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The Cleansing Moon

This Month In Hopi History

- Feb. 4 - Ancestors of Navajos arrived in the Southwest in the 15th Century.
- Feb. 24 - Hopi Pottery was found as far away as Verde Valley, Chinle Valley, and Southern Arizona
- A.D. 500 - Pottery and weaving were developed by A.D. 500
- A.D. 900-1000 Plazas and kivas like those of present Hopi construction were made

Community Calendar

2/8, 12p-7p: Kid's Corner Five Senses Activities HVMC
For info call: 928-734-3438

2/9, 12p-7p: Kid's Corner Dental Awareness HVMC
For info call: 928-734-3438

2/9, 6:30-8:30 pm: Business Entrep. Mtg. Tewa Comm.
For info call: 928-737-2356
602-321-3813

2/11, 2-9pm: Valentine's Bazaar, Moenkopi Legacy Inn
For info call: 928-283-4500

2/13, 12p-7p: Kid's Corner Friendship Day HVMC
For info call: 928-734-3438

2/14, 12p-7p: Kid's Corner Valentine's Day HVMC
For info call: 928-734-3438

2/16, 8am-12pm: Job Search Free Workshop
Polacca LDS Chapel
For info call: 505-264-7348

2/20: Kid's Corner Closed Presidents Day
Info: 928- 734-3438

3/1, 5:30-7:30pm HVMC Oldies Zumba Party
For info call: 928-734-3432

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Peabody Coal Co. and Salt River Project meet with Tribal Council on bleak future of Navajo Gen Station

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Officials from the Peabody Coal Company and Salt River Project met with the Hopi Tribal Council during a regular Tribal Council meeting on January 26 to deliver a message. Although their presentations to Tribal Council were at two different times, their message was basically the same: the bleak future of continued operations at the Navajo Generating Station (NGS) driven by poor economic conditions of the coal industry.

For nearly half a century, the Hopi Tribe has had Lease Agreements with the Peabody Coal Company to mine Hopi coal and use water from its aquifer to transport the coal. In the early 1960's, Attorney John Boyden negotiated the first contract for the Hopi Tribe to sell its mineral rights to Peabody and use water from the N-aquifer to slurry coal to the Mohave Generating Station in Laughlin, Nevada (now shutdown) and to the Navajo Generating Station (NGS) in Page, AZ (Peabody mines Hopi and Navajo coal and in turn sells the coal to SRP and other owners of the Power Plants).

Since that time Royalty Payments have been paid to the Hopi Tribe and has been the main source of revenue for the Tribe; thus,

has provided income to the 400+ Hopi Tribe employees and their families and basically has kept the Hopi Tribe Government operational for all these years. There has, however, been controversy and opposition by Hopi members regarding the Agreements; primarily on the royalty payments from Peabody to the Hopi Tribe.

After the closure of the Mohave Generating Station, royalty payments to the Hopi Tribe had decreased; and now, with what has been reported as poor economic conditions of the coal industry, owners of NGS are considering whether to continue operations. This information has hit Hopi Tribal leaders hard.

The Tribe has relied on income from the Coal for all these years and have not pursued any other major source of revenue generation; although, they recently made application to the State Indian Gaming Commission to go into the gaming business by leasing their allotted gaming machines, rather than operate a casino which the Hopi people in the past opposed and voted down.

The Tribe was informed that NGS could cease operations by the end of the year and coal mining operations could end as early as July, 2017. However,

they were also informed that a pending proposal by the Navajo Nation, among other things, could continue operations through 2019. The owners, including SRP, have not yet made a final decision. However, economic conditions seem to point toward an eventual shutdown.

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After presentations by Peabody and SRP were complete, the Tribal Council immediately began discussions on how to move forward and what next steps to take to begin addressing the situation. The Council immediately established two task teams. Group 1: Tasked with the assignment of meeting with the owners of Navajo Generating Station, Navajo Nation and the Federal Government to discuss the possibility of extending the closure of NGS; and to look at other alternatives of generating income for the Tribe.

Group 2: Tasked to look at the current financial con-

dition (revenues/assets) and determine how best to prepare for a reduction of Hopi Tribe General Funds; and to assess Department/Program services, under the direction of the Executive Director.

Rumors of an immediate tribal government shut down and layoff offs ran rampant among tribal employees, causing Hopi Chairman Herman Honanie to issue a letter to Tribal Employees dated Feb 1. (Page 3). Executive Director Daniel Honanie also held a mandatory Director's meeting on Feb. 1 (Page 3).

In his letter to Hopi Tribe employees, Chairman Honanie said, "The Hopi Tribe is actively taking steps to ensure NGS continues to operate into the future. However, we must also be mindful of the fact that if NGS were to cease operations at the end of the year (2017), the Tribe will face harsh economic conditions. The Executive Director has already taken steps to enact a hiring freeze for H-13 funded positions within his oversight. Other cost saving measures may need to be implemented if NGS is to close. At this time, I ask departments and programs to assist and cooperate with those initiatives being brought forth by the Executive Director."

Hopi and Navajo Tribal Leaders call on Salt River Project to keep Navajo Generating Station operating

Joint Press Release issued by:
Office of the Navajo Nation Speaker
Office of the Hopi Chairman

FLAGSTAFF – Speaker LoRenzo Bates and Hopi Tribal Chairman Herman G. Honanie, are calling on Salt River Project and other owners to keep Navajo Generating Station in full operation for the benefit of the Navajo Nation, Hopi Tribe, and the entire state of Arizona.

Both tribes have been contacted by Salt River Project representatives regarding the possible closure of NGS due in large part to the low cost of natural gas as opposed to coal. On Wednesday, leaders from the Hopi Tribe and the Navajo Nation Council met in Flagstaff to share their concerns over the possible closure and the greater economic impact for the entire state.

"We have made it clear to SRP that we want the owners of NGS to be

upfront, open, and honest in regards to their intentions," said Speaker Bates. "Decisions need to be made and SRP needs to take into full consideration the impact that a possible closure would have on the economy, jobs, and communities that rely on NGS."

NGS and Kayenta Mine, which provides coal to the power plant, provide significant revenues and many jobs for both tribes. In fact, combined revenues from both operations provide more than 80 percent of the Hopi Tribe's general fund budget.

"The Hopi people are dissatisfied with the lack of transparency from SRP in its recent threats to discontinue NGS," stated Chairman Honanie.

On Feb. 2, Arizona Corporation Commis-

sioner Andy Tobin, issued a letter to the president of the SRP Agricultural Improvement and Power District, stating that SRP and other critical stakeholders, including commissioners, must suspend plans to close NGS and called for an "emergency NGS Power Summit as soon as practicable to discuss ways to protect NGS."

"The closure of NGS will have a profoundly negative impact across all peoples and sectors of our state. SRP must look beyond its spreadsheets and see that this decision must not and should not be made unilaterally," wrote Tobin in the letter.

Leaders from both tribes thanked Tobin for his support and urged other state and federal leaders to urge SRP and other owners to negotiate a sustainable pathway for

the continuation of Navajo Generating Station.

"This is a very complex issue and it is important that we move along carefully while we remain mindful of our people, their jobs, and their livelihood," added Speaker Bates.

The Navajo Nation has developed a task force, which includes the chairs of each of the Navajo Nation Council's Standing Committees, which continues to meet on a regular basis with SRP officials to discuss possible solutions.

Leadership from both tribes agreed that they would continue to meet and work together to ensure that NGS will continue operations to 2019 and beyond and both tribes remain open to continued discussions with SRP.

HDOT holds Pre-Bid meeting for Sand Clan Road Project

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The Hopi Department of Transportation (HDOT) held a Pre-Bid Road Construction meeting at the BIA Hopi Agency building on January 31. The Pre-bid meeting was attended by seven interested Contractors: Show Low Construction; Chee North Star LLC; Arrow Indian Construction; Native Nation Builders, GeoMat; FNF Construction and SWP Contracting.

