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TCERC hosts a **Tribal Solar Energy** Workshop to learn about Photovoltaic Technology

Northern Arizona University's Tribal Clean Energy Resource Center (TCERC)

Flagstaff, NAU's Clean Energy Resource Center (TCERC) is proud to host an informational and hands-on workshop for all tribal members and employees to learn the basics of Photovoltaic (Solar) Energy systems. workshop will take place at nities," said work-NAU's new Na-American Cultural Center on the Flagstaff campus November 12 and 13. The workshop instructor, Deb Tewa has over 30 years PV Workshop will experience working to bring solar energy to diverse communities. She managed Native-SUN, worked with Sandia National Labs Tribal Energy Program

LuAnn Leonard Honored with Lifetime Achievement Award

PHOENIX, Ariz. (September 30, 2013) - The Phoenix Indian Center announces the 2013 American Indian Excellence Leadership Awardees. In its 31st year, the annual dinner celebration boasts an impressive list of leaders. This awardees John Lewis, Lu-Leonard, Mary Kim Titla, Randy Kemp, Arizona Indian Gam-Association, the Arizona Science Center and youth awardees will be honored at a dinner planned for Tuesday, November 19, 2012, at 6:00 PM at the DoubleTree Re-

sort in Tempe. "It is important we take time to thank our community leaders for dedication as stewards and advocates for our American Indian people." says Robert Roessel, President of the Phoenix Indian Center's Board Directors. Phoenix Indian Center Chief Executive Officer Patricia Hibbeler

nearly 400 people, coming together to recognize these distinguished community leaders. The awardees are chosen

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THE HOPI TUTUVENI

Third Round of Forums Brings Three New Contenders for Office of Hopi Chairman

Crystal Dee Hopi Tutuveni

Todd Honyaoma -Hopi Chairman Candidate

member of the Spider Clan, but was raised by the Water clan of Shungopavi. He is originally from the village of Mishongnovi where his mother is from, however is an enrolled member of the village of Shunhe attended Head Start then went on to Second Mesa Day School. He Indian High School and then attended Central Arizona College where he obtained his certification in Heavy Equipment Operation. Upon his return to the Hopi Q. What current isreservation, he applied

for three years in 2005. gopavi. His education Chairman, he opened a begins at Toreva, where tire repair shop. He has been with his wife Rayma Puhuyesva Honyaoma for 29 years and graduated from Phoenix they have three chiltending to his cattle and farming. He stays true to his Hopi Traditions and culture.

to become a Hopi Rang- the Hopi Tribe?

er for 9 years. After nine A. There are a lot of years as a Hopi Ranger, issues at the Tribe and he became the gener- I'd like to see and make al manager at the Hopi sure the Hopi Tribal Cultural Center. Even- Council and Chairman tually he went into road are operating properly Todd Honyaoma is a construction as a Heavy with resolutions and Equipment Operator. In contracts. Right now 1996, he was elected as my understanding is a Tribal Council Repre- that a lot of these consentative for Sipaulovi tracts are open and Village where he served there are no resolutions. four, two year terms. He I don't know where the became Vice Chairman money is coming from to pay these individu-After his term as Vice als. I practice as a legal advocate at the Hopi Tribal Courts and I'm a member of the Hopi Bar Association. I have seen a lot of Pro-Tem Judges come through. dren. His hobbies are One thing I don't like and appreciate about these judges is having them do arraignments, pre-trials and trials through teleconference. That is disrespectful to



Todd Honyaoma Sr. proudly displays his certification to run for Hopi Chairman.

all defendants shall be and Appellate Courts as present at all stages of the proceedings, so the judges should be present as well. Another issue I have is the new Hopi Code. It's very damaging and basically waiving our sovereignty as the Hopi Tribe and giving a lot of broad sues do you see facing the Hopi people. The authority to Hopi Trib-Hopi Code says that al Courts, Trial Courts

far as determining cases on behalf of Hopi tradition and culture. It also gives the Hopi Chairman broad authority to extradite criminals from other states and foreign judgment issues which is dangerous to the Hopi people. Because of this

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Tewa Celebration



Right: Keams Canyon Princess Eve Rogers (left) and First Mesa Elementary Princess Yoiwmana Pooyoume enjoy their lunch of steamed corn stew and somiviki at the celebration. Bottom Right: In his speeech, Hopi Chairman LeRoy Shingoitewa said he hopes that someday soon the Village of Tewa will have an election to send a representative to HTC so that all people of the Hopi Tribe can be represented equally.





Federal Government Shutdown Impacts Hopi Tribal **Programs and Services**

Louella Nahsonhoya

Hopi Tutuveni

According to Hopi Chairman, LeRoy Shingoitewa the federal shutdown has already impacted the Hopi Tribe and tribal services and programs.

'The programs immediately impacted by the shutdown are the TANF program and the Hopi Senom Transit. Late Wednesday afternoon (Oct. 2), we received word from the State of Arizona DES and ADOT that the two tribal programs receiving funds from the State would be impacted immediately, due to the gov-

ernment shutdown," he said. When Congress failed to pass the federal budget on Sept. 30, it also failed to pass or reauthorize the Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program - formally known as welfare," said Chairman Shingoitewa. "The TANF is a Federal block grant program which the Government gives to States to provide support services for families in

Last week, Arizona Governor Jan Brewer said no TANF-welfare checks would be issued due to the government shutdown; howev-

er, since that time Governor Brewer changed her mind and issued a directive to continue with the TANF program and services. Families on TANF will continue to receive payments. However, "if the budget is not passed by Oct. 17, and the longer the shutdown continues, it will have a detrimental impact on all federally funded tribal programs," said

Chairman Shingoitewa. On Oct. 2, Tracy Young, Program Manager from the ADOT Transit Programs "informed us that they (ADOT) were unaware or were not notified by the Federal Transit Administration that the Arizona Transit Services would also be impacted immediately due to the government shutdown" said Chairman Shingoiotewa. "Because of the Federal shutdown, Ms. Young said they cannot process any payment reimbursements for transportation services." Reimbursements from the ADOT Transit program helps keep the Hopi

Senom Transit in operation. "A contingency plan to keep the Hopi Transit Services operational was proposed to the Tribal Council on Wednesday. However, after much discus-

sion, and due to other pend-

Page 2

ing investigations, the Tribal vices on the Hopi Reservation Council by majority vote, disapproved the contingency plan. The Hopi Transit is therefore closed until further notice," said Shingoitewa.

"The Council is also working on a contingency plan to cover all Contract and Grant programs to ensure services continue uninterrupted. Currently, programs are covered through the end of December by carry over funds and from draw downs. All programs and services are considered critical and we must first look to the welfare and services we provide to of our Hopi people. Employees are also a critical component of service delivery. Without the dedication of our employees, services will not be carried out."

'This situation also reveals to us that we need to find other sources of revenue for our Tribe. Currently the only revenue coming in to the Tribe, is from the Peabody Coalmine. Our people have to be willing to look at other natural resources. There are other resources out there that can help generate an income for the Hopi Tribe", said Chairman Shingoitewa.

Other programs and ser-

affected by the Government

- Shut down are: BIA Hopi Agency-All agency employees furloughed; with the exception of the BIA Superintendent Wendell Honanie and Facility Manager Melvin Todacheenie.
- BIE Hopi Schools-All Schools and school services in operation. No furloughs.
- BIE Hopi Agency Line Office – Acting Line Officer Eric North and Business Technician Juanita Benally(assigned to Havasupai Schools. All other personnel furloughed.
- **BIE Schools Facility** Management - Facility Manager Elmer Douma and two other facility management employees on duty. All other BIE facilities management staff furloughed.
- IHS (Indian Health Service-Hopi Health Care) - In full operation. All services available.
- BIA Law Enforcement-All on duty.

The Hopi Tribe enacts Hopi Sex Offender Registration Code

HTHA Welcomes New Director, **Wayne Taylor**

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LOCAL NEWS

The Hopi Tribe enacts a new law: Hopi Sex Offender Registration Code

Hopi Resource Enforcement Services

The Hopi Tribe placed a high priority on the importance of protecting the health, safety and welfare of the women, men and children, who hold a sacred place within the community, and should be protected from sexual offenses that degrade and demoralize them. Hopi Tribe is one out of five hundred and sixty six (566) federally recognized tribes in the United States who have enacted a sex offender registry. On February 24, 2012, The Hopi Sex Offender Registration Code, Resolution H-044-2007 was passed by the Hopi Tribal Council making a mandatory requirement for registration of convicted sexual offenders who enter or remain within the Hopi Reservation.

Sex Offenders, who enter, remain, live, work, attend school, or college, or volunteer within the interior and exterior boundaries of the Hopi reservation must immediately register with the Hopi Sex Offender Registration and Tracking (HSORT) Officer. Offenders shall register prior to being released from custody, or within three business days of sentencing if not in custody.

The Hopi tribal law mandates stringent requirements for registration and notification of sex offenders within the jurisdiction or places they reside, work (whether compensated or not), volunteer, attend college or school or any vocation, and those who are away from their primary homes in temporary lodging for seven days or more. The sex offense convictions qualify if they are convicted and sentenced in er Public Website so the any court including certain foreign countries and military offenses.

The Hopi Sex Offender Registration Code and Adam Walsh Child Protection and Safety Act also includes juveniles "adjudicated delinquent" who were at least 14 years old at the time of the incident or sexual offending behavior for a crime comparable to or more severe than Aggravated Sexual Abuse (in any court); OR if the juvenile offender at any age who was "convicted as an adult" for any sexual offense (in any court); and that juvenile offenders in these categories must also come forward to register.

Any sexual offender who has not yet registered or who has not kept their registration information correct and current must do so immediately. Failure to register or failure to keep information correct and current is a violation with a penalty of up to one year confinement in the Hopi Detention facility and could be a federal violation for failure to register (18 USC § 2250) with a sentence up to ten years in federal custody. There could be additional penalties for failure to register.

