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A FIFTY YEAR OLD FIGHT FOR WINNEBAGO LAND BACK, ACROSS THE MISSOURI RIVER

Written/Photography by: Jordana R. Bass

SLOAN, IA- It was the year 1970 when approximately 2,000 acres of land was illegally taken from the Winnebago tribe by the army corps of engineers. A 50-year fight for the land back hasn't stopped. Today it continues, and finally a land bill (H.R. 1240-Rep Feenstra) called the "Winnebago land transfer act of 2023" is being reviewed.

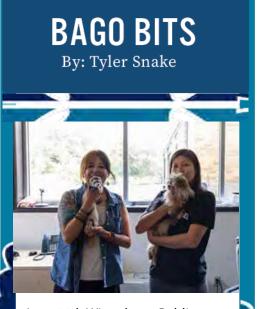
On a beautiful Monday morning June 7th, 2023, the temperature was 80 degrees and the sun was shining. It was a great day to hit the back roads for a site visit to the tracts of land the tribe had been fighting for.

Prior to that the WTN Tribal Council met with representatives from the U.S. representative for Iowa's 4th congressional district. The district covers the western border of Iowa, which includes Sioux city, IA and council bluffs.

Danelle Smith, legal council for the WTN and Big Fire Law attorney opened up the presentation by stating "the purpose of the bill is to return the land that was taken by the army



Tribal Councilman Louie LaRose and Winnebago Wildlife & Parks take a look at the land tract 210



June 14th Winnebago Public Health Department held their yearly Pet Care Day(s)!! July 19th and September 13th are the next days to get your furry friends up to date, Stop by the Land of Wellness 10am to 5pm!! Geb and Dwight kept the Communications office lively, chasing each other around corps of engineers from the Winnebago tribe in 1970." I think visiting the land, seeing it in person provides a lot of contexts for what the tribe is trying to accomplish.

By sharing how the tribe has gotten to this point, it is important to take a look back at the history. In 1865, the Winnebago reservation was established by treaty. Smith shared "the land was promised to the tribe by treaty forever." The United States should take action to right this wrong and honor that treaty that was entered into between the Winnebago tribe and the United States in 1865.

At the time in 1970. There were two separate condemnation actions brought by the army corps, one being in Nebraska, and one across the Missouri river on the Iowa side. Condemnation is when a local, state, or federal government seizes private property from an owner and then compensates that owner for that property.

Tribal Councilman Louie LaRose was at the forefront of the fight, and he shared a story expressing "I was a team with Felix White Sr., and Sterling Snake, we had a hell of a time. They told us to take the money, we didn't want the money, we didn't want to give up our land, it was ours. Sterling told us we had a responsibility to fight for the land, for our tribe. We came back to the tribal government and told the council we have to fight for this land and win. We were in charge of the fight with limited resources. We didn't know what kind of fight we were getting into and the corps and the history of beating tribes that are down the river."

Lorelei Decora, WTN Tribal Council Secretary shared her recollections of the moment when the Army Corps was looking to seize the land. "I was a young teenager when the corps of engineers seized our Iowa land. We felt like we didn't have a voice for what we considered illegal seizure of our lands. I'm proud to see that finally there is a possibility after so many years, we have a chance to get our Iowa land back."

Smith shared "in 1970, the District Court of Nebraska ruled in favor of the army corps and said that the condemnation actions could proceed both in Nebraska and then in 1971. Where that case was decided in Iowa. Again the tribe lost at the lower



Starting June 12th The Communications office participated in HoChunk Renaissance's Passport fun! Grades k-4th stopped by throughout the week to say their colors in Hocak!! Once completed we stamped their passport to be entered into a drawing, it was a fun way to keep the kid's memory up on the Hocak language during summer break!! Check out their Facebook page for more info on the upcoming weeks location! Story continued on page 3... See LANDBACK

Left: Ron Nohr works with the tribe, and has been assisting with the land and maps.





Huge shoutout to local entrepreneurs: Chris LaPointe (Big Time Cleaning & Sanitation LLC), Gregory Walker (No Mow Worries), and Alton Porter (Hawatay's Gift Shop & Supplies) for their time and giving the kids details and insight of being a business owner. We know you left an impact today and inspired our future business

Originally shared Via Boys and Girls Club of the Hocak Nisoc Haci, FACEBOOK PAGE



First stop was the land tract 210. Where the original river channel flowed.

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NOTICE OF WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA BANISHMENT ORDER

JALYSSA HARLAN

The Winnebago Tribal Council has issued Banishment Orders against individuals who have committed criminal activity and who present a serious threat to the health, welfare, safety, and well-being of the Winnebago Tribal community.

These actions were determined to be necessary as a result of the increase in drug activity, the related rise in criminal activity and violent crime within the community.