HDOT Director Michael Lomayaktewa explained the H.I.R. 603(1) Sand Clan Road Construction Project in First Mesa will remove the badly deteriorated road at the Sand Clan Housing Subdivision and replace with new pavement. The Road is approximately half a mile long with large pot holes and badly damaged curbing. The road wore down over the years and has never been worked on.

John Younger, Consultant from Red Plains Professional, Inc. explained the details of the Road Project and went over the requirements of the bidding process. Younger said employment compensation for construction workers will be at the Prevailing Wage.

Brant Honahni from the Hopi Tribe Tribal Employment Rights Office (TERO) also in attendance, went over the Employment Rights and Indian Preference requirements for employment. He explained that preference shall be given to native residents on the Hopi Reservation and all must be registered for employment with TERO.

Danny Honanie from the Revenue Commission office explained the Business licensing requirements and fees for all businesses doing business on the Hopi Reservation.

After the Pre-Bid meeting, a site visit was made to the Construction Site.

The First Mesa Consolidated Village (FMCV) administration office will be sending out a public notice regarding the project and provide further details. The Bid Opening will be held on Feb. 10 at the FMCV Conference Room at 10:00am. Results of the bids will be made available at that time and the best qualified bidder announced.

Upon determination of the successful bidder, recommendation will be made to the Hopi Tribal Council for action to approve the Road Construction Project Award and then move towards actual construction of the Project.

HOPI TRIBAL COUNCIL
First Quarter Session - December 1, 2016
February 1, 2017 (Amendment #5)

- I. Call to order
- II. Certification of tribal council representatives
- III. Roll call
- IV. Invocation/pledge of allegiance
- V. Announcements
- VI. Correspondence
- VII. Calendar planning
- VIII. Approval of minutes Sept. 1, 2, 3, 10, 21, 22, 23, 28, 2015
Oct. 5, 6, 7, 8, 26, 27, 29, 2015
- IX. Approval of agenda
- X. Unfinished business

1. **Action Item 007-2016** – To adopt the Hopi Human Resources Policy Manual with an effective date of (Approval Date by Tribal Council) – Author/Lisa Pawwinnee, Director, Office of Human Resources – TABLED
2. **Action Item 096-2016** – To approve amendment to Ordinance 37 – Hopi Labor Code – TERO Fee – Author/Brant Honahnie, Director, TERO - TABLED
3. **Action Item 006-2017** – To appoint Ms. Olufunmike Owoso as Chief Prosecutor – Author/Dwayne Secakuku, Chief of Staff, Office of Vice Chairman – TABLED
- XI. NEW BUSINESS**
 1. **Action Item 010-2017** – To approve attorney contract between Hopi Tribe and Verrin Kewenvoyouma to assist with negotiating and signing a Gaming Compact with the State of Arizona – Author/Herman G. Honanie, Chairman, The Hopi Tribe – 2/7/17 @ 1:30 p.m.
 2. **Action Item 011-2017** – To have the Hopi Tribe acknowledge requirements contained in 25 CFR 115.813 - 2/7/17 @ 10:30 a.m.
 3. **Action Item 012-2017** – To approve 638 contracting of HHCC Expansion Construction and construction of Keams Canyon Apartments from Phoenix Area –Indian Health Service – Author/Daniel Honahni, Executive Director, Office of Executive Director - 2/7/17 @ 2:30 p.m.
 4. **Action Item 013-2017** – To approve MOA between Navajo County and the Hopi Tribe which was signed in May 2014 for funding of materials for road maintenance projects – Author/Karen Pennington, Deputy General Counsel – 2/9/17 @ 10:30 a.m.
 5. **Action Item 014-2017** – To amend Ordinance 17A (Revised) to increase fees on all non-Hopi businesses – Author/Danny Honanie, Chief Revenue Commissioner, Office of Revenue Commission – 2/8/17 @ 10:30 a.m.
 6. **Action Item 015-2017** – To request approval for 2014-2018 grazing allocations for Land Management District Six – Author/Priscilla Pavatea, Director, Office of Range Management - 2/8/17 @ 1:30 p.m.
 7. **Action Item 016-2017** – To accept Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy 2016 – Author/Andrew Gashwazra, Director Office of Planning & Evaluation - 2/8/17 @ 2:30 p.m.
 8. **Action Item 017-2017** – To procure 2017 General Liability, Property and Casualty Insurance Policies – Author/Edgar Shupla, Director, Office of Facilities Management - 2/9/17 @ 9:30 a.m.
 9. **Action Item 018-2017** – To rescind H-091-2009 – Author, Lamar Keevama, Tribal Council Representative, Bacavi Village – 2/9/17 @ 2:30 p.m.
 10. **Action Item 019-2017** – To obtain Hopi Tribal Council certification of the Eligible Voters list which is compiled by the Hopi Enrollment Dept. - 2/9/17 @ 3:30 p.m.
 11. **Action Item 020-2017** – To approve Consulting Agreement between the Hopi Tribe and Hawkes & Mehnert LLP – Author/Craig Wallace, Acting Chief Judge, Hopi Tribal Court - 2/8/17 @ 9:30 a.m.
- XII. REPORTS** - (1 hr. time allotted) *Required
 1. Office of the Chairman * - 1/6/17 @ 9:30 a.m. - COMPLETE
 2. Office of the Vice Chairman * - 1/4/17 @ 9:30 a.m. - COMPLETE
 3. Office of Tribal Secretary * - 1/6/17 @ 10:30 a.m. – COMPLETE – Written Report
 4. Office of the Treasurer * - 1/4/17 @ 1:30 p.m. - COMPLETE
 5. General Counsel *
 6. Office of the Executive Director * - 2/6/17 @ 10:30 a.m.
 7. Land Commission * - 1/4/17 @ 2:30 p.m. - COMPLETE
 8. Water/Energy Committee * - 1/5/17 @10:30 a.m.
 9. Transportation Committee * - 1/6/16 @ 2:30 p.m. - COMPLETE
 10. Law Enforcement Committee * - 2/9/17 @ 1:30 p.m.
 11. Office of Revenue Commission *
 12. Investment Committee *
 13. Health/Education Committee * - 2/7/17 @ 9:30 a.m.
 14. Budget Oversight Team
 15. Report on Hopi Wellness Court – Judge Eric Mehnert – 2/6/17 @ 2:30 p.m.
 16. Report re: strategies to extend 2019 deadline on NGS closure – Task Team 1 - 2/6/17 @ 1:30 p.m.
- XIII. APPOINTMENTS/INTERVIEWS**
 1. Audit Team
 2. Fire Designee (2)
 3. Election Board – Alternate 2 and 3 positions - Memo OTS 7/23/15. - 1/3/17 @ 3:30 p.m. – COMPLETE (2 Alternate positions filled.
 4. Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation – Board of Directors (2 positions for Hopi/Tewa Tribal Members)
 5. General Counsel
 6. Sergeant-at-Arms – Interviews - 12/6/16 @ 10:30 – 12:00 noon - COMPLETE
 7. Tribal Council Committee Appointments - 12/29/16 @ 9:45 a.m. – COMPLETE
 8. Tribal Secretary – Interviews - 1/3/17 @ 4:25 p.m. - COMPLETE
- XIV. OTHER**
 1. Discussion on BIA Law Enforcement Service’s Scope of Work – John Long, Special Agent in Charge, District III, BIA Office of Justice Services and Jamie Kootswatewa, Chief of Police, BIA Hopi Agency – 11/23/16 @ 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon. - To be rescheduled
 2. Discussion re: Vice Chairman’s Email of October 25, 2016 alleging Chairman in serious neglect of duty – LeRoy Shingoitewa, Tribal Council Representative - 1/6/17 - @ 3:30 p.m. - To be rescheduled
 3. Hopi Tribal Council Orientation & Priority Setting – Hopi Tribal Council - 1/23, 24 25/17 @ 9:00 – 5:00 p.m. daily – To be continued
 4. Discussion with Villages on concerns - 2/6/17 @ 3:30 p.m.
 5. Discussion with Executive Director Daniel Honahni & Assistant Finance Director Shirley Wesaw re: discrepancies, concerns & complaints related to Office of Financial Management – 2/8/17 @ 3:30 p.m.
- XV. ADJOURNMENT**

