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Public Meeting Regarding Mission Road Construction







Funding for the Mission Road project will come from:

LLBO ~ \$1 million (Indian Reservation Roads) Forest Service ~ \$1.2 million (American Reinvestment Recovery Act) Beltrami County ~ \$1.8 million

Phase I and II

Phase I (3.7 miles) includes tracts: 2191, 147 and 152

Phase II (2.2 miles) includes tracts: 1, 66 and 2186

In Late June a number of public representatives convened a public meetingin Cass Lake, MN to discuss the Mission Road. These representatives included: Rob Aitken, Executive Director LLBO, Eugene "Ribs" Whitebird, District III Representative LLBO, Robert Goggleye, Public Works LLBO, Christine Herman Bureau of Indian Affairs, Thomas Burr Bureau of Indian Affairs, Bruce Hasbargen Beltrami County, John Noehring Beltrami County, Michael McFarlane NECI, George Coulombe NECI, convened a public meeting to discuss the re-construction of the Mission Road Project (Hwy 33).

The Mission Road project will basically upgrade the 6 mile section of Mission road to a surface width of 40 feet. 24 feet will be driven surface and there will be an 8 foot shoulder on each side that will provide a safer area to walk and or bike along this corridor.

Several of the curves presently have low design speeds which means they are "sharp" turning and have little sight distance. These curves are going to be improved to a 40-55 mph design which will provide much greater sight distance and lessen the sharpness of the curves. The project consists of straightening corners and repaving the road.

This will make a much safer road in regard to those issues. There are also planned to be "rumble strips" installed at the edge of the driving lanes as a separator between the driving lane and the shoulder where people tend to bike or walk. This will provide an additional safety precaution between vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

MISSION ROAD PROPOSED RECONSTRUCTION



Community Services Now Accepting HIP Applications

The Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe Community Services Housing Program is accepting applications for the (HIP) Home Improvement Program until Friday September 17th, 2010.

When submitting a housing assistance application for HIP, it does not guarantee that you will receive assistance. Applications are accepted annually for all eligible individuals to be considered for assistance. if you are enrolled in a federally recognized tribe, own your own home, and meet all other eligibility requirements, you are encouraged to apply.

For more information, please call the Community Services housing office at 218.335.3785 or 1.800.442.3909 ext 3785 Thank You!



Transportation Issue Addressed on Leech Lake

As we all know transportation on the Leech Lake Reservation has been an issue for decades. As most of the programs and services are centrally located in Cass Lake it is very difficult for some Band members to utilize some of the necessary services located in Cass Lake without reliable consistent transportation. The following, along with the need to decentralize services, is an effort to be able to offer a means to fill the transportation gap on the Leech Lake Reservation so those who live in our more remote local communities can have the same service opportunities as those who live close to or in Cass Lake.

Recommend strategies for the development of a coordinated public transportation system for Tribal members was brought about through a grant from The Community Transportation Association of America (CTAA), on behalf of the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe. CTAA contracted with LSC Transportation Consultants, Inc. to complete a Technical Assistance Project. The project describes the existing conditions in the region related to transportation services, discusses service and other alternatives for meeting public transportation needs into the future, identifies a locally-preferred set of alternatives, and presents an implementation plan for the next six years.

The Leech Lake Band of the Ojibwe was one of three Native American Tribes to receive an assistance grant from CTAA in 2007. This study is currently being used by Tribal Planners to develop this general public transportation system both within the boundaries of the Reservation and additionally with links to regional destinations. The information from the plan will be used to meet Minnesota Department of Transportation (MNDOT) requirements for Federal Transit Administration grant funds for the purchase of capital equipment and operating funds.

As in many tribal areas across the United States, residents are taking a

closer look at transportation services and are seeking to find the most effective means of providing those services. Currently, the Leech Lake Reservation employment service is provided by local casino shuttles as well as a host of local programs and other "transit" providers. Efforts focus on the feasibility of providing a more coordinated general public transportation system to meet the community's needs.

An important step toward providing an integrated community-wide transportation system is involving key players. Key players identified are: Tribal Council Various tribal departments which either have a need for increased transportation services or currently provide services Local residents Local school representatives Other agencies/organizations such as Minnesota Department of Transporta-

tion (MNDOT).

The Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe is developing a coordinated public transportation system for Leech Lake Reservation residents, specifically throughout the Reservation Boundaries and the surrounding areas. We have examined the transit needs, alternatives, and programs for the community within the area, and we plan on coordinating transportation services to meet the needs of local residents and the public in general. Recognizing the need for a comprehensive coordinated tribal transit system, we considered and examined a number of issues: These include capital and operational funding and design of the system that meets FTA transit requirements.

A Transit Steering Committee has been created by the Tribal Council to research available options to create a Public Transit Service. The team consists of representatives from the Fleet Manager, Department of Public Work personnel, T.E.R.O. Department Director, Health Division Director, Client Services and

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Margaret Anderson Kelliher

The following is on: http://margaretfor-governor.com/

Why I want to be your governor:

I grew up on a dairy farm in Blue Earth County, where I learned the value of hard work, family, and a good education. After college, I worked in the Twin Cities and then became a legislator. As Speaker of the House of Representatives, I can appreciate the diversity of all my colleagues, from both sides of the aisle, and from all corners of this state. Minnesota is facing difficult challenges in a down economy. For too long, we've watched our current governor and his party fail to lead our state forward. They have been unwilling to make any difficult decisions that will honestly address our state's budget problems.

I want to be your governor because I'm willing to make the tough choices that will bring our state back into prosperity. Our state needs a leader who is willing to do the right thing by building partnerships, reaching across the aisle, and working for all Minnesotans to get the job done.

ISSUES:

Higher Education

Margaret believes education should be a lifelong learning process, and that starts by making higher education more affordable and accessible.

Our community and technical colleges are valuable assets to our education system, and we must find ways to eliminate barriers that prevent Minnesotans from accessing two-year degree programs. Health Care

Margaret will expand health care coverage and ensure Minnesota has a healthy, productive workforce.

One way to jump-start our economic recovery is to control the rising cost of health care coverage. Read more... Candidate Disclosure Reform

Candidate Disclosure Reform

Currently, Minnesota has one of the worst candidate financial disclosure laws in the country. We are ranked 40th in the nation by the non-partisan Center for Public Integrity (CPI). CPI gave Minnesota an "F" grade in their comprehensive state-by-state analysis of personal financial disclosure laws. Read more... Agriculture and Rural Areas

Margaret spent half of her life on a farm in southern Minnesota, and has a real working knowledge of agriculture and rural issues.

Minnesota's rural economy impacts our entire state from the food we eat to the renewable energy we generate. Read more...

Energy and the Environment

Margaret will promote energy independence through a greater reliance on clean, renewable resources, and continue Minnesota's strong tradition of environmental stewardship that partners with practical economic considerations. As Speaker, Margaret championed the passage of a renewable energy standard that requires 25 percent of the state's electricity must come from clean, renewable resources by 2025. Read more... Veterans and Military

Margaret is committed to honoring our veterans and supporting those serving in Minnesota's National Guard.

Under her leadership, the House passed legislation to help returning military members readjust to civilian life and to continue their education and professional development. Read more...

A Jobs Budget

A Jobs Budget that Protects Minnesota's Priorities

Minnesota has more than a budget problem – we face a jobs deficit. Almost 204,000 Minnesotans are out of work and tens of thousands more are underemployed, working harder and earning less. As Governor, I will do everything it takes to get Minnesota back to work. Facing a projected \$5.8 billion budget deficit, I will fight for a balanced budget solution that creates jobs and protects Minnesota's highest priorities. Read more...

Seniors

Fighting for Our Seniors and their Children and Grandchildren

Margaret will fight to make Minnesota a great place for our seniors and their children and grandchildren. As a mother and daughter, Margaret understands the important role that seniors play in their families, in their communities and in Minnesota. Read more...

Matt Entenza

The following is on: http://entenza.com/

I was Economic Development Commissioner for Minnesota's great "Jobs" Governor, Rudy Perpich. I know how to help create jobs with good wages and benefits for Minnesotans in tough economic times.

I promise to increase state funding for early childhood, K-12, and higher education, in real dollars, every year I am Governor. No exceptions. No excuses.

Today there is one health insurance employee for every two doctors in America! What a misallocation of resources! I favor a national single-payer health care system, because it puts health care dollars into taking care of people, not insurance company profits.

Progressive Taxes.

Read my lips, "Tax the rich." Minnesota's wealthiest citizens pay only two-thirds of their fair share of state and local taxes. That's wrong. As Governor, I will raise taxes on the rich of Minnesota, NOT on the rest of Minnesota.

