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## ***NOTES FROM THE CHAIRMAN...***

### **FINAL ELDERLY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS MADE**

In the "Good News Department" is the report that all of the recipients of the Elderly Assistance from the Judgement Fund have now been paid. Consequently, the interest from that fund will now be used in the other programs as provided for in the federal law, P.L. Law 100-391.

### **CULTURAL RESOURCES**

At the annual meeting of the National Congress of American Indians, a resolution was passed that: "The National Congress of American Indians does hereby put forth every effort to assist the Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians in the protection of their traditional sites." This resolution was passed with the assistance of long time friend Ray Apodaca, Chairman of the Human Rights Committee. Further, and of real significance, is that NCAI passed as their top priority for the next session of Congress a resolution that: Native American religious freedom is established and declared to be the top priority of NCAI in the Congress; and that: "NCAI will sponsor a "Religious Freedom Summit" in Washington, D.C., at the Executive Council Meeting".....that: "NCAI calls upon the President to direct his administration officials to develop a unified, strong, and clear position in support of this legislation". (The legislation will advocate appropriate religious freedom protection). This movement broadens the support for our resolution and it is timely that ours was introduced at this time when a great deal of focus is being put on site protection.

### **THE YEAR, 1993 AND INTO 1994**

As we end the year, the Tribe has much to be thankful for in the progress that has been made in business and development of the tribal property. As well, we can look forward to an exciting year ahead, with the expansion of the gaming facility and the jobs it will create. It is with pride that we can look back at the accomplishments that have been made.

We can look back on the year, also, with a sense of loss and sadness for the loved ones who have taken the final journey.....but again, we can look ahead to the little ones who have joined us. With the latest enrollment, the tribal membership is now 860.

With best wishes for a joyous Christmas season and a healthy, happy and prosperous New Year!!

## OAK GROVE RETIREMENT CENTER

A new, low-income retirement center for senior citizen's is currently under construction in the Grants Pass area. The requirements for occupancy will be that the applicants and/or their spouse be age 62 or older and make less then income limits set by HUD, (currently they are \$11,750 for singles and \$13,450 for couples), and be able to meet the terms of the lease agreement.

Applications are currently being accepted. If you are interested in applying, or would like more information, please call Rhonda at 1-800-929-8229 or 672-9405.

## JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Health Office Receptionist/Secretary:

We are looking for an individual who enjoys working with the public in a fast paced office environment. Excellent writing and organizational skills a must. Word processing, filing, busy phone line, etc. Send resume with cover letter and references to: ATTN: Personnel, Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians, 2400 Stewart Parkway, Suite 300, Roseburg, Oregon 97470 by Dec. 31, 1993.

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## HEALTH APPLICATIONS

The annual health application mailing is in progress. If you live within the seven county service area, and do not receive health applications, please call the health office and tell us how many you need. We will mail them to you immediately.

## LOGGING

Logging contractors interested in bidding on a small stand of trees on the Evergreen Property may contact the tribal office and request a bid packet.

Completed bids must be submitted into the tribal office by January 7, 1994.

## FOR SALE

2 used Stihl 038 Super powersaws. Some maintance required. Also, used Bombardier woodsplitter, Model #6930277042.

Mail bids into tribal office to arrive no later than January 3, 1994. These items will be sold as is. Ealiest and best cash offer will be honored.

*"HAPPY HOLIDAYS" from the Staff*