COMPLETED ACTION ITEMS

1. **A.I. 113-2016** - To approve Employee Benefits Committee By-Laws & Employee Benefits Trust Documents – Author/Lisa Pawwinnee, Director, Office of Human Resources - 12/5/16 @ 2:30 p.m. - APPROVED
2. **A.I. 116-2016** – To approve amendments/additions to Constitution & By-laws of the Hopi Tribe – Author/Kristopher Holmes, Chairman, Hopi Election Board – 12/5/16 @ 3:30 p.m. - APPROVED
3. **A.I. 129-2016** – To correct Resolution H-058-2015 and amend consulting agreement between the Hopi Tribe and Patricia Sekaquaptewa – Author/Carlene Tenakhongva, Chief of Staff, Office of the Chairman – 12/1/16 @ 1:30 p.m. - APPROVED
4. **A.I. 130-2016** – To correct Resolution H-060-2015 and amend consulting agreement between the Hopi Tribe and Robert Clinton – Author/Carlene Tenakhongva, Chief of Staff, Office of the Chairman – 12/1/16 @ 2:30 p.m. – APPROVED
5. **A.I. #132-2016** – To approve Fiscal Year 2017 General Fund Budget – Author/Robert Sumatzkuku, Treasurer, The Hopi Tribe – 12/1/16 @ 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – APPROVED
6. **Action Item 133-2016** – To approve Hopi Tribe Enrollment Applications – Author/Mary L. Polacca, Director, Enrollment Office - 12/5/16 @ 1:30 p.m. - APPROVED
7. **A.I. 134-2016** – To approve Hopi Tribal Housing Authority’s Fiscal Year 2017 Indian Housing Plan – Author/Wes Corben, Executive Director, Hopi Tribal Housing Authority – 12/1/16 @ 10:30 a.m. – APPROVED
8. **Action Item 135-2016** – Request for \$100,000.00 to purchase Point of Entry system for the Hopi Cultural Center to remain in compliance with U.S. EPA Administrative Order – Author/Lionel Puhyesva, Director, Water Resources Program - 12/28/16 @ 10:30 a.m. – APPROVED
9. **Action Item 001-2017** – To issue allocation of available Animal Units within the HPL Range Units – Author/Priscilla Pavatea, Director, Office of Range Management - 12/28/16 @ 1:30 p.m. - APPROVED
10. **Action Item 002-2017** – To approve supplemental funding for Moye White to continue to provide legal services concerning Peabody Western Coal Company’s bankruptcy case – Author/Karen Pennington, Deputy General Counsel - 12/28/16 @ 2:30 p.m. - APPROVED
11. **Action Item 003-2017** – To create a Revolving Account for Hopi Senom Transit – Author/Donovan, Transit Administrator – 12/28/16 @3:30 p.m. – APPROVED
12. **Action Item 004-2017** - To accept FTA Formula Grant for Rural Areas, Public Transportation on Indian Reservations for FY 2016 – Author/Donovan Gomez - 12/28/16 @ 4:15 p.m. – APPROVED
13. **A.I. 005-2017** – To approve contract with Antol & Hance, P.C. as Conflict Counsel – Author/Craig Wallace, Acting Chief Judge, Hopi Tribal Court - 1/3/17 @ 1:30 p.m. - APPROVED
14. **Action Item 007-2017** – To retain Norberto J. Cisneros, Esq. of Maddox, Isaacson & Cisneros, L.L.P. as attorney of record for the Hopi Tribe in lawsuits related to the Tribe’s investments – Author/Karen Pennington, Deputy General Counsel - 12/30/16 @ 3:30 p.m. – APPROVED
15. **A.I. 008-2017** – To approve request to carry over any remaining funds in the 2016 LCR Support Budget into 2017 and the years following until exhausted – Author/Karen Pennington, Deputy General Counsel - 1/4/17 @ 10:30 a.m. - APPROVED
16. **A.I. 009-2017** – To accept the Ramah Settlement in the amount of \$3,308,423.44 by the Hopi Tribal Council – Author/Robert Sumatzkuku, Treasurer, - 1/6/17 @ 10:30 a.m. – APPROVED

COMPLETED REPORTS

1. Report on Investments Account held with Rockefeller & Co. – Matt Gelfand - 12/5/16 @10:30 a.m. – COMPLETE
2. Update report on LCR Adjudication (Executive Session) – Karen Pennington, Deputy General Counsel - 12/5/16 – COMPLETE
3. Update Report on the Lomayesva Case (Executive Session)– Karen Pennington – 12/30/16 @ 10:00 a.m. – COMPLETE
4. Report – Case updates – Norberto Cisneros - 1/5/17 @ 10:30 a.m. – COMPLETE
5. Presentation on Benally Case, Mishongnovi Forfeiture Case and current cases – Norberto Cisneros – 1/30/17 @ 9:30 – 5:00 p.m. – COMPLETE

OTHER COMPLETE

1. Introduction of SixKiller Lobbyist and discussion re: priorities of the Hopi Tribe – Carlene Tenakhongva, Chief of Staff, Office of the Vice Chairman - 12/6/16 @ 9:30 a.m. – COMPLETE
2. Hopi Three Canyon Ranches Dividend Check Presentation – Clayton Honyumptewa, Manager, Department of Natural Resources - 12/29/16 @ 9:15 a.m. – COMPLETE
3. Check Presentation – Wastewater Treatment Plant final loan payment – Hubert Lewis, Governor, Upper Village of Moenkopi - 12/29/16 @ 9:30 a.m. – COMPLETE
4. Introduction of Lori Piestewa Post #80 Reigning Royalty Princess and Attendants – Eugene Talas, Adjutant, Lori Piestewa Post #80 - 12/30/16 @ 9:30 a.m. – COMPLETE
5. Review of the FY 2013 Audit Report – Moss Adams – 12/30/16 @ 1:30 – 3:30 p.m. – COMPLETE
6. Report on Hopi Education Endowment Fund – LuAnn Leonard, Director, HEEF - 12/7/16 @ 9:30 a.m. – 12/30/16 – COMPLETE
7. Discussion – Upcoming ending of attorney contracts (Executive Session) – Alfred Lomahquahu, Jr. Vice Chairman - 12/30/16 @ 3:00 p.m. – COMPLETE
8. Discussion – Research on impact of climate change and community adaptation with respect to long-term performance of disposal cell covers for uranium mill tailings located in Native American communities – Carrie N. Joseph – 1/3/17 @ 10:30 a.m. – COMPLETE
9. Presentation of draft Information Technology Policies – Jerolyn Takala, Director, IT - 1/3/17 @ 2:30 p.m. – COMPLETE
10. Discussion with All Villages/Community – Responsibility of the Office of Chairman and/or Hopi Tribal Council to fulfill the obligations as approved on the Village Budgets/Appropriations – Sandy Whitehair, CSA, Shungopavi Village and Villages/Community - 1/4/17 @ 3:30 p.m. – COMPLETE
11. Recognition of Hopi High School Boys and Girls Cross Country Teams for their accomplishments at the Arizona State Cross Country Finals and Coach Rick Baker – Hopi Tribal Council - 1/5/17 @ 9:30 a.m. – COMPLETE
12. Presentation of 2019 BIA Budget – Wendell Honanie, Superintendent, Hopi Agency - 1/5/17 @ 1:30 p.m. – COMPLETE

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Letter to Hopi Tribe employees from Chairman Honanie regarding meeting with Peabody and SRP representatives

From the Office of the Chairman
The Hopi Tribe

Dear Tribal Employees,

Last week, Hopi Tribal Council had the opportunity to meet with representatives from the Salt River Project (SRP) regarding the future operations of Navajo Generating Stations (NGS). SRP is the operator of NGS, who in turn purchases Hopi and Navajo coal that is mined by Peabody Energy which is the Tribe’s primary revenue source.