The Winnebago Tribal Council remains committed to helping prevent substance abuse and to supporting our people in their recovery from substance abuse disorder. However, we believe that we must take these actions now to protect our community from those who, by their actions, show a complete disregard for the safety and wellbeing of other members of the community.

The individuals against whom the Tribal Council has taken these actions include individuals who have been convicted of violent and/or drug related offenses.

Pursuant to Winnebago Tribal Council Resolution #23-87 adopted March 10, 2023, the following individual has been Ordered to either not return to, or to remove themselves from the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska Reservation or face additional criminal charges:

Jalyssa Harlan, DOB 10/12/1992

Violation of the Banishment Order by failure to leave or by returning to the Reservation once removed shall result in charges of Criminal Trespass.

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This Notice shall be published in the June 3rd, June 10th, and June 17th issues of the Winnebago Indian News.

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Curtis Kearnes, DOB 01/17/1979

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Pursuant to Winnebago Tribal Council Resolution #23-91 adopted March 27, 2023. The following individual has been Ordered to either not return to, or to remove themselves from the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska Reservation or face additional criminal charges:

George Lopez, DOB 04/27/1981

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228 Industrial Rd, Winnebago, NE 68071 402.878.2570

LEGAL NOTICE: 2/3 Notice of Hearing Case No. JFJ23-006AB

The People of the Winnebago Tribe In the Interest of: A.G. (Born 12/2019) A.G. (Born 03/2022)

To: TERRANCE GIVENS, FATHER ALL POTENTIAL FATHERS

You are hereby notified that a hearing for an Adjudication concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ23-006AB has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 11TH day of JULY, 2023 at the hour of 1:00 P.M.

Dated this 9TH day of May, 2023.



THROWBACK LETTER TO EDITOR

November 20, 1968

We had a very good turn-out at dinner today here in Winnebago. One of our Elderly Citizens, who had been a shut-in for quite some time, attended diner for the first time today. Many of the regular attendance were very glad to see him and several of them walked over to him and shook hands with him and expressed their happiness as to seeing him here at this Winnebago-Center. I understand this certain gentleman was a very hard person to convince to attend this dinner. We owe his attendance to the soothing, persuasive talk of Mr. Richard Kearnes.

Along with our Elderly Citigens we had the Dorcus Sewing Club of Winnebago share the dinning room with us. Darlene Bear who is the president of the Dorcus Sewing Club was very gracious about addepting "one little corner" for her girls. A few of our Elderly Citizens are members of this club. Aprons, pillow cases, dresser scares; anything that needs sewing the Dorcus girls have it!

Reluctancy has completely vanished from the Winnebago Elderly Citizens. The group today showed every trace of being one big happy family. The continuance of these meals has had a marvelous effect on these Elderly Citizens. Comparing the meal we had today with the very first meal, I noticed a tremondous amount of difference in the attitude of the people, as they arrived and as they departed. They are definitely far more happier, friendlier, energetic and "By Golly! Their vigor is showing!"

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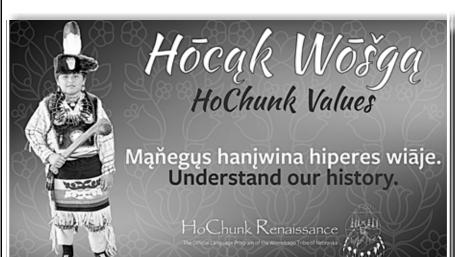


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LAND BACK

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court level."

Through that time there has been years of litigation and has been introduced through legislation as the Winnebago land transfer act back in 2017. By rep Steve King "that was H.R. 3688, the Winnebago land act of 2017. So, the tribe was happy to have that bipartisan support at that time and to have the bill introduced. The bill did not go forward."

We come to today and as a result of Congressman Sharice Davids introducing the bill late last year. As well as congressman Feenstra who was then a co-sponsor of the bill "we're happy he (Feenstra) took it upon himself to be a primary sponsor of the bill that is now pending congress."

That bill was presented before the United States house of representatives committee on natural resources subcommittee on Indian and insular affairs.

During a legislature hearing on "H.R. 1240- The Winnebago Tribal Chairwomen Victoria Kitcheyan provided a statement stating "the bill would transfer the tribe's former reservation lands from the army corps back to the department of interior to be held in trust for the tribe. The land in this bill is mostly woodland and marsh along the Iowa side of the Missouri river and recreational, hunting, and fishing area."

Once the land is restored to the tribe, the Winnebago Wildlife & Parks

Department would be responsible for maintaining the land.

Kitcheyan adds "the department oversees hunting and fishing on 10,000 acres of woodland on the Nebraska side of the Missouri river, they have the experience and resources to regulate recreational and conservation activities and ensure laws and regulations are enforced."