I support full marriage equality with full benefits. All Minnesotans should have the right to legally marry the person they love.

It is long overdue. I support adding an Equal Rights Amendment to the Minnesota Constitution. As Governor, I will do everything I can to help pass that amendment.

Too many seniors' lives are being destroyed by predatory prescription drug prices, costly supplemental health insurance, and unaffordable long-term care. As U.S. Senator, I donated my salary to help seniors buy cheaper prescription drugs in Canada. As Governor, my Lt. Governor will lead a similar effort here at home.



Primary Election Headquarters

Leech Lake Food Distribution Office

We will be serving coffee and rolls in the morning and at 11:00 we will be serving lunch.

Cass Lake, MN

Tuesday August 10th 8:00am - 8:00PM Anyone needing a ride to the polls or would like to volunteer to drive, please contact Sharon @ 218.368.3055, Teresa Persell @ 218.335.8222 or 218.308.0701, or Tig Pemberton @ 218.760.9390

EVERYONE WELCOME!

Come and support your DFL Candidates!



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Grants/Contracts Managers, Gaming Transportation Director, Planning Director, Small Businesses and Education Departments

Individuals have the experience and knowledge to recognize the hurdles that can be encountered in providing needed infrastructural development in rural and Tribal areas. A strong working group involving all interested people will continue to augment and ease the entire process.

The Steering Committee will continue to work toward developing a coordinated transit system to including existing public transit providers and other stakeholders to come up with an effective client and cost efficient way to link up people with jobs, health care, day care, educational opportunities, needed services and recreation.

The funding requested will be for a new start-up of the Leech Lake Transit Service Program to offer services to the residents and general public living on and near the Leech Lake Reservation.

In the initial phase, three (3) vehicles will be purchased. Two will be used for daily transport and a third will be a spare. The types of vehicles to be purchased will have seating capacities of up to 30 passengers. This type of vehicle offers more interior space, which is often necessary for lift equipment and wheelchair stations.

The service area that the Leech Lake Transit Service Program will provide is to operate two routes between Cass Lake and Bemidji as well as between Deer River and Grand Rapids.

The types of service would be operating as a fixed route service. The route miles 12,000 annual routes for the Cass Lake and Bemidji route and 12,000 for the Deer River and Grand Rapids route.

Major origins and destinations between the major towns in the area to include the first route – the Cass Lake/Bemidji Route – would operate along U.S. Highway 2 from Cass Lake to Bemidji. The second route is the Deer River to Grand Rapids Route.

The mission of the Leech Lake transit service is to provide quality transit service to residents, visitors and those living near the Leech Lake Reservation by increasing the mobility and access for all residents and by linking transit service throughout the area.

KOJB (Leech Lake) Radio awarded Otto Bremer Foundation grant

The Otto Bremer Foundation of St. Paul, Minnesota approved a \$60,000 grant request from the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe to build and maintain a radio station which will serve the educational and cultural need of the community. The Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe has a construction permit from the Federal Communication Commission to build a non commercial educational radio station at 90.1 FM. The studios will be located at the Leech Lake Tribal College with transmitter facilities in Bena.

KOJB Station Manager, Brad Walhof, expressed his appreciation to the Otto Bremer Foundation for providing support for the radio project. "I would like to thank the Otto Bremer Foundation for supporting a radio station to serve the people of Leech Lake Reservation. Community unification and growth through

LEECH LAKE BAND OF OJIBWE Summary of Job Openings

Closing August 13th, 2010 *Education Division:* Maintenance/Safety Technician • Job Code: 10-105

Human Services Division: Family Preservation Case Managers • Job Code: 10-110 Family Skills Worker • Job Code: 10-109

Health Division: Maternal Child Health Office Manager • Job Code: 10-107

> *Human Resources:* Data Entry Clerk • Job Code: 10-108

Finance Division: Accounts Receivable Clerk • Job Code: 10-106

Closing August 20th, 2010 Human Services Division: Human Services Director • Job Code: 10-095

Open Until Filled *Health Division:* PT Emergency Medical Technicians • Job Code: 10-056

Education Division: ECD Family Service Advocates • Bena, MN • Job Code: 10-020 ECD Infant/Toddler Teacher (0-3) • Onigum, MN • Job Code: 10-014

Full Job Descriptions available at http://www.llojibwe.org

Leech Lake Band Member preference, MCT, and other Native American preference applies. You may request a complete job description for any position listed. All positions require a valid MN driver's license, current insurance or is insurable (Unless otherwise stated). All positions DOQ unless otherwise noted.