Offenders shall never be harmed, harassed, annoyed, or any criminal violation committed against them. Any violation of this nature will be taken seriously and could result in criminal and/or civil fines or sanctions against the person(s) who violate this. Any of these offenses should be reported immediately to the Hopi Sex Offender Registration and Tracking (HSORT) Officer at the Hopi Resource Enforcement Services office or to the local police de-

Currently there are thirty two (32) registered sex offenders living on the Hopi Reservation, including ten (10) of whom are currently incarcerated. The Hopi Sex Offender and Registration and Tracking Office has increased the number of sex offender registrants since its inception in February 2012, and has started taking GPS coordinates of all registered sex offenders, as well as offenses, education, residences. employment, pictures, tattoos, scars, and physical description and has uploaded that information to the National Sex Offendpublic has knowledge of where these sex offenders live, go to school, and go to work, to increase awareness. The Hopi Sex Offender Registration and Tracking office also gives presentations to communities, schools, businesses, law enforcement entities and other tribal programs to educate and ensure the safety of the communities within the tribe.

Please call HSORT Officer Andrea D. Larios or HSORT Officer Marlaina Joe with Hopi Resource Enforcement

Services at (928) 734-7340 if you have any questions or if you need to register as an offender.

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ASU Journalism Director visits Hopi High



Anita Luera (center) shows Hopi High video news students how to interview on camera. The students are, from left, Nicole Nuvamsa, Otis Nasafotie with headphones, Nikyle Weston and Canicia Weston gets interviewed.

By Tamara Joe **Bruin Times Staff**

Anita Luera, outreach director for Arizona State University Cronkite School of Journalism, said it would be a major improvement if Native Americans attended the school, so they could be a voice in their communities

Luera and ASU student Ivana Braga recently spoke to the media classes at Hopi High about the benefits of attending the ASU Cronkite School of Journalism. Braga is a Brazilian journalist who is studying at ASU through a Hubert Humphrey Fellow-

On Oct. 1, the Hopi

Tribal Housing Authority

(HTHA) held their annual

Housing Fair at the Hopi

Veteran's Memorial Cen-

ter. Todd Honyaoma Sr.,

former Hopi Vice Chair-

man began the fair with

an opening prayer and

Vice Chairman Herman G.

Honanie welcomed com-

anie emphasized the need

for housing on the Hopi

reservation as people are

buying sheds to live in and

multiple families occupy-

"The American dream

is to build or own a home

and with all the little sheds

that people are buying, it

is evident that Hopi is in

dire need of housing," said

Vice Chairman Honanie.

"Hopis see the home as

and values are practiced."

Wayne Taylor Jr. intro-

tomer service within the

Hopi Tribal Housing Au-

"This is my second

week on the job and we

are having this housing

fair. There are all kinds of

things happening; exciting

things; and we are looking

forward to bigger and bet-

from various Hopi Tribal

Departments and outside

vendors such as HomeCo

gave out helpful informa-

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was on hand giving

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home improvement proj-

ects and making a stove

HTHA would like to

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& Sons, Western Home &

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With that in mind,

Vice Chairman Hon-

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Crystal Dee

Hopi Tutuveni

ism major. She has been in the journalism field for approximately 35 years. She has 27 years experience in television news. But, throughout the years Luera was involved in radio news and recently has been using social media like Twitter and Facebook.

Luera has seen tremendous changes in the media, digital photography and technology. Recently, she has been introduced to photography, which is where she could use her iphone or a Smart Phone to take pictures, write stories and record videos for the media.

Luera measures success of ASU Cronkite Luera graduated from School of Journalism by

Housing Fair provides resources and info

ASU in 1977 with journal- how the students perform their stories, how they use tools and share their desire for the story.

Stan Bindell, journalism teacher at Hopi High, said, "ASU has an incredible program that our students could benefit from attending." He said some students might want to attend junior college before transferring to ASU

"Any student who completes the ASU Cronkite School of Journalism will have an extremely bright future in journalism whether it's in print or broadcast," he said.

Tamara Joe is a senior the at Hopi High and write for the Bruin Times.

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Top: Randal Koinva places ceramic tiles on a frame which will be used as a stove pad. Below: The community enjoys the day at the 2013 Housing Fair.

Bledsoe Downes, PC.

All the vendors were: a place where sacredness Hopi Cultural Preservation Office Hopi Code Talker Com-HTHA's new Director, mittee duced himself and shared his visions to improve cus-

Tawa'ovi Community Development Projectu Hopi Credit Association Destiny Recovery, AZ American Indian Oral Health Coalition, & Back to Life, Inc. (out of town) Homco Lumber & Hardware (out of town) Hopi Veterans Outreach Hopi Renewable Energy

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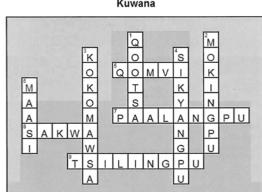
Auto, Sky Blue HVAC and Abuse Program Hopi Health Care Center John Creps Insurance Agency LLC (out of Institute for Tribal Environmental Professional (out of town) AZ Dept of Health – Of-

fice for Children w/ Special Health Care Needs Office of Revenue Commission Hopi Substance Abuse Prevention Center

H.D.H.H.S./CHR Kii'Natwanlalwa, Inc. Red Feather Hopi Tribe-Water Resource Program Hopi Senom Transit

Solution to Oct. 1 Colors Crossword

Kuwana



Across

5. black

7. red

9. orange

8. turquoise-blue

<u>Down</u>

1. white 2. green

3. deep-red or purple

4. yellow or gold

6. gray



Hopi Tribal Council 2013

LeRoy N. Shingoitewa, Chairman Herman G. Honanie, Vice Chairman Martha A. Mase, Tribal Secretary Robert Sumatzkuku, Tribal Treasurer Violet Sinquah, Sergeant-At-Arms

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Village of Mishongnovi Arthur Batala

Annette F. Talayumptewa Marilyn Tewa Mervin Yoyetewa

Local News

HEEF Welcomes New Board Members at Annual Meeting

Sam Tenakhongva Hopi Education Endowment Fund

On October 4, 2013, the Hopi Education Endowment Fund (HEEF) held their annual meeting at which they seated eight members to their Board. HEEF President Terry Hines, a renewed member herself, addressed the Board and asked them to join her in welcoming new members Dr. Jeremy Garcia (Sichomovi). Debra Onsae (Moenkopi), Arvis Myron (Moenkopi), Kim Kahe Corkin (Sichomovi) and Ali Gabriel (Tucson) along with renewed members Romalita Laban and Janet Regner. HEEF Executive Director LuAnn Leonard said, "Each of these outstanding individuals were elected to the board based on their skills, background, and commitment to the HEEF. Most importantly they bring great potential and new energy to our organization."

The HEEF also honored and thanked outgoing members Monica Kahe, Gloria zation. Each will be truly



New and Renewed HEEF Members L - R: Dr. Jeremy Garcia, Romalita Laban, Ali Gabriel, Arvis Myron, Debra Onsae and

Lomahaftewa, Linda Lomahaftewa, Dr. Michael Stevenson, Catherine Wright, Sahmie Wytewa and Dr. Matthew Gilbert. Leonard stated, "Each of the these individuals have given tremendous amounts of time, energy and support to the HEEF. Their leadership and commitment to the HEEF and its mission are invaluable and we thank them service to the organi-

missed, but they can take pride in knowing that the work they contributed on behalf of the HEEF has and will continue to create opportunities for future Hopi students."

Other business attended to during the meeting included an update of the HEEF financial portfolio, which is valued at \$20.8 million, reports from committees, officers and staff on program funding and upcoming fundraising events

such as the 2013 HEEF Alumni Challenge.

The HEEF is a Hopi Tribgovernment non-profit program qualified under section 7871 (a) of the Internal Revenue Service Code. All contributions to the HEEF are tax deductible. For more information contact the HEEF at heef@hopieducationfund. org, 928-734-2275 or visit www.hopieducationfund.org

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Response To Appellate Court Opinion and Order

Undoubtedly all concerned members of the Tewa community have become aware of the Article: Sovereign Hopi and Tewa Villages Reject Hopi Appellate Court Ruling of September 20, 2013 in the Tuesday, October 1, 2013 Hopi Tutuveni.

Not surprising that this type of article was forthcoming. First keep with the flow between the two (Opinion and Order) of the Hopi Appellate Court and the Rejected News Release by Ivan Sidney, Sr., (Soyal Mongwi Spokesman) First Mesa and Ronald Wadsworth, Spokesman, Village of Shungopavi.

The authors of the news article release with their legal representative (Erin Byrnes) attempted to discredit the Hopi Appellate Court decision, having no merit based on their interpretation of the Hopi Tribe's Constitution and

the delegation of authority to community/villages and their hierarchy (leaders).

The Tewa Village members and the Tewa Board of Directors, were never consulted on the Hopi Appellate Order by Ivan Sidney Sr., Ronald Wadsworth or Erin Byrnes regarding their Rejections of the Order, which appeared in the Tutuveni Newspaper.

The Tewa Board of Directors is in total disagreement with the article submitted by Ivan, Ronald and Erin. The Tewa's DO NOT REJECT the Hopi Appellate Court Opinion and order as stated by Ivan Sidney, Sr. It is the Order of the highest Court of Hopi and must be respected and honored.