The message was clear that the coal used to power NGS was more expensive than natural gas and the owners of NGS, including SRP, were considering the economics of continued operation. The Tribe was provided information that NGS could cease operation as early as the end of 2017, which means mining for coal could end as early as July 2017. There was also other information provided that NGS could continue operations until 2019. However, it is still uncertain as the owners of NGS have not made a final decision at this point in time. SRP representatives did indicate that a decision would be made soon and could come as early as the second

week in February.

The Hopi Tribe is actively taking steps to ensure NGS continues to operate into the future. However, we must also be mindful of the fact that if NGS were to cease operations at the end of the year, the Tribe will face hash economic conditions. The Executive Director has already taken steps to enact a hiring freeze for H-13 funded positions within his oversight. Other cost saving measures may need to be implemented if NGS is to close. At this time, I ask departments and programs to assist and cooperate with those initiatives being brought forth by the Executive Director.

As Tribal Council receives more information regarding this ongoing situation, I will ensure that employees are informed. Once again, I thank you for your ongoing commitment to serve the Hopi people.

Kwa’kwah,
/s/ Herman G. Honanie
Chairman, The Hopi Tribe

Executive Director meets with Dept and Program Directors and issues Moratorium on all personnel actions, effective Jan 26

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Peabody Coal Company and the Salt River Project met with the Hopi Tribal Council on January 26, to inform them of the uncertainty of continued operations of the Navajo Generating Station in Page, AZ, (see story on Page 1).

In response to this information and the declining and loss of revenue, the Tribal Council created two Task Teams with specific assignments to immediately begin working on strategies to address this situation.

Group 2 was tasked to assess the current financial condition of the Tribe, the impacts from the decline and loss of revenue and to determine how best to prepare for a reduction of the Hopi Tribe General Funds and its impacts on tribal operations, including personnel.

Daniel Honahni, Executive Director and member of Group 2, sent out a list of questions, developed by the Team, to all Department Directors (under his purview) with instructions to discuss the Questionnaire with all program managers and administrators to analyze program services and activities.

QUESTIONS:

1. Possible impact of personnel action freeze (hiring, promotions, merit increases, etc.) on all contract and grants under E.D. oversight
2. Identify contract and grant programs and amounts of funds pending drawdown (reimbursements); identify barriers for drawdown and create/implement corrective action plans ASAP to complete reimbursements.
3. Provide fiscal data for ALL (contract/grant & general fund) programs that identifies unexpended budget balances for FY2016 or contract/grant terms.
4. Provide information on what ‘happens’ to unexpended balances from general fund. (How is it accounted for and show where account balances eventually can be accounted for).
5. Determine total ‘carry-over’ funds (unexpended to date) in contract and grants.
6. Insurance coverage: How much

is covered under Tort and coverage which we purchase.

7. Breakdown of insurance coverage by vehicles, buildings, other (including coverage for village property), and possible savings if changes are made to current policies.
8. Calculate savings to be realized by reducing work hours from 40 hours to 32 and/or 30 hours and current Personnel Policy which may address this situation.
9. Calculate savings to be realized by reducing legislators’ salaries by 10%; 25%; 50% and the effect on fringe benefits and possible savings.
10. Effect on programs with approved Revolving Accounts if it was to be eliminated. Recommended options needed.
11. Evaluation/Assessment of programs to determine opportunities to reduce or eliminate duplicate functions and associated positions.
12. Explore use of early retirement and voluntary separations to manage FTE reductions along with other position management techniques (redefining position descriptions; combining positions, etc.)
13. Can staff retain their benefits at 32 or 30 hours of work per week? Is 32 hours/week considered full-time employment?
14. Is the tribe obligated to make severance payments if an employee is reduced in forced?
15. Reducing pay of employees, including council, elected/appointed officers, is this addressed in the HR policy?
16. In accordance with HR policy, under what conditions can the tribe impose a RIF?
17. Are there restrictions in the HR policy for developing a Retention Roster in preparing for a RIF?
18. Are performance appraisals a factor for implementing a RIF?
19. Are performance appraisals readily available for ALL tribal staff (including Regulated Entities, contract/grant staff, etc.)
20. Identify positions to be rified, if necessary.
21. Provide justifications for need

of tribal vehicles.

22. How is payments for end-of-the-year Leave Pay-Outs accounted for?
23. Is the Leave policy applied consistent with approved HR Policy for all employees? Or is there directives different from approved HR policy?

A memorandum was sent out by Executive Director Honahni and Director of Human Resources Lisa Pawwinnee, on January 27 to all Department Directors and Program Administrators, placing a MORATORIUM on General Funded personnel actions (hiring).

The memo states “*effective Thursday, January 26, 2017 at 8:00am, the following executive decision is issued placing a temporary hold on General Funded personnel actions under the oversight of the Office of Executive Director.*

All personnel recruitment for programs who receive general funds will be placed on hold.

All personnel actions involving wage increases for general fund employees will be placed on hold.

This involves a broad range of assessments, including current and future personnel costs. The goal is to complete assessments by the end of June, 2017 at which time the Hopi Tribal Council will issue further actions.”

Honahni held a mandatory Director’s meeting on Feb.1 to follow-up on the questionnaire sent to Departments. Most Directors indicated they met with their managers and were compiling responses to the questions.

During the meeting, Honahni also informed the Directors that the Treasurer had researched all tribal accounts, investments, assets, cash on hand, etc. and reported that the Tribe has enough revenue in its coffers to keep the Tribe operational for a few years.

Director’s have been cooperative and the ED hopes to have a quality assessment report to Council when he reports to them.

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2017 HHS HoopComing King and Queen crowned during Basketball Game



2017 HoopComing Queen Angela Adams and King Kyle Secakuku PHOTO: Courtesy of Deloria Adams

Louella Nahsonhoya
Hopi Tutuveni

During the Hopi Bruins basketball vs. the Tuba City Warriors on Jan 28, Hopi Jr. Sr. High School Administrator Alban Naha announced candidates for the Special Education and Senior High HoopComing King and Queen. Keanu Kootswatewa and Autumn Funk were selected as Special Ed Royalty. Kyle Secakuku and Angela Adams were crowned the 2017 HoopComing King and Queen. On Feb. 2, in another action packed and loud Bruin gym, Hopi played their last home game against the Valley Sanders Pirates. That night was dedicated to the Senior Bruin Athletes. Senior Basketball Players, the Spirit Line and Wrestlers were recognized (along with their parents and/or guests). This would be the basketball players and Spirit Line’s last performance on the Bruin gymn floor. The gym was packed to capacity as fans screamed, shouted and cheered for their Teams. After the game there were hugs and tears and despite the loss, fans were proud of their Bruin Team. Leaving the game, one Bruin fan said “I am a *forever* proud Bruin Fan. I love the Team!” Another fan asked, “What is life after Bruin Basketball?”



