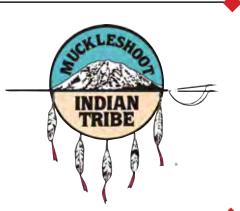


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YVONNE JOHNSON | DIRECTOR OF RESORT OPERATIONS

We are pleased to announce that Yvonne Johnson will be transitioning to the Director of Resort Operations role. We are excited for Yvonne, a Muckleshoot Tribal Member, who's career and experience began at the MIC in 1995 in the Poker Dealer Training Class. Over time, Yvonne worked as a Food Server and Beverage Server before moving to the Supervisory level in 2006 and Manager in 2008. Yvonne entered the Tribal Development Program to become the Food and Beverage Operations Manager in

2014, and movement to the present as the



Director of Food and Beverage. Yvonne is a member of the Tribal Development Program Advisory Group, Tribal School Commissioner, and various committees for the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe. Yvonne has earned her Associate of Arts Degree in Hotel, Hospitality and Tourism in 2014 and a certificate in Indian Gaming and Hospitality from the University of Washington in 2016, rounding out her education with an externship with Columbia Hospitality and Four Seasons in 2018-2019. We look forward to Yvonne's collaboration and contribution to the development and construction of the Muckleshoot Casino Resort.

Claudia Kauffman announces bid to regain State Senate seat

Former State Sen. Claudia Kauffman has decided to throw her hat in the ring in an effort to regain her old 47th Legislative District seat in this fall's election. A Democrat, she was previously elected in 2006 and served until 2010.

Claudia, as she is better known at Muckleshoot, is a longtime tribal employee, working with federal, state and local governmental entities as MIT's Intergovernmental Affairs Liaison. Prior to coming to Muckleshoot, she was a top aide to the late and legendary Bernie Whitebear at United Indians of All Tribes Foundation in Seattle.

"I come from a working class family with a long history of giving back to our community," she says. "I bring a wealth of experience that no other candidate has in this race and I am ready to run and do the hard work that is necessary for the campaign. I want everyone in our district to have access to opportunities and resources for our working families, small businesses, and the community of the 47th Legislative District."

Her announced opponents in the August 2 primary election, as we go to press, are Bill Boyce and Satwinder Kaur, both Kent City Council members. The 47th District includes parts of Kent, Covington and Auburn. The top two finishers in the primary will square off in the November 8 general

As a Senator, Kauffman successfully championed legislation and policy to protect children, address equity and improve public education. She emphasizes that her wide range of leadership experience in state government, policy and budgets will be extremely beneficial to the 47th District as it loses two of its three current legislators.

Senator Mona Das, D-Kent, winner of a squeaker in 2018, decided against running for a second term. In addition, veteran State Rep. Pat Sullivan, D-Covington, is retiring after 16 years in the House, making the need for strong leadership in the district all the more urgent.

Kauffman said she is running to bring focus to some of the most pressing issues facing our state: public safety, housing affordability and education. She's been a foster mother to 10 children, and has advocated for foster children, developmental disabilities, and for the improvement of access, equity and inclusion in education

Numerous current elected leaders have endorsed Kauffman, including State Rep. Debra Entenman, D-Kent (47th District); Secretary of State Steve Hobbs; State Sens. Bob Hasegawa, D-Seattle and Joe Nguyen, D-West Seattle, and State Reps. Sharon Tomiko-Santos, D-Seattle and Noel Frame,

The Muckleshoot Tribal Council and the

Muckleshoot Fisheries Commission have

worked tirelessly for generations at the

federal, state, county and local levels to

protect and enhance the ancient salmon

in these efforts often take many years of

to see two good salmon stories like these

come out at the same time.

patient work to come to fruition, so it's nice

runs within the Tribe's U&A. Successes



Claudia Kauffman

D-Seattle.

Kauffman is a longtime resident of South King County and has a long history of public service in addition to her legislative career. She served on the Green River College Board of Trustees and is past chair of the Seattle Indian Services Commission, to name just a few. Her numerous awards include the Champion for Children Award from WA Children's Alliance and the Governor's Award of Excellence for a Lifetime of Volunteering from Gov. Christine



Green River Restoration Project

King County tore out a levee near Auburn. Now the salmon are returning

By Nicholas Turner Seattle Times climate reporter

GREEN RIVER, east of Auburn - Alternating bouts of sunshine, rain and hail Tuesday morning couldn't hide the signs of life along this river, where natural habitats have been given a chance to recover thanks to the recent completion of a major restoration project.

The \$6.5 million effort – one of the largest of its kind on the Green River –

began more than five years ago with King County's removal of an old levee. This, along with the installation of natural blockages, not only reduced flood risk but also rejuvenated aquatic habitats by making the channels slower and deeper.

The removal of the levee opened three channels previously blocked from the river and a flood plain spanning nearly 30 acres. Soon after the removal, all kinds of animals – birds, beavers, otters



Howard Hanson Dam at Eagle Gorge on the Green River.

'Big victory' for salmon habitat: Fish passage at dam on Green River gets \$220M boost

By Lynda V. Mapes Seattle Times environment reporter

Fish passage at the Howard Hanson Dam east of Auburn has received a \$220 million federal funding boost that will help unlock more than 100 miles of salmon habitat on the Upper Green River.

The money was secured as a priority project for the Army Corps of Engineers under the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, U.S. Sen. Patty Murray announced Mon-

day. Passed last summer, the bill President Joe Biden signed in November authorized \$1 trillion in spending on roads, bridges, high speed internet, ports, dams, waterways, drinking water infrastructure and more across the country.

Murray, a Democrat, has been pressing the Corps, which built and operates the earthen embankment dam, to make fish passage a priority.

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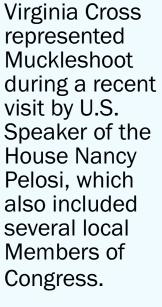
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Tribal Chairman Jaison Elkins is shown here with two respected elder leaders of the Tribe, Merle Barr Sr. and Dennis Anderson Sr. Merle is the longtime Chairman of the Muckleshoot Gaming Commission and Dennis is Muckleshoot's Shaker Minister. Both are former Tribal Council members as well.



Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi

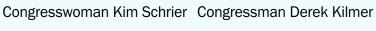




Congressman Adam Smith

Congresswoman Susan Delbene







Got Oysters! Elders that would like a bag of fresh oysters, please call Beatrice Jansen at the Fisheries office at 253-876-3335



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40 YEARS-PLUS! Four highly esteemed Muckleshoot tribal employees were honored at the Casino Events Center on May 9, 2022 for service to the tribe spanning more then 40 years each. L-R: Fay Moses, representing her father, Stanley; Walter Pacheco, Donna Starr and Rita Martin. We raise our hands to you!

A Tribute to Stanley Moses Jr.

The following speech was given by Councilman Jeremy James at the employee honoring event held on May 9, 2022.

Good evening everyone, it's a pleasure to be here tonight!

I am here tonight to honor and acknowledge Mr. Stanley Moses Jr. also known as "Sut Moses"

Stanley, on behalf of the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe and the Muckleshoot Tribal Council we truly appreciate you for your life long services and dedication to this tribe.

Even though we are celebrating 47 years of service, we all know you started fighting for tribal members' rights before 1974. With your wisdom and guidance, you helped organize and lead a group of leaders to evolve into what we now call the Fish Commission. You never quit or gave up and you still continue to serve and provide insightful leadership and guidance.

So many things have been accomplished by you and your team throughout the 47 years. There are too many things to list, so we will only mention a few for the sake of time:

1st, in the early 1970's you participated in



Stanley Moses' daughter Fay and Councilman Jeremy James.

the protests during the Fish Wars leading up to the Judge Boldt court case. Many of these protests didn't end well, and Stanley and others ended up in jail. This selfless act gives you an idea of how dedicated and serious he was about fishing rights. The tribe ended up winning the court case and we re-affirmed our right to take fish legally.

- Stanley was involved with the development of our tribal hatchery programs. He lead the way to increase hatchery production at Keta Creek and White River. He is most proud of the **chum** program at Keta Creek and the **spring chinook** program at the White River.
- Next, in the early 90's you helped lead the way as we opposed the Elliott Bay Marina project. Even though they built the marina against our wishes, we still took them to court and won the court case. We set the precedent to the Army Corps of Engineers to make sure that the tribe gets to review any permits to do in-water work. To this end, the tribe's fisheries programs are staffed with highly qualified professionals that review every single permit application that could impair our fishing access.
- Lastly, you helped negotiate the **minimum** water flows regimes for three different river systems. We have agreements in perpetuity for the Green River, White River and Cedar River. Maintaining these water flow regimes is critical for spawning and salmon

Stanley also served for many years as a Muckleshoot **Tribal Council Member**. For some of those years he was the vice-chairman of the tribe. The work that they did in those days was extremely important, and paved the way for us younger leaders.



Stanley Moses

The one thing that was a game-changer was the introduction of **Indian Gaming**. Stanley was big on gaming and he was on the team that got the bingo hall started in the 80's and also got the casino going in 1995. Our casino provided the much-needed funding to improve our life styles by way housing, education, health care and employment. Today our Tribe has some of the best programs in the nation.

Stanley, we can't thank you enough for all the work you've done for this Tribe. Thank you for all your commitment, dedication, and sacrifices. You truly made a difference in this community. We would like to show our appreciation for you and honor you with a blanket and plaque. Thank you for 47 years of service!

> MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL COUNCIL Statement Regarding the **Duwamish Organization Lawsuit**

Read at TheRealDuwamish.org

The lawsuit filed on May 11, 2022 by the Duwamish Organization is

without merit and is yet another

other federally recognized Tribes

that are comprised of Duwamish

attempt to appropriate the history and culture of the Muckleshoot and

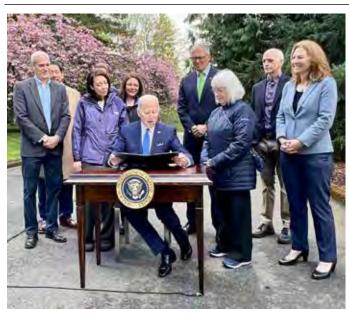
(Stan was unable to attend, and his blanket and plaque were accepted on his behalf by daughter Fay Moses.)



Educating and informing area elected leaders is an essential function of tribal leadership

It's critical for elected leaders in our region to engage with Muckleshoot so they can better understand our issues and find ways to collaborate. Muckleshoot Tribal Council members recently met with City of Seattle leaders at Seattle City Hall for a very productive meeting.

Shown, from L-R: Claudia Kauffman, Seattle Mayor Bruce Harrell, Tribal Vice-Chair Donny Stevenson, Seattle City Council President Debora Juarez, Tribal Councilwoman Anita Mitchell, Tribal Chairman Jaison Elkins, Tribal Councilwoman Jessica Garcia-Jones, MIT Public & Government Relations Manager Madrienne White.



Happy Earth Day my fellow Muckleshoot people! It was nice to see fellow tribal leaders and our local elected leaders with President Biden as he signed a proclamation for Earth Day. It was an honor to represent our people in this event that took place in our ancestral homeland.

Jaison Elkins



descendants.

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White House rolls out Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP) to increase Internet access

Special provisions included for those living on tribal land

The White House has announced that 20 internet providers will offer low-cost or free internet service to low-income households in an effort to boost connectivity across the country.

An estimated 48 million households — about 40% of U.S. households — are eligible for the benefit under the \$14.2 billion Affordable Connectivity Program. Through the initiative, eligible internet subscribers could cut their monthly internet service costs by up to \$30, while eligible households on tribal land could receive up to \$75 per month.

According to the Federal Communications Commission, nearly 16 million Americans don't have access to a fixed broadband internet connection. In rural areas, nearly one-fourth of the population does not have access. In tribal areas, nearly one-third of the population lacks access.

"When we connect people to high-speed internet, we connect them to opportunity – the opportunity to live healthier, happier and more prosperous lives," Vice President Kamala Harris said in a news conference announcing the new program.

HOUSEHOLD

SIZE

INCOME

\$27,180

\$36,620

\$46,060

\$55,500

\$64,940

\$74,380

\$83,820

\$93,260

Here's what to know about the Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP) including how to find out if you qualify and how to apply for the benefit.

Who is eligible? Households are eligible if their income is at or below 200% of the federal poverty level, or if a member of the household participates in other federal programs, including: the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Federal Public Housing Assistance (FPHA), Veterans Pension and Survivors Benefit, Pell Grant and Medicaid.

A household is considered a group of people who live together and share income and expenses. They are not required to be related to each other. The benefit is limited to one per household and is non-transferable.

How do you apply? You can claim your benefit online by visiting the White House website GetInternet.gov. There, you can fill out an initial questionnaire that will then direct you to an FCC online form. Applications can also be sent by mail. Forms in English and Spanish can be found on the White House website. If you have an existing service provider that is participating in the program, you may need to apply through the company's application process. A full list of existing service providers is included.

To apply, you will need to provide either your Social Security number, a tribal identification number or another government identification, including driver's license, military identification, passport or taxpayer identification number.

What is the internet speed? Under the plan, internet providers are providing a minimum of 100 Mbps download speed — considered fast enough for a typical household of four people to video conference, stream movies or TV and more.

Who are the participating internet providers? Companies in Washington state include: AirVoice Wireless, Assurance Wireless, Boost Mobile, Culture Wireless, Culture Wireless, Declaration Networks (NeuBeam), Easy Wireless, enTouch Wireless, Excess Telecom, Fast-Mesh Internet, Gen Mobile, human-I-T, Inland Cellular, Locatel Communications, Native Network, North American Local, PCs for People, Q Link Wireless, Red Pocket, Selectel Wireless, StandUp Wireless, SWA CONNECT, TerraCom, Tone Communication Services, Torch Wireless, TracFone Wireless and TruConnect.

Need a discount for a computer, tablet or other device? Households eligible for ACP can also receive a one-time discount of up to \$100 to purchase a device like a laptop or tablet, with a copay between \$10 to \$50. To get a discounted device, contact a participating company.

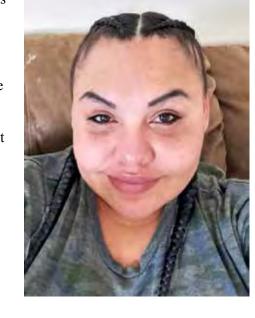




Heather May Leonard

Heather May Leonard was born to loving parents Delrena Courville and Richard Leonard Sr. on October 5, 1990 in Auburn, Washington. She died at the early age of 31 on April 27, 2022 in Seattle, Washington.

Heather spent her 32 short years living in Auburn and dedicating her life to family and the pursuits thereof, bringing to life four beautiful souls. Heather was close with not only her family but her friends as well, spending hours poring over their favorite tunes, building playlists, and dancing.



Professionally, Heather worked tirelessly for her tribe, being employed by the Muckleshoot Elders for many years. She was a bright, vibrant person loved by many, taken too soon.

Heather May Leonard is survived by her sons Raiden, Traidein, and Michael; Daughter Kaylena; Father Richard Leonard Sr.; Brothers Stanley Leonard, Richard Leonard Jr., Milliam R. Leonard, Charles Leonard, Amos Courville, Leo Russell, and Jonathan Rodarte; Sisters Mary Leonard, Bambi Leonard, Celeste Faye, Crystal Courville, Kellie Jo Leonard, Connie Courville, Tiffany Laplante and Crystal

Heather May Leonard was preceded in death by her mother, Delrena Courville; Sister, Kathleen Eyle; Grandparents, Del and Connie Courville and Mary and Jerry Emery.