Respectfully Submitted

Tewa Village Board of Directors

OPINION

Hopi Tribe Faces Danger of Losing Federal Programs

Federal programs operated by the Hopi Tribe are in danger of being taken over by the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) and Indian Health Service (IHS) because the Hopi Tribe is seriously delinquent in submitting audits for Fiscal Years 2010, 2011 and 2012. Because of the severity of the problem, the BIA has designated the Hopi Tribe as a "High Risk" tribe and imposed a Level III sanction on the tribe. The BIA Hopi Agency, by federal law, must now take steps to take over these programs and stop all funding to the tribe. Other federal agencies may also pull their

One requirement for receiving federal funding by Indian tribes is to complete annual organization-wide audits (referred to as single audits) within six months of the end of each fiscal year. Audits must be done in conformance with the Single Audit Act and Office of Management & Budget (OMB) rules. When an Indian tribe fails to complete its audits, the federal government takes steps to hold the tribe accountable, including stopping and pulling federal funds, terminating grants, and levying sanctions on the tribe.

The Single Audit Act requires that when a tribe is seriously delinquent in completing its annual audits, federal awarding agencies must take action to sanction the tribe, withhold funding, and terminate the grants. This is why the BIA has issued a Level III sanction on the Hopi Tribe and is not paying the tribe for overhead costs.

The Indian Self-Determination Act requires that when a tribe has serious contract violations, then the BIA and IHS must take over these programs. This is referred to as "Reassumption". And when this happens, all funding for program operations and overhead costs stops; and the tribe cannot legally operate these programs. The BIA Hopi Agency must now start taking over programs contracted under the Indian Self-Determination

This affects programs like tribal courts, child welfare, tribal operations, range and land management, scholarships, education, social services, health and medical emergency services. Tribal staff funded under these programs

cannot be paid from these funds. Services to tribal members will be affected. Equipment bought under these programs, like vehicles, must be turned back to the federal agencies.

The impacts do not end there. Other federal agencies like HUD, Department of Justice, Department of Agriculture, Department of Energy, and Environmental Protection Agency will start pulling their funds and will refuse to award future grants. In fact, HUD already refused to award an Indian Community Development Block Grant (ICDBG) to Sipaulovi because of the tribe's audit deficiency. Tribal programs will not be eligible to seek other federal grant funding.

In fact, tribal program managers are frustrated because they cannot get additional federal funding for their programs.

flection on the Shingoitewa Administration. The tribe has been advised many times of this serious matter by the BIA. In fact, the BIA is already withholding indirect costs (contract support costs) from the tribe. Yet, Hopi Chairman Shingoitewa

chose to hold up the audits because he wanted to find some evidence of fraud and wrongdoing by former Treasurer Russell Mockta and Morgan-Keegan, the tribe's investment advisors. But Walker & Armstrong (the tribe's auditors) and Grant Thornton (tribe's consultants) could not find any evidence of fraud and wrongdoing.

The condition of the tribe's financial records does not help either. Financial records are not being reconciled and are in no condition to allow for an audit. There is high staff turnover in the finance department. The expensive accounting software, Accufund, is not being used to its full extent.

So what will happen to our tribal employees who are paid from these programs? What will happen to services to tribal members? The Shingoitewa This matter is a direct Administration paid, and continues to pay, a lot of money to attorneys; to Grant Thornton and the Rockefeller Group. example, the council recently gave \$1.0 million to Grant Thornton for investigation and litigation against Morgan-Keegan without a guarantee of suc-

cess. Tribal accounts are being tapped dry and other accounts are being used to pay attorney invoices. Our tribe may be on the brink of bankruptcy.

To get the federal programs back, the tribe must complete Fiscal Year 2010, 2011 and 2012 audits, address the audit findings, and fix the deficiencies. Fiscal Year 2013 just ended so that will be another audit that must be done. This is no easy task. The tribe must also review and update its management systems (finance, procurement, property, personnel, etc.) and demonstrate to the federal government that it can manage its fiscal affairs. This will not happen overnight.

In the meantime, the BIA Hopi Agency, by federal law, must take over the programs. IHS must do the same. But are they ready to assume these programs? The current federgovernment shutdown al only adds to the tribe's dilemma.

Benjamin H. Nuvamsa Shungopavi Village & Former Hopi Tribal Chairman

CALENDAR

OCTOBER 2013:

BREAST CANCER AWARE-NESS MONTH – Schedule of events planned from Wednesday, October 2nd thru Thursday, October 24th. More information regarding all activities, available by calling H.O.P.I. Cancer Support Services at (928) 734-1150, 734-1151, and 734-1152.

OCTOBER IS NATIONAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH.

For more information on scheduled events, call (928) 738-1115

Food Handler's Training Scheduled for October 16, 2013 from 3 - 5 pm at the Hopi Jr. /Sr., High School Auditorium. For more information contact Catherine Wright at (928) 734-3043 or email @ cwright@hopi.

Hopi Cancer Assistance FREE "Costume Party" For all cancer survivors, patients and family members on October 17, 2013 at Hopi Day School in Kykotsmovi from 6 – 9 pm. For more information contact (928) 734-1151

AZ. Tri-Universities for **Indian Education presents** Financial Aid Workshop On October 17, 2013 at the Hopi Wellness Center from 6 pm - 7:30 pm. Come and learn more about financial aid process. For more information contact Cecilia Shortman at (928) 734-3535 or email cshortman@ hopi.nsn.us, or contact Kathlene Sumatzkuku at (928) 734-3531 or email ksumatzkuku@hopi.nsn.us.

2013 Breast Cancer Awareness Month Pink Day Education & Pin Distribution Monday, October 21, 2013. For location and times of event contact (928) 734-

Native Community Cancer Support Group Meeting Scheduled for Thursday, October 24, 2013 from 3 -5 pm at the North Country Healthcare Center 2920 N. 4th St., Flagstaff, AZ. For more information contact (928) 523-8588 or (928) 522-9425

Prevention "Man-Up" Men's Health Session Tuesday, October 29, 2013 at the Hopi Cancer Support Services in Kykotsmovi from 11 am - 12 noon. For more information contact (928) 734-1151 or 1152

Native American Cancer

2nd Annual Howl-O-Ween Cat and Dog Costume Contest

Hosted by the Hopi Veterinary Services on October 31, 2013 at the Hopi

Canyon. All entry fee donations will go towards the Hopi Code Talkers Association. For questions or more information contact (928) 738-5251

Veterinary Clinic in Keams

NOVEMBER 2013:

Fall Carnival

November 01, 2013 from 5 pm to 10 pm at the Hopi Veteran's Memorial Center in Kykotsmovi, Hwy 264 MP 375.5. For more information call (928) 734-3432

Veterans Day Parade & Observance event

At the Hopi Veteran's Memorial Center on November 8, 2013, parade starting at 9 am and events starting at 10:30 am to 2 pm. For more information on parade contact Carey Onsae at (928) 380-2119 or email misshopicommittee@ yahoo.com., for Veterans observance ceremony events contact Geno Talas at (928) 737-1834/1836 or email hopivets@yahoo.com

Men's & Women's Thanksgiving Classic Basketball Tournament

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2013 VETERANS DAY EVENTS

"Honoring Our Native Warriors Past and Present"







Veterans Day Parade and Observance:

Date: Friday, November 8, 2013

Veterans Parade: 9:00 a.m. (Registration and Line-up begins at 7:00 a.m. at the ADOT Yard off AZ Highway 264 milepost 376).

Veterans Day Observance ceremony: 10:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

All events will take place at the Hopi Veterans Memorial Center, Kykotsmovi, AZ, 1/4 mile south of AZ State Highway 264, milepost 375.

Veterans Parade contact: Carey Onsae at (928) 380-2119. E-mail @

Veterans Day Observance contact: Geno Talas at (928) 737-1834 or 1836. E-mail Everyone welcome! Join us to pay tribute to all our Veterans and Active Duty Armed Forces members. Special performances, chance of winning free door prizes and a meal will be served. All Color

Guards invited. Come say "Thank You" to all our Veterans for serving in the United States mili-Volunteers needed to assist in parking, serving lunch and helping elderly! The Veterans Day Committee is also requesting donations of side dishes, desserts & yeast bread to serve with the lunch

Hosted by Hopi Veterans Services, VA Outreach Office (Hotevilla), Lori Piestewa Post #80, Miss Hopi Committee and the 2013 Veterans Day Committee.

(Personal lost of property or injuries not the responsibility of Veterans Day committee or Hopi Veterans Memorial Center.)











FROM THE COVER

Third Round of Candidate Forums

we are basically waiving A. Right now, we have seem to be considered as a sovereign Hopi nation, which we are not through these laws. There are other laws that are dangerous as far as I'm concerned.

Q. What are the strengths and weaknesses of the current administration?

A. I don't see any strength in the current administration as I stated earlier, because the Chairman and the Hopi Tribal Council have not been reporting on their activities to the public and we have the right to know what the tribal government is doing. Such as where are they expending our funds and money? They consider this the Hopi people's money's and yet we elected them in there, whether it be the Chairman or Vice Chairman and Tribal Council but they don't let us know. With Shingoitewa's administration, I have not seen any strength but there are a lot of weaknesses that I see as far as following the process and working outside the scope of authority of the Tribal Constitution. When it comes to Council Representatives I feel there should be an equal vote straight across the board, so my plan is to downsize to two representatives and give the other villages that are not represented an opportunity have a representatives on board. I would also like to see the Council disband task teams and initiate committee style because that is what the

constitution dictates.

with? **A.** My number one issue is water. I know there are some villages that are getting impacted by arsenic and a lot of these issues have been there prior to my birth. As far as environmental issues regarding Program was not picking up trash. I think the peodumping their trash at the old dump sites. The other issue is the Moencopi mess up because I would drink clean water.

What are issues?

our sovereignty and yet we no idea where we stand because that information has not been given to the public. I have written a letter to the Tribal Treasurer asking to see the financial information, but he has not responded. I'm aware the Hopi Tribe has filed a lawsuit against Wachovia for \$100 million. I did a follow up on that and pulled a resolution and there is no litigation or suits. This is arbitration and I would like to know where the money went and why we're suing them? I understand the Hopi Tribe is filing a law suit against the Office of Trust Fund Management for reasons unknown. If tribal council was giving us this information we wouldn't have to go off hearsay and I wouldn't have to do my own research. I understand the Chairman is doing things verbally without contracts or resolutions. We just gave Rockefeller over \$1.8 million for what? I am trying to seek information from the Tribal Secretary's Office. There are a lot of weaknesses I see in that administration. They are not consulting with the Hopi People.