Hopi Court holds Docket Hearing at Upper Moenkopi



L-R: Belena Harvey, Judge Walter Edd, Acting Chief Judge Craig Wallace, Judge Delfred Leslie and Court Bailiff Emmett Youyetewa

Louella Nahsonhoya
Hopi Tutuveni

The Hopi Court held its first re-established Docket hearing at the Upper Village of Moenkopi Administration Building on February 1. Three cases were heard with Judge Edd presiding. Court staff in attendance were: Judge Wallace, Judge Leslie, Judge Edd, Court Clerk Belena Harvey and Court Bailiff Emmett Youyetewa. Judge Leslie worked on the idea of re-establishing a Court Docket in Moenkopi with the support of Moenkopi Governor Hubert Lewis and the Moenkopi Tribal Council members. The people of Moenkopi also expressed their support of re-establishing the Court Docket. Judge Wallace emphasized that the Court Docket is an Open Court and members of the Community are welcome to attend and see what goes on and learn the Court process. “Every case is unique” said Wallace. Most Adult & Juvenile cases are open to the public but children’s cases are closed. The Docket is scheduled for the first Wednesdays of every month and will be announced in the Moenkopi newsletter as well as the Hopi Tutuveni. Judges are trying to get the word out to the Hopi People to come and see what goes on in court to get a better understanding of a case,

which is highly recommended. Judge Leslie’s plan is to establish a Hopi Court Docket Hearing at Kykotsmovi and in Phoenix. He would like to take the Court to the people. This idea is still in the discussion phase. Leslie expressed his gratitude to Judge Wallace for allowing and trusting him to get the Docket re-started in Moenkopi again. “We use to hold Hearings at Moenkopi many years ago, back in the late 80’s,” said Judge Leslie. “It made things so much easier not only for the people of Moenkopi but all the surrounding areas such as Cameron, Tonalea, Red Lake and nearby Navajo communities. Each Judge will have his turn to hear cases in Moenkopi, depending on the type of case being heard. More serious cases and other cases where an inmate is being transported from a holding facility will not be heard in Moenkopi. Those cases will remain at the main Court House in Keams Canyon. There are many Traffic citation and Criminal cases that are way over due and need to be taken cared of immediately. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your case or questions pertaining to the Hopi Docket Court Hearing, call the Hopi Tribal Court at (928) 738-5171.

Arizona Tribes Celebrate 22nd Annual Indian Nations and Tribes Legislative Day



Hopi Tutuveni Board Member Candace Hamana (far left), poses for a picture with students attending the Tribal Legislative Day in Phoenix

Candace Hamana, Board Member
Hopi Tutuveni

There was not an empty seat as people gathered in the Arizona Senate building for the 22nd Annual Indian Nations and Tribes Legislative Day on Wednesday, January 11. The annual event is hosted by the Arizona Governor’s Office on Tribal Relations and its purpose is to celebrate the rich culture and history of Arizona’s tribes and to invite elected tribal officials to come before a joint protocol session with the House and the Senate leadership to discuss issues of importance to their tribal communities. This year, members of the Fort McDowell Color Guard and the San Carlos Veterans Association performed the posting of colors while Miss Indian Arizona Shaandiin Paul Parrish, conducted the pledge of allegiance. The State of the Tribal Nations address was given by Ronnie Lupe, Chairman of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, Bernadine Burnette, President of the Fort McDowell Yavapai Nation and Roland Maldonado, Chairman of the Kaibab Band of Paiutes. Chairman Lupe was the first to speak and he briefly took the opportunity to talk about a project the White Mountain Apache Tribe is working on to

create a reservoir and build a dam partnering with valley cities, the Salt River Project and the Bureau of Reclamation. President Burnette gave an overview of her tribal community’s history and went on to talk about gaming and educational opportunities for her tribal members. In a signing ceremony last November, the Arizona Indian Gaming Association (AIGA) announced their intentions to renegotiate and extend tribal gaming compacts with Governor Doug Ducey. As a member of AIGA, President Burnette spoke about the importance of keeping the tribal gaming compacts and signaled she would continue to stay engaged in those discussions. Chairman Maldonado stressed the importance of giving back to tribal communities through public service and talked about the need to improve emergency response rates and increase the number of medical providers in Indian Country. Tables for the Exhibitor Fair were set up outside on the Senate lawn where various companies, organizations and businesses provided a wide range of information from health and social services, tribal advocacy programs, employment opportunities and education initiatives.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

Editor,

Now that the Hopi Tribal Council has finally realized that royalty payments from the Peabody Mining Operations is no longer quaranteed to cover the tribes budgets, the council appears to have tried an option that is easy for the council to do; dip into our peoples investments without our permission.

To me, there are other options to help cover the approved budget. The council needs to have only one smart representative from each village. The council can decide to out the amount of money each representative receives today and put a stop to giving its members added money or raises without our approval. The less number of council members there are, the more savings there can be in fringe benefits, travel and other related costs.

The victor in our tribal elections should not mean that it is a greedy guarantee to overstaff the offices of the Chairman or Vice Chairman. In fact I have thought about running for office again and if elected, be receptive to receiving one-third of whatever the current office holders receive, and work on some positive goals.

/s/ Elgean Joshevama

Dear Editor and the Hopi Community,

Like many Hopi Employees I visit the Kykotsmovi Village Store for lunch or grocery items. On a recent visit, I noticed a table display area set up adjacent to the front door. The display was attended by a pretty and pleasant young Hopi lady and consisted of signage and various promotional give away items. The display was promoting Seneca Cigarettes, a commercial tobacco product. One of my staff overheard a conversation between a customer and the young lady. The customer inquired if the promotional items were free, the young lady responded that you had to buy a pack of cigarettes first.

The name Seneca refers to an indigenous group of Native People originating from the eastern coastal areas (what is known as New York) of our country. I feel that a name like this along with some native designs on the product implies to a potential customer that it has a Native Traditional origin and is not only traditional but safe. This cannot be further from the truth. Commercial tobacco whether in the form of cigarettes, cigars or smokeless tobacco products like chew and snuff contain many very harmful chemicals that can be a cause of cancer or other serious respiratory ailments (COPD and emphysema for example). Developing these conditions can change a person’s life entirely and even cause death.

As the Manager of the Hopi Cancer Support Services program my staff and I are committed to educating and informing the Hopi community about ways to reduce their risk for getting cancer. The Hopi Tobacco Education and Prevention Program was established specifically to educate our community about the ill effects of commercial tobacco use. One of its functions is to recruit and organize youth coalition groups so that we can educate them and encourage participation in their interactions with other young people and the community at large. In effect to be good role models.

I know firsthand that the operators of the Kykotsmovi Village Store are active in the community and that they generously give their time and resources to worthy community causes, like the Hopi Cancer Support Services. However, I must emphasize that no amount of promotion, like what I witnessed at the store, to generate revenue justifies the possibility that even one person may pick up the tobacco habit/addiction and spend a small fortune feeding that habit/addition over their lifetime; a lifetime potentially cut short because of an increased risk for cancer. The lives of too many Hopi’s and their families are at stake here. In addition, promotions like this are contrary and counterproductive to what we are trying to instill in our young people and community members through education and prevention efforts.

In closing I would say that I know the Kykotsmovi Village Store is a valuable community resource and that they, like other stores on the Hopi Reservation, are in a business where success or failure is judged by the spreadsheet bottom line. However, I also know that they can pick and choose their product lines or how they choose to advertise. In writing this letter I want to encourage these businesses to be more sensitive to the effects that the promotion of products like cigarettes, soft drinks and sports drinks, to name a few, have on Hopi People. After all we are experiencing epidemic proportions of chronic diseases such as cancer and diabetes, something we cannot ignore. Obviously this health status is not desirable so we have to target our youth by instilling knowledge and healthy habits. While the decision to smoke is an individual choice, there is much that local businesses can do by not promoting commercial tobacco or adjusting their product lines, maybe to include healthier choices. If they did, I am sure many parents and community members would be thankful for their concern about the health and well-being of Hopi People. I know I would be.