Heather Nicole Riggs

Heather Nicole Riggs, better known as Nicole, was born to biological mother Miralee Lopez on May 25, 1973 in Santa Rosa, California and swiftly adopted by eager parents Curtis Riggs Sr and Evelyn Godwin. Together, they raised Nicole in Crescent City, California, making every effort to connect her with her native heritage via the Yurok Tribe off the Klamath River.



Nicole spent 38 happy years there, however, she still felt something was missing. In 2011, after the passing of her best friend and confidante, her grandmother, Nicole returned to her biological tribe and, with great excitement and anticipation, accepted her place among the Muckleshoot community.

Professionally, Nicole dedicated herself to tribal work, most recently at the local casino. Heather Nicole took immense pride in her community, wanting only to contribute to its growth and prosperity believing that raising the tide raises all boats. .

Nicole was compassionate, generous, fun, outgoing, intelligent, she loved her husband and her fur babies with all her heart. Nicole was a beautiful person inside and out. She always made sure her loved ones were taken care of. Nicole loved kicking back watching daytime TV especially when it came to Sunday night football. She enjoyed reading and looked forward to learning new things. Nicole loved to be on the road and taking pictures of new adventures she went on!

Nicole sadly left this world on April 24, 2022 in Auburn, Washington. The void she left is unfillable.

Heather Nicole Riggs is survived by her parent: Evelyn Godwin, husband Edward Carranza, stepdaughter: Brianna Carranza (Nicholas Serrato), grandchildren: Amia Serrato, Avianna Serrato, and Arrius Serrato, and siblings.

Preceded in Death by father: Curtis Riggs Sr., and brother Curtis Riggs Jr., and biological mother, Miralee Lopez.

Funeral Services were held on April 29, 2022, after which she was laid to rest at the New White Lake Cemetery.

Marie Grace Mitchell

March 10, 1992 ~ March 28, 2022

Marie Grace Mitchell passed away on March 28,2022 at the age of 30. She was born March 10, 1992 in Auburn, Washington to her loving parents, Angela and Larry Mitchell and was a lifelong resident of Auburn.

Marie enjoyed her Muckleshoot Elk House membership and Tulalip Longhouse to her fullest extent. She savored the atmosphere of her local Powwows and relished in regular canoe journeys. Marie Grace also found the joy of creativity in coloring and quite respite in the detail of beadwork.



About eight years ago Marie and Louie found each other. Her family just got bigger as Louie's took her in as their own. Marie and Louie became inseparable, always together. A sweet and tender soul, Marie

Grace knew the greatest gift of all: to love and be loved.

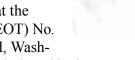
Marie Grace Mitchell is preceded in death by her Great Grandparents: Wally and Marie Paul, Alexander and Dorothy Williams; Grandparents: W. Johnny Williams and Cynthia Paul-Williams, Matilda Joe and Lawrence Mitchell Sr.

Marie Grace Mitchell is survived by her Parents: Angela and Larry Mitchell; Grandparents: Phillip Powderface; Brothers: Gary Lemere and Edward Mitchell; and Nephew: E.J. Mitchell; Niece: Francesca. Boyfriend: Louie Miller. Other Momma: Vee Jansen

Domnor Norenso

Domnor Norenso, 44, of Oakville, Washington, died on Feb. 23, 2022, at Providence St. Peter Hospital. He was born on Nov. 15, 1977, to Domnor Norenso and Starla Starr in Centralia, Washington.

Domnor enjoyed smoking, telling stories, going to the casino, listening to music especially rap, going on adventures and driving around with his boys. He worked at the End of the Trail (EOT) No. 3 in Grand Mound, Wash-



ington, as a store clerk and had many customers.

Domnor is preceded in death by his sister Tomasena Norenso, brother Eli Starr, grandma Violet, Papa Ben, Aunty Lucy Goosy, and poor Aunty Wilma.

He is survived by his two sons, Trey and Tyler Norenso, his mother TC Starr, and his girlfriend Maria Adams.

Services were held on March 1, 2022, at the 1910 Indian Shaker Church in Oakville, Washington.

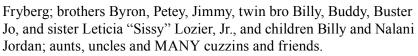
Bobby Jordan Fryberg

Bobby Jordan Fryberg was born in Tacoma, Washington, with his twin brother Billy Jake Fryberg on April 21, 1990 to Leticia "Tisha" Lozier (Muckleshoot) and

Boozer Fryberg (Puyallup). Bobby Passed away unexpectedly on March 25, 2022 at the young age of 31.

Bobby loved fishing, playing basketball, working construction, watching the Seahawks, following the Canoe Journeys, playing his video game and going to casinos.

Bobby is survived by his Gramma Elaine "Doy" Sandoval and hs Gramma Diane George; parents Tisha Lozier and Boozer



Bobby's services were taken care of by the Muckleshoot Shaker Church Brothers and Sisters and he was laid to rest at Puyallup Indian Tribe's Cemetery on April 4, 2022.

Bobby will be greatly missed, but NEVER FORGOTTEN!

Sharlene Mae Jackson

Sharlene Mae Jackson of Black River Falls, Wisconsin passed away on April 26, 2022 at the Mayo Hospital in Eau Claire, Wisconsin. She was 59.

Shar was born on August 30, 1962 to Benjamin Lenard Jackson and Beatrice Marjorie Jackson in Tacoma, Washington. She attended Hawthorne

Indian school in Tacoma, and aftwarward lived on the Muckleshoot reservation for a number of years, where she worked at the bingo hall. She then moved back to Tacoma and worked at the Puyallup Tribe's Bingo Palace, and later at Emerald Queen Casino, for a combined total of 20 years with the Puyallup Tribe. It was during those times that Shar met her future husband, Thomas Octuck.



Shar has six children: Delbert Starr, Jolene Starr, Clifford Starr, Frankie Starr, Jaxene Hall (Joe), and her youngest, Justin "Turtle" Meachem. She had 11 grandchildren and 1 great-grandson. Her five living siblings are Jenny McCloud (Eddie), Claire Jackson, Pete Jackson (Vickie), Lori Joseph (Andy) and Dennis Jackson (Joanne).

She was preceded in death by her Dad, Benjamin Lenard Jackson, her Mom Beatrice Marjorie Jackson, Benjamin Jackson, Jr., Bea Olney, Julia Jackson, Cindy Jackson, and her first son, Delbert Starr.

Services were held in Tacoma on May 12, followed by burial at Mountain View Cemetery in Auburn, Washington.



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SEATTLE-BASED DUWAMISH TRIBAL ORGANIZATION (DTO) IS A GROUP OF DESCENDANTS, NOT A TRIBE

By Madrienne White, Muckleshoot Tribal member

[Prior to accepting her new position as Muckleshoot Tribal College Administrator, Madrienne was the Tribe's Intergovernmental Affairs Program Manager for many years. In this capacity, she dealt extensively with the DTO issue, including the currently running



Madrienne White

on area TV stations. She has submitted this article in her capacity as a concerned Muckleshoot Tribal Member.]

The video, Muckleshoot - Defending Our Duwamish Heritage on YouTube takes an important look at our culture and heritage tied to our Duwamish ancestors.

For those that may support Federal Recognition of the Duwamish group in Seattle, I invite you to see the issue through a different lens... Muckleshoot as the legal successors of the Duwamish.

To begin, our people weren't originally called members of the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe. There was no such thing. The word Muckleshoot is actually a place name given to a specific area where our reservation is located. The tribe came to be known as Muckleshoot.

But we are descendants of Duwamish ancestors that came to this reservation. There were other local bands of Natives that came here too, including the Skopamish, Smulkamish, Stkamish, Tkwakwamish, and Yilalkoamish.

These bands and villages were tribal systems in place by which our ancestors governed and associated themselves. Each having highly evolved kinship networks, governing structures, alliances, territories, etc.

Once the reservation system took effect and impacted the social structures, these bands and villages became amalgamated. Our people became known by the reservation name rather than their original band or village name.

FUN FACT: The Suquamish and Muckleshoot reservations were specifically designated for Duwamish people. There are Duwamish descendants at other federally recognized tribes in the area as well i.e. Tulalip, Lummi, etc.

The Duwamish group in Seattle would allow you to believe the Duwamish were deprived of getting a reservation and deserve recognition based on their Duwamish ancestry and "tribal" status. But you can already see there is a discrepancy in their argument regarding the reservation status.

Additionally, the organization applying for Federal recognition is a voluntary association. Much different than a political, legal, and Governmental entity. One of the eligibility requirements for Federal recognition is, the applicant must prove that it maintained its governmental structure and status over time. The Duwamish group of Seattle has failed to meet this requirement. This group in Seattle calling itself the Duwamish Tribe is actually more like a non-profit organization.

The group has been denied for decades and over several administrations for failure to meet Federal Recognition requirements, including the one just mentioned – a very fundamental baseline for Federal Recognition. Their group may have members that indeed carry Duwamish ancestry, but that doesn't automatically make them a Federally Recognized Indian Tribe. Federal recognition goes deeper than descendancy. For example, you couldn't get a group of French people together and then start calling them France!



This is a nuanced issue worthy of consid-

eration and not just blind support to check a box that says "I support Native issues."

Furthermore, this is about the integrity and protection of tribal sovereignty and treaties. This is also about the acceptance, normalizing, and minimizing of Cultural appropriation and identity theft in our Native community.

The Duwamish group is hijacking Muckleshoot heritage and taking advantage of the public's desire to support Native issues and communities. They're using a public relations strategy and communications campaign to serve their highly problematic agenda and gain public support; for example, coaxing people out of \$\$\$ through their "Real Rent" on-line program to perpetuate their false and flawed narrative to gain undeserved Federal

It's an outrage and an attack on our Muckleshoot tribal government, heritage, and

Finally, the implications of this issue go far beyond Muckleshoot and our generation. We need to continue to elevate this issue together and protect our treaty rights and tribal sovereignty for the generations ahead.





Seattle City Council President Debora Juarez, Blackfeet (center) with Muckleshoot Tribal Councilmembers Virginia Cross and Jessica Garcia-Jones. Jessica's daughter Farrah is in front in this 2019 photo.

Missing and Murdered Indigenous Persons Remembered on May 5th

By Debora Juarez, Seattle City Council President

On May 5th we marked another Missing or Murdered Indigenous Persons (MMIP) Awareness Day, a day on which we remember the victims and hold their families in our hearts. It's a time to renew our commitment to work with Tribal Nations and Native communities to achieve justice and healing.

Seattle City Council sought to address the MMIP epidemic after the 2018 landmark report from the Urban Indian Health Institute (UIHI), which identified Seattle as the city with the highest number of unsolved cases of missing and murdered indigenous women in the nation. It also highlighted inconsistencies in the data collection and reporting methods by law enforcement across all levels of government.

In September 2019, I sponsored Res. 31900, which was approved unanimously, acknowledging the city's responsibility to address the MMIP epidemic with material resources. Also in 2019, our Seattle city budget included provisos to allocate resources to address these cases. Our city became the first in the nation, to my knowledge, to pass legislation with real teeth to address MMIP.

Since then, we've seen progress on the federal and state level. WA State Rep. Debra Lekanoff and State Attorney General Bob Ferguson have been instrumental in improving our response statewide, and U.S. Secretary of the Interior, Deb Haaland has also made this a priority for her office as well.

Next month in my committee, we will get our first report back on how our initial investments have improved our internal data collection to help us respond more quickly, and achieve justice for our Indigenous community members.

I encourage you to think about how, as a community, we can all continue to protect, defend, and stand up for Indigenous people. We must work towards a future where victims, their families, and communities can see justice and begin to heal.



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SUQUAMISH TRIBE STATEMENT IN OPPOSITION TO FEDERAL RECOGNITION OF THE DUWAMISH TRIBAL ORGANIZATION

by Suquamish Tribal Council

Citizens of the Suquamish Tribe, located across Puget Sound from Seattle, have always fished, hunted, and lived in the central Salish Sea, including on lands that now make up the City of Seattle.

More than half of our tribe is made up of Duwamish people. Many of them have expressed their dissatisfaction at the case made by a select group of Seattle and King County residents who claim to represent all Duwamish people in a recent call on Congress for federal recognition of the Duwamish Tribal Organization (DTO). The claim by these residents discounts the identity and contribution of the Duwamish people who are full citizens of the Suquamish Tribe and other area tribes.

We are frustrated that many Seattleites are joining this call knowing little of the history and circumstances that led to today's impasse. Those who wish to demonstrate respect for Native people should start by learning the full story from area tribes.

Here is the history that is important context for this debate:

Chief Seattle lived much of his life at Old Man House, a winter village on the Agate Pass shoreline across from Seattle now known as Suquamish. Seattle's father, Schweabe, joined Chief Kitsap in leading the construction of Old Man House, which is well-known for being the largest traditional cedar longhouse in the Pacific Northwest. This is where Seattle, his family, and tribe lived and hosted large, intertribal ceremonies. Today Chief Seattle is buried in the Suquamish Tribal cemetery here on the Port Madison Indian Reservation.

In 1855, Chief Seattle signed the Treaty of Point Elliott on behalf of the Suquamish/Duwamish people. The treaty, and the negotiations with federal officials that followed, made provisions for reservations at Port Madison (Suquamish) and elsewhere in the Puget Sound region (including the Muckleshoot Reservation.) The United States established and later enlarged the Port Madison Indian Reservation to accommodate the Suquamish and Duwamish people.

Many Duwamish families joined us here on the Port Madison Reservation while others chose to live on the Tulalip, Muckleshoot, or Lummi reservations to join relatives and support the tribal governments on each reservation. This was not unusual - many tribes are confederations made up of multiple peoples. (For example, the Yakama Reservation is home to 14 separate tribes and bands.)



Suquamish Citizens Today

Today, the majority of our elected Tribal Council of seven are Duwamish people. All of our Suquamish citizens, including those who are Duwamish, are fully recognized by the federal government and by our own governance, and enjoy treaty fishing and hunting rights, full constitutional rights to vote and run for office, and they receive the services that the tribal government provides to all of our citizens. We have many respected elders who are Duwamish people – including Cecile Hansen, who has carried the title of DTO chairwoman since 1975, while also receiving the full benefits of Suquamish citizenship.

Similar stories play out on other reservations where Duwamish people are citizens. Our opposition to the DTO's current campaign for congressional recognition grows out of this history.

We resent that this campaign discounts and ignores the multiple ways the Suquamish Tribe incorporates and acknowledges our Duwamish citizens within our social, cultural, economic, political, and spiritual activities.

This frustration is further sharpened by the lack of transparency in the governance of the DTO. When asked, DTO leaders refused to give us any assurances that they would permit our Duwamish citizens to join their Tribe if they are recognized. We are disappointed that DTO claims to be "the host Tribe for Seattle" and discounts the legal, cultural, and historic presence the Suquamish and other area tribes have always had on the lands and waters of both sides of Puget Sound.

Campaign for Congressional Action

To be clear: The Suquamish Tribe did not take a position when the DTO made their case for recognition before the Interior Department. The Interior Department process is better equipped to weigh the

important legal and historic nuances of such a decision, and we stayed out of the process believing it would be thorough and fair. Indeed, after many years of examining the DTO's application, and hearing appeals, the Interior Department rejected federal recognition.

Congress, on the other hand, is not the right place for this decision on federal recognition due to the technical nature of DTO's recognition, especially when neighboring tribes are in opposition. Federal recognition should not be granted based on emotion, charity, or the latest political

It must be evaluated through analysis by the federal government's historic and cultural expertise, with court review as needed. The Interior Department process concluded that the DTO is not an Indian Tribe. The Suquamish Tribe does not support relitigating the question of DTO federal recognition through Congress.