How to apply: Interested parties may come into the Human Resources office to pick up an application or they can download an application from our website at www.llojibwe. org. Interested parties may also send a letter of application, resume, credentials, and transcripts to:

> Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe HR 115 Sixth St NW, Suite E Cass Lake, MN 56633

You may also fax your documents to HR, our FAX number is; #218-335-3697, or Email your documents to LLhumanresources@LLojibwe.com. LLBO Policy: HR must receive your application documents before or no later than 4:30pm on the date the position is scheduled to close. Late applications received after 4:30pm on closing date will not be accepted. Call 218-335-3698 or toll free 1-800-631-5528 for more information.

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LEECH LAKE BAND OF OJIBWE			Cloud, Alice Marie	TR-01-278	200.00 200.00 400.00
IN TRIBAL COURT TRAFFIC DIVISON		Cloud, Randall Joseph	TR-04-723	225.00 225.00 450.00	
NOTICE OF LEGAL PUBLICATIO)N		Cooper, Bryant Eugene	TR-07-173	100.00 100.00 200.00
Notice of Elditer oblicitie			Croaker, Charles Dean Cronquist, Lawrence Albert	TR-08-04 TR-00-143	200.00 200.00 400.00 500.00 500.00 1,000.00
			Cutbank, Mary Elizabeth	TR-00-145 TR-00-168	125.00 125.00 250.00
FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS AND			Cutbank, Norman Wayne	TR-02-380	100.00 100.00 200.00
FINAL ORDER FOR CONTEMPT	OF COURT		Davall, Anna Marie	TR-04-750	150.00 150.00 300.00
			Deegan, Byron George	TR-01-334	340.00 340.00 680.00
A review of the Court records reveal			S.R.D., Minor Child, and	TR-06-17	100.00 100.00 200.00
tice of Findings, Conclusions and St publication in two (2) consecutive is			Drouillard, Louella (Parent)	TD 06 100	100.00 100.00 000.00
tempt of Court. Based on all the file			Garbow, Judee Cynthia	TR-06-130 TR-03-604	100.00 100.00 200.00
	, 10001 al ana procee ango norei		Goggleye, Sam Joseph Goggleye, Sam Joseph	TR-07-141	200.00 200.00 400.00 200.00 200.00 400.00
FINDINGS:			Graciano, Duane Robert Medina	TR-99-07	150.00 150.00 300.00
			a/k/a Robbie Hurd	11()) 0/	10000 10000 00000
That each of the defendants listed be			Greenleaf, Jennifer Lee	TR-07-206	200.00 200.00 400.00
was stayed on condition that defend	lants purge the contempt of cou	rt by paying all outstanding fines	Greenleaf, Jennifer Lee	TR-08-23	250.00 250.00 500.00
or signing a repayment agreement. That defendants were properly serve	ed with a copy of the Order for C	Contempt pursuant to Leech Lake	Grigsby, Eric Damion	TR-03-557	\$ 400.00 \$ 400.00 \$ 800.00
Judicial Code, Title II, Rule 5.C.	ed with a copy of the order for e	Some inperpension to Leven Lake	Hill, Sheryl Ann Hunt, Roland Leslie	TR-04-775	\$ 350.00 \$ 350.00 \$ 700.00
That the defendants were given am	ple time to request that the cont	tempt order be set aside or make	Jackson, Tracy Ann	TR-02-501 TR-00-177	300.00 300.00 600.00 200.00 200.00 400.00
arrangements to pay the fine.		*	Johnson, Lisa Michelle	TR-00-186	150.00 150.00 300.00
4. That the defendants failed to r	nake arrangements to pay the fi	ine or request that the contempt	Johnson, Thomas Jay	TR-02-449	200.00 200.00 400.00
order be set aside.			Jones, David Emmanual	TR-07-11	200.00 200.00 400.00
			Kinchen, Anthony Scott	TR-03-624	125.00 125.00 250.00
CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:			Kingbird, Joshua James	TR-01-301	400.00 400.00 800.00
1. The defendants listed below are	e guilty of Contempt of Court for	r failure to make arrangements to	Kingbird, Michael Anthony	TR-00-127	150.00 150.00 300.00
pay fines as ordered by the Leech La			Kingbird, Michael Anthony	TR-00-127	200.00 200.00 400.00
Code.	, r		LaDeaux, Robin Marie LaDeaux, Robin Marie	TR-05-120 TR-06-162	200.00 200.00 400.00 225.00 225.00 450.00