Sincerely,

/s/ Dana Russell, Manager
Hopi Cancer Support Services

Veteran Client Document Checklist when meeting with Benefits Counselor

- Eugene “Geno” Talas
Hopi Veterans Services
- For Veterans and/or Widows of Veterans, when meeting with the Veterans Benefits Counselor (VBC) to assist in filing a VA claim, please bring the following documents. This will help speed up the process of filing your VA claims.
- VETERANS BENEFITS:**
- Compensation:
1. Member 4 copy of DD Form 214 or other military discharge form.
 2. Service Treatment Records (STR’s), if available. All National Guard/Reserve treatment records.
 3. Current VA problem list and private medical records showing a diagnosis for the condition(s) claiming.
 4. Additional VA and private medical records showing continuity of treatment since service.
 5. Marriage, divorces and birth certificates.
 6. Previous VA letters, if available.
 7. Banking information, i.e. bank account, routing#,
- Non-Service Connected Pension:**
1. Member 4 copy of DD Form 214 or other military discharge.
 2. Medical records showing total and permanent disability(s), if under age 65.
 3. Marriage, divorces and birth certificates.
 4. Proof of income, i.e. Social Security letter, retirement letter
 5. Proof of net worth, i.e. bank accounts,
- IRA’s, trusts, property (other than home).
 6. Proof of medical expenses, i.e. Medicare, private insurance, doctor or prescription receipts.
 7. Previous VA letters, if available.
 8. Banking information, i.e. bank account, routing#, etc
- SURVIVOR BENEFITS:**
- Accrued Benefits/DIC/Widow’s Pension:
1. DD Form 214 or other military discharge.
 2. Copy of veteran’s Death Certificate.
 3. Marriage, divorces and birth certificates.
 4. Pension: Proof of income, i.e. Social Security letter, retirement letter.
 5. Pension: Proof of net worth, i.e. bank accounts, IRA’s, trusts, property (other than home).
 6. Pension: Proof of medical expenses, i.e. Medicare, private insurance, doctor or prescription receipts.
 7. Previous VA letters, if available.
 8. Banking information, i.e. bank account, routing#, etc.
- BURIAL BENEFITS:**
1. Member 4 copy of veteran’s DD Form 214 or other military discharge.
 2. Copy of veteran’s death certificate.
 3. Funeral/transportation bill.
 4. Paid receipt with claimant’s name on receipt.
 5. Previous VA letters, if available.
 6. Banking information, i.e. bank account, routing #, etc

Flu and affects on people with Diabetes

Kanesha Quanimptewa
Diabetes Prevention Educator
Hopi Special Diabetes Program

People who have diabetes (type 1 and 2) are at high risk for flu. Pneumonia, bronchitis, sinus infections, and ear infections are examples of flu-related complications. The flu also can make chronic health problems like diabetes worse. Diabetes can make the immune system less able to fight infections, and illness can make it harder to control your blood sugar levels. The illness might raise your sugar making you feel like you don’t want to eat when you are sick, and this can cause blood sugar levels to fall. It is important to take care of yourself when you are sick.

The CDC recommends that people with either type 1 or type 2 diabetes, who are at least six months and older, get the flu vaccine. Flu shots are approved for use in people with diabetes and other health conditions. People with type 1 or type 2 diabetes are at an increased risk of developing pneumonia from the flu, so a pneumonia vaccine is recommended for them. The pneumonia vaccine should be part of your diabetes management plan. There are prescription medications

called antiviral drugs that can be used to treat influenza illness. Antiviral drugs fight influenza viruses in your body; they’re different from antibiotics which fight against bacterial infections. Antiviral medications may help people with conditions that increase the risk of complications from the flu (like diabetes) if given within the first 48 hours after symptoms start.

Because you have diabetes, you have a higher risk for complications. Your best strategy is to keep the flu away in the first place. In addition to getting vaccinated yearly, people with diabetes should take everyday precautions for protecting against the flu. The best time for people with diabetes to get vaccinated is in September, but anytime of the year is fine. Ask family members, co-workers, and close friends to get the vaccine too. You’re less likely to get the flu if those around you don’t have it. Keep your hands clean; frequent and thorough hand washing is the best way to avoid getting sick from germs.

Hopi Special Diabetes Program heads full force into 2017 by hosting a first “Empower Youth” Expo

Jessica Quamahongnewa
Diabetes Prevention Educator
Hopi Special Diabetes Program

The Hopi Special Diabetes Program heads full force into 2017 by hosting a first “Empower Youth” Expo on Wednesday, March 15 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Hopi Veteran’s Memorial Center. This free event will focus on children ages 8 to 18 years old. Young adults and parents are welcome to attend the Expo.

The intent of the Expo is to educate the youth on the importance of being active and making healthy choices to prevent diabetes. The Expo will also offer information on various programs offering fun summer programs and volunteer opportunities. There will be break-out sessions to give our children the encouragement and motivation from our very own Hopi people to be successful in whatever they choose to do in life.

A fitness activity will also be offered to the youth and attendees. We kindly ask participants to come in free moving clothing and running/walking shoes. We all know there’s a noticeable reduction in physical activity because children have more screen time at home and aren’t as likely to get out and get involved. By offering this activity, it will give the youth the opportunity to make friends, be engaged and productive.

For more information, call the Hopi Special Diabetes Program at (928) 734-3432. Asqwali, pew hapi itam ow pi’tsinayani yep itah tsatsakmuy amungnumi!

January was National Cervical Cancer Awareness Month

Elvia Sanchez, Health Educator
Hopi Cancer Support Services

January was National Cervical Cancer Awareness Month. In reality, cervical cancer affects all women any month of the year, including our Hopi women. According to the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) approximately 12,000 women in the United States get cervical cancer each year. To put that into perspective, this is almost comparable to the total number of enrolled Hopi Tribal members. The disease is preventable with vaccinations to prevent human papillomavirus (HPV). The disease is more likely curable with regular screening and early detection. CDC recommends that boys and girls receive three doses of HPV vaccine at 11 or 12 years of age. The HPV vaccine is more effective the earlier it is given; however, it is recommended women can be vaccinated up to the age of 26 and men until age 21.

The key is that any signs of cancer be found early for the best outcomes. This is what regular screening accomplishes. There are two tests that can help detect cervical cancer in its early stages. They are:

- The Pap test (or Pap smear) looks for pre-cancers, which are cell changes on the cervix that might become cancerous if they are not treated appropriately. The U.S. Preventative Services Task Force (USPSTF) recommends women should start getting regular Pap tests at the age of 21.
- The human papillomavirus (HPV) test looks for the virus that can cause cell changes.

Women who are age 30 or older may choose to have co-testing (Pap & HPV test). If the results are normal, the chance of developing cervical cancer in the next few years is very low. The provider can tell you when you should be screened again. For women ages 21-65, it is important to continue getting a Pap test with direction from your provider. Cervical cancer screening should be an essential part of a woman’s routine health care.

For the last 21 years the HOPI Cancer Support Services (HCSS) Program has strived to send a strong message about the important steps women can take to embrace a healthy lifestyle of early detection through clinical screening tests. Our focus is not only to increase the number of women that will get screened but also empower women and the community-at-large about prevention. The Hopi Breast & Cervical Cancer Screening Program has year round open enrollment for all women ages 21-65 living on or near the Hopi reservation. Please call our office at 928-734-1151 if you have any questions or would like to enroll in our screening program.

As American Indian women, we are connected in one form or another either through kinship, clanship, marriage, and/or ceremonies. Women are known to be the *fire keepers* of the family and the source of bringing life into this world. The longevity of life for mothers, wives, sisters, grandmothers, aunts and nieces can be continued through good health and taking care of oneself. In order for this to happen, remember early detection is the best protection.

Writers Note: My goal in submitting this article is to convey information to the community through effective communication. In doing so, I will be providing the readers relevant information about cancer, nutrition, physical fitness, or any news about the Hopi cancer screening and prevention programs.

MY BOOKKEEPING PLACE TAX SERVICE

Our office will open for the 2017 Tax Season on Monday, January 16, 2017

We are located in Kykotsmovi Village, on the south side of the road between the Post Office and Hopi Day School.

For the 2017 tax season, the new PATH Act passed by congress is now in effect. The new law requires the IRS to hold the refund until February 15, 2017 of any tax return claiming either:

Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)
Additional Child Tax Credit (ACTC)

If you file in January and your return is claiming EITC and/or ACTC, your refund will not be released by IRS until February 15, 2017. By law, the IRS must hold the entire refund, not just the portion related to the EITC or ACTC

Office Hours:
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Line Cook Hopi Travel Plaza Holbrook, AZ	Line Cook Hopi Cultural Cener Second Mesa, AZ
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Maintenance Technician Hopi Travel Plaza Holbrook, AZ	Maintenance Technician Hopi Cultural Center Second Mesa, AZ
Restaurant Server Hopi Travel Center Holbrook, AZ	Restaurant Server Hopi Cultural Center Second Mesa, AZ
Assistant to the Controller Flagstaff Corporate Office Flagstaff, AZ	

For more information on the Jobs listed. Please contact Cindy Smith, Human Resource Manager at csmith@htedc.net or at # listed above.