We hope that those who support the nonprofit aims of the DTO understand that recognition is not necessary for many of the initiatives the organization seeks to accomplish. Moreover, for those eligible for enrollment, the Duwamish people have opportunities for recognition through their enrollment in other area tribes.

In addition to DTO, those who want to provide meaningful support for Native people might consider supporting the Chief Seattle Club, American Indian College Fund, Native American Rights Fund, and our own Suquamish Foundation.

Blind support for congressional recognition of the DTO has serious consequences for the Suquamish and the other neighboring tribes who are the original inhabitants of Seattle and the surrounding area. Perceived justice for a few, at the expense of the region's sovereign tribes, is not justice for all.

Signed,

SUQUAMISH TRIBAL COUNCIL

Chairman Leonard Forsman Vice Chairman Joshua Bagley Secretary Windy Anderson Treasurer Denita Holmes Sammy Mabe Luther "Jay" Mills Jr. Rich Purser

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Lots of Progress to Report at White Lake

By Jeremy James

I stopped by the White Lake today to check on the progress of the project, and everything is going very well. The two floating docks have been placed and needs only the bull rails installed. One dock is wheel chair accessible. The signs have been placed on both sides of the lake.

A portion of the lake on the north side has been prepared for hydro seeding. It's going to look good with grass in that area rather than the invasive sticker bushes. The trail system that goes all the way around lake is being planned and should be underway very soon.

Also we will be adding picnic tables and BBQ pits around the lake. We have portable bathrooms and garbage cans placed around the lake.

The last thing I wanted to mention is that the lake still has plenty of fish. In the future, the tribe will be organizing some type of grand opening with a big fishing derby associated with it.

This place is starting to look like a beautiful park setting. I am very proud and excited by the progress being made at our historic White Lake.

Have a great day everyone!















King County tore out a levee

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and salmon – began returning to the site "almost instantly," according to Josh Kahan, King County basin steward for the Green River, who joined a cadre of reporters, experts and officials Tuesday on a tour of the area to commemorate the project's completion.

"We started seeing small fish come into this channel almost immediately after construction," he said. Construction began with the removal of the levee in the summer of 2018. "We started seeing large numbers of fingerlings come into these channels that they were excluded from."

A representative of the Muckleshoot Tribe, which has treaty-protected fishing rights on the Green River, proposed the site be named cakwab, pronounced "chock-wob," a fitting title that means "to bring something to the water."

The levee that used to impede this segment of the Green River was nearly a third of a mile long and 60 feet wide. For years it blocked access to river channels that gave salmon and other fish an escape from seasonal

Trees that had been growing atop the levee were removed and distributed throughout the plain and now are potential habitats for rearing salmon. Revetments, or retaining walls, and logiams can minimize erosion and flood risk.

"We have really altered this landscape a lot over many decades and centuries, and we have an obligation to make it better," Christie True, director of the King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks, said Tuesday.

King County Executive Dow Constantine joined the tour, saying that with millions of people living on the land it was our job "to work with nature to restore these systems to as natural a state as possible."

Together, the Lones Levee setback and flood plain restoration project could breathe new life into one of the region's most important bodies of water.

King County wraps up salmon restoration project on Green River Green-Duwamish watershed Levee removed

The Green River, a 65-mile-long tributary born of the western slopes of the Cascades, boasts one of the top three salmon runs in the Puget Sound region.

The river flows into the Duwamish River before it reaches Puget Sound. Chinook, steelhead and other salmon species use it as a spawning ground before setting out for the ocean, where orca depend heavily on salmon for survival.

Salmon restoration efforts won a major victory last month when an additional \$220 million in federal funding was secured for fish passage at the Howard Hanson Dam along the Green River east of Auburn. The passage would help unlock more than 100 miles of salmon habitat.

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, which found the dam jeopardizes the survival of both threatened Puget Sound Chinook



Green River

and endangered southern resident orcas, said the fish passage must be operational by 2030.

Salmon have been blocked from the upper Green River since the early 1900s, when the Tacoma Headworks Diversion Dam became operational.

The restoration project commemorated on Tuesday, below the dam, is part of a larger effort to make the Green River more accessible as a watershed, not only to salmon and killer whales but for the ecosystem in its entirety.

Kahan said the total cost of the project could reach \$7 million but, moving forward, monitoring the site to gauge the impact of the project will be key. Traditionally, county staffers are dispatched to sites before, during and after such projects. Doing so will help researchers understand the long-term ecological and topographical effects of the levee removal and habitat restoration.

'Big victory' for salmon habitat

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The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, charged with both salmon and orca recovery, ordered in 2019 that fish passage be operational at the dam no later than 2030. Present operation of the dam without fish passage jeopardizes the survival of both threatened Puget Sound Chinook and endangered southern resident orcas, the agency found.

"My job is to make sure the federal government understands that local priorities like the Howard Hanson Dam need to be federal priorities," Murray said in a news release.

"This funding will go a long way in our fight to save the salmon, opening up miles of critical habitat," she said. "This is a big victory for the Muckleshoot Tribe, our salmon and orca, the entire Puget Sound, and all of Washington state."

The tribe has treaty-protected fishing rights on the Green River, which flows into the Duwamish, and has invested heavily in salmon recovery.

Rep. Kim Schrier, a Sammamish Democrat, also celebrated support for the project.

"I am over the moon excited," Schrier said in an interview. "It is so incredibly gratifying that something we have been pushing so hard for got funded. It checks all the boxes: it's bipartisan, and it's a huge environmen-

Completed in 1962, the dam is intended to reduce flooding and provide flows for salmon, municipal water supply and ecosystem restoration. It has prevented \$21 billion in flood damage in the Green River Valley, according to the Corps.

Chinook, coho and steelhead have been blocked from access to the Upper Green since the Tacoma Headworks Diversion Dam first went into operation in 1913 to supply water for Tacoma.

The diversion dam is just 3 miles downstream from the Howard

Hanson Dam, and has already been improved with a trap for adult fish passage. Fish captured in the trap will be trucked above the dams to the upper watershed, once passage for juveniles is operational at Howard Hanson.

The fish-passage project could open even more habitat for Chinook and coho salmon and steelhead than the celebrated Elwha Dam removal project, the largest in the world. The Howard Hanson Dam would remain intact while passage doubles the amount of spawning habitat available to salmon and steelhead in the watershed – and open all of the best of it for the first time in more than a century.

The Green is one of the most important salmon rivers in Puget Sound, and a prime Chinook producer for southern resident orcas. Lack of regularly available, adequate salmon is a one of several factors driving the orcas to extinction, scientists have determined. Getting salmon back into the Upper Green has been singled out by salmon advocates as the biggest potential boost for salmon production in Central Puget Sound — and therefore could help save the whales.

The project also is very important for Tacoma Public Utilities and other local government partners that already have invested more than \$400 million in water-system improvements, anticipating additional water supply that would be available upon completion of the project.

The dam was part of a more than centurylong effort, still underway, to tame floods in the Green-Duwamish watershed, which includes the cities of Tukwila, Renton, Kent and Auburn; the second-largest warehousing district on the West Coast; and industrial development throughout the Duwamish Waterway in Seattle.

There is no political controversy about providing passage for salmon at the dam. Rather, the problem has been getting the work done on time, and on budget.

The project is complex. Juvenile salmon migrate near the surface of the



2019 photo of stalled Howard Hanson Dam fish passage tunnel. (Steve Ringman Photo)

water column – which fluctuates in height by as much as 100 feet during the spring migration. Collecting fragile baby fish from such a moving target is a big design challenge.

The Corps began construction on passage at the dam in 2003. But work stopped in 2011, when the Corps projected its spending was going to balloon past what Congress had authorized. The Corps spent about \$108 million, including a 100-foot-deep excavation.

The project stalled so long, the Corps had to secure new authorization from Congress to reboot planning for the project. At the urging of the Washington congressional delegation, the agency in 2020 set aside \$3 million in its work plan to develop a design and budget for the project – which now has funding to proceed.

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Canoe Awakening 2022

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Smoked Fish

Hello everyone! I wanted to give a BIG THANK YOU to all of AWTP participants for stepping up and learning our culture of smoking salmon, you all did a outstanding job, you all learned real quick and started the process until it was finished. I know this process is time consuming, slimy, and sometimes cold as heck out!

Learning this process of one of our oldest traditional way of smoking fish is such a good feeling for me, fully knowing our younger generation took part and contributed time for this, and also the staff who took part and/or allowed the participants engage in the process.

As I young boy I watched and learned this process and never once did I think I was going to be teaching it. I am grateful for my grandma EVE JERRY(KIYAH) AND MY FATHER PETE JERRY, and also all the other homes in our community who smoked fish. In the 70's, almost every family in Muckleshoot had smokehouse by their homes.

Thank you my people for always practicing our way of life and how it still lives on in our blood... Esperanza Estrada, Anthony Crombie, Patrick Daniels, Leo Daniels, Simone Daniels, Taylor Ciunci, Roberto Garcia Zamora, Chayne Buchanan, Olivia Elkins, Floyd Gonzales.

Our ancestors are happy to see the young folks practice what was just a part of our culture and survival, so when you see young folks practicing way of life tell them how happy it makes you to see they are carrying on our culture. One thing I must say is I was never taught to sell smoked fish – we are supposed to give it away so it keeps coming back in abundance!

For those who did receive smoked fish from AWTP participants, I hope you enjoyed their hard work, and I am looking forward to next season to teach again!

Mike Jerry, Sr.





































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Muckleshoot Open House 2022 Department of Education



Pictured, back row: Instructor Raj, Roberta Tecumseh, Marissa Marsette, Pam James, Zachary Burnes; front row: Chika, Juanita Edwards, Loretta SoHappy.

SO PROUD OF OUR CNA **CLASS GRADUATES!**

By Roberta Tecumseh

I'm proud of all of us! We did it! Yay! Good job guys! Another step closer to becoming a certified nursing assistant. This photo shows us after we received our certificates at the graduation ceremony with our Renton Technical College CNA class! I got to meet and work with some awesome students. We looked out for each other, and we all made a good team! I'm so proud of you all! We had a great instructor.



Parents, Guardians, Staff & Students ...

We need you!!

Any journey begins with just one step. But without a clear picture of the destination, that step could be in the wrong direction.

The journey to school improvement and student achievement is no different. Everyone involved - Tribal leadership, administrators, teachers, parents, students, and members of the community need to develop a focused image of the long-term goal for what the Tribai School will be. This concept, known as shared vision, fosters success because everyone becomes part of the process, understanding and believing in their role in the day-to-day pursuits of helping students learn in productive ways. All have ownership in that ideal and are committed to doing the hard work to achieve that collective vision.

The first step is to gather information from everyone involved and look for common themes, ideas and dreams to build our vision around.

Please yo the survey link below and let us know your thoughts, ideas and dreams to help guide our work.

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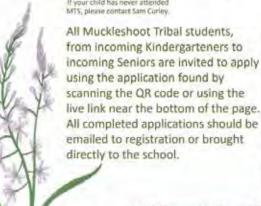


Summer Learning Academy Incoming Kindergarten through High School

July 11 to Aug 5

*with an additional week for K-5 August 1-12

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2022 Muckleshoot Tribal Graduation Dates All MIT Ceremonies Located at Muckleshoot Casino Events Center

Head Start Graduation

Thursday, June 9, 2022

Ceremony time: 10:00-11:00 am Meal: Gift Cards To Be Provided

Muckleshoot Tribal School

Kindergarten Graduation

Thursday, June 9, 2022 Ceremony time: (1:00PM-

2:00PM) Meal: Gift Cards To Be Provided

5th Grade Graduation

Thursday, June 9, 2022 Ceremony time: (4:00PM-

5:30PM) Meal: Gift Cards To Be Provided

8th Grade Graduation

Friday, June 10, 2022 Ceremony time: (11:00AM-1:30PM)

Meal: Gift Cards To Be Provided

12th Grade Senior Graduation

Friday, June 10, 2022 Seating starts at TBD Ceremony time: (5:00PM-7:00PM)

Meal: Gift Cards To Be Provided

*All areas will be thoroughly sanitized between each ceremony.

Enumclaw School District

June 15th, 2022 @ 6:30PM Auburn Memorial Stadium

Auburn School District

Auburn High School June 18th, 2022 @ 6:00PM Auburn Memorial Stadium

Auburn Riverside June 18th, 2022 @ 2:00PM

Auburn Memorial Stadium Auburn Mountainview June 18th, 2022 @ 10:00AM Auburn Memorial Stadium

West Auburn June 18th, 2022 @ 12PM

Auburn High School Performing Arts Center

Honoring Our Native American Graduates

5th, 8th, 12th Grade Students Wednesday June 8th, 2022 @ 5:30PM-7:30PM Auburn High School

All Muckleshoot/Native Student Senior Graduation Presentations to Tribal Council

Thursday, May 19th, 2022 @ 10:00AM

Muckleshoot Adult and **Higher Education** Graduation

Thursday, June 16, 2022 Seating starts at 5:30 pm Ceremony time 6:00-9:00 pm

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Muckleshoot Tribal School

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Muckleshoot Tribal College

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Shoutout to the lone senior Hazen in his last regular season baseball game at MTS as a King!



CEDAR HEADBAND CLASS. Making headbands for our Muckleshoot Early Learning Academy Head Start Graduates.







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Career College Education Opportunities Program

"Where youth have the opportunity to explore and intern in potential career fields"

RE-OPENING SUMMER 2022

We will begin accepting completed applications for the summer 2022 work session:

May 1-May 31, 2022

There will be in person interviews and CCEOP Staff will contact all of the selected applicants to schedule an appointment .

June 6 - 10, 2020 from 5/84 - 3024

Muckleshoot Tribal Members, 14–18,

who are currently enrolled in school. Application is a first come, first serve basis.



2022 SUMMER SESSION DATES:

July 6th, 2022

August 17th, 2022

ABOUT PROGRAM

The Muckleshoot College and Career Education Opportunities Program provides: Quality career development, credit retrieval opportunities and educational workshops to our Muckleshoot youth, and descendants of.

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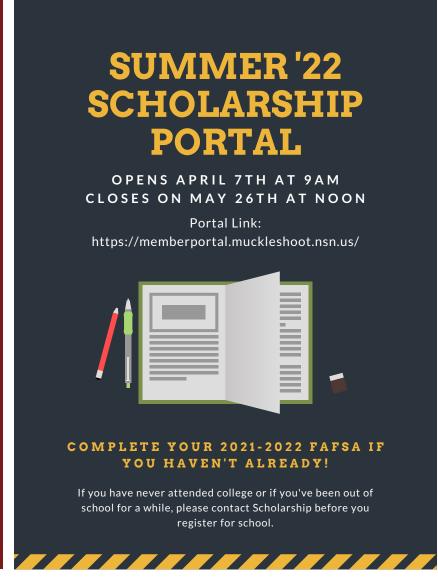
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Meet Patrick Eagle

My name is Patrick Eagle, and I am a new academic affairs instructor for the Muckleshoot Tribal College. I have lived in Washington, Minnesota, California, and Hawai'i. Two years ago, I moved back to Washington to help my father. He is my *hero*.

My education background includes English, writing, mathematics, psychology and higher education administration. I have worked for Hawai'i Pacific University and Seattle University. At these institutions, my roles have ranged from academic advisor to adjunct instructor to administrator.