			Lagou, Tammi Jo	TR-03-570	300.00 300.00 600.00
WHEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORD	ERED:		Littlewolf, Raylene R.	TR-01-359	100.00 100.00 200.00
			Losh, Charles Lyman	TR-02-442	100.00 100.00 200.00
The stay of the civil contempt pena ordered to pay the fine totals show			Lovelace, Nathan Joel	TR-07-205	200.00 200.00 400.00
\$500.00).	in below (original line plus civil	contempt penalty not to exceed	Manzi, Bonita Marie	TR-00-156	175.00 175.00 350.00
Pursuant to the Leech Lake Traffic	Code, Section 304.E, defendant	s' total fines as shown below will	Matthews, Earth Marie Maxwell, Robert Roman	TR-99-44 TR-00-100	250.00 250.00 500.00 125.00 125.00 250.00
be added to the amount he/she mus			Moose, Luvette Lee	TR-02-472	475.00 475.00 950.00
A copy of this Order shall be provid	led to the Leech Lake Departme	nt of Motor Vehicles, which shall	Morgan, Ronald John	TR-05-128	200.00 200.00 400.00
add the total fine due to the amou	nt defendant is required to pay	to renew or obtain Leech Lake	Nadeau, Joseph Elliott	TR-00-244	225.00 225.00 450.00
vehicle registration or plates.			O'Shea, James Dean	TR-00-164	100.00 100.00 200.00
If defendants are unable to pay the to			Pacheco, Juanita Marie	TR-05-92	400.00 400.00 800.00
payment agreement with the Tribal Department of Motor Vehicles to all			Pindegayosh, James	TR-00-102	125.00 125.00 250.00
Failure to comply with the payment			Reyes, Daniel Ruben	TR-02-459	100.00 100.00 200.00
Code, Section 304.A and 304.C, for			Rock, Lora Jean Roper, James Lee	TR-00-207 TR-99-90	100.00 100.00 200.00 300.00 300.00 600.00
driven at the time of the offense. The			Roper, Jean Marie	TR-00-242	200.00 200.00 400.00
payment in full of the unpaid balance		_	(a/k/a Jean Marie Adams)	11(00 212	200.00 200.00 100.00
6. If the defendants fail to execut			Ruther, Jasmine Marie	TR-07-117	225.00 225.00 450.00
the Leech Lake Band is hereby auth		nt proceedings to collect the fine	Ruther, Jasmine Marie	TR-07-146	400.00 400.00 800.00
pursuant to Leech Lake Traffic Code	e, Section 303.D.		Smith, Todd James	TR-01-295	300.00 300.00 600.00
			Smith-Sherer, Ruth Ann	TR-99-87	100.00 100.00 200.00
DATED this 3rd day of June, 2010	0.		Smith-Sherer, Ruth Ann Stangel, Ritchie Ronald	TR-06-114 TR-00-135	200.00 200.00 400.00 150.00 150.00 300.00
			Stangel, Kitchie Konaid Staples, Dennis James, Sr.	TR-01-297	300.00 300.00 600.00
/s/ Korey Wahwassuck, Judge of '	Tribal Court		Staples, Karen Lynn	TR-01-292	200.00 200.00 400.00
			Staples, Michael Wayne	TR-01-322	150.00 150.00 300.00
Name		Traffic Contempt Total	TeJohn, Calvin Kenneth	TR-07-193	100.00 100.00 200.00
Name Agard Beau James		Fine Fine Due \$ 150.00 \$ 300.00	Thibault, James Wilfred	TR-00-107	100.00 100.00 200.00
Agard, Beau James Aubid, Juanita Jean	TR-03-622	\$ 150.00 \$ 150.00 \$ 300.00 200.00 200.00 400.00	Thompson, Charles Lee	TR-99-76	200.00 200.00 400.00
Banks, Donald John	TR-01-334	200.00 200.00 400.00	White, Fredrick	TR-08-124 TR-04-767	100.00 100.00 200.00
Beckett, Royce Oscar	TR-07-116	200.00 200.00 400.00	White, Sandra Wadena White, Sandra Wadena	TR-04-767 TR-06-80	125.00 125.00 250.00 200.00 200.00 400.00
Bedeau, Joseph John, Jr.	TR-02-378	200.00 200.00 400.00	White, Sandra Wadena	TR-09-05	125.00 125.00 250.00
Bellanger-White Wing, Nahtanha	TR-02-460	525.00 500.00 1,025.00	White, Simon Anthony, Jr.	TR-99-82	225.00 225.00 450.00
Benjamin, Anthony Michael	TR-01-262	175.00 175.00 350.00	Whitebird, John Leo	TR-01-267	200.00 200.00 400.00
Bowers, Dewayne Eugene	TR-05-60	225.00 225.00 450.00	Whitefeather, Howard Douglas	TR-06-004	400.00 400.00 800.00
Canty, Dana Thomas Carlson, Dana Roy	TR-07-213 TR-99-83	200.00 200.00 400.00	Wind, Tony William Lee	TR-00-174	\$100.00 \$100.00 \$ 200.00
Calison, Dana Kuy	1 N-77-0J	125.00 125.00 250.00			