ALL POSITIONS ARE HOPI PREFERNCE.

ATTENTION: HOPI/TEWA VETERANS!!

The Hopi Tribal Housing Authority (HTHA) and the Department of Housing and Urban Development and Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (HUD VASH) are providing an opportunity to Hopi Veterans to participate in a housing and clinical program designed to serve the neediest, most vulnerable homeless Veterans and their immediate families.

VA will provide case management and eligibility screening services, while HTHA under direction from HUD will allocate permanent housing subsidies from its “Housing Choice” program.

The primary goal of this joint program is to prevent and end homelessness for Veterans and their families.

For details on this program please contact Janie Kewenvoyouma, Case Manager at 928-679-5016 or the HTHA Department of Resident Services at (928) 737-2800.

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Applicants should send two to four writing samples along with a cover letter to Louella Nahsonhoya, Managing Editor, P.O. Box 123, Kykotsmovi, A 86039 (email address: Lnahsonhoya@hopi.nsn.us). For additional information please call 928-734-3282.

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February

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1 Zumba @ 12:10 p.m. Zumba @ 5:30 p.m.	2 Cardio Class @ 12:10 p.m. Warrior Fit @ 5:30 p.m.	3 Zumba Fitness @ 12:00 p.m.
6 Spinning @ 12:10 p.m. Upper Body @ 5:30 p.m.	7 Zumba @ 12:10 p.m. Core Blaster @ 5:30 p.m.	8 Spinning @ 12:10 p.m. Step Cardio @ 5:30 p.m.	9 Warrior Fit @ 12:10 p.m. Cardio Class @ 5:30 p.m.	10 No Group Fitness Class
13 Spinning @12:10 p.m. Warrior Fit @ 5:30	14 Upper Body @ 12:10 p.m. Step Cardio @ 5:30 p.m.	15 Spinning @ 12:10 p.m. Warrior Fit @ 5:30 p.m.	16 Core Blaster @ 12:10 p.m. Cardio Class @ 5:30 p.m.	17 Zumba Fitness @ 12:00 p.m.
20 Hopi Wellness Center Closed	21 Zumba @ 12:10 p.m. Lower Body @ 5:30 p.m.	22 Warrior Fit @ 12:10 p.m. Zumba @ 5:30 p.m.	23 Spinning @ 12:10 p.m. Cardio Class @ 5:30 p.m.	24 Core Blast 12:00 p.m.
27 Spinning @ 12:10 p.m. Core Blaster @ 5:30 p.m.	28 Step Cardio @ 12:10 p.m. Lower Body @ 12:10 p.m.	 <div>GETTING FIT HAS NEVER BEEN SO MUCH FUN!</div> 		

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CALL FOR HOPI ARTIST

The Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation will be looking to purchase a variety of art throughout 2017 monthly at wholesale prices.

Jewelry (Silver, overlay, wood)
Gourd art (bowls & Jewelry)
Pottery (low end price)
Kachina Dolls (low end price)
Sifter Baskets
Coil & Wicker Plaques
Rattles
Bow & Arrows
Lightening Sticks / Masunpi's
Original Paintings
Hand made clothing & woven items etc.

Look out for buying dates posted at the Hopi cultural Center and plan on dropping off your art work. Lisa Talayumptewa will be at the Hopi Cultural Center on the following days:

FEBRUARY 1, & March 9 , 2017
Drop off art from 9:00 am—12:00
Pick-up time starting at 3:00 p.m.

To confirm that Lisa will be at the Hopi Cultural Center on these days please call ahead (928) 522-8675 or Motel @ (928) 734-2401

Hopi Resource Enforcement Services January Arrest Record

DISCLAIMER: The arrest records are public information. Any indication of an arrest does not mean the individual identified has been convicted of a crime. All persons arrested are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. The arrests listed here are only recorded for persons arrested by Hopi Resource Enforcement Services.

Kevin Rivers	Intoxication, Warrant
Verlan D. Fred	Intoxication
Jeremy Fred	Aggravated Assault, Threatening, Warrant
Vanessa Adams	Warrants
Spencer Namingha	Intoxication, Possession of Alcohol
Michael J. Funk	Possession of Alcoholic Beverages, Transportation of alcohol, Cite & Release

Veterans Income Tax Tax Settlement Fund

Arizona Native American Veterans who served in the U.S. Armed Forces during 1993 to 2005, may be eligible for Arizona state income tax refund. This includes all living and deceased Native American Veterans.

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**ATTENTION
HOPI/TEWA
VETERANS**

The Hopi Veterans Services will be providing limited transportation services for Veterans for two to three weeks. We will post notice when we resume full transportation services.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. Questions can be directed to the Hopi Veterans Services office at (928) 734-3461.

**HOPI CREDIT ASSOCIATION
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

 **POSITION:** Accountant
SALARY RANGE: 47
OPENING DATE: January 30, 2017
CLOSING DATE: February 10, 2017

Submit application, resume, including names of three (3) references to Wayne Taylor at wayne@hopicredit.us by February 10, 2017 at 5 pm. The application can be found at www.hopi-nsn.gov/hopi-credit-association.

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****THE TWO (2) AVAILABLE POSITIONS ARE FOR HOPI/TEWA TRIBAL MEMBERS****

The HTEDC is a legal entity wholly owned by the Hopi Tribe. The HTEDC is established under federal charter provisions making it distinct and separate from the Hopi Tribe. A board of seven directors governs the HTEDC. The Board is appointed by the Hopi Tribal Council, representing the sole shareholder, either a three or four-year term.

All Directors must meet the required qualifications as set forth in its By-Laws and must pass a mandatory background check.

If you are interested and want more information please contact Lynnorah Mahle- Talayumtewa by phone at 928-522-8675 or e-mail at lmahle@htedc.net or regular mail.

This packet includes information about the HTEDC and its mission, as well as information about the roles and responsibilities of a Board of Director member. Calls for more information are welcome.

Board positions will remain open until filled

**VA Health
Care Ser-
vices Notes**

The Northern Arizona VA Health Care Services (NAVAHCS) is now able to provide VA Health Care photo ID cards at the Flagstaff VA and Holbrook VA Clinics.

To obtain a photo VA ID card, you will need to be already enrolled in the NAVAHCS system. Bring two other forms of ID, i.e. driver license, social security card, passport, etc.

**** Note for those Veterans enrolled in other VA health regions, i.e. Phoenix, Tucson or other states, you will not be able to obtain VA ID card from Flagstaff or Holbrook.**

For Flagstaff VA clinic, staff prefers you come in after 10:00 a.m. For questions, their number is (928) 226-1056. For Holbrook VA clinic, staff prefers you call them to set up an appointment. Their number is (928) 524. Contact hopi Veterans Services at (928) 734-3461 for more information.

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you will either be allowed to pay your court fine, or a hearing will be set for your appearance at a later date. If you do not contact the Hopi Courts within (3) weeks, then your warrant will remain and Hopi Resource Enforcement Services (HRES) and Hopi BIA Law Enforcement Ser-vices (BIA LES) will begin unannounced

Arrest Sweeps any day now. Contact the Court to resolve your arrest warrant be-fore you are arrested. The phone # to the Court Clerk is: 928-738-5171. Court is open for business Mondays through Fri-days, 8am-5pm, except for federal and tribal holidays. The Court is closed each work day for lunch from 12n-1pm.

This does not apply to crimes such as Domes-tic Violence, Aggravated Assault, Sex Crimes and all other crimes categorized as Serious or Dangerous Crimes in the Hopi Code. **Traffic Arrest Warrants:** Failure to Pay Court Fines have been Quashed (Dis-missed) by Acting Chief Judge of the Hopi Courts beginning with years 2001-2012.