Mike Puhuyesva - Hopi **Chairman Candidate**

Mike Raymond Puhuyes-

va was born in Keams Canyon and belongs to the Corn Clan of Hotevilla. His attended Hopi Day School and Hotevilla. He graduated from Sherman Indian High School. He attended Riverside City College and was drafted into the United States Army Q. What environmental where he retired from the issues are you concerned U.S. Army Corp. of Engineers in 1993. He became the Director of Hopi Solid Waste Program for seven years until 1997. Puhuyesva also worked for the Salt River Pima Maricopa Indian Tribe as a Road and Grounds Maintenance Supervisor. He was also solid waste, I know at one a Supervisor for the Santime the tribe had cleaned itary Crew and Parks and happen is they should colup all the solid waste Recreation Crew. After lect and find out where all dump sites and for reasons his time in Salt River he the documentation is. We unknown, the Solid Waste moved to Africa where he need to correct our filing spent four years working for the Nigerian Governple were upset and began ment working on their environmental problems and trained the Nigerian people in starting a solid waste water contamination from program. Upon returning gasoline and uranium. We to the Hopi Reservation need to totally clean that he became a Hopi Council Representative for two like to see our Hopi People years and then applied for the Solid Waste Director where he currently works.

thoughts on the Hopi Q. What environmental Tribes current financial issues to do you see facing the Hopi Tribe?

A. We have several that have been out of compliance and our biggest issue is the landfill. When I left here back in 1997, it was a model program. We had everything going and I was meeting with other Arizona Tribes helping them with their issues. The Solid Waste Program has gone through about five Directors since. The Solid Waste Landfill we had went out of compliance and that is what I'm currently working on, but I'm not getting the support from the Administration. Right now we are in modified transfer of operations where we are taking all of our household waste to the Joseph City landfill through Waste Management. Other environmental issues we have is arsenic in the water of First and Second Mesa and Keams Canyon. A couple weeks ago the Environment Protection Act (EPA) fined the Bureau of Indian Affairs programs for non-compliance. I believe the water resource program is trying to get a hold on the arsenic problem. They are trying to get into the N-Aquifer so they can pump the water to First and Second Mesa, but we need to get the input of the people. Another problem that is pending is the waste water treatment in Moencopi, which has gone out of compliance a couple of times. An ongoing problem is the Tuba City land-

What are thoughts on the Hopi Tribes current financial status?

fill which has been going

on forever.

A. Right now, I don't think anyone knows what we have as far as our finances are concerned. What we need to do is an assessment overall. I know we are behind in audits ever since way back. It's been a problem for all the former Chairman's and Vice Chairman's. What should

Q. What would you say are the strengths and weaknesses of the current administration?

A: The strengths, but I know we have a lot of weaknesses. I think the main thing is we need to get back to following the policy and procedures that are in place and try not to violate them. We also need to work on communications and try to bring up the morale.

Tommy Canyon - Hopi **Chairman Candidate** Tommy Canyon was born

and raised in the village of Lower Moencopi. He attended and graduated from Tuba City High School and went on to Arizona State University (ASU). After attending ASU he enlisted into the Marine Corp. where he was active for four years and two years inactive. He also worked for Babbitt Brothers in retail at Red Lake Trading Post and was later transferred to Kykotsmovi. He has been in Kykotsmovi since 1984. He is married to Julie Canyon for 33 years; they have two kids, Jennifer and Aaron; and two grandchildren. His hobbies are hunting and farming. He is an outdoorsman.

Q. What are your views on the Hopi Tribes environmental issues?

A. The gas and the uranium in Tuba City and the landfill issues have a major impact on the Hopi Tribes environment. Also the arsenic in First and Second Mesa that is affecting people who use the windmill waters for household use. If Peabody can supply water to these affected areas that would be a tremendous asset to our commu-

What are thoughts on the Hopi **Tribes financial issues?**

A. I know they are having a lot of issues but the ones that should know how much money we have is the Tribal Council. I am a

Tommy Canyon of Lower Moencopi declared his candidacy for Hopi Chairman.



Mike Puhuyesva of Hotevilla is Director of the Solid Waste Program. Puhuyesva also announced his candidacy for Hopi Chairman.

business man, I can't venture into anything unless I know what the stability of the tribe is. I have to know how much money is everywhere being as how the tribe is diversified. I think they maybe too diversified that they don't know where their finances are. Right now they need to draw all of their finances back together so they will know exactly how much they have. The audits will eventually get done and whatever the outcome will be, it will tell the true story of our finances.

Q. What are the strengths and weaknesses of the current administration?

A. With the current administration, there is too much strength held by the Chairman. Not observing what his roles and responsibilities are as the Chairman according to the Hopi Constitution. He's got council doing what he wants them to do. Right now the Chairman is doing for himself and not for the good for the people. The weakness is the Hopi Tribal Council. The tribal council is not using the people, the people is why they are in there. They are not using the people's ideas to enhance or make sure that the villages have economic development. I think we need to empower the villages to do a lot of economic development in

the villages.

VOTE



TOMMY A. CANYON HOPI TRIBAL CHAIRMAN

My name is Tommy A Canyon, Massaw Clan from the Village of Moenkopi. I have lived in the Village of Kykotsmovi for the past 29 years where I have successfully managed the Kykotsmovi Village Store.

In everything I have done in my life, I have always given my whole heart; in seeking the Office of Chairman this will be no different. I am a strong believer in the Hopi culture and way of life, it is a hard life but it has taught me to be a fighter. I will always fight for ALL our people.

My goal in running for the Office of Chairman is to unite our Hopi/Tewa people and allow their voices to be heard. I would like to see all Villages represented in Council. I want to bring back the respect, honor and leadership to this office. I fully understand the need for jobs and housing on Hopi, this is why I feel we need to start investing our dollars and knowledge in our Villages and our Hopi/Tewa people. Our people are our natural resources. There are a lot of intelligent and successfully Hopi/Tewa people among us that we need to utilize. With the current shutdown of the Government, it should make us realize that we need to be more self-sustaining we need more revenues. We need to be more involved in negotiating our resources with outside entities. What I lack in the knowledge of tribal politics, I make up for in the dedication and desire to do what is right.

With this in mind, I urge you all to get out and VOTE! Don't let a hand full of people make the decisions for all. Be assured, if I get your vote, I WILL LISTEN, AND YOUR VOICE WILL BE HEARD.

MIKE R. PUHUYESVA FOR HOPI CHAIRMAN

Lolma. Sinom. My name is Mike R. Puhuyesva. I would like to announce my candidacy for Hopi Chairman. I would also like to share some of my

visions with you. My vision is to re-establish equal representation in the Hopi Tribal Council. We cannot resolve our peoples' needs when we do not allow them to express their concerns. It does not matter if a village has a traditional or democratic form of government in their village, as long as we follow the constitution. policies and procedures, and respect the village's autono-

Along with that issue, we continue to say that we want to promote honesty, respect, integrity, and work together in harmony. Although these words are often spoken, we never practice them. I believe our people are tired of these words because now they have no meaning.

Another one of my visions is to promote cooperation, communication, and the opportunity for all villages to

Hopi-Tewa help each other with similar issues. We can accomplish this with shared experiences and knowledge from the people to resolve some of the issues on Hopi.

One of the topics constantly addressed, is that we are here for the youth and elderly. In turn these issues are constantly pushed aside. We have young people fresh out of school with degrees and knowledge, but we do not give them a chance to show us what they have learned and help us improve our Tribe.

The world is constantly changing outside the reservation every day. The fresh minds of recent graduates and individuals in school, along with the wisdom and concerns of our elders are what we need to keep

abreast of what changes are being adopted and how to

improve our lives on Hopi.

Most of the issues have been identified for years, but nothing has improved. We take short cuts to Band-Aid the situations, when the major issues still exist. We are currently in a potentially hazardous situation now, and we need to assess the financial issue to see if we can operate without downsizing or limiting services to our people. With financial crisis looming overhead we also need to determine how we

will generate new revenue for our people. Overall, main goal is for us to work together to improve Hopi, and help us move forward. Kwa Kwah (Thank you).



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Dear Friends:

I take this time to formally announce my candidacy for the Office of Chairman of the Hopi Tribe Council.

As you know I have been serving as the Vice Chairman for the past three and half years and I have gained much insight into the overall operations of the Hopi Tribal government including the functions of the Hopi Tribal Council and the Task Teams.

The experience and knowledge I have gained is one of the stepping stone to pursue this goal. I will apply the abilities and insight that I have gained to move forward.

Much work is at hand, many challenges face the Hopi tribe and much of the intra-operation of Hopi Tribal government remains to be addressed. Like many towns and cities in our State and Nation, we have similar challenges. It is necessary to work together to seek and apply resources in addressing these needs and challenges.

The Hopi Tribe is a service organization. Past administrations have worked to improve and make tribal government effective and more responsive. In our ever changing world, the goal of enhancing government services persist. As servants, our commitment to serve the Hopi/Tewa people must always be foremost, providing courteous, effective and efficient services must be a constant endeavor. I pledge to apply energy, creativity and focus to enhance tribal operations and functions.

There are many educated and resourceful Hopi/ Tewa individuals as well as cultural practitioners within our communities whom we need to seek for their knowledge and ideas. Our cultural practitioners keep us grounded and remind us we must maintain a balance between our life of today and the teachings of our elders. Through our combined strength, knowledge and foresight, we can succeed in achieving meaningful changes for the benefit of our people.