One of my first responsibilities at the college is to continue the tradition of *The Muckleshoot Journal*. This journal seeks to discover and present artistic gifts from our community. In the past, these valued offerings have been organized thematically.

First edition: Compelling Reflections.

Second edition: Traditional Foods.

Third edition: Traditional Foods.

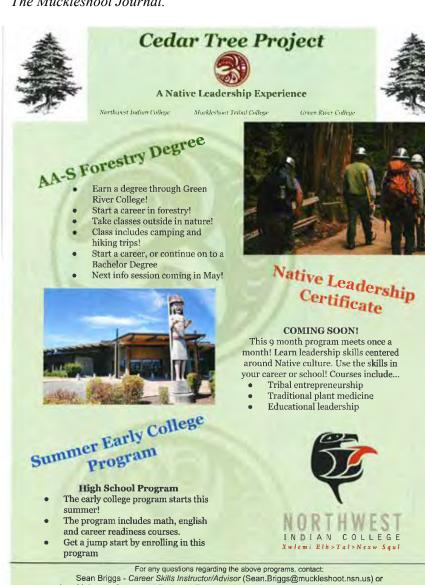
Fourth edition: Our Culture through Our Stories

Fifth edition: Honoring our Elders

Sixth edition: Plants

I am asking our Muckleshoot community to email me: (patirck.eagle@muckleshoot.nsn.us) with thoughts on themes for our seventh edition of *The Muckleshoot Journal*.

Patrick Eagle





A Message from Victims' **Advocate Maureen Moran**

Hello, my name is Maureen Moran. I started working in the Victim Services Program in February of 2022. Through my employment with the tribe I have worked with many tribal and community members on many different levels. I was drawn to the program in hopes to aid in the healing of tribal members and community.

With the clients I have currently assisted I have aided them in navigating their journey in a multitude of ways from grocery shopping, Legal aid, transportation, to getting dry

wood for a fire. I have enjoyed every step of the process because I feel like I am helping, even if it is a small task. Many of the clients have been reluctant to ask for assistance, even if the request was minimal, but I am more than happy to help because it gives me purpose and I feel like I am contributing back to our community.

When I first started working for Victim Services Program I participated in the Advocacy for Rookies training course. The best lesson I took from this training is that an advocates clients are the drivers of their own bus. Clients invite you on their bus to assist them to reach their next destination, but they can ask you to get off their bus at any time.

I have kept this in mind when working with clients. When they come in for an Intake they are inviting me onto their bus. I will assist in helping them reach their destination by giving them the resources and direction they need. When we have reached their goals and have achieved everything I could help them with, I kindly get off.

Something I hope that the client takes from meeting with me is that whenever they need me I am available at the next stop for them to pick me up. I am happy to help as much or as often as needed. Clients come into a judge free zone, no matter the choices they make. I am excited to help in any way I can.

In April I was gifted the opportunity to go to Arizona and participate in the Addressing Family Violence and Abuse training hosted by NAFFA (Native American Fatherhood & Families Association). During this training Albert Pooley taught how to address family violence by using a cultural centered approach.

Surprisingly this approach was not far off from what I was initially taught as a child, but it did give deeper meanings as to how and why Native Americans understood the family dynamic differently. The training spoke about the importance of both



Maureen Moran

the father and the mother. How the Mothers and Fathers need to work together for the same goals to become stronger as individuals and in turn a stronger family unit.

As many of us know there are many obstacles in our way to prevent us from being able to achieve this goal, such as addiction, violence, and abuse. Many Native Nations have forgotten our core values that were instilled in us from our ancestors. Our paths have been lost and we have to fight to bring them back. Many of the teachings touched me to the core.

As Mr. Pooley was reading through the material I was able to indicate a few lessons that I could utilize in my own home, as well as use them at work to assist clients.

I am currently working on Victim Assistance Training Online which is a National Advocate Credentialing Program. This program covers the basis of all different types of victim advocacy. Here at the Muckleshoot Victim Service Program we don't only help victims of Domestic Violence. We help victims of Identity Theft, Bullying, Teen Violence, Abuse (mental, physical, emotional and economical), child abuse, Assault, Human Trafficking, Impaired Driving, stalking, and property crime. Any form of abuse where an individual needs assistance navigating through it we are here to assist with it.

This training has been ongoing since I have started in my position, but it goes in depth about a wide arrange of topics. I have enjoyed going through the modules and learning as much as I can. In educating myself on these topics I better understand the best way to assist clients. The information that is the most shocking in this training is the percentage of people affected. It's a surprisingly high number of people who have been a victim of a crime in one form or another. It is my hope that tribal and community members know that they don't have to face these situations alone anymore.

I have realized for most people it is the very first step that is the hardest. Once that step is made moving forward is much easier. I am thankful to be learning as much as I have over the last few months. It has always been a goal of mine to offer back to my community as much as I can. If you know anyone who can benefit from my assistance, please have them reach out to me or my supervisor for assistance. We are more than happy to share our wealth of knowledge with everyone.

Thank you, Maureen Moran



Victim Services station at HWC

Victim assistance providers perform many roles

court accompaniment, advocacy

within human services, child and

adult protective services, hous-

ing assistance, public assistance,

the criminal and juvenile justice

systems, information and refer-

ral, intermediate and long-term

support services, case planning,

The victim assistance providers at Muckleshoot Indian Tribe are individuals working to respond to the mental, physical, financial, social, emotional, and spiritual needs of crime victims and survivors. We do this directly or through other departments within the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe or outside agencies depending on the needs of the person

We offer intervention, risk reduction, and prevention services to both direct and indirect victims and survivors of crime. These crimes range from personal and property crime to acts of terrorism or mass violence.

Victim assistance providers perform many roles, including advocate and support for individual victims/survivors and their families, public educator, trainer or peer mentor to other professionals, consultant to justice personnel and health care providers, administrator of victim service programs, and social-change activist within departments and the community.

Typical services and tasks performed by victim assistance providers include crisis intervention, safety planning, assessment of basic victim/survivor needs, assistance with compensation and restitution applications, provision of information about victims' rights and the criminal justice process,

staff supervision, consultation with other professionals, education and risk reduction, legislative reform and social change, and administration of victim service policies, programs, and activities.

If you have services you would like to see offered through our program or if you have ideas, questions, information or need assistance please feel free to contact our program.

Muckleshoot Victim Services

Christine Mandry, Victim Services Specialist 253-876-2910

Maureen Moran, Intensive Case Advocate 253-876-2980 or email us at victimservices@ muckleshoot.nsn.us

Workshop & Training Program

Workshop & Training funds enrolled Muckleshoot Tribal Members on a biennially basis (once every 2 years) to attend any educational and wellness workshops, conference, or training. The funding is to cover registration fees, travel expenses, lodging, per diem and shuttle fees, application must be submitted at least 30 days prior to the event for approval.

Hours 9:00am 5:00pm

If you have any questions email at: Laurie.Williams@muckleshoot.nsn.us 253-876-3381 Dena.Starr@muckleshoot.nsn.us 253-876-3147



INTERCULTURAL CHILDREN & FAMILY SERVICES KINSHIP PROGRAM

ATTENTION: NSHIP CAREGIVERS!

Are you an African American or Native American Kinship Caregiver living in King County? The Kinship Alliance of King County is here to support and provide resources for Kinship Caregivers in King County. If you are in need of services please give us a call 253.754.0471



Muckleshoot Victim Services Program Pierce County YWCA:



If you or someone

close to you needs

Help call

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Tara Howe

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Auburn, WA 98092 Muckleshoot

Tribal Court Annex



(253)383-2593 (24 Hour)

Family Renewal Shelter

(253)475-9010 (24 Hour)

Puyallup Tribe DV Advocacy Program

(253)680-5499 (24 Hour)

Helping Hands (Puyallup)

(253)848-6096

Pierce County Coordinated Entry

211 (24 hour)

King County

YWCA: (206)461-4882 (24 Hour)

New Beginnings:

(206)522-9472 (24 Hour)

Life Wire: (425)746-1940 (24 Hour)

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Thurston County

Safe Place: (360) 754-6300 (24 Hour)

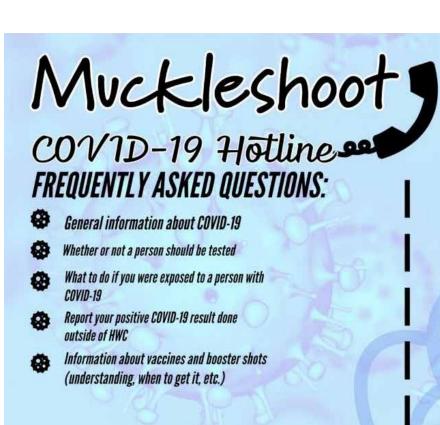
Crisis Connections 1-866-427-474

National Domestic Violence 24 hour Hotline 1-800-799-7233



Facial Masks will only need to be worn at the Muckleshoot Health Clinic, Dental Clinic, Pharmacy, MINDCARE Clinic, Optical Clinic and Business Office.

Masks will be optional in all



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Muckleshoot Health & Wellness Center Medical Clinic Providers:





Osteopathic Physician

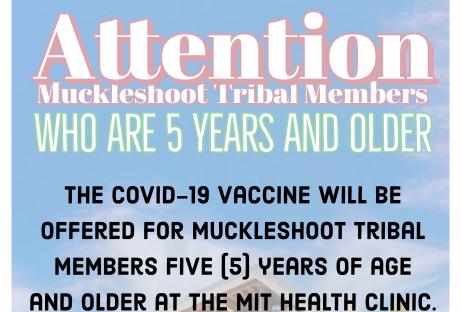


Osteopathic Physician





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Please call the HWC Medical Clinic to make an appointment at (253) 939-6648

> Switchboard Hours: Monday - Friday 8am to 5pm Closed for lunch | 12pm to 1pm





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deaths in King County.



FENTANYL WARNING

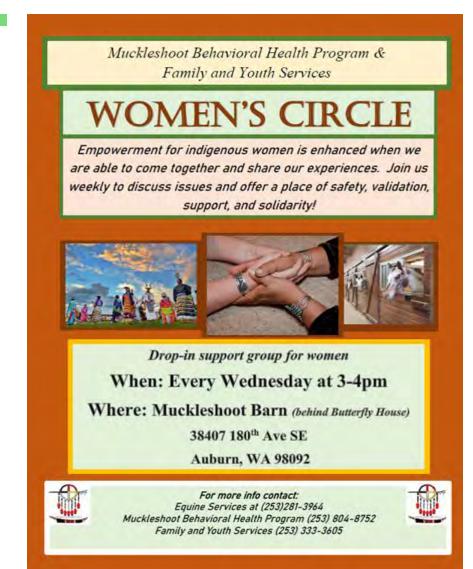
Fentanyl is causing an increasing number of

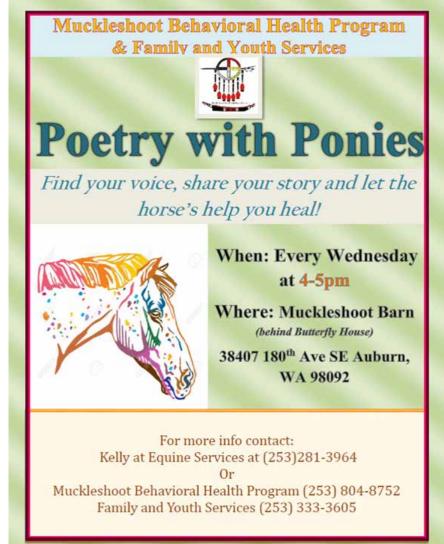
Most drugs can be cut with fentanyl.

Fentanyl has been found locally in fake

oxycodone pills & in white and blue powders.







Muckleshoot Needle Exchange Program

Health

Muckleshoot Behavioral

New Service Requirements COVID-19 precautions must be adhered to (temperature taken, checklist questions, masks must be worn) Mobile unit available by request with 24 hour prior notice

Needle Exchanges at MIT Behavior Health Hours: Monday thru Friday- (9 AM-12 PM, 1:00 PM-4:30 PM) This is a non-judgmental service for Injection Drug Users.

Call/Text (253)350-5021

Muckleshoot Behavioral Health **Presents Free Community-based Narcan Training**

YOU NARCAN III SAVE LIVES

Presentation can be in person or via Zoom Limited capacity of 5 to conform with social distancing requires pre-registration

Any Questions or to Sign Up

Contact Julia Joyce at **Behavioral Health** (253)804-8752 x3207 julia.joyce@muckleshoot-health.com



Drugs pictured here were found at overdose death scenes in King County and tested positive for fentanyl.











TRIBAL DISABILITY PROGRAM

Starting April 4th any enrolled Muckleshoot tribal member who is

· Verification of tribal membership

Social Security

currently receiving SSDI or SSI as a disabled or blind person can apply for the Tribal Disability Benefit. Members need to provide the following

· Current verification letter(dated within the last 30 days) from

Starting April 11th any enrolled Muckleshoot tribal member who has applied for SSDI or SSI but was denied and is within their timeframe for appeal can have their case reviewed by the Tribal Disability Program

Any correspondence to or from Social Security, including your

Starting April 18th any enrolled Muckleshoot tribal member who would like assistance applying for SSDI or SSI can receive assistance. Members

 Information on medical conditions, providers seen, medications, employment history, education history, and information on

military service. Additional information may be necessary to

Contact Sara Moore, Disability Benefit Navigator at

253-939-6648 x 3438 to schedule your appointment

attorney. Members who have applied for benefits but have not received a determination can also have their applications reviewed.

Members need to provide the following information:

· Verification of tribal membership

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Verification of tribal membership

complete your application.

application for SSDI or SSI





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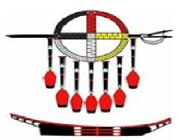


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BEHAVIORAL HEALTH





PROBLEM GAMBLING RESOURCES

Muckleshoot Resources Behavioral Health Gambling Outreach

Julia Joyce, MA, MS, SUDP, LMHCA, WSCGC-I is available Monday through Friday 8am-5pm Call and setup an informational session (253)804-8752 x3207

Problem Gambling Recovery Support

Friday 6-7am https://zoom.us/j/6371473814?pwd=UGpUUFc2ZFQ4YnF3eUNSc1hvSWxtdz09 Call In Number Meeting Code Sunday6PM (PST)/9PM (EST)712-770-5338 836083 # Sunday9PMHelp@gmail.co Monday6PM (PST)/9PM (EST)712-770-4925 554671 # Monday9PMHelp@gmail.com Tuesday6PM (PST)/9PM (EST)712-770-4943 253824# Tuesday9PMHelp@gmail.com Wednesday6PM (PST)/9PM (EST)712-770-4160 611704 # Wednesday9PMHelp@gmail.co Thursday6PM (PST)/9PM (EST)712-770-4981 872853 # Thursday9PMHelp@gmail.com Friday6PM (PST)/9PM (EST)712-770-4996 595094 # Friday9PMHelp@gmail.com Saturday6PM (PST)/9PM (EST)712-770-5335 491301 # Saturday9PMHelp@gmail.com

State/National Resources

Washington State Gambling Helpline 1-800-547-6133 Gamblers Anonymous www.gamblersanonymous.org/ga/ Gamanon www.gam-anon.org

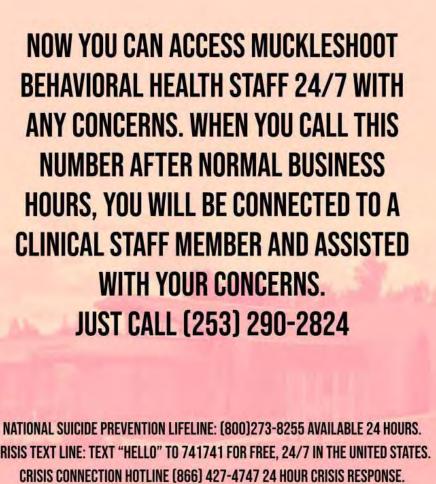


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MUCKLESHOOT BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROGRAM

NATIONAL SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE: (800)273-8255 AVAILABLE 24 HOURS. CRISIS TEXT LINE: TEXT "HELLO" TO 741741 FOR FREE, 24/7 IN THE UNITED STATES.