LEECH LAKE BAND OF OJIBWE IN TRIBAL COURT

6530 Highway 2 NW Cass Lake, MN 56633 218-335-3682/4418 Traffic Division

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

YOU (THE DEFENDANTS LISTED BELOW) ARE HEREBY ORDERED to appear before the Leech Lake Tribal Court and show cause why you should not be held in Contempt of Court for failure to pay court-ordered fines.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that pursuant to Leech Lake Traffic Code, Chapter, Section 304:

1. If you are found in Contempt of Court, you may be subject to an additional penalty not to exceed \$500.00, said penalty for contempt shall be in addition to any fines or other penalties previously assessed by this Court.

2. You may also be subject to one or more of the following enforcement actions without further notice:

a. Report violation to the State of Minnesota for entry on defendant's driving record;

b. Add the fine to the amount defendant must pay to renew or obtain Leech Lake vehicle registration or plates;

- c. Seize defendant's vehicle registration plates;
- d. Seize the vehicle driven by defendant at the time of the violation;

e. Suspend defendant's fishing, hunting, trapping, ricing or other treaty rights within the boundaries and jurisdiction of the Leech Lake Band until defendant pays the fine in full.

f. Garnish wages by the Leech Lake Band.

/S/ Korey Wahwassuck, Judge of Tribal Court.

APPEARANCE DATE: September 21, 2010, at 2:00 p.m.

Defendant	<u>Case No.</u>	Defendant	<u>Case No.</u>
Brown, Marcelia Kaye	TR-09-128	Jackson, Kevin Daniel	TR-09-11
Fairbanks, Amanda Leigh	TR-09-94	Kingbird, Derek Daniel	TR-09-147
Fairbanks, Patrick Wayne	TR-09-157	Larsen, Rikki Leslie	TR-10-01
Fairbanks, Patrick Wayne	TR-09-154	Morgan, David Alan, Jr.	TR-09-158
Gotchie, Benjamin Lee, Jr.	TR-09-139	H.C.P, Minor Child,	TR-09-184
Headbird, Rodney John	TR-09-159	Johnston, Pauline, parent	
Howard, Eugene Paul	TR-09-79	Smith, Allan Wayne	TR-09-49
Isham, Joseph Edward	TR-09-57	Thorne, Myron Lee	TR-09-169
Isham, Joseph Edward	TR-09-99	White, Simon Anthony	TR-09-93
Jackson, Daniel Matthew	TR-09-164	Wind, Nicoa Marie	TR-09-233

APPEARANCE DATE:

October 19, 2010, at 2:00 p.m.

<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>
TR-09-167	Jackson, Renae Lori	TR-09-17
TR-10-14	Jackson, Renae Lori	TR-09-18
TR-09-223	Northbird, Stephanie Mae	TR-10-10
TR-09-168	Roper, Rochelle Lynn	TR-08-94
TR-09-138	Roper, Rochelle Lynn	TR-09-47
TR-09-228	Roper, Rochelle Lynn	TR-08-93
	TR-09-167 TR-10-14 TR-09-223 TR-09-168 TR-09-138	TR-09-167Jackson, Renae LoriTR-10-14Jackson, Renae LoriTR-09-223Northbird, Stephanie MaeTR-09-168Roper, Rochelle LynnTR-09-138Roper, Rochelle Lynn

GRADUATION CERTIFICATES

GREEN RETROFITTING

THE KEY TO A BETTER FUTURE. IS FINDING THE RIGHT PATH. LET US HELP YOU.