My vision is to cultivate and sustain a strong government for the Hopi people. I call upon your expertise and support to help fulfill our goals, leading us towards self sufficiency and growth. We must all encourage one another to achieve a healthier nation. You the Hopi/Tewa people are the stakeholders of this government, your involvement and participation in tribal government will and can lead towards a stronger and responsive tribal government. Through our combined strength, we can succeed in achieving a meaningful change to benefit our people.

I invite you to join me in making this vision a reality. Kwak kwa.

Herman G. Honanie Kykotsmovi, Arizona

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Services Job Number: 05-001 Salary:

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Hopi Resource Enforcement Services

gator

Job Number: 08-003 Salary:

Job Title: Behavioral Health **Therapist** HGC/Behavioral Health Services Job Number: 08-011 Hourly:

\$ 12.16 Job Title: Bus Driver (Moencopi Center) Hopi Head Start Program

Job Number: 08-012 Hourly: \$ 15.19 Job Title: Teacher Hopi Head Start Program

Job Number: 08-016 Salary:

\$ 45,760 Job Title: Staff Assistant Executive Director's Office

Job Number: 09-002 Hourly: \$ 19.45 Job Title: Sr. CPS Social Worker

Hopi Guidance Center Job Number: 09-004 Hourly:

Job Title: Case Manager I Office of Aging & Adult Services

Job Number: 10-001 Hourly: Closing Date: October 21, 2013 Job Title: Coordinator Early Intervention Program,

Job Number: 10-002 Hourly: \$ 9.98 Closing Date: October 21, 2013 Job Title: Secretary Village of Sichomovi

Job Number: 10-003 Hourly: \$ 14.46 Job Title: Police Officer Ranger

Hopi Resource Enforcement Services



HEALTH/WELLNESS The Journey of Many Miles

By Kassondra Yaiva

Think about this: Just 16

weeks ago you were ready and revved up to begin a journey toward the 100 mile goal. As the 2013 100 Mile Club comes to a close, it's a perfect time to reflect on that journey. Did you reach the goal you set for yourself? Did you face challenges and how did you overcome them? What did you enjoy about the journey toward 100 miles? The old saying, "you don't know where you're going until you know where you've been", is quite fitting at the end of the 100 Mile Club season. Reflecting back on your journey in a meaningful way will provide you with a foundation to continue your exercise routine, and continue on the path to wellness.

As for this years' program, we have great news to report. A total of 517 participants completed the program, meaning they logged and turned in their miles and reached the 100 mile goal; way to go people! Of those 517 people, 352 are females and 165 are males. Additionally, 64 "completers" have diabetes; completing the 100 Mile Club is an excellent way to manage diabetes successfully! Of those that turned in their mileage, they racked up a total of 88,947 miles in just

16 weeks. Last, but not least, the individual with the most mileage is under the age of 18 and lives on Hopi - he had a total of 1,055 miles! WOW! A big pat on the back and congratulations goes out to everyone who participated in the Club this year, we're proud of you!

All too often our walk-

ing and running efforts come to a screeching halt once the 16 weeks of the 100 Mile Club come to an end. Let us make a change in that this year; instead of stopping, let's keep running and walking strong and reach another 100 miles before the end of the year! Anything is possible when you put your mind to it and stay committed. Your body, mind, and spirit will thank you for continuing to move and stay active.

As we look forward to the rest of 2013, we encourage you to set new goals for yourself, and also remember that "slow and steady wins the race." Whether you're trying to lose weight, lower your stress level, or looking for new ways to eat healthy, each day is a new day to tackle your goals. Take it one day at a time, and always remember your motivation for working toward better health.

Thank you for making this Club successful once again; without your par-

The family that exercises together stays healthy together! Great job!



5k participants at the 100 Mile Club Final Challenge on August 26



Miles of smiles from participants at the 100 Mile Club Final Challenge

ticipation, the 100 Mile is today. Best wishes to Club wouldn't be what it you all!

Pink Day on Hopi!

RE-ELECT

LeRoy N. Shingoitewa

CHAIRMAN FOR THE PEOPLE

"Together we will keep moving forward"

Hopi Cancer Support Services

October is celebrated as Breast Cancer Awareness Month (BCAM) every

States of America and on Hopi. The Hopi Breast & Cervical Cancer Screening Program at HOPI Cancer Support Services "kicked" the month off with a pink year across the United bang on October 2, 2013.

their workout. Program where they promote education & awareness of breast cancer. The next

One hundred and forty-

four people participated in

the 1 & 2 Mile Fun Run/

Walk and had a delicious

healthy chef salad after

education through questions they answer Pin Distribution will take before they receive a pin.

pin that signifies BCAM.

In addition to dressing

in pink, participants are

The color pink signifies BCAM and across the country, various events promote this color, even professional foot ball players. There is a special

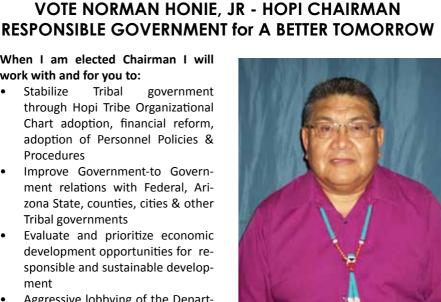
meaning in wearing the color pink. to show support for the WARRIORS who battling the disease, the SURVIVORS who came The Hopi Breast & through the battle and the Cervical Cancer Screening ANGELS who lost their acknowledges lives to this disease. Pink BCAM and plans outreach is also worn to support recruitment events research still going on to find a cure for breast cancer.

Every year, the Hopi event is called PINK DAY Breast & Cervical Cancer when we encourage people Screening Program sends in the Hopi communities out a call for a pin design. to dress in pink attire in This year, the artist is order to receive a special Delridge Koinva from Shongopavi Village. The slogan for the month is "Give Breast Cancer the provided breast cancer BOOT!"

> Pink Day Education & place on October 21, 2013 at Keams Canyon Store, Polacca Circle M Store, Second Mesa Post Office, Hotevilla Elderly/Youth Center, Bacavi Community Administration and the Moenkopi Senior Center from 11:30 am - 1:00 pm. Pins will also be distributed along with the breast cancer questions at the HOPI Cancer Support Services and Hopi Health Care Center/CHR office beginning at 9:00 a.m. -4:00 p.m. These are the only two locations having the longer hours.

Those who are in the required solid or mostly pink clothing; shirt, sweater, pants will be eligible to receive a pin. All Police, Hopi Range Enforcement, Security and Public Health officials in uniform will be accepted with a pink ribbon pin or pink wrist bracelet.

We look forward to seeing the Hopi Communities; PINKED OUT!



When I am elected Chairman I will work with and for you to: Stabilize government Tribal through Hopi Tribe Organizational Chart adoption, financial reform, adoption of Personnel Policies &

Procedures Improve Government-to Government relations with Federal, Arizona State, counties, cities & other

Tribal governments Evaluate and prioritize economic development opportunities for responsible and sustainable development

- Aggressive lobbying of the Department of Interior and other organizations to partner with tribal government for increased funding to construct a new social services facility and shelter for minors in need • of care.
- Pursue conversion of Hopi Health Care Center into a full service hospital to meet critical health care needs
- Explore opportunities for collaboration between Tribal Government, BIA Education and AZ Department • of Education to improve K-12 education
- Explore partnerships with institutions of higher learning and trade
- schools to prepare students for higher education and job ready preparedness Explore partnership with other or-

ganizations to expand elderly &

- youth facilities Aggressive lobbying of U.S Government to live up to its trust responsibility to provide adequate law en-
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- partment of Transportation to improve roads system



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LOCAL NEWS

HTHA Welcomes New Director, Wayne Taylor

Crystal Dee Hopi Tutuveni

hired on Sept. 21 as the new Hopi Tribal Housing Authority (HTHA) Director, a position that had been vacant for more than a year. Taylor plans to focus on the organization and hopes to make an service for the Hopi peo-

Taylor. "That is what I focused on low income housing, and that is what of Commissioners. we want to continue to do. who are middle and high as well.'

Improvement and building infrastructure will be a part of spending and using the \$14 million that will be used. Taylor said the funds need to be spent, but they also need to folbefore they can spend it. is an absolute need for home at Tawa'ovi. housing, but they need to go through the process before they start building

recently removed HTHA Board of Commission-Wayne Taylor Jr. was ers and gave oversight to the Vice Chairman and appointed some Council Representatives to assist. The oversight will be until they replace the Board of Commissioners which is an ongoing process.

"I hope the Tribal Counimpact on the community; cil takes their time in and have true customer screening the prospective Board of Commissioner applicants and do a good "We are in the business job of making sure that of building homes," said we have people that will help support and guide the want to do. We've been Housing Authority," said Taylor regarding the Board

HTHA may be a part of But we also need focus on some future projects that our Hopi tribal members are currently in the discussion stages, such as a housincome. We want to be ing development at Spider able to build them homes Mound. Spider Mound is a Hopi Community on Hopi Partitioned Lands, and they have an interest in developing a community for Hopi members to live had not been used; funds there. The other project is that had been sitting for a the Tawa'ovi Community number of years with no near Hard Rock. They are plans of where and how it currently going through their environment review process that may end soon, once its complete infralow rules and regulations structure work will begin. In the past, HTHA made Taylor is aware that there a commitment to build 18

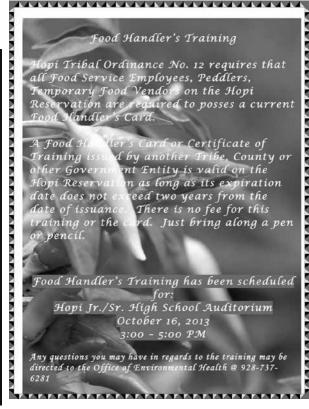
"I want to have team that shares my vision and attitude in getting things done The Hopi Tribal Council and to build homes for ev-



ery one of all incomes. We are here to do a job; people who want to roll up their sleeves and get working is a team I want to bring on board," said Taylor.