Muckleshoot Messenger P14 May 12, 2022

MOVING ON:

Madrienne Accepts MTC Administrator Post

I'm reaching out to say farewell. After 13.5 years in the Intergovernmental Affairs department at Muckleshoot, Tuesday April 26th was my last official day as the Government and Public Relations Manager. Although I'm leaving the department, I won't be far. On May 2, I began working with Denise Bill, the Adult and Higher Education Executive Director at the Muckleshoot Tribal College.

I'm very excited about and looking forward to learning, sharing, engaging, and making new connections. I'm also proud and overjoyed to be supporting adult and higher education within our community. Education and knowledge is so empower-



Madrienne White

ing! It opens many doors for our people, tribe, and generations to come. But leaving Intergovernmental Affairs is definitely bittersweet. Work-

ing in IGA has been enriching professionally and personally, I appreciate every opportunity, challenge, and experience. Helping to advance legislative agendas, protecting tribal sovereignty, engaging with community, managing the charity fund, developing communication strategies, and representing and advocating for our people has been an honor and a I'm also very grateful for the extraordinary connections privilege. I've made over the years working with tribal council, tribal departments, and staff. Also, with the broader community, governments, institutions, organizations, etc. I'll always cherish the learning moments, memories, and friendships and I'll carry them with me as I begin my path at the Tribal College.

I raise my hands in gratitude and respect to the whole IGA team, especially my colleagues, the Honorable Claudia Kauffman and Mr. Sean Daniels, for your years of partnership and support. You are tremendous resources and I have every confidence you will help lead IGA into further success and development as you continue to support the department and the Tribe.

With that, I'd like to thank everyone I've worked with over the years, your continued partnership, engagement, and contributions have helped shape me as a professional. But I look forward to the new path in my career to continue learning and developing and perhaps our paths will cross again in my new capacity, supporting Muckleshoot Adult and Higher Education.

huỷ labcəbut - Farewell, watch over yourself,

Madrienne White

HUMAN TRAFFICKING IS ON THE RISE

In this time of rising awareness of Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women (MMIW), we should be aware that Human Trafficking is one of the fastest growing crimes in the world. An estimated 40.3 million people are enslaved by human trafficking. From domestic servitude, to sexual exploitation, to forced marriages, women and girls make up 71% of victims. One in four victims is a child.

Muckleshoot Transit Safety is committed to helping end Human Trafficking in our community, and will be stepping up patrols this summer around transit stops throughout the Muckleshoot reservation and our surrounding area of operations.

If you or someone you know is being forced to engage in any activity and cannot



leave – whether it is commercial sex (including prostitution) housework, farm work, or any other forced activity – call 911 or the National Human services. Victims of human trafficking are protected under U.S. Law. For your safety and protection, All calls are CONFIDENTIAL. Call

Stay Alert and Be Safe, Rob Johnson Lead Transit Safety Officer **Muckleshoot Transportation**

Robert Johnson

Trafficking Resource Center Hotline at 1-888-373-7888 to access help and 1-888-3737888 or Text "BeFree" to 233733.

Phone: (253) 457-3034



NARF Celebrates 50th Anniversary

The Native American Rights Fund (NARF), which has long been the pre-eminent protector of Native Rights, recently marked a half-century of fighting the good fight. Honoring the Past and Protecting the Future is their motto.

Leo J. LaClair, pictured here, was active when NARF was just getting its start, winning a land dispute over ownership of the bed of the White River. Leo went on to serve on NARF's board of directors for 13 years. Virginia Cross also served on the board for many years, and Muckleshoot Councilman Louie Ungaro is a current NARF board member.

NARF's founder and CEO, John Echohawk, is a warm friend and has been an honored guest at Muckleshoot on numerous occasions.

Leo's wife Kay and Louie Ungaro are also seen in the photo, which was taken by son Leo V. LaClair.

2022 FIREWORKS ORDINANCE UPDATE Summary of Changes

The Tribe recently amended the Fireworks Control Ordinance which regulates the sale of fireworks on the Reservation. The changes in the Ordinance are effective immediately and will govern the sale of fireworks during the upcoming 2022 fireworks season. This article is intended to get the word out that there are a number of changes to the Ordinance.



This article highlights substantive changes but is not a complete list of the applicable regulations. Therefore, if you will be engaged in fireworks business on the Reservation, you are strongly urged to carefully read this article, as well as the new 2022 version of the Fireworks Control Ordinance so that you are familiar with the law. It is important to remember that fireworks businesses must comply with all applicable laws.

Change #1: The minimum distance between fireworks stands shall be reduced from 15 feet to 5 feet.

Change #2: The retail season has been shortened to June 10 to July 5, 2022. No stands may be placed prior to May 27. This is a slight adjustment from the 2021 regulations.

Change #3: The required \$250 cleaning deposit has been converted into a non-refundable \$250 fee.

If you have any questions regarding tribal fireworks regulation, permitting, or enforcement please direct them to the Fireworks Administrator.

Hailey Mathias Haileyjoel6@icloud.com 360.707.8258

Praying from the Heart Changes You

Jesus is there, and if you'd reach out and pray His Holy Name He hears. Prayer is powerful, and in today's lost world it is needed. Praying from the heart changes you.

I would, in these trying times we live in, encourage you to take time to pray, because Jesus has time for you and it would be wonderful if, by choice, you make time for Him. He loves you unconditionally, just who you are and where you are.

"The Lord will command His loving kindness in the daytime, and in the night His song shall be with me, a prayer to the God of my life." Psalms 42:8

Until the next time, prayers for each of you, and prayers for our Reservation. I encourage you all to take time to pray.

God Bless,

Chaplain Effie Tull



The new hotel has topped out.







Please join us for Baby Group!

Who: Babies 0-18 months & their parent/guardian

When: Every Tuesday 11:15-12:00PM

What: Story time, cultural singing, a Support Services guest speaker will discuss a variety of topics, including areas of child development. They will answer specific questions as well.

Why: Monitor your child's development and stay connected to peers, and prepare your child for Birth to Three toddler class.

How: Attend in person or a zoom link will be sent to your email or phone.

Natasha Sheldon (Parent Liaison/FRC) MECE Support Services Desk Phone: (253) 294-8008 Work Cell: (253) 329-8250 Natashasheldon@Muckleshoot.nsn.us





Birth to three & Support Services

What is Birth to Three? The Muckleshoot B3 Program serves Native American children birth to

three years of age, B3 provides a safe nurturing environment that promotes the language, physical, social/emotional, adaptive and cognitive development of young children, as well as providing them accessible local early intervention services for native infants and toddlers with disabilities. Native American children have the opportunity to explore their Native

Sign up today with QR code below!



What is support services?

The Muckleshoot Early Childhood Education Support Services Program provides accessible local therapy services for Native infants, toddlers, and preschoolers (0-5)



Enroll today!

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The YDP is now open!

After a two-year hiatus, the Youth Development Program opened its doors for after-school programming on March 21st! The turnout has been incredible as the participant numbers grew daily for the first few weeks. Our current daily attendance average far surpasses pre-pandemic participation. We have welcomed back so many youth, as well as gained a whole new group of younger participants. It has been truly amazing to watch these kids grow, and we are so happy to have them back in the program.

Spring break at the YDP was a huge success! The YDP 's Youth Facility and Teen Center adjusted program hours to accommodate Muckleshoot Tribal School and Auburn School District's spring breaks, which ran for 3 weeks. Weekly field trips were offered as well as daily STEAM, cultural, social emotional learning, be active/ be fit, and awareness activities. A healthy breakfast, lunch, snack, and dinner were also offered during spring break.

Afterschool programming has also been very well received. The YDP's Youth Facility and Teen Center offer planned activities and programs daily. The computer lab and outside time are youth favorites. Power Hour at the Youth Facility and Unplugged at the Teen Center give participants the opportunity to focus on fun STEAM and SEL activities in a large group setting. The Youth Facility and Teen Center also offer planned activities in smaller groups daily.

The YDP currently offers a monthly field trip on Wednesday evenings. The YDP's most recent field trip to Bowlero in Tukwilla was also a huge success and set a record for school year participation with over 90 participants!

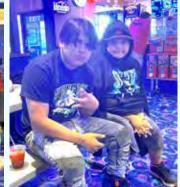
For the remainder of the school year, the YDP is open Monday



through Friday, provides health snacks and/or meals, and transportation home (by request and within boundaries). Operating hours are; Monday-Thursday open 3:00 and close at 8:00 and Friday open at 12:00 (for MTS early release) and close at 6:00. The YDP is open on modified hours on Muckleshoot Tribal School's PBL days, opening at 7:00 am and closing at 6:00 pm; a pickup is conducted at 10:00 am, by request only. The YDP is looking forward to YDP Summer Camp 2022!











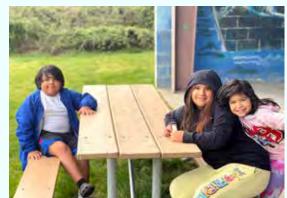


























Now accepting applications for 2022-2023!

The Muckleshoot Private School Assistance Program (PSAP) will pay for the following items:

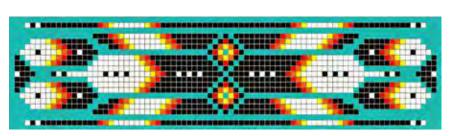
- 1. Application fee- two application fees per academic year
- 2. Deposit fee
- 3. Testing fees

4. Transportation **CONTACT US TODAY!** 253-294-8032 Amy Castaneda

253-876-3382 Marie Marquez

Note: Prior to requesting funds, please contact our office to ensure that the private school you are interested in does meet the program eligibility guidelines.







Contact Information for the MCFS Program

Address: 1220 "M" Street SE

Auburn, WA 98002

Main Phone:

Fax:

253-833-8782

253-876-3095 CPS Intake Hotline for afterhours Call of Concern

> report of neglect/abuse: 1-866-ENDHARM (363-4276)





MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL COUNCIL

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TAX FUND RESOLUTION 22-078

TO APPROVE TRIBAL COUNCIL COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

WHEREAS, the Muckleshoot Indian Tribal Council is the duly constituted governing body for the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation by authority of and is herein acting solely pursuant to its constitution and bylaws approved May 13, 1936 by the Secretary of the Interior, and as amended June 28,1977 and not pursuant to its Indian Reorganization Act Corporate ratified October 31, 1936: and

WHEREAS, Article VI.1.g. of the Tribal Constitution and By-Laws empowers the Tribal Council to appropriate and expend Tribal funds; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has reviewed the Committee Appointment listing for 2022-2023 which is attached and incorporated by reference; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has set the effective date of the Committee Appointment listing as April 12th, 2022; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe that the attached Committee Appointment listing, including all policy notes contained within the materials, are hereby approved; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe that the Tribal Finance Department is hereby authorized to expend Tax Funds for payment of all Committee Fees and that no further resolution is needed for this purpose.

CERTIFICATION

As Secretary of the Muckleshoot Indian Tribal Council, I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly adopted at a Regular meeting of the Tribal Council on the 12 day of April , 2022, held on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation, Auburn, WA, at which a quorum was present by a vote of _ 4 _ for, 0 against and 0 abstentions.



Tribal Council Chairman/Vice-Chairman

Health Services

Housing

KingGeorge, Warren

Garcia-Jones, Jessica

Mitchell, Anita Williams, Charlotte Barr Sr., Merle LaClair, Sharon

Nelson, Eli

Courville, Olivia

Elkins, Jaison	Chair
Garcia-Jones, Jessica	Vice-Chair
Daniels Jr., John	TC Liaison
Simmons, Andrew	
Barr Sr., Merle	
Starr, Susan	
Mault, Marcia	

Chair Vice-Chair

TC Liaison

Elkins, Paula Maldonado, Rosa

Miller, Silas

Smith, Greg

Pow-Wow

Garcia-Jones, Jessica

Jansen-Benavidez, Cody

White, Madrienne

Ortiz, Aletha

Williams, Charles Miller, Henry James, Bear Escalon, Tiffany

Anderson, Julia

Personnel

Jerry Sr., Mike Stevenson, Donny

Garcia-Jones, Jessica

Stevenson, Donny	Chair
Moses, Fay	Vice-Chair
Calvert, Kenneth	
Barr Sr., Merle	
Sheldon, Jeff	
Simmons, Tyrone M.	
Taylor, Christine	
Calvert, Chuck	
Hoffer, Les	

Hunting & Wildlife

Anderson, Rosemary

Jerry Sr., Mike	Chair
Daniels, Melvin	Vice-Chair
Anderson Sr., Dennis	
Jansen, Brysen	
Miller, Henry	
Hoffer, Brodie	
Nelson, Eli	

Muckleshoot Child and Family Services (MCFS)

Cross, Virginia	TC Liaison
Mitchell, Anita	TC Liaison
Swanson, Lonna	
Cross, Marena	
White Eagle, Gail	
Moses, Adrienne	
Martin, Lucille	
Adame, Celeste	

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Anderson, Julia	
Avila, Evan	
Benson, Tony	
Lee, LaNasha	

Culture

Daniels Jr., John	Chair
Stevenson, Donny	Vice-Chair
Ungaro, Louie	TC Liaison
Cross, Virginia	TC Liaison
Ortiz-Cross, Glorianna	
Jerry, Eva	
Jackson, Selena	
Moses, Brandon	
Ross, Mary	

Education

Chair
Vice-Chair
TC Liaison
TC Liaison

Elders

Cross, Virginia	Chair
Daniels Jr., John	Vice-Chair
Ungaro, Louie	TC Liaison
Sailto III, Charlie	
Suchan, Pearl	
LaClair, Sharon	
Ortiz, Aletha	
Montoya, Sherry	
Edwards Sr., Douglas	
Williams, Charlotte	

Preservation

Ungaro, Louie	Chair
Stevenson, Donny	Vice-Chair
Anderson Sr., Dennis	
Swanson, Jacqueline	
WhiteEagle, Gail	
Buchanan, Wayne	
Nelson, Eli	
Bellack, Valerie	
Ross, Mary	

Sla-Hal

Chair

Vice-Chair

TC Liaison

KCFD

Chair

Jerry Sr., Mike	Chair
KingGeorge, Warren	Vice-Chair
Garcia-Jones, Jessica	TC Liaison
Moses, Albert	
Ortiz, Aletha	
Mathias, Hailey	
James, Bear	
Edwards Jr., Mike (Mikey)	
Sam, Maggie	
Jerry, Corey	
Miller, Henry	
Brown, Richelle	

Smokehouse

Jerry Sr., Mike	Chair
Jerry, Lawrence T.	
Anderson Jr., Dennis	
Moses, Albert	

Spiritual / Ceremonial

Daniels Jr., John	Chair	
KingGeorge, Warren	Vice-Chair	
Berry, LeOta		
Anderson Sr., Dennis		
Moses, Douglas		
Moses, Brandon		
Williams, Charlotte		

