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SPECIAL NEWSLETTER

Dear Council Members:

The Cow Creek Umpqua Bill has been introduced and is now in the hands of Congress. The money we have received from you has been used to present the legislation and to get it into the hands of Congress for passage. Our funds are very low. Now is the time for the DO or DIE die effort. We have to have TOTAL membership involvement. We need your financial support desperately. We need handiwork DONATED to sell. We need letters written to your Congressman requesting TOTAL SUPPORT of the Cow Creek Legislation.

Our people have been trying to reach the point that we are at now for over 100 years. Our efforts are justified. We have the support of others. We can now right the wrongs that have been brought upon our people in the past. But, we can't go any farther without active participation of EACH and EVERY member of the tribe and Council of the Cow Creek Band of the Umpqua Tribe of Indians. This means YOU! Send whatever amount of money you can, send us your handiwork, write letters to your Congressman. DO IT NOW! Help accomplish what our ancestors and our people started 100 years ago. We can do it with YOUR help or we can give up without your help. We have to stick together or give up. NOW IT'S UP TO YOU!

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