Taylor is from the village of Shungopavi and comes from the Dawa (Sun) Clan. He attended and graduated from Winslow High School. While at Winslow High School he enjoyed various programs there, such as the running program where he was a part of the state champion team for a number of years. After high school he attended the University of Arizona where he graduated with a Bachelors of Arts Degree in Public Administration. He has worked for the Hopi Tribe for 20 years working in the Executive Offices as a Staff Assistant, Executive Assistant and Chief of Staff. He then became the Hopi Chairman for two terms and Hopi Vice Chairman for one term. When his term ended in 2005 he moved to Phoenix and joined Merrill Lynch as a Financial Advisor where he worked for 6 or 7 years.

"I got some good exposure to corporate world and I would like to see what I can do here at Hopi with my experience," said Taylor. "It's going to be good to reconnect with the Hopi Tribal leaders and leaders of other tribal na-



FROM THE FRONT PAGE

TCERC hosts a Tribal Solar Energy Workshop to learn about Photovoltaic Technology

includes:

Nov. 12th, 8 am-5 pm Lab work with PV Modules, Meters and Tools

Nov. 13th, 8 am2 pm Tour of NAU's 160 kW PV array and Coconino Community College's Mobile PV System and discussions with solar energy leaders:

Speakers on the second day include TCERC director Ann Marie Chischilly, TCERC staffer and NAU PhD candidate Nikishna Polequaptewa, TCERC staffer Karin Wadsack, is \$20 and includes all reg-Ken Lomayestewa of the istration costs and parking Hopi Tribe's Renewable Energy Office, Derrick Terry of the Navajo Tribal Utility Authority and Aar-

on Gillmore, Solar City Vice President. Solar City, one of the nation's largest solar energy providers will also be sponsoring all the meals for all participants. The speakers will be discussing their roles in the local and national trends of solar energy.

Any tribal member or employee can register for the TCERC workshop by logging onto http://www4. nau.edu/itep/tcerc/tcerc newsevents.asp. The cost of the two day workshop fees. Seating is limited and registration closes on November 8th.

Hopi Bruins Homecoming 2013





Left: 2013 Homecoming King Blake Sekaquaptewa and Queen Kira Beaudette. Above: Many Farms Lobo Cheston Begay #20 attempts to keep Hopi Bruin Darius Harvey, #25, from scoring a touchdown but failed. Harvey scored putting the Hopi Bruins up 34-0. Hopi Bruins defeated the Lobos 60-0 making the Bruins record 6-1. The Hopi Bruins will host the Tuba City Warriors Fri, Oct. 18 at 7pm. The game is also Senior Night, last home game for the Seniors on the Football team. The Hopi Cancer Support Services is also having their event, Pink Night in support of Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

LuAnn Leonard Honored with Lifetime Achievement Award

and competitive nomination process each year which is administered by the Phoenix Indian Center. Ms Lu Ann Leonard of the Hopi Tribe was recipient of one of the awards. .

Phyllis J. Bigpond Life-– LuAnn Leonard (Hopi)

Leonard is the first on ed by former Governor Janet Napolitano to an eight-year term in January 2008. She is also the Executive Director of the Hopi Education Fund (HEEF), providing educational opportunities

for the Hopi people.

Businesses can learn about how to honor their American Indian employees by visiting the website or calling the numbers below. Everyone is invited to join us at the dinner to celtime Achievement Award ebrate the awardees where awards will be presented Tuesday, November American Indian to serve 19, 2013 at 6:00 pm at on the Arizona Board of the Double Tree by Hilton Regents. She was appoint- located at 2100 S Priest Drive in Tempe, Arizona. Tickets are \$40 and can be purchased online at www. phxindcenter.org, by calling (602) 264-6768 ext. Endowment 2009 or email leadership-

awards@phxindcenter.org

LEGAL NOTICE/NAME CHANGE

In the Hopi Tribal Court, Keams Canyon, Arizona

In the Matter of the Change of Name of: Nickless Calvan Jackson to Nicholas Calvan Jackson

Case No. 2013-CV-0149, NOTICE OF PUBLICA-

TION OF CHANGE OF NAME.

Notice is hereby given that Winnie Mae James has petitioned the court for the change of name from: Nickless Calvan Jackson to Nicholas Calvan Jackson. Any party seeking to intervene in said proceeding must file an appropriate pleading with the Hopi Tribal Court no later than twenty (20) days after the publi-

Dated: October 3, 2013

cation of this notice.

/s/ Imalene Polingyumptewa, Clerk of the Court

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COUNCIL NOTES

Hopi Tribal Council Notes al issues," said Yoyetewa. - Fourth Quarter Session, Sep. 1, 2013

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Update on Impacts of **Federal Shutdown**

Chairman Shingoitewa discussed the Temporary Assistance For Needy Families (TANF) Program being impacted by the shutdown of state funding. The Hopi Senom Transit was also impacted by funds being cut off from the Arizona Department of Transporthe inability of the House proves it." to pass a Continuing Resolution. October 17th is the Davis Pecusa, Bacavi Rep. deadline for the House to raised concern over catpass the debt ceiling that, if tle inspections, diseases, not passed, could cause further shutdowns of Federal programs and departments.

Chairman Shingoitewa also addressed a teleconference with Indian Health Services on Fri. Oct. 4. in which IHS stated that all clinics would stay open and that all commissioned doctors would stay on duty. Some staff would also stay on duty but without pay, however, with the understanding that they would get paid upon the House passing a Continuing Resolution. Chairman said a large percentage of employees are still working at IHS.

Discussion as to the Navajo Nation's plans to start development on the Confluence project. Chairman said the Tribe needs to 'raise some noise' in response to the Navajo Nation's plans. More press releases need to go out.

HTC plans to address the Hopi Tribe's 2014 Budget in HTC the week of the 21st -24^{th} .

UNFINISHED BUSI-NESS

ACTION ITEM #069-2013 - Adoption of the Hopi Ranger Enforcement Services General Chief nyumptewa.

ed to approve Action Item #069-2013, the Adoption of the Hopi Resource Enforcement Services (HRES) General Orders. The General Orders allow HRES to be recognized as law enforcement officers and to enforce the Hopi Code that was adopted on April 04, 2013.

The Hopi Code gives authorization to HRES to enforce laws. In the past, there have been unclear orders in some of the Ordinances that gave HRES authority to enforce Hopi laws that were normally a police officer's job.

The General Orders were presented to the Hopi Tribal Council by HRES Chief Honyumptewa; Danny Honanie, Kykotsmovi Village Representative and Mervin Yoyetewa, Mishongnovi Village Representative. Both Honanie and Yoyetewa are members of the Law Enforcement Task Team. Members of the Hopi Tribal Council had their input in reference to the General Orders before they voted to approve

According to Yoyetewa, HRES has always enforced laws when the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Police Officers would not respond to disputes on tribal property, lands and villages.

"They refused because according to BIA, it was trib-

Honanie stressed to the council that HRES has always had the authority to enforce laws out on the Range through various Ordinances and resolutions.

"It does not spell out which agency will enforce laws or Ordinances. Is it the Rangers or Law Enforcement agency?" said Honanie.

Moencopi Representative Wayne Kuwanhyoima said, "Ordinance from 1986 proves that there was Hopi tation. These impacts are Police Officers. I have the result of the stand off proof because I still have in Washington D.C. over my commission card that

> etc. He said HRES has always enforced laws and he understands that certain things need to be enforced on Hopi Partitioned Lands as there have been reports of violations being committed such as fence cutting. He also recommended that HRES change their name to Hopi Police and suggested to take over BIA.

Vice Chairman Honanie said Chief Honyumptewa has officers lined up who will take care of land/range and police duties in the villages. Vice Chairman feels that there is no need for two law enforcement agencies on the reservation and suggested they combine the two entities.

HRES Chief Honyumptewa said he would like to address the fact that they are law enforcement officers. In order to get the Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) Grant they are recognized as law enforcement officers.

The General Orders were approved with a majority of the Tribal Council Representatives voting in favor. The outcome of the votes was 13 in favor, 2 opposed and 0 abstentions.

of General Orders

On Tuesday, Oct. 08, the In an interview just days Hopi Tribal Council vot- after the General Orders were approved, Chief Honyumptewa weighed in on what the General Orders mean to his department and officers.

> "The approval of the General Orders by the Hopi Tribal Council is a historic day for HRES as it establishes and recognizes us a law enforcement entity. The General Orders should have been completed 19 years ago by prior Chiefs who should have completed it," said Chief Honyumptewa.

> The General Orders is huge for the department because it is a guideline on how to respond to certain calls, how incidences should be handled; it's a policy that all officers should follow. The General Orders is a guideline and policy that has been long overdue.

"Most of the agencies in the valley, Navajo County and Navajo Police have policies they must abide by in which all the officers have to follow. They can't deviate from that without the prior approval from Sergeants which rarely occurs," said Chief Honyumptewa.

The General Orders was created in the 1970's when the Rangers were created as a civilian patrol for the Hopi Partitioned Lands (HPL) area. When time evolved to 1994 when Resolution H-01-63-94 passed

and made HRES a law enforcement entity. However, that wasn't what they were thought of until a couple days ago when the Hopi Tribal Council realized they are a law enforcement entity.

The name, Hopi Resource Enforcement Services throws them off to where people look at them as Rangers and not law enforcement officers. They are State certified police officers and that means a lot to the department.

Chief Honyumptewa said the public is aware they are police officers as they have been doing traffic citations, traffic offences, responding to domestic violence situations, disorderly conduct, and intoxication and missing person's calls. He said they assist BIA by responding to the same calls if they do not have anyone available.