Fish Commission

James, Jeremy	Chair
Moses, Carl (Bud)	Vice-Chair
Hamilton, Phillip	
Jerry, Donnie	
LaClair, Todd	
Vaiese, Theodore (Teddy)	
Moses Jr., Stanley	
Martin, Henry	
Anderson Jr., Dennis	
Starr, Marie	

Enrollment

Enrollment	
Mitchell, Anita	Chair
Baker, Elaine	Vice-Chair
Garcia- Jones, Jessica	TC Liaison
Swanson, Jacqueline	
Moses, Ann	
Elkins, Naomi	
Baker, Steve	
Lozier, Kallie	
Castaneda, Amy	
Bellack, Valerie	

Event Planning

Jerry Sr., Mike	TC Liaisor	
Lezard, Frankie	Staff	
Starr, Sandra		
Starr, Ginger		
Milne, Noreen		
Simmons, Andrew		
Jerry, Eva		
Stewart, Benjamin		
Moses, Cassandra		
Starr, Amelia		
Louie, Suzette		

Family Resource

Garcia-Jones, Jessica	Chair
Washington-Nelson, Melissa	
Anderson, Julia	
Jerry, Eva	
Burdette, Wendy	
Monahan, Deborah	
Simonson, Lori	

Fireworks

Jerry Sr., Mike	Chair	
James, Jeremy	TC Liaison	
Williams, Kenneth (K.C.)		
Sailto III, Charlie		
LaClair, Sharon		
Brown, Richelle		

Veterans

Herda, John	Chair
Lewis, Robert	
James, Jeremy	TC Liaison
Stevenson, Donny	TC Liaison
Bargala, Sonny D.	
Gonzales, Anthony	
McDaniel III, Jesse	
Pacheco, Robert	
Allen Jr., Robert L.	
James, Wayne W.	
Keeline, Clifford	
Simmons Sr., Robert	
Simmons Sr., Tyrone	
Barr Sr., Merle	
Nichols, Danny	
Simmons, Joseph	
McDaniel Jr., Jesse	
Johnson, Barry	
Arms, James	

Youth Development

Daniels Jr., John	Chair
Garcia-Jones, Jessica	Vice-Chair
Ungaro, Louie	TC Liaison
Washington-Nelson, Melissa	
Starr, Amelia	
Adame, Gilbert	
Jerry, Eva	
Bennett, Courtney	

School Commission

Ungaro, Louie	Chair		
Swanson, Jacqueline	Honorary Leader		
Ross, Mary			
Starr, Donna			
Johnson, Yvonne			
Bennett, Nick			
Adame, Celeste			
Miller, Silas			

Gaming Commission

Barr Sr., Merle	Chair
Stevenson, Donny	TC Liaison
Marquard, Mardee	
Swanson, Lonna	
Jerry, Ronald	
Daniels, Melvin	

Deputies were dispatched for service regarding a male subject with several outstanding Warrants for his



Those subjects listed as "arrested" or "arrested via citation" means there is enough evidence for the police to prefer charges but have not been convicted.

Weekly Recap for March 2022

03/02/2022 2344 Hours C22007194 Auburn Way S / Elm ST SE Felony Flight Deputies attempted to conduct a traffic stop on a dark SUV with no visible plates, the unknown driver of the vehicle fled the scene and due to safety a chase was not initiated.

03/02/2022 1710 Hours C22007167 14000th Blk/SE 371st PL Fire Investigation Residents contacted 911 after a fire was started in the living room of their home. This case is being inves-

03/03/2022 1451 Hours C22007286 38000^{th} Blk/172 nd AVE SE Identity Theft A case was forwarded to Detectives for further review after it was discovered a deceased person's name and credentials were recently used.

03/03/2022 1235 Hours C22007258 17000th Blk/SE 140th PL Suicide Attempt Tri-Med medics were on scene and able to transport a victim after deputies were dispatched to a Suicide attempt. The victim met the criteria for an involuntary committal and further mental health evaluations. 03/04/2022 1032 Hours C22007376 38000th Blk/172nd AVE SE Violation

A victim arrived at the Muckleshoot Police Department to notify deputies that her Court Ordered Protection Order had been violated. This report is being forwarded to King County DV prosecutors for review.

03/05/2022 1626 Hours C22007532 15000th Blk /SE 382nd PL Arrest A female was detained for involuntarily mental health evaluation after she vandalized her neighbor's

03/05/2022 00:00 Hours C22007462 15000th Blk/SE 382nd PL Deputies were dispatched for reports of a victim that was in a mental health crisis however there was no behavior being actively displayed that indicated her being a danger to themselves or anyone else.

03/08/2022 0911 Hours C22007832 16000th Blk/SE 386th Way Arson A victim notified law enforcement of a fire that appeared to have been deliberately set to their vehicle, sometime overnight. There are no suspects at this time.

03/12/2022 1820 Hours C22008403 38000th Blk/172nd AVE SE Vandalism A female victim found a window had been shattered to her vehicle, there are no suspects at this time and this is an informational case only

03/14/2022 0130 Hours C22008571 41000th Blk/177th PL SE Civil Two family members were involved in a verbal dispute over accidental property destruction. This is an informational case.

03/16/2022 2104 Hours C22008916 38000th Blk/Auburn-Enumclaw Rd SE Vehicle Recovery A female was the driver of a Vehicle reported Stolen by an outside agency; she was found to be Under the Influence and transported by WSP for a blood warrant/possible DUI charges.

03/22/2022 1404 Hours C22009587 15000th Blk/SE 376th ST Assault A juvenile female physically assaulted another female, deputies responded and took evidence for the Assault. Both the school and victim were provided with a case number and follow up protocol.

Deputies performed a traffic stop after several moving violations were observed; the male subject driving the vehicle displayed intoxicated behaviors and was arrested for possible DUI charges. 03/27/2022 1510 Hours C22010201 39000th Blk/175th LN SE

arrest, he was detained and transported to SCORE jail. 03/30/2022 1030 Hours C22010587 39000th Blk/172nd AVE SE Court Remand During a court session a Judge ordered that the defendant be remanded and detained for failing to follow the terms and conditions set forth by the Muckleshoot Tribal Court. She was transported to SCORE jail.

03/30/2022 1100 Hours C22010588 39000th Blk/172nd AVE SE Warrant A male who was attempting to have his Warrant quashed was denied by the Muckleshoot Tribal Court Judge. He was detained and transported to SCORE jail without issue.

Weekly Recap for April 2022

04/03/2022 0030 Hours C22011035 SE 416th ST/Auburn-Enumclaw Rd DWLS A female was cited and released for Driving with a License Suspension in the 2nd Degree, during a traffic

04/03/2022 1216 Hours C22011074 38000th Blk/164th AVE SE Vehicle Recovery A U-Haul pickup truck was found abandoned on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation, this vehicle was reported Stolen by an outside agency.

04/03/2022 1232 Hours C22011080 17000th Blk/SE 368th LN Welfare Check Deputies responded to a home where a male had attempted to commit suicide, he was then treated and transported to a local hospital involuntarily for further mental/medical health treatment.

04/04/2022 1310 Hours C22011198 39000th Blk/165th PL SE Law Enforcement was called after a male victim reported a disturbance with a houseguest, a hand gun was brandished and the subject left before deputies arrived on scene.

04/05/2022 1359 Hours C22011323 17000th Blk/SE 368th LN

A male subject was involuntarily committed to a local hospital for further mental health assistance after he displayed several behaviors indicating that he was a threat to himself and others. 04/05/2022 1932 Hours C22011346 41000th Blk/177yj PL SE

A female victim called 911 after she claims to have been physically assaulted by a family member. Deputies retrieved evidence from the victim and scene and this case has been forwarded for review for the consideration of RCW 9A.36.041 Domestic Assault.

04/07/2022 1208 Hours C22011586 175th LN SE/SE 400th ST Deputies were called to assist a female victim who stated she was repeatedly punched by her significant other for no reason. This case has been forwarded to prosecutors for a review of charges.

04/11/2022 1030 Hours C22012048 15000th Blk/SE 376th ST Suspicious A juvenile male was placed on Emergency Suspension at a local school after he had made threats. His parents were notified and school staff followed up with disciplinary protocol. This case in informational only. 04/12/2022 1140 Hours C22011586 41000th Blk/Auburn-Enumclaw Rd Warrant

Deputies arrested a male subject who was found sleeping in a stationary vehicle, for an outstand Felony Warrant. He was detained without issue and transported to King County Jail.

04/13/2022 2035 Hours C22012347 41000th Blk/177th PL SE A male subject was served a Domestic Violence Protection Order and found to be in violation of that order only a few hours later. He was arrested without incident.

04/15/2022 0458 Hours C22012503 41000th Blk/179th LN SE Assault An adult son assaulted his father and destroyed several items in the home while visiting. He was arrested and charged for Simple Assault.

04/20/2022 0719 Hours C22013118 38000th Blk/158th AVE SE Agency Assist Deputies were contacted from Auburn Police Department to assist them with a Stolen Vehicle due to it being found on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation. The vehicle was returned to the owner and the suspect was transferred over to APD without issue.

Muckleshoot Police Department

04/22/2022 1430 Hours C22013488 16000th Blk/SE 392nd Pl

911

It can be frightening to call 911 for emergency help, but it is important

for responders to have the necessary information to provide assistance to those in need. It is also important for you to stay

as calm as possible to assist the 911

dispatcher.

Be prepared to provide the address

you are at and/or answer all

questions to help the dispatcher find

your location

A concerned parent reported her child as Missing after she left with friends, failed to return home and her cellphone was not able to be tracked. The juvenile female was able to reach out to a family friend at a later

04/22/2022 3455 Hours C22013455 16000th Blk/SE 392nd Pl Violation A male subject was found to be in violation of a MIT Court Order, he was then arrested and transported to

Both a female and male subject who had a few outstanding warrants each were arrested and transported

04/26/2022 0933 Hours C22013863 38000th Blk/172nd AVE SE Disposal A total of twelve pills, presumably Fentanyl pills, were dropped off for disposal at the Muckleshoot Police Station. They were logged and secured in a safe place for disposal.

04/25/2022 1506 Hours C22013781 37000th Blk/146th AVE SE Burglary A female victim called to report the burglary of her home, there were several items missing from the unoccupied home. There is no suspect at this time.

04/26/2022 1800 Hours C22013950 37000th Blk/146th AVE SE Missing Person A juvenile female left her residence without permission and has yet to return. She left in a Grey SUV near her residence, witnesses were not able to get a license plate number. Detectives are investigating her

04/27/2022 1907 Hours C22014100 38000th Blk/SE 162nd CT Warrant One male subject was located, arrested and transported to King County Jail for two Felony King County Warrants.







Many Departments In One Agency Join The King County Sheriff's Office

CALL 911 WHEN EVER YOU NEED POLICE



We will be able to respond FASTER

PLEASE LOOK OUT FOR UPCOMING 911 TRAINING WITH MUCKLESHOOT POLICE! WE WILL TALK ABOUT ALL OF YOUR QUESTIONS AND CONCERNS.



Silent Witness Tip Line (253) 876-2850

If you are unsure if your situation is an

emergency, DIAL

911. If an

detected from a

non-emergency call

it will be routed to

the correct operator

for immediate response.

WHEN DO I CALL 911?



Call 911 for help if:

- When you have a Police, Fire or Medical emergency
- There is a situation that could, or does, pose a danger to life, property or both
- Any situation that requires immediate dispatch of a deputy
- If there is suspicious activity involving a person(s) or vehicle that appears to have criminal
- To report a serious crime, such a break-in,
- robbery, domestic violence or sexual assault

However, if you are not quite sure, it is better to place a call to 911 where a dispatcher can help to discern if the issue is an actual emergency call or not!

Non-emergency calls:

- To request extra neighborhood patrols
- To report a nuisance, such as loud noise or a parking complaint • To report a non-emergency crime-one that did
- not just occur, and the suspects are not in the immediate area

· Any questions about a possible suspicious,

- neighborhood criminal activity
- All general business related questions

Muckleshoot Police Department 38911 172nd Avenue SE Auburn, WA 98092



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PENTECOSTAL





Eric Soderman: (206) 396-4870

eric.soderman@muckleshoot.nsn.us

Kristina Laubner Smith: (253) 876-3385

kristina.laubnersmith@muckleshoot.nsn.us

	P	rices	as c	of 4	19	2022
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Product	Description	Type	Price	Pickup
Salmon - Atlantic - Farmed	10 lbs, 8oz portions, skin off	Frozen	\$ 85.00	M-F 8a-12p
Salmon - Sockeye - Wild/Alaskan	25 lbs, fillet, skin on	Frozen	\$ 250.00	M-F 8a-12p
Salmon - Coho - Sustainably Farmed	22.4 lbs, fillet skin on	Frozen	\$ 145.00	M-F 8a-12p
Clams - Steamers - Live	25 lbs	Fresh	\$ 95.00	Tu/Fri
Oysters - Small - Live	10 Dozen	Fresh	\$ 80.00	Tu/Fri
Oyster Meat	6 tubs, 64 oz each	Fresh	\$ 204.00	Tu/Fri
Cod Loin	10 lbs, 6 oz portions	Frozen	\$ 55.00	M-F 8a-12p
Clams - Breaded	6 lbs, 4 oz pack	Frozen	\$ 28.00	M-F 8a-12p
Crab - Dungeness Crab Sections	25 lbs	Frozen	\$356.00	M-F 8a-12p
Crab - Imitation Flakes	10 lbs, 2.5 lb pack	Frozen	\$ 35.00	M-F 8a-12p
Mussels - Whole Cooked	12 lbs, 2 lb pack	Frozen	\$ 80.00	M-F 8a-12p
Pollock - Battered	10 lbs, 2 oz portions	Frozen	\$ 48.00	M-F 8a-12p
Scallops - Dry	10 lbs, 80/100	Frozen	\$ 75.00	M-F 8a-12p
Shrimp - Panko Breaded	12 lbs - 3 lb pack 16/20	Frozen	\$ 56.00	M-F 8a-12p
Shrimp - White P&D	10 lb bag 21/25	Frozen	\$ 65.00	M-F 8a-12p
Bacon - Sliced	15 lbs, 5 lb pack	Frozen	\$ 80.00	M-F 8a-12p
Soup - Clam Chowder	16 lbs, 4 lbs per pack	Frozen	\$ 46.00	M-F 8a-12p
Squid - Loligo R&T	15 lbs - 2.5 lb pack	Frozen	\$ 105.00	M-F 8a-12p
Seaweed - Green Wakame Salad	26.4 lbs - 4.4 lb pack	Frozen	\$ 95.00	M-F 8a-12p

- **Products subject to availability
- **Prices may change without notice
- **Holidays may affect delivery/pickup time

Additional Ordering Information:

- Call or email Eric and/or Kristina for ordering
- Exact Cash or Visa/Mastercard accepted
- Clams/Oysters require prepayment and pickup/delivery available only Tuesday/Friday
- MSP pickup hours are Monday-Friday, 8am-12pm
- Casino delivery is Tuesday/Friday morning. We will call/text 30 minutes prior to delivery



Muckleshoot Child Development Center

MCDC has learned lots of fun new things! We started out learning about paper and ended with our annual science fair. During our paper study we learned what paper is used for and how it is made. The children had a fun time making paper or cutting it. We also enjoyed participating in our annual science fair activities. We hope you liked your take home project as well.

