUNK NATION APPLICATION TO BE QUALIFIED FOR THE INTERVIEW PROCESS

Link to Application: <https://ho-chunknation.com/home/employment/>
Application must be scanned and emailed (employmentapp@ho-chunk.com) or delivered in person to our HR office.

NOTICE OF VACANCIES

Ho-Chunk Nation Tribal Aging Unit Elderly Advisory Board Member (2 vacancies)

District 3: Madison Area

According to Ho-Chunk Tribal Aging Unit (TAU) Advisory Board Establishment Act and Organization Act;

Terms: Board members shall serve for a three (3) year term and may serve more than one (1) term.

Selection/Appointment: The members of the TAU Board shall be selected by the Elders from each of their respective Districts. Each District shall choose its member selection process.

The election shall be held at the Madison TAU Office located within the Madison Branch Office on February 5, 2020, from 8:30am-2:30pm

Contact Annette Crowder, TAU Community Elder Representative at 608-576-1940 for further information or to request an application.

MADISON'S CASINO

HO-CHUNK GAMING
MADISON

UFC
246

McGREGOR vs COWBOY
WELTERWEIGHT BOUT

DEVOUR
FROZEN FOODS

T-Mobile
ARENA

WATCH UFC 246 LIVE BINGO HALL | JAN. 18TH | \$10 _ 8PM

\$10 REWARDS PLAY FOR EACH TICKET SOLD

TICKETS SOLD DAY OF THE EVENT



WIN UP TO \$5K | 17 TOTAL WINNERS

\$30K GIVEAWAY | JANUARY 26TH | 5PM

Starting January 1st, receive your **Free entry** into the Grand Prize Giveaway where we will be giving away **\$30,000 Cash**, split between **17 winners**.

EARN ENTRIES JAN. 1ST - 25TH | REDEEM ON PROMO KIOSK

Redeem **one extra entry** when you **earn 25 points** playing slots then get one additional entry after **earning another 25 points***. Plus, earn an additional entry for **playing table games for one hour** and an additional entry **after another hour of play**. *Wednesdays you must earn 50 and 100 points for additional entries.

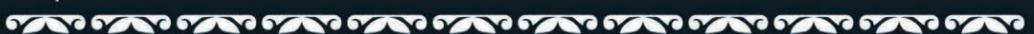
DRAWING CHECK-IN | JAN. 26TH | 2PM - 4:30PM

Entries must be activated on the promo kiosk prior to the Grand Prize Giveaway. To redeem all entries earned simply be playing with your Rewards Club Card or swipe the promo kiosk on Jan. 26th, from 2pm - 4:30pm.

See the Rewards Club Booth for more information. Must be 21 years or older to play.
Ho-Chunk Gaming reserves the right to cancel or alter promotions at any time.

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