"For instance, we had an individual with a knife in Bacavi and four HRES officers responded to the call, and that was a shock to BIA because they have never seen that many HRES officers at one location. We ended up arresting three people that day. It's something new to BIA and I think in the past it wasn't really advertised because they weren't proactive being out there. Information I have received from prior Rangers is that it was always a back and forth situation where Rangers belong on HPL or you belong here in the villages," said Chief Honyumptewa on assisting BIA Police Officers.

There was concern among some of the councilmen in regards to the trust/responsibility between HRES and BIA; however Chief Honyumptewa couldn't respond on behalf of BIA, but did comment by saying their trust/responsibility is here in the Hopi villages and the land. HRES's trust/ responsibility is the whole reservation and to enforce Honyumptewa all tribal laws in the Hopi Code and Ordinances 21, 43, 46 and 47. Chief Honyumptewa stressed that Moencopi is not getting the services they need and there are a lot of complaints coming from there. In that, he wants to have a substation there and at Spider Mound. Their main goal is to give back to the commu-

> The next step for HRES is to change the name from Hopi Resource Enforcement Services to Hopi Police Department. That was a suggestion coming from the Tribal Council. Chief Honyumptewa said he will work on changing the name to ensure his officers are safe and get the respect they deserve. They want the people to know they are not just Rangers, but Police Officers. Not only will they cover the Hopi Reservation, but the new lands the Hopi Tribe has purchased. In addition they will upgrade their radio system in which the Hopi Tribe has allocated funds; purchase new police vehicles; expand offices with new modular units; and with the Detention Steering Committee working on building a new detention facility along with a police department they plan on having a 40 strong/50 strong mentality of moving forward.

> Two years ago, when Chief Honyumptewa came on board, he said HRES was at its lowest and was unorganized. Uniforms were worn out, vehicles were broken, the dispatch center was outdated and the General

Orders was not in place.

There were a lot of issues, funds that we could bring but fast track to two years, Chief Honyumptewa has upgraded and fixed some of the issues.

Chief Honyumptewa is from the Village of Lower Moencopi and is from the Sun Clan. He worked with the Salt River Pima Maricopa Indian Community Police Department prior to becoming the Chief of the Hopi Resource Enforcement Services.

In closing, Chief Honyumptewa would like to thank everyone who supported him in getting the General Orders approved, the Law Enforcement Task Team and his officers.

REPORTS DD. Government Shutdown Related Issues: Hopi Transit/TANF

Chairman Shingoitewa said he had talked on the phone with Ann Kirkpatrick and that she said that all the Democrats had signed a resolution to make measures toward passing a new Continuing Resolution. She said that they needed 18 Republican signatures.

Hopi Tribe Executive Director, Donovan Gomez said that on Sep. 30 it became imminent that the Federal Shutdown was going to happen because the House couldn't agree on a Continuing Resolution. "We need to come up with what it would take to keep programs running (TANF/ Transit)." The potential is that the shutdown could affect operations of these programs for 30-60 days. Gomez said, "Things are changing by the day and hour." He also said that IHS has a contingency bill being put in place and that certain federally funded programs have been able to roll over contingency funds for 638 Programs.

Hopi Guidance Center Director, Richard Hamilton addressed the TANF Pro-Hamilton said he had gotten notice that TANF would be shutdown for all tribes on Thu, Oct. 3. "We could carry on business with our staff and offer a minimal amount of services," he said. However according to a bulletin issued, TANF would not be able to issue any more payments to recipients. "Any carryover

be used to keep staff on," he said. Business Manager for the Guidance Center, Theresa Polevestewa said that state funds for food stamps and cash assistance programs were shutdown. However the situation with Federal funds was a tad different because those funds could only be used to maintain services like application intake. Kykotsmovi Councilman Norman Honanie asked for specific numbers of tribal members who would be affected by the shutdown of state funds for food stamps and cash assistance. Poleyestewa said the programs services 80 recipients and that four HTC to address the continstaff members would be affected. She went on to explain that carryover dollars could be used to keep staff on board. **TANF** staff could keep signing up applicants with the understanding that applicants will get assistance when services and state funding resume. Hamilton said the total for food stamps and cash assistance was approximately \$20,000 last month. Poleyestewa said that the contract that administers funding doesn't allow for TANF to pay for food stamps or cash assistance from any other outside sources of funding. The \$20,000 in carryover funds to be used in October could only be used for

forward from 2009 would

Hopi Senom Transit

reimbursements for gas,

mileage, childcare and sal-

aries for TANF staff. Cash

payments and food stamps

must come from the state.

Acting Director Shawn Silas was in attendance on behalf of Hopi Senom Transit. Executive Director Gomez stated that in a meeting with Transit Director Judy Polingyumptewa, Any unexpended funds, currently on suspension, she advised that the Transit program would not be affected by the shutdown. However, communication with ADOT on Wed, Oct. gram. Hamilton was hired 2, informed that ADOT as Director in August 2013. wouldn't be administering the action item. Bruce the grant for the tribe. At this time a decision was motion. The motion failed made to close down the Transit program until funding became available. The Transit program operates under a grant administered by the FTA in which the Hopi tribe matches funds in a 60/40 split with the Tribe the Transit is shutdown. matching 40%. In communication with Tracy Young

from ADOT, the question was posed that if the Hopi Tribe were to allocate funds, would that be justification for ADOT to match the funds. Young said no and that the program has to be up and running.

HTC asked the Interim Finance Director, Lillian Dennis, along with Executive Director Gomez and Acting Transit Director Silas to bring forward a resolution which would address financial needs to keep the Transit in operation during the Federal shutdown. Councilman George Mase sponsored this resolution. On Wed, Oct. 9, a resolution was brought before ued operation of the Hopi Senom Transit.

Councilman Mase said, "We're trying to prepare for this day when vital services need to continue. Maybe the transit won't run at full scale we need to keep services intact and not let them go.

Executive Director Gomez informed HTC that a contingency plan was brought forward under the advisement of HTC to address transit issues. Because Transit and TANF are funded through separate grants, it was advised that the resolution only address Transit. For clarification, Gomez also advised that Transit isn't operating on a 638 Contract but instead money from ADOT.

Resolution 084-2013 was introduced requesting \$70,605 to be taken from the Peabody Settlement, which would cover transit services between Oct. 10 to Nov. 31. \$37,753 was figured for the month of October and \$32,851 for the month of November. from whenever the shutdown was lifted, would be returned to the Peabody Settlement Account.

Councilman Norman Honanie motioned to approve Fredericks seconded with a vote of 8 yes votes and 9 no votes. Until a continuing resolution is approved by the House and Federal funding is appropriated through ADOT to the Hopi Senom Transit,

2013 Tewa Celebration brings village together to celebrate Tewa culture

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The Tewa Administration Building in Polacca was the site of the 2013 Tewa Celebration held on Fri, Oct. 11. Village administrators, village board members, elders and members of Tewa youth programs welcomed visitors while providing insight into programs the village

Hopi Chairman LeRoy Shingoitewa was on hand at the celebration along with Chief of Staff, Alphonso Sakeva Sr. and Hopi Tribe Executive Director Donovan Gomez.

Chairman Shingoitewa told the audience that as the leader of the Hopi Tribe not only does he represent the Hopi people, he also represents the Tewa located in First Mesa. "I don't represent one clan, I represent all clans," Chairman Shingoitewa said.

hold an election and send

a representative to Hopi

Tribal Council so that all

The Chairman encouraged the Tewa Village to

segments of the Hopi people would be represented equally.

Tewa Youth Coordinator, Carlton Timms spoke about the creation of the Hopi Tewa Youth Council. The youth council is a project he has undertaken in which he is working with Hopi and Tewa youth to create bylaws and eventually apply for non-profit status. "How many of you adults know how to create laws and bylaws?" he asked the crowd. "The youth are doing this."

Timms also promoted Traditional foods and languages classes held at the Tewa Administration and emphasized that the Tewa language "needs to be taught in the home". Timms is also a student of the class. "Many adults cannot

speak the language," he

said. "I am also a student." Erin Eustace is a member of the youth council and participant in many of the Tewa youth programs. Eustace said the programs

are a nice way for youth to

learn about their culture

while having fun. "You find out that you have family," she said.

Eustace said she is concerned that the Tewa Language is fading and that all the Tewa youth should try and learn it while they can. Tewa Elder Ernestine Goldtooth supported the language classes as well. "We want to share what we know with the youth," she said. "We need to try and speak the language."

The event kept a lively pace with Master of Ceremonies, Randall Mahle of early morning KUYI fame. Mahle told anecdotes in between introducing the speakers. The Tewa Village provided a lunch of stews, vegetables and breads while entertainers like Ed Kabotie and Michael Adams performed for the lunch hour listeners. Entertainers also included: Austin Coochyamptewa's group, Alrye Polequaptewa's Malloy Nutumya's group amongst many others.

Hopi DV Program Raises Promotes Awareness About Domestic Violence In October

Melsa Yowytewa Hopi Domestic Violence Program

Domestic Violence Awareness Month brings attention to domestic violence every October. This month we started with a 1 and 2 mile walk/run event which was held at the Hopi Healthcare Center on October 2, 2013. The Hopi Domestic Violence Program along with the Miss Hopi Committee and the Hopi Tewa Womens Coalition to End Abuse, have planned several events throughout the month of

October 9, 2013 there will be a drum session at the Bearshield Arena in Kykotsmovi which will honor survivors of Domestic

Violence. October 23, 2013, HTWCEA Training/TA Session @ 8am—5pm at the Hopi Wellness Center

October 30, 2013, Balloon Release/ Drum Session @ 5:30 p.m. Moencopi Community Building, Moencopi, AZ

What is Domestic Abuse? Domestic Abuse, "battering" is a pattern of abuse by one partner against the other, for the purpose of maintaining power and control. Domestic Violence often includes (but not always) physical abuse. Forms of domestic violence can include: Physical Abuse,

Sexual Abuse, Abuse, Threats & Intimidation, Isolation or restriction from friends, family and other support systems, destruction of property, financial exploitation, jealousy and possessiveness, stalking or monitoring behavior.

often begins with behaviors like threats, name calling, abuse in your presence (such as punching a fist through a wall) and/or damage to objects or pets. It may escalate to restraining, pushing, kicking, slapping, pinching, tripping, biting, throwing, or grabbing. Finally, it may become life-threatening with serious behav-

Verbal iors such as strangulation, breaking bones, or the use of deadly weapons. (Remember, ANY household item can be used as a dangerous weapon).