This next month we start a new study, we will learn about containers and how we use them in our day to day lives. We will also celebrate week of the young child. During this time we will be celebrating music, cooking, working together while bringing our creative side out. We cannot wait! Lastly we will celebrate Earth Day with fun activities. We will do this by upcycling a craft, start a class garden, or just take a walk and pick up recyclables.

MCDC front desk - remember to update address and phone # with your mobile carrier at 253-288-2044 or email us at MCDCReception@muckleshoot.nsn.us

You can scan our MCDC QR code for new applications and update forms.

MCDC 253-288-2044

mcdcreception@muckleshoot.nsn.us



2022 Per Capita Deadlines and Schedule January 28, 2022 - Enrollment Cut Off for March 2022 Per Capita January 28, 2022 - Deadline for New Direct Deposits to be submitted to Tax Fund

February 11, 2022 March 1, 2022

April 29, 2022

April 29, 2022 May 20, 2022

June 7, 2022

July 29, 2022

July 29, 2022

August 12, 2022

August 30, 2022

October 14, 2022

October 14, 2022

November 4, 2022

November 21, 2022

- Deadline to stop taking Direct Deposit Changes/Cancellations

- Per Capita Distribution - Enrollment Cut Off Date for June 2022 Per Capita

- Deadline for New Direct Deposits to be submitted to Tax Fund - Deadline to stop taking Direct Deposit Changes/Cancellations - Per Capita Distribution

- Enrollment Cut Off Date for September 2022 Per Capita - Deadline for New Direct Deposits to be submitted to Tax Fund

- Deadline to stop taking Direct Deposit Changes/Cancellations - Per Capita Distribution

- Enrollment Cut Off Date for November 2022 Per Capita

- Deadline for New Direct Deposits to be submitted to Tax Fund - Deadline to stop taking Direct Deposit Changes/Cancellations

- Per Capita Distribution

- Enrollment Cut Off Date for March 2023 Per Capita







We are accepting applications for child care at the Infant/Toddler Center for children ages 3 weeks old - 3 years old!

Applications available in the lobby of our center, or contact for electronic copy.

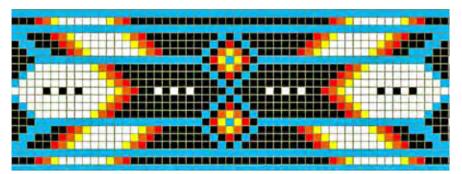
Monalisa Garcia, **Enrollment Coordinator** (253) 876-3224 Monalisa.Mendoza@muckleshoot.nsn.us

For more info contact













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EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBERS

FOR FIRE, MEDICAL, OR POLICE EMERGENCIES CALL 911 FIRST

- TRIBAL GOVERNMENT BUILDING AFTER HOURS **EMERGENCY LINE (4PM — 7AM)** (253) 561-1297
- GENERATOR ELDER AND TRIBAL GOVERNMENT BUILDING **EMERGENCY LINE**
 - Gregorio (253) 409-3885 | Brook (253)736-3891
- SECURITY EMERGENCY LINE FOR EMERGENCIES, CALL 911 FIRST THEN SECURITY (253) 261-7707
- **TRIBAL HOUSING EMERGENCY LINE** (253) 261-0779
- **PUBLIC WORKS EMERGENCY LINE** (253) 876-3030
- **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**
- Ada McDaniel (253) 261-4724
- TRANSPORTATION Phillip James | Transit Manager (253)876-3326



FREE WILL DRAFTING

FOR MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL MEMBERS, NON-TRIBAL SPOUSES, AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY



Basic Estate Planning Includes:

- Will
- Power of Attorney
- Healthcare Directive
- Disposition of Remains

Please call or email to schedule an appointment:

Law Offices of Kate Jones katejoneslaw@gmail.com (206) 370-1034

www.lawofficesofkatejones.com

Office hours are the first Wednesday of every month at the Philip Starr Building, Office #283.

SERVICES PROVIDED BY:



Law Offices of Kate Jones Wills & Estate Planning Services





Tree Removal Assistance

Attention Tribal Member Property Owners!

Any tribal member meeting the eligibility guidelines may apply for this assistance

> Please contact housing to learn eligibility guidelines

Items Covered:

- Tree Removal
- Stump Grinding (relating to tree removal)
- Lawn Restoration (relating to tree removal)
- Reimbursement (time sensitive)

For more information call Dorothy Doheny (253) 876-3027 or email: dorothy.doheny@muckleshoot.nsn.us



ATTENTION MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL MEMBERS EFFECTIVE MONDAY, MAY 2nd, 2022

Water, Sewer & Garbage will be placed with The Family Resource Center.

Please send all Water, Sewer & Garbage invoices, reimbursement request or questions to: WSG@Muckleshoot.nsn.us

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact:

Renae Ward Anderson (253) 876-3126 Kristina Jones (253) 876-3357

Minor's Trust

Applications are available outside the finance building on the forms wall. We can also email or mail them upon request.

The Minor's Trust Education Class is available online or over the phone with Providence First Trust. The class is a requirement to receive the final distribution. If you would like to sign up, please call or email your contact information. We need a good email address and phone number to sign you up.

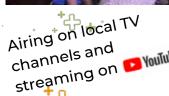
> For questions, please contact: Wahleah Wight 253-337-3236 Wahleah.wight@muckleshoot.nsn.us

Indigenous brilliance and joy on TV!



Look, Listen and Learn TV is a Seattle-based awardwinning children's television program featuring Indigenous, Black and other families of color.

Channel 21









Kaylee Mae Nelson-Jerry



Auburn WA

Missing between June 19th 2019 & early July 2019

Age 21 when missing **Dark Brown Eyes** Black Hair 5' 7" tall, 135 lbs

If seen in any city, dial 911 refer to Auburn PD case# 19-11631 or Auburn PD tip line (253) 288-7403 or Muckleshoot Tribe PD tip line (253) 876-2850

Source: Family

(5-22-21)

OFFICIAL MUCKLESHOOT SOCIAL MEDIA SITES

Here are the links to the official Muckleshoot Indian Tribe social media accounts. These profiles will be used to provide updates regarding COVID-19 news/services.



Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/pg/ Muckleshoot-Indian-Tribe-100533941592033/posts/



Twitter: https://twitter.com/social_mit

Instagram: @mit.social | https://www.instagram. com/mit.social/



The Muckleshoot Head Start Program would like to recognize the following children and their families for achieving good attendance for the month of March 2022. Children have had an opportunity to win raffle prizes of Play-doh Bundles and Students with 100% Attendance received certificates of achievement..

March 2022 100% Attendance

- Villiami Taufatofua
- Josiah Yahtin
- Melody Johnson
- Charmaine Benally
- Alexander Washington-Nelson
- Cooper Moses

March 2022 90%-99% Attendance

- Liam Moses
- Benjamin Redthunder
- 3. **Duke White**
- 4. Wanda Bennett
- Rose Montgomery
- Skyla Moses
- 7. Janine Jerry **Angel Nunez**
- Utah Serrato
- 10. James Cross
- 11. Majesty Gourdine
- 12. Valarie Lozier-Hoptowit
- 13. Felicity Miller
- 14. Major Curley
- 15. Dianara Garcia-Baker
- 16. Saniah Eastman
- 17. Bryant Emery
- 18. Lyla Moses
- 19. Bishop Redthunder
- 20. Shawn Starr
- 21. Bryon Capoeman
- 22. Alayna Lawrence 23. Solstice McCloud
- 24. Kenai Collins
- 25. Tuff Pierce

FEATHERED HEALING CIRCLE

The feathered healing circle is doing meetings by appointment for NA or AA meetings. Call and we will meet at a spot with masks and have a meeting. Call Cynthia at 253-218-5542.





























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Muckleshoot family support center

39819 Auburn Enumclaw Rd. Auburn WA. 98092 Meetings noon and 7pm daily, closed on Sunday **Lunch and dinner provided**

We offer A.A, N.A. and G.A. and the medicine wheel, we also have women's meeting's and men's meetings. Children are welcome.

Birthday meeting on the last Friday of the month

Come down and share your recovery with us.



Everyone welcome

Meetings and dates vary and are subject to change. We also have an open group on FB with dates and times

BECOME A CHILD CARE PROVIDER!

Do you love children? Have extra time on your hands?

Want to make some money? Have a clean background?

If you answered yes, we have the program for you; help our tribal families with childcare by becoming an approved childcare provider. How to become a family, friend, or neighbor provider:

Visit the Muckleshoot CCDF program at the Muckleshoot Early Childhood Education Center, located on the Tribal School Campus (15599 SE 376th St Auburn, WA 98092) and request a CCDF Home

Provider Application. Fill out the application completely and attach all required documentation including a copy of your first aid/CPR card, a valid picture ID, background check questionnaire & forms, completed W-9 form, and a copy of your social security card (front and back.)

Submit completed application to the Muckleshoot CCDF office (must have original application – no faxed applications accepted.)

A CCDF representative will contact you within three business days to notify you about the status of your application review and/ or to coordinate pre-screening. Once pre-screening requirements are met, a home-health, and safety inspection will be performed at the residence where childcare will take place.

Upon a cleared inspection you will be eligible to care for approved

Muckleshoot CCDF Families. Contact: Monalisa Mendoza, CCDF (Monday - Friday 8:00am - 4:00pm)

Phone: (253) 876-3056 * 3915 Email: Monalisa.mendoza@muckleshoot.nsn.us

IN THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE FOR THE MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN RESERVATION

Case No. MUC-PO-03/22-033 In Re the Protection of:

D.M., DOB: 09/12/1972, an elder/vulnerable adult

THELMA MOSES, DOB: 05/01/1998, Respondent NOTICE OF TEMPORARY PROTECTION ORDER HEARING ON PROTECTION PETITION

TO: THELMA MOSES, DOB: 05/01/1998 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the previously entered protection order remains in full force and effect. In

- Respondent is Restrained from making any attempts to keep under surveillance by any means, [x] the victim.
- The respondent is Restrained from making any attempts to contact with the victim by any means. including in person, through a third party, by mail, by telephone, by text message, by electronic mail or internet message or any other electronic means, except for mailing of court documents.
 - Respondent is Excluded from any place the victim may reside. Respondent is Restrained from entering or being within 100ft of the victim's residence.
- A violation of this order may subject respondent to arrest and criminal prosecution under tribal
- The protection order expires June 2, 2022, but may be renewed prior to its expiration. Next hearing: May 26th, 2022 at 11:00AM
- Parties are responsible for updating the court as to any change of service address.

SO ORDERED this 24^{th} day of March, 2022.

IN THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE FOR THE MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN RESERVATION

/s/ GARY BASS, CHIEF JUDGE OF THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE

Case No. MUC-P0-12/21-192

In Re the Protection of:

BusterJo Sampson Fryberg, DOB: 04/19/1996, Respondent

NOTICE OF PERMANENT PROTECTION ORDER

TO: BusterJo Sampson Fryberg, DOB: 04/19/1996

- E.S., DOB: 10/30/1944, an elder/vulnerable adult

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT a permanent protection order has been entered in this matter. In particu-

- The respondent is Restrained from committing or threatening to commit physical harm, bodily injury, assault, including sexual assault against the vulnerable adult and from molesting, harassing, or stalking the elder/vulnerable adult.
- Respondent is Restrained from committing or threatening to commit acts of abandonment, abuse, neglect, or financial exploitation against the elder/vulnerable adult.
 - The respondent is Excluded from the elder/vulnerable adult's residence.
- Respondent is Prohibited from knowingly coming within, or knowingly remaining within 500 feet (distance) of the elder/vulnerable adult and his or her residence and the Muckleshoot Elder's
 - Other: Community contact permitted at Elder's request.
- A violation of this order may subject respondent to arrest and criminal prosecution under tribal and/or state law.
- A hearing to review and possibly extend the protection order is set for March 23rd, 2023 at 10 a.m. All parties shall appear for the hearing.
- $\underline{\text{The permanent protection order will expire on 3/24/2024, unless the Court extends it.}\\$
- Parties are responsible for updating the court as to any change of service address.

SO ORDERED this 24th day of March, 2022. /s/ GARY BASS, CHIEF JUDGE OF THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE

> IN THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE FOR THE MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN RESERVATION **AUBURN, WASHINGTON**

Case No. MUC-P0-12/21-191

In Re the Protection of: - E.S., DOB: 10/30/1944, an elder/vulnerable adult

- Peter Lee Satiacum, DOB: 03/09/1985, Respondent

NOTICE OF PERMANENT PROTECTION ORDER

IT IS HERERY ORDERED THAT a permanent protection order has been entered in this matter. In particular

- ry, assault, including sexual assault against the vulnerable adult and from molesting, harassing, or stalking the elder/vulnerable adult
- Respondent is Restrained from committing or threatening to commit acts of abandonment, abuse, neglect, or financial exploitation against the elder/vulnerable adult
- The respondent is Excluded from the elder/vulnerable adult's residence.
- Respondent is Prohibited from knowingly coming within, or knowingly remaining within 500 feet (distance) of the elder/vulnerable adult and his or her residence and the Muckleshoot Elder's
- Other: Community contact permitted at Elder's request. A violation of this order may subject respondent to arrest and criminal prosecution under tribal
- and/or state law. A hearing to review and possibly extend the protection order is set for March 23rd, 2023 at 10 a.m.
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SO ORDERED this 24th day of March, 2022.

/s/ GARY BASS, CHIEF JUDGE OF THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE







Do you need assistance with your child care expenses or respite care?

Are you?

- > Enrolled in educational courses In job training
- > Or participating in job search activities

Is your child(ren)?

- > 12 years of age or younger
- > Enrolled in a federally recognized tribe or a descendant (parent must be enrolled) of a federally recognized tribe

Are you in need of respite care (income guidelines do not apply)? for a child/ren placed by State Child Protective Services- ICW or the Muckleshoot Child,

- Family Services (MCFS) Program,
- for a child/ren needing specialized or a high level of care

Child care is based upon your family size and monthly income that is at or below 85% of King County's median income (100% for Muckleshoot Tribal Members). You may qualify, if your family's monthly income falls below the following income range;

Family Size:	85% Median Monthly Income	100% Median Monthly Incom (MIT Members Only)
1	\$0-\$5,490	\$5,491-\$6,458
2	\$0- \$6,276	\$6,276- \$7,383
3	\$0- \$7,062	\$7,063- \$8,308
4	\$0- \$7,841	\$7,842-\$9,225
5	\$0- \$8,472	\$8,473- \$9,967
6	\$0- \$9,102	\$9,103- \$10,708
7	\$0- \$9,725	\$9,726- \$11,442
8	\$0- \$10,356	\$10,357- \$12,183

To apply, applications are located at the doorway to the Muckleshoot Early Childhood Education Center, 15599 SE 376th St, Auburn, WA 98092

Or if you have any questions, contact the Muckleshoot CCDF Program at (253) 876-3056 or Julia

Anderson at (253) 876-3079, Email: <u>julia.anderson@muckleshoot.nsn.us</u>

IN THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE FOR THE MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN RESERVATION AUBURN, WASHINGTON

Case No. MUC-PO-02/22-029 In Re the Protection of:

L.S.M., DOB: 08/02/1956, an elder/vulnerable adult

GILBERT GARCIA, DOB: 02/04/1960, Respondent

NOTICE OF PERMANENT ORDER FOR PROTECTION TO: GILBERT GARCIA, DOB: 02/04/1960

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the previously entered protection order remains in full force and effect. In

- The respondent is Restrained from committing or threatening to commit physical harm, bodily inju $ry, as sault, including \ sexual \ as sault \ against \ the \ protected \ person \ and \ from \ molesting, \ harassing,$
- or stalking the protected person. Respondent is Restrained from committing or threatening to commit acts of abandonment, abuse
- neglect, or financial exploitation against the protected person.
- The respondent is Excluded from the protected person's residence Respondent is Prohibited from knowingly coming within, or knowingly remaining within 500 feet
- (distance) of the protected person's residence and the Muckleshoot Elder's Complex. A violation of this order may subject respondent to arrest and criminal prosecution under tribal
- Other: Community Contact Permitted at Elder's Request.
- The protection order expires March 24th, 2023, but may be renewed prior to its expiration.
- Next hearing: February 23rd, 2022 at 11:00AM
- Parties are responsible for updating the court as to any change of service address.