Emily McGrath (district director for rep. Feenstra) the bill should be going through the full national resources committee later this week. Then after that it should be going to the House (of Representatives) for a full vote. The senate has a little bit of a different process but should be continuing to move through the house.

However, the language in the bill will need some readjusting Smith expressed "the tribe does not intend to do gaming. To eliminate that the need to explain that we will go insert a sentence in the bill that says gaming would not be permitted on these lands."

Circling back Decora expressed "I remember when I was a teenager when it was decided they were discussing we cant take on the corps of engineers. We're the little Winnebago tribe of Nebraska, some were getting up. At that time, I remember Reuben Snake, he was sitting back and listening, when everybody got done, he said we're going to be okay, we're going to make friends along the way. You come in here from Feenstra's office. Those are the friends he predicted."



After the site visit, the group stopped to take a pic. Staff from the Physical Resources crew had a big hand in helping the Tribe get to this point.

LaRose has been a part of the fight for the Iowa land back for 53 years. He expressed" I keep telling the council, we are the Winnebago tribe we fight. to take advantage of people who want to help us. To find people who understand what we're talking about. When we say we're natives, we don't believe in taking land and dividing it up, we're apart of mother earth and the land is apart of us. You're helping us in a way that's hard to explain how much I appreciate your endeavors you brought us together."

Pinagigi to all those who helped make this historical moment happen from our tribal leaders from the past, present, and future generations of the Winnebago tribe.



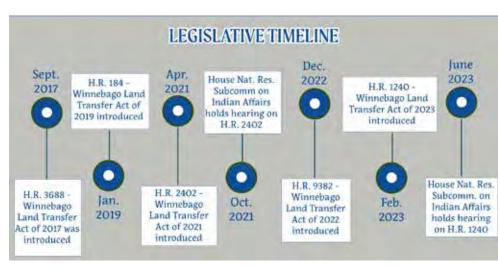
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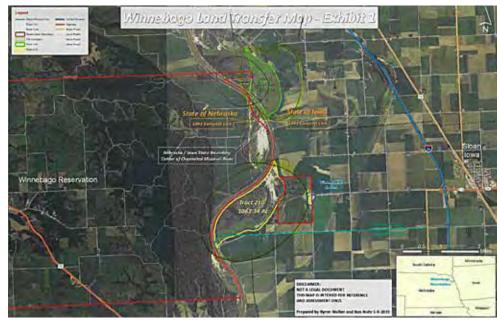


Site visit to one of the tracts of land where the original channel was located.









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COMMUNITY

SARA MCINTOSH, ARNP, FNP-BC, APPOINTED AS CHIEF NURSING **OFFICER AT WINNEBAGO COMPREHENSIVE HEALTHCARE SYSTEM**

Submitted by: Robert Ironshell, WCHS Marketing Coordinator FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE – June 14th, 2023



We are thrilled to serve as Deputy Chief of Staff McIntosh, ARNP, FNPthe Chief Nursing Officer as a nurse practitioner.

announce that Sara and will maintain her active roles in the outpatient clinic BC, has been appointed and emergency department (CNO) at the Winnebago Sara's journey with the Comprehensive Winnebago Comprehensive Healthcare System. Sara, Healthcare System began known for her dedication in 2019 when she started as to patient care and nursing a Nurse Practitioner in the excellence, will continue to Emergency Department.

She quickly rose through the ranks due to her inherent leadership qualities and commitment to patient care, becoming Deputy Chief of Medical Staff in September 2021. She also admirably fulfilled her responsibilities as Interim CMO/CNO since December 2022, where she oversaw numerous departments including Inpatient Nursing, Emergency Department Nursing, and the COVID Clinic, among others. Sara's appointment as CNO underscores her dedication to nursing excellence and her commitment to culturallycentered indigenous health practices, which are at the heart of Winnebago Comprehensive Healthcare System. Her leadership will continue to shape our healthcare practices, setting



ANNOUNCEMENT

WHAT: COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENT SURVEY

WHEN: WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 2023 (POSTPONED DATE)

TIME: 10AM - 2PM

WHERE: ANNUAL HEALTH FAIR - WINNEBAGO PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT/TWELVE CLANS UNITY HOSPITAL

WHO: OPEN TO ALL NATIVE AMERICANS LIVING WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF WINNEBAGO (STRICT REQUIREMENT)

A \$20 GIFT CARD WILL BE DISPERSED TO THOSE THAT QUALIFY AND COMPLETE THE SURVEY.

The community health survey will be used for health improvement planning. Please let us know how the health department and hospital are doing. Your input is valued.



HO-CHUNK FARMS, SPRING 2023

Submitted by: Ho-Chunk, Inc. Communications

with Ho-Chunk Farms since year is no different.