FINANCIAL LITERACY

A workforce development program that focuses on green jobs training for Native Americans who are unemployed, have low income and may be high school drop outs, or have a criminal record, and are able and willing to receive training to aid in locating employment to find a pathway out of poverty.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: 800-763-8629 Monday- Friday 8-4:30

wepathways@whiteearth.com

APPLICANT CRITERIA ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Unemployed

At least 18 years of age

Enrolled member of a federally recognized Tribe

Live on or within 25 miles of the White Earth Indian Reservation

Meet HHS Income Guidelines

Must be registered for selective service



Pathways To A Greener Future is Sponsored by the White Earth Reservation

his workforce solution was funded by a grant awarded by the U.S. Department of Labor's Employment and Training Administration. The solution was created by the White Earth Reservation Tribal Council and does not necessarily reflect the official position of the U.S. Department of Labor. The Department of Labor makes no guarantees, warranties, or assurances of any kind, express or implied, with respect to such information, including any information on linked sites and including but not limited to, accuracy of the information or its completeness, timeliness, usefulness, adequacy, continued availability, or ownership. This solution is copyrighted by the White Earth Nation. Internal use by an organization and/or personal use by an ndividual for non-commercial purposes is permissible. All other uses require the prior authorization of the White Earth Nation.



Chris Thompson for Cass County Sheriff

The following can be found on: http://electthompsonsheriff. com/

Chris has been employed with the Cass County Sheriff's Office since 1997. Since beginning employment, Chris has been a Corrections Officer, Dispatcher, Boat and Water Deputy and currently works as a Patrol Deputy in the Central patrol district. This wide array of experience gives him a great working knowledge of all departments within the Sheriff's Office. As a part-time Deputy Chris worked in all three of the patrol districts of Cass County, from Pillager to Bena, giving him an understanding of the wide diversity that exists within Cass County.

Chris grew up in Walker, the son of Charlie and Debbie Thompson. He is a 1994 Graduate of Walker-Hackensack-Akeley High School, where he played football, wrestled and ran track.

After high school Chris attended Moorhead State University and studied business in hopes of one day coming back home and taking over the family business. After attending Moorhead State for a year and a half Chris returned to Walker and work for his father at Thompson Rent-All and Charlie's Up North. Working for a family owned business gives Chris a vast understanding of operating within a budget and interacting with the general public.

In 1996 Chris began his career in Public Safety as an EMT with the Walker Ambulance Service. While working with there he was elected by the membership to be the vice-chair in 1997 and in 1998 he was nominated and elected as the Chairperson.

In 1997 former Sheriff Jim Dowson stopped by Thompson Rent-All and Chris conveyed his interest in law enforcement to him. The next day Dowson called and offered Chris a job as a Cor-



rections Officer and the rest is history.

In addition to his patrol duties, Chris is the Commander of the Cass County Emergency Response Unit (SWAT). A position in which he is very proud of, but he is even prouder of the fact that he was chosen by his peers within the ERU to lead the team. Not appointed by one individual.

Chris is certified instructor in numerous law enforcement related areas and instructs hundreds of individuals each year at the cadet level to "in-service" continuing education training.

Chris lives in the Walker area with his wife Katie, a Cass County Social Worker, and their three children, Matthew, Maggie and Maya.

As Sheriff, Chris would improve upon the groundwork already in place. The Sheriff's Office is the premier law enforcement agency in Cass County and it can only improve. To do this Chris has a plan which utilizes existing staff to better serve the residents of Cass County. Cass County has the enforcement staff to accomplish what needs to be done, there just needs a little restructuring.

Chris would also insist on a higher standard of training of Cass County Deputies. Though we may be "Up North" in "God's Country" don't let yourself believe that law enforcement in this area is not a dangerous position. The yearly mandatory training that officers receive here may meet POST Board standards but it is not frequent enough. Utilizing already trained staff and by adding instructor certifications to existing staff will ensure that our deputies and corrections officers can be efficiently trained throughout the year without breaking the bank.