SO ORDERED this 24th day of March, 2022. /s/ GARY BASS, CHIEF JUDGE OF THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE

Muckleshoot Tribal Court 39015 172nd Avenue SE, Auburn, WA 98092 Phone: (253) 876-3203 / Fax: (253) 876-2903

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE

PETITIONER: MARINA STARR on behalf of Minor L. L H. DOB: 07/02/2016

Any person who may have an objection to this name change may file a notice of objection with the Muckleshoot Tribal Court 39015 172nd Ave SE, Auburn, Washington on or before the hearing scheduled for Wednesday, May 25th, 2022 at 10:00am

IN THE MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL COURT FOR THE MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN RESERVATION

No.: MUC-CiJ-12/19-170

SUMMONS - Child Support

Suzette Louie, Petitioner Theo Loggins, Respondent

SUMMONS

To the Respondent of this matter _Theo Loggins, TAKE NOTICE:

The Petitioner, Suzette Louie , listed above has started a legal action through the Muckleshoot Tribal

YOU MUST SERVE A WRITTEN RESPONSE ON THE PERSON SIGNING THIS SUMMONS AND FILE THE ORIGINAL WITH THE CLERK OF THE COURT 21 DAYS FROM THE DATE YOU WERE SERVED WITH THE

A FAILURE TO APPEAR OR FILE A RESPONSE MAY RESULT IN A DEFAULT JUDGMENT AGAINST YOU. This means that the Court could grant all the requests of the petitioner without any input or response from

You, your employer, or others with evidence of your income may be required to provide the Court with records of your income. If the Court finds that there is no reliable evidence of your income, income will be imputed. If the Court finds that your income is reduced as a matter of choice and not for a reasonable cause, the Court will attribute income up to the your earning capacity.

You can obtain a form to respond to this petition through the Clerk of the Court located at 39015 172nd AVE SE, Auburn, WA, 98092

You must file your response with the Clerk of the Court at the Muckleshoot Tribal Court located at 39015 172nd AVE SE, Auburn, WA, 98092.

If you need assistance in your response, inquire with the Clerk of the Court if you are able to set up an ${\sf Clerk}$ of the Court if you are able to set up an appointment with the legal aid clinic. The clinic may be able to assist you, but there is no right or guarantee of legal aid. You are ultimately responsible for your own response

There is a hearing set in this matter for the following date and time:

Date: _06/15/2022 Time: 10:30AM Type of hearing: Child Support

IN THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE FOR THE MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN RESERVATION **AUBURN, WASHINGTON**

Case No. MUC-P0-02/22-020

L.J.M. DOB: 06/22/1959, an elder/vulnerable adult

RAVEN NELSON, DOB: 03/20/1997, Respondent

NOTICE OF PROTECTION ORDER HEARING ON PROTECTION PETITION TO: RAVEN NELSON, DOB: 03/20/1997

- IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the previously entered protection order remains in full force and effect. In The respondent is Restrained from committing or threatening to commit physical harm, bodily inju-
- ry, assault, including sexual assault against the protected person and from molesting, harassing, or stalking the protected person.
- Respondent is Restrained from committing or threatening to commit acts of abandonment, abuse, neglect, or financial exploitation against the protected person.
- The respondent is Excluded from the protected person's residence Respondent is Prohibited from knowingly coming within, or knowingly remaining within 500 feet (distance) of the protected person's residence and Muckleshoot Elder's Complex.
- Telephone and Community Contact Permitted at Elder's Request. A violation of this order may subject respondent to arrest and criminal prosecution under tribal
- and/or state law. The protection order expires June 2, 2022, but may be renewed prior to its expiration.
- Next hearing: May 26th, 2022 at 10:30AM
- Parties are responsible for updating the court as to any change of service address.

SO ORDERED this 24th day of March, 2022.

/s/ GARY BASS, CHIEF JUDGE OF THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE

IN THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE FOR THE MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN RESERVATION AUBURN, WASHINGTON

Case No. MUC-PO-03/22-030 In Re the Protection of: M.W.J, DOB: 09/11/1965, an elder/vulnerable adult

LUANA LOCKE, DOB: 02/25/1998, Respondent

NOTICE OF PROTECTION ORDER HEARING ON PROTECTION PETITION TO: LUANA LOCKE, DOB: 02/25/1998

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the previously entered protection order remains in full force and effect. In

- The respondent is Restrained from committing or threatening to commit physical harm, bodily injury, assault, including sexual assault against the protected person and from molesting, harassing, or
- stalking the protected person. Respondent is Restrained from committing or threatening to commit acts of abandonment, abuse. neglect, or financial exploitation against the protected person.
- The respondent is Excluded from the protected person's residence.
- Respondent is Restrained from coming within 500 feet (distance) and from any contact with the protected person, in or through other, by phone, mail, or any means, directly or indirectly, except through an attorney, or mailing or delivery by a third part of court documents.
- Respondent is Prohibited from knowingly coming within, or knowingly remaining within 500 feet (distance) of the protected person's residence and Muckleshoot Elder's Complex
- A violation of this order may subject respondent to arrest and criminal prosecution under tribal and/or state law.
- The protection order expires June 2, 2022, but may be renewed prior to its expiration.
- Next hearing: May 26th, 2022 at 10:30AM Parties are responsible for updating the court as to any change of service address.

SO ORDERED this 24th day of March, 2022. /s/ GARY BASS, CHIEF JUDGE OF THE MUCKLESHOOT COURT OF JUSTICE

EXCLUDED FROM MUCKLESHOOT RESERVATION

The individuals pictured here have been legally excluded from the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation. If you see any of them on the reservation please call 911 and report the sighting to the Muckleshoot Police Department.



Jordan Duckum





Collin Harris Jose Guzman Rosales



Daniel-James Foster





Billy Ervin, Jr.



Marcus Buchanan













Michael Toumi







Susan Haugen



Nolton Domingue

Gerald Robert Elkins

Jorenda Proctor





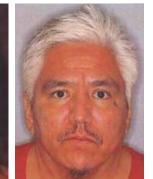






Rajon Ray Hoff

Robert Wayne Weed



Rodney Darrell Hopper III

Leslie Guy Wilson

MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL COURT OF JUSTICE IN AND FOR THE MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN RESERVATION **AUBURN. WA 98092**

Case No.: MUC-CiF-09/21-150 SUMMONS TO APPEAR IN COURT FOR AN ARRAIGNMENT CIVIL COMPLAINT (Fishing Violation)

MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN TRIBE, Plaintiff,

FLOYD BROWN III, DOB: 05/04/1985 Defendant

Citation#: 3301

FLOYD BROWN III 1850 R STREET. SE Auburn, WA 98002

YOU ARE HEREBY ORDERED TO APPEAR in the Muckleshoot Court of Justice, located in the Legal Building on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation, a few miles east of Auburn, Washington, at 39015 - 172nd Street SE (telephone number 253-876-3203). If you have any questions, please telephone the Prosecutor at (253) 876-2891.

You are ORDERED TO APPEAR on Tuesday, the 21st day of JUNE, 2022 at 9:30 A.M., and you are to stay until this matter is heard by the Court.

You are to appear for an Arraignment on the CIVIL FISHING charges of a violation of Title ${\bf 6} \ {\bf of} \ {\bf the} \ {\bf Muckleshoot} \ {\bf Fish}, \ {\bf Shellfish} \ {\bf and} \ {\bf Marine} \ {\bf Mammals} \ {\bf Ordinance}, \ {\bf Section} \ {\bf 6.15.100} \ ({\bf TWO}$ COUNTS) for FISHING IN CLOSED WATERS. This Offence occurred within the jurisdiction of this Court on the Duwamish River. This offence Occurred on or about August 20th, 2021 at or about 8:00 a.m.

FAILURE TO APPEAR IS CONSIDERED CONTEMPT OF COURT - WHICH MAY RESULT IN THE COURT ISSUING FINES. AND/OR SUSPENSION OF YOUR FISHING PRIVILEGES UNTIL YOU APPEAR IN COURT, AND OTHER SANCTIONS FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT. SO ORDERED this 5^{TH} of April, 2022.

/s/Julia R. Brown JUDGE OR JUDICIAL OFFICER

COURT-ORDERED NOTICE

I Melissa Starr from the bottom of my heart deeply apologize to Christy Pease and Howard Moses for all the drama that got out of hand. I will no longer believe anything anyone else has to say about you two unless I hear it from you myself. I realize now everything I have said and done to you was only out of hurt and anger. Howard isn't a sex offender nor does he abuse any children nor did he to ever molest Christy Peases daughter. He is an outstanding father who has a heart of gold and I know this to be true because he took in a child that wasn't even biologically his and is willing to raise him as his own. He took care of his disabled mother and his youngest brother by himself for a long time before he moved in with Christy. None of these false rumors are true. They're 're just tha, a rumor or hearsay. I also realize the burt I have caused Howle and I didn't mean to burt either of you. That wasn't my intention. I just hope and pray we can put all of this behind us and let the past be the past so we all can get along and I'd appreciate it if you two would also come to me and or Tony to communicate to us next time and ask us what you would like to know. We are stronger together as family instead of apart. Again I'm sorry and I want you guys to know we love you and have missed. you. I hope you can find it in your heart to forgive me. With love 💝

Melissa Starr and Tony Rutherford



Tenant Rights During COVID-19 Pandemic Washington State Landlord Requirements

The COVID-19 Pandemic has resulted in financial distress to many families. Job losses, unemployment, and reduced hours can make paying rent difficult. Washington State has issued several Proclamations during this time to provide extra protections to tenants to assist in preserving housing. Effective immediately, and until June 4, 2020, please be aware of these changes:

Notices to Vacate & Evictions

Landlords currently cannot serve, enforce or threaten residents with notices to vacate the premises. This includes resident's whose contract has expired or will expire during the Proclamation period. The tenancy would continue on a month-to-month basis.

Your landlord can take action if your household has engaged in activities that threaten the health or safety of the neighborhood or dwelling unit.

Charging Late Fees

Landlords currently cannot charge, or threaten to charge, late fees for the non-payment of rent or other charges associated with a rental unit. This applies to any fees that have occurred on or after February 29, 2020. Landlords cannot attempt collection through agen $cies, unlawful\ detainer\ or\ other\ judicial\ actions, with hold\ any\ portion\ of\ security\ deposits\ or$ report debts to credit bureaus. Residents and landlords must work together to establish reasonable payment plans based on the individual's financial, health, and other circumstanc-

Rent or Deposit Increases

Landlords cannot increase your rent or deposit at this time. This applies to contract renewals and month-to-month contracts. The rent charged on April 15, 2020 should be the rent charged today and through the Governor's Orders. If you were charged an increased rent after this date, you are entitled to a refund of the overpayment.

If you are unable to pay your rent, make sure you communicate with your landlord. If you are not materially affected by COVID-19, you must continue to pay rent to avoid unnecessary and avoidable economic hardship to landlords, property owners, and managers.

Please call the Muckleshoot Housing Authority (253) 833-7616 if you have questions about these Proclamations or need assistance with your landlord in resolving any violations of these

PUBLIC WORKS LOCATIONS AND HOURS:

WATER TREATMENT FACILITY 39620 176 TH LANE SE (253) 876-3054. **HOURS 7 – 4.** ENGINEERING, SEWER & WATER TREATMENT STAFF

(253) 876-3338 OR (253) 876-2911 DUMPSTERS ARE LEFT FOR 3 DAYS. **DO NOT PUT HAZARDOUS HOUSEHOLD MATERIALS IN**

TRANSFER STATION 17613 SE 400 TH STREET HOURS M – F 7 – 3:45 - SAT & SUN 1 - 4:30

PAINT OR FLUORESCENT LIGHT BULBS. HOUSING TENANTS PLEASE CONTACT HOUSING TO REQUEST A DUMPSTER.

DUMPSTERS- SUCH AS: MOTOR OILS, COOKING OILS,

PUBLIC WORKS 40222 AUBURN-ENUMCLAW RD. SE. (253) 876-2975. FIREWOOD, GROUND MAINTENANCE AND PUBLIC WORKS STAFF

> DUMPSTER OR SITE REQUEST EMAIL PW.WORKORDERS@MUCKLESHOOT.NSN.US

FIREWOOD REQUEST EMAIL WOODORDERS@MUCKLESHOOT.NSN.US

PW - AFTERHOURS EMERGENCY LINE (253) 876-3030 **REMINDER:**

WATER SEWER & GARBAGE PROGRAM IS NOW **OPERATED BYTHE RESOURCE CENTER – PLEASE** CALL (253) 876-3336



LeOta LaDue Berry at a LaConner tulip field.

Toni Martin

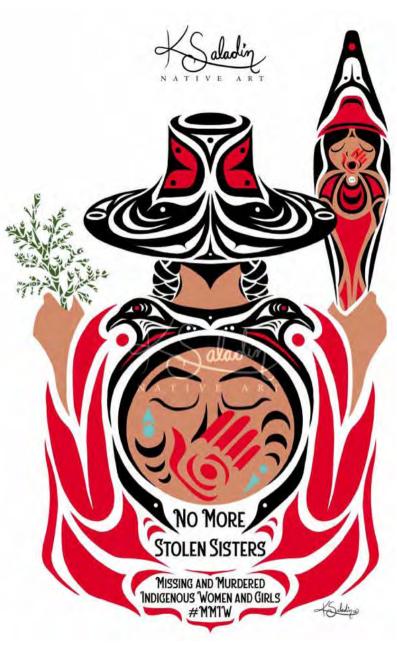


Nordstrom Chinook Centre (Calgary, AB, Canada)

Nordstrom Chinook Centre is super excited to be in partnership with Itsooaakii. Evelyn Mikayla Martin from Blackfeet Tribe is a visual artist.



Drake Nichols with his MMIW heart.





Kal Simpson



Birthday shout out to Nicholas Elkins!

We love you and appreciate you so much. You're the best dad ever. - Your birthdays on April 29th!(Taurus) We are Blessed to spend another year with you. We hope you enjoy your birthday month! Happy Birthday from Roberta, Zuri, Kobe, & Darius

Congratulations,
Makoa Elgin, who
graduated at the top
of his class at the
University of Hawaii,
with a 3.98 GPA! His
degree is in Botany,
and what a wonderful
place Hawaii must've
been for studying it.
Makoa is an enrolled







Jaison Elkins

Wishing my sister a Happy 17th Birthday! Back in 2005 on this very day, mom was bringing you into this world! Love you Mona RK-Elkins!

Muckleshoot Messenger









Dearest Granddaughter, I want to wish you a HAPPY 2nd BIRTHDAY!

You came into our lives at the time we needed sunshine, you have not stopped shining, and I look forward to all the time we are going to have in this world! Thank you for being a pain in the butt to your parents for me.

Love you, Nanniez