"We've added another operations. full-time employee, putting us up to seven now," said the growth at Ho-Chunk Aaron LaPointe. "And we've Farms and to have the ability added two Ambassadors to promote Tribal member to our team, both Tribal employees while we continue Ho-Chunk Farms has members."

been promoted to Ho-Chunk, Aaron said. Inc.'s Senior Director of

"Growth" has been the theme Jeffrey Thomas Jr. has been promoted to Agribusiness its inception in 2012, and this Operations Senior Supervisor, where he will manage field

> "I'm happy to see to enhance the food and land Aaron has recently sovereignty of the Tribe,"

Business Operations, where will manage 6,200 acres of he oversees operations at Ho- land total this season, which back non-trust farmland Chunk Farms, Pony Express, will mostly be comprised

WINNEBAGO, NE employee and Tribal member A major goal moving forward is acquiring more farmland.

> "Our growth is dependent on our ability to acquire land," said Aaron. "We've been working with the Tribe on land acquisitions."

Since its inception, worked directly with the Tribe to increase farmland lease values by creating The Farms team competition on trust land and separately begin buying within the reservation. The approach has lease payouts for the Tribe Each of the last two years, Additional staff and Ho-Chunk Farms has farmland lease payouts to Tribal members.



Ho-Chunk Farms crew hard at work on a beautiful morning.



Ho-Chunk Trading Group, of conventional corn and and Management Services.

position as Agribusiness Manager is Cory Cleveland, Winnebago Tribal member and former Ho-Chunk, Inc. the recent purchase of a returned \$1.4 million in intern. Cory will handle the planter with ARPA funding day-to-day operations at Ho- has allowed the Ho-Chunk the Winnebago Tribe and Chunk Farms and has worked Farms staff to farm 3,000 with Ho-Chunk Farms for acres themselves, up from over a year.

longtime Ho-Chunk Farms by contractors.

soybeans, but also 1,000 acres created millions in annual Filling his previous of organic crop. Additionally, they will farm 14 acres of and Tribal members. Indian corn.

1,200 acres from 2022. The Additionally, remaining acres are farmed

The Boys and Girls Club recently took a tour of Ho-Chunk Farms where they learned about sustainable agriculture and all took tractor rides!

HO-CHUNK, INC. SUMMER 2023 INTERN CLASS IN FULL SWING

Submitted by: Ho-Chunk, Inc. Communications



The Ho-Chunk, Inc. Summer Internship Program has reached its halfway point! The company is constantly working to develop future leaders and creating opportunities where success is the expectation, not just a dream.

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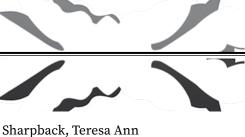
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EDITORIALS

OBITUARY

Irene Marie LaMere, 81, of Colorado Springs passed away into the embrace of Our Lord on May 31, 2023 after a short illness.



Irene was born in Winnebago, Nebraska on April 9, 1942 to Vernie and Gail LaMere and was the third of eight children. She graduated from Bishop Heelan High School in Sioux City, IA and worked at a variety of places in Sioux City before moving to Colorado Springs in the late 70's. She was a tenacious and hardworking woman who worked mostly in the Electronics

and Defense industries in the Colorado Springs area,

eventually retiring from Northrop Grumman in the late 90's. She made many lasting friendships throughout her career and thoroughly enjoyed her post retirement jobs at Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company in Monument, CO, and as a babysitter/caregiver for the children of relatives and friends. Irene enjoyed reading, gardening, tending to her home and took in many animals over the years. She absolutely loved her dogs!

Irene is preceded in death by her parents, Vernie and Gail (Dean) LaMere; siblings, Sister Mary Anno LaMere of Denver and Charles LaMere of Pueblo, CO. She is survived by sisters, Gwen (Tim) McKivergan and Theresa (Mark) Rush of Texas; brothers, Harold (Jean) LaMere, Edward (Sherry) LaMere and Tim (Cheryl) LaMere of Nebraska. She had numerous nieces and nephews, including grand and great-grand, whom she loved very much. She was a

wonderful daughter, sister and

aunt. Irene was especially close to nieces Teresa and Michelle who helped her so much over the years. (We all appreciate you both for taking such good care of her.) Her wit and sense of humor will be missed by us all.

A celebration of Irene's life will take place at 11:00 AM on June 23, 2023 at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Colorado Springs, followed by the Rite of Committal in South Sioux City, Nebraska on July 28, 2023.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation in her memory to Mary's Home, a safe haven for women and children escaping cycles of poverty, abuse and homelessness in Colorado Springs.

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VOCATION OF FATHERHOOD

Submitted by: Pastor Ricky Jacobs

This past Sunday, many took time to thank his/her father for serving in his God-given vocation or calling. This special day is in accord with the following command of God: "Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you" [Exodus 20:12