Chris will work closely with the ARM-ER project to ensure that Cass County meet guidelines set forth by the federal government for communications. Cass County is migrating to an 800 Mhz radio system and the process is already begun. Over the next two years there is going to be a lot of work to do. Chris will do everything possible to see that the project moves forward with as few snags as possible all while making sure that the project remains within budget.

Furthermore, Chris would insist upon strict adherence to the Cooperative Law Enforcement Agreement. When all agencies adhere to the Agreement, in the manner it was intended, law enforcement services and visibility in areas of the county that are not accustomed to it, will increase. By assigning responsibility where it belongs response times to calls for service will shorten, deputies will be able to patrol and be part their community more often and be more thorough with follow up investigations, without being called away with such frequency. The Agreement was put in place for a reason! A lot of people spent a lot of time drafting it and making sure that all of the bases were covered for it not to be followed.

Region 2 Arts Council Offers FREE Grant Writing Workshops

The Region 2 Arts Council will offer free grant writing workshops for anyone interested in applying for an Anishinaabe Arts Initiative grant within the Region 2 area (serving Beltrami, Clearwater, Hubbard, Lake of the Woods and Mahnomen counties). These workshops will familiarize potential applicants with the application process, what projects are eligible, how to develop a project budget and other tips.

The Anishinaabe Arts Initiative Grant is open to individual Native American artists in all disciplines. These grants offer funding for costs associated with the exhibition, performance, or production of a creative work; purchase of materials or equipment necessary for a creative work; educational opportunities; mentorships; and proposals for career-enhancing projects or opportunities. Artists can apply for grants up to \$1,000.

Anishinaabe Arts Initiative Grant Leech Lake Tribal Headquarters Cass Lake, MN Thursday, August 19 Conference Room 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.

ADVANCE REGISTRATION is required. To reserve a place in a free workshop or for further information, please call 218-751-5447 or 1-800-275-5447 or email staff@r2arts.org

Walker Area Cross Cultures Committee Dinner Celebration By Chris Haugene

In the interests of bridging cultural divides, having cross culture educational sessions, bringing more native children to the Boy's and Girl's club at the Walker Area Community Center, and enhancing the lives of everyone in our community, a small group of local citizens comprised of Natives and non-Natives has organized a dinner to bring the two communities closer together.

The dinner will take place on August 23, 2010 at the Walker Area Community Center from 6-8pm. There will be a handful of speakers and a documentary on the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe during dinner.

The entire community is invited to come and enjoy a relaxed evening of entertainment and education. Donations are always welcome and there will be t-shirts, sweatshirts, polo's, and hats for sale, as well as art work on display for all to enjoy.

Leech Lake would like to thank the Cross Cultures Committee for having the vision and resolve to not only implement and organize this event, but to have the ability to see a unique way to bring people together on a local level. We all share a common geography that should, and often does, bring our cultures together. And, it is through efforts such as these where we truly make leaps and bounds toward blurring and erasing the differences between us. Thanks once again to those involved, and we hope to see you all at the Walker Area Community Center on August 23, 2010. Miigwech (thank you).



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Bemidji Local Indian Council **1st Annual Picnic**

Thurs. August 12, 2010 3PM - 7PM **Diamond Pt Park Pavilion**

Please join us for our August Regular Meeting and 1st Annual Community Picnic



There will be various informational booths, door prizes and census taking of our Leech Lake Band Members living west of the reservation boundary and into the Bemidji Area.

Bring your favorite dish to share!



Pet Spay/Neuter, Physical Exams and Registration Clinic

Thursday August 26th -Sunday August 29th **Open each day at 8 AM** Limit (1) pet per person

Cass Lake Middle School 15314 Hwy 371 NW Cass Lake, MN

Please No Pit Bulls. Rottweilers or Dobermans

For Additional Information Please Call: Mark Sekulich, LL Animal Control • 335.8277 **Tim Hugley, Environmental Health • 335.4532**

Random **Hourly Drawings:** 7:00pm-11:00pm

Earn an additional 2 entries by earning 25 points on the Fridays of the promotion!

Win either a pair of **Minnesota Vikings** tickets with motor coach transportation or a \$100 NFLShop.com gift card! August 27th - December 10th

All winners will be invited to attend a Tailgate Party at Northern Lights on January 7th, 2011 and have the chance to

Fridays

Registration: 6:00pm – 10:00pm

win one of 3 pairs of tickets* to the "Big Game"