Children in Families where there is domestic violence suffer negative consequences even if they Battering Escalates: It are not the targets of the abuse. Children who witness their mothers being abused by their fathers (or vice versa) often exhibit health problems, sleeping difficulties, acting-out behaviors, and feelings of guilt, anger, fear and powerlessness. In addition, research suggests that boys who witness their mothers being abused often grow up to be abusers them-



Miss Hopi Nikki Quimyintewa and 1st Attendant Lori Honyaoma pose with drum groups that took part in the drum session in honor of Domestic Violence

selves, thereby continuing We strive to provide dithe cycle of violence.

Why do women stay?

Women stay in abusive relationships due to fear, lack of resources or options, psychological damage, loss of self-esteem, depression, or other reasons. It is important to remember that leaving a relationship may also be dangerous – more women are killed by their partner AFTER they leave the relationship than at any other time. Women who stay in abusive relationships are not weak - they are SCARED.

If you are in an abusive relationship and need help please contact the Hopi Domestic Violence Program at (928) 738-1115.

rect services to victims of abuse whether it be for support, shelter referral along with transport to shelters, transportation to court proceedings, inform victims of criminal proceedings involving the abuser (release dates, court dates, and sentencing results), referrals for medical care, counseling, DES and other community resources.

Advocates are also available before 8:00 a.m. and after 5:00 p.m. Contact the Hopi Police Department or the Hopi Healthcare Emergency Room. These two agencies will be able to contact an advocate for



Participants kick off Domestic Violence Awareness Month with a 1 and 2 mile walk in honor of victims.

Explore Hopi welcomes visitors to experience Arizona history and beauty

Plenty to do in Arizona during government shutdown: Hopi tours, Southwest tour packages ready for visitors

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Flagstaff, Ariz. - Explore Hopi welcomes visitors to experience the Grand Canyon region and offers a unique, fascinating and intriguing Hopi cultural journey in the Southwest. A variety of authentic cultural programs are visitors available and the Explore Hopi staff welcomes visitors to the Southwest this autumn. Sponsored by the Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation (HTEDC) - the new and already popular visitor program Explore Hopi (www.explorehopi.com) - features a rewarding family experience at the Hopi "center of the northern universe" in Arizona including several tour packages, a visit to the Hopi Travel Plaza on the eastern edge gateway to Hopi lands, plus a stay for exploring Sedona's Red Rock Country at the Days Inn Kokopelli.

Because Sedona's Red Rock country is part of the Coconino National Forest, it is not a part of nor adversely affected by the current federal government shutdown.

"We're open for business," said Kevin Lombardo,

HTEDC. "There is plenty to see and do in northern Arizona and our Explore Hopi concierges can set up

a unique experience for the

entire family." Explore Hopi features several remarkable and customizable tours via its website, ExploreHopi. com. Various tours include guided excursions to a major Southwest petroglyph site, a stay Cultural the Hopi Restaurant Center Inn on Second Mesa in the heart of Hopi, a stay at the HTEDC-owned base at the affordable and comfortable Days Inn Kokopelli in Sedona and travel gas cards from the Hopi Travel Plaza at the Keams Canyon entrance to Hopi just east of Holbrook,

> "We have a number of packages or we can customize a visit depending upon what the visitor wants to experience from a cultural journey

into the past on the Hopi Reservation to adventures such as hot air ballooning and exploring the beauty of the red rocks in Sedona," said Lombardo. "For those with time we can combine a bit of both."

A visit to Hopi that is arranged by the Explore is Hopi staff also features the most current information on Hopi arts, art galleries, events and meeting Hopi who showcase colorful artwork in a variety of artistic media. A Hopi cuisine experience at the Hopi Cultural Center visitors.

While and including monuments Grand Canyon, Walnut Canyon, Sunset Crater and Petrified Forest closed as a result of the ongoing federal government shutdown – Explore Hopi is welcoming visitors and

this season is the perfect time to visit ExploreHopi. com or call our Concierges at (928) 734-0044 to plan a visit and then come the experience many cultural wonders including Oraibi village, the oldest continuously inhabited settlement in the United States. The HTEDC was formed

in 2005 by the Hopi Tribal Council to create and harness economic an environment that will blossom, by securing resources, and provide the guidance and training that allows Hopi Tribe members to prosper and preserve their homeland and culture. Headquartered in Flagstaff, the HTEDC the sponsoring organization for Explore Hopi and owns and operates, on behalf of the Hopi Tribe, the following enterprises: Hopi Cultural Center Restaurant & Inn on Second Mesa; Days Inn Kokopelli in the Village of Oak Creek (Sedona); Restaurant & Inn is also the Hopi Travel Plaza off a major highlight for I-40 near Holbrook; Hopi 3 Canyon Ranches near Springerville region's Winslow, commercial properties Heritage Square. of Plaza Kachina Square Flagstaff. Visit in Explore Hopi.com and Explore Hopi on Facebook.

Building and Creative Spaces Tour

2013 Sustainable

Amanda Acheson

Flagstaff - The Coconino County Sustainable Building Program, in partnership with the City of Flagstaff Sustainability Program, Willow Bend Environmental Education Center, and the Northern AZ Branch of the US Green Building Council are proud to host this year's Sustainable Building and Creative Space Tour as part of the American Solar Energy Society National Tour.

On Sat, Oct.12 between 10am-2pm the program will host a free and self-guided tour of the Willow Bend facility at 703 E Sawmill Rd in Flag-

The tour features homes showcasing passive solar design, greywater and rainwater reuse, and construction methods such as adobe, insulated concrete forms and strawbale. Additional features include local materials, solar thermal (hot-water) for domestic and space heating, Xeriscaping, and high density development through accessory dwell-

the building and com-

enhancement programs can be seen at places like the Murdoch Community Center with a solar PV system that was 100% community funded, and the Grand Canyon Trust's volunteer barn that was made possible through community support, and features passive solar, rainwater harvesting and native landscaping done through a community educational workshop.

The Museum of North-Arizona's Easton Collection center with its LEED Platinum certification is an awesome example of creativity and sustainability coming together in a building that has numerous sustainable building features like the largest living roof in Northern AZ.

The event begins at Willow Bend Environmental Education Center at 10am and is free with a suggested donation of \$5 to support Willow Bend's environmental education programs in local schools.

For more information visit the tour's Facebook page at: https:// www.facebook.com/#!/ events/439866396110870/ Creativity through both or contact (928) 679-8853.

Hopi Tribal Member Elected to AIANTA Board of Directors

Moekopi Legacy Inn and Suites www.experiencehopi.com

TULSA, OKLAHOMA "Introducing America's First Nations to the world" is the goal of the American Indian Alaska Native Tourism Association (AIANTA). AIANTA held its 15th Annual American Indian Tourism Conference September 22 -26 at the Cherokee Nation's Hard Rock Hotel & Casino in Tulsa Oklahoma. Delegates from many Native Nations, state and federal programs, and tourism oriented organizations joined together for workshops and networking to continue to promote and encourage the growth of tourism and its positive economic impact in Indian Country.

James Surveyor, a member of the Hopi Tribe of learn more, visit: www. Arizona and the Marketing & Special Events Manager of the Moenkopi Legacy Inn & Suites participated in this year's conference tribal tourism, cultural and and was elected to serve private sector representaas a member of the AIAN- tives, representatives from TA Board of Directors. "I the tourism industry, Fedwant to express my appre- eral, State, and local govciation to be able to serve ernments, colleges, and prestigious organization. I that was incorporated in

hope that my contributions will support the mission of AIANTA to introduce Native cultures to the world and, in so doing, create a better economic future for all of our Native communities, "Surveyor said."

The Moenkopi Legacy Inn & Suites was built by the Moenkopi Developers Corporation (MDC), a nonprofit entity of the Upper Village of Moenkopi. MDC is a regional leader in tourism and was recently recognized by Arizona State Governor Jan Brewer with the prestigious 2013 Governor's Award for Cooperative Marketing for the Hopi Arts Trail. MDC created the Hopi Arts Trail to benefit artists in the 12 villages of Hopi. Surveyor is the project manager for the Hopi Arts Trail. To HopiArtsTrail.com.

AIANTA is a 501(c)(3)nonprofit association of American Indian tribes, on the board of such a universities, and friends



Marketing and Special Events Manager for the Moenkopi Legacy Inn and Suites, James Surveyor addressed the 15th Annual AIANTA Conference at the Hard Rock Hotel and Casino in Tulsa, OK.

2002 to advance Indian tive Hawaiian tourism that Country tourism. The association is made up of representatives from six regions: Alaska, Eastern, Midwest, Pacific, Plains, and the Southwest. AIAN-TA's mission is to define, introduce, grow, and sustain American Indian, Alaska Native, and Na-

honors and preserves tribal traditions and values.

For more information about AIANTA, please visit www.aianta.org

For more information about the Moenkopi Legacy Inn & Suites, please visit www.experiencehopi.

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ase of \$50 or more

Social Services 928-774-1403 APS, Food Boxes, Unisource Natural Gas, Clothing and Furniture Vouchers Thanksgiving & Christmas Food Box and Toys

Registration October 1-31 or until full Receive a turkey and holiday food box

Registration October 1- Nov 28 or until full Receive a turkey, holiday food box, and toys for the chil-

Please call 928-774-1403 to find out what information and documents are needed to register