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Amendments proposed to the Constitution and By-laws on the Hopi Election process

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On a quiet evening of December 5, 2016 in Kykotsmovi, Arizona, the Hopi Tribal Council is in session, reviewing the Action Item #116-2016 proposed Amendments to the Constitution & By-laws of the Hopi Tribe which members of the Hopi Election Board proposed for approval.

The Hopi Election Board is a five-member Board with three alternate positions. This Board with a five-year appointment by the Hopi Tribal Council has oversight on Tribal elections. The 2013 Tribal Election was the election which broke the camel’s back, to say that this election was the turning point on the issue of absentee voting. One major factor which was the breaking point is where an enrolled voting member receives an absentee ballot by mail, mails it back to the Hopi Election Office in time to be included for counting during the canvassing.

General Elections are held every four years to fill the positions of Chairman and Vice Chairman for the Hopi Tribe. In 2013 the Hopi Tribal Elections were held. The Hopi Tribe has the primary (first) and general (final) elections, both in November, fifteen (15) days apart. The Hopi population has two groups, those living on the Hopi Reservation and those living off the Hopi Reservation in the Metro and Border towns and several living abroad. These two groups are Hopi enrolled members who participate or wish to participate in Tribal Elections.

It became very clear to the Hopi Election Board that changes had to be made to serve all voting members to be true participants in the election process. The Hopi Election Board was supported by the Hopi Tribal Council on the idea of a Plan of Action to address these corrections. The Hopi Election Board began the work on proposing amendments to the Constitution & By-Laws of the Hopi Tribe. This process would eventually be presented to the Hopi Tribal Council to approve the proposed amendments that would lead to a request for a Secretarial Referendum Election. Once approved by

the Bureau of Indian Affairs an election would be scheduled. With the knowledge of the length of time this process may take, the Board started designing the Plan of Action. The proposed amendments are seven. One of the amendments is to open the window of time between the primary and general election (both are presently held in November). Opening the window would allow voters to have a chance to make a difference in the election process.

The Board evaluated the issues they faced in past elections, evaluated the Election Ordinance #34 that was last amended in 1996, and the Constitution and By-Laws of the Hopi Tribe in the areas pertaining to the election process. Over the years the Board and the Registrar have been challenged with several issues by the people in regard to candidates meeting the qualifications. The voices of the Hopi people came to the front door and from there the Board knew the direction this was going to take - a public survey. The surveys provided a view of what the Hopi people were envisioning for the change to the time frames for the primary and general elections. Not only did the People envision these changes to the election process, but also changes for the potential candidates of the Hopi Tribe.

The surveys were in circulation for a whole year through the Hopi Tribal website, newspaper articles, public presentations, booth information at most of the events here on the Hopi Reservation, off reservation visits, radio interviews and speaking with the People on personal levels.

The Hopi Tribal Council supported the movement of this challenge which will eventually be voted on by the Hopi voting public and become the language in the Hopi Constitution. The Hopi Tribal Council moved to approve the proposed amendments. With these approvals the Secretary of Interior may approve for a Referendum Election that may be held in the very near future. There are several different rules for an election of this sort, for one:

Hopi business and aspiring entrepreneurs form Hopi 4 Hopis Group

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A small group of successful business owners and potential and eager entrepreneurs gathered at Lower Sipaulovi for a

very informational and educational meeting on January 9. They had a lot of questions and concerns, but also advice they shared

with others.

A common concern among those in attendance is that the economy is not so great here on the Hopi Reservation, as well as other places. There are a lot of people who want to open their own businesses but have no available resources to help and guide them. Many questions and concerns were left unanswered and needs to be addressed. Many times they were turned down before they even had the opportunity to begin.

Bonnie Sekakuku shared her experiences of being born into a business home. Her family owned and operated the Sekakuku store. Back then, the store was thriving and that is where a lot of things took place. Today, the store is non-operational. She explained the many ups and downs of running a business.

A young jeweler was also there to tell his story on how his ‘hobby’ turned into a successful business and has been operating since 2012.

A young lady wants to open up a small “Dollar Store” because she sees the need for economic development in Hotevilla.

A Gentleman also wants to open up a software consulting type business, where people can go to get help with software problems.

Another Gentleman wanted to restart some kind of Financial Institution/Banking on the reser-

vation, which would make life so much more easier and convenient for everyone on Hopi.

Perhaps an Uber on the Rez?! These were just many ideas floating in the air as the group discussed the potential we all have to be Entrepreneurs, but just don’t know where to start. Everyone in the group had the “Entrepreneur Qualities” which consists of: Self-motivation, Foresight/thinking ahead, Desire to implement an idea, Willing to take risks, Goal oriented, and the ability to see an opportunity and act on that opportunity.

They have the qualities but QUESTIONS and CONCERNS linger, such as: Where does one start a business? Workforce on Hopi is not being utilized, why? How do we overcome the scarcity thinking? Learn to be successful, because it does not happen overnight. Many lack the information to get started.

This is just the beginning of an entrepreneurial group called, Hopi 4 Hopis. Future meetings will be posted as the group plans to build an economic base on Hopi. For more information or ideas you have and want to share or want to be the presenter at the next meeting, contact Bonnie Secakuku @ (928) 737-2356 leave message or email: bjsecakuku@gmail.com

Hopi Tutuveni Seeks Freelance Writers

The Hopi Tutuveni is looking to hire freelance writers with previous journalism experience or subject matter expertise to research and develop news articles and feature stories of interest to its readers. The ideal applicant must have excellent research and writing skills, a high level of initiative to seek out and develop newsworthy stories, and excellent time management skills to meet deadlines. Ability to understand and speak the Hopi language is preferred, but not required. Freelancers are self-employed, independent contractors and must possess a valid business license with the Hopi Tribe.

Applicants should send two to four writing samples along with a cover letter to Louella Nahsonhoya, Managing Editor, P.O. Box 123, Kykotsmovi, A 86039 (email address: Lnahsonhoya@hopi.nsn.us). For additional information please call 928-734-3282.

District of Arizona, Acting US Attorney Announced

Cosme Lopez, Public Affairs Office
Office of the US Attorney

PHOENIX – Elizabeth A. Strange, the current First Assistant United States Attorney, has been named as Acting United States Attorney for the District of Arizona effective upon the announced resignation of United States Attorney John S. Leonardo, on Jan. 20, 2017. Ms. Strange will maintain that position pending the appointment of a new United States Attorney by the new administration.


For more information on the U.S. Attorney's Office, District of Arizona, visit <http://www.justice.gov/usao/az>. Follow the U.S. Attorney's Office, District of Arizona, on Twitter @USAO_AZ for the latest news.

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- *Remove snow from vehicle
- *No texting
- *Be mindful of black ice
- *Slow down & keep a safe distance
- *Wear seatbelts & use car seats



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STUDENT INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY:

The Office of American Indian, Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Programs is looking for a graduate level college student to participate in the **Summer 2017 Class of Health Equity Fellows for the HHS Office of Minority Health's Youth Health Equity Model of Practice (OMH YHEMOP)**! This is an excellent opportunity for the perfect student who is interested in working with American Indian, Alaska Native or Native Hawaiian Elders. Although the work-site will be Washington, DC, telework options will be discussed with the right candidate. Work details will include gathering and analyzing data, developing materials, and compiling information for grantees.

Additional information about the **Summer 2017 Class of Health Equity Fellows for the HHS Office of Minority Health's Youth Health Equity Model of Practice (OMH YHEMOP)** can be found at the following link: <https://www.minorityhealth.hhs.gov/YHEMOP/index.html> (application)

If you know any interested students please forward this information to them. *The student application deadline is February 15, 2017.* For additional information please contact Cynthia LaCounte at 202-795-7380 or Cynthia.lacounte@acl.hhs.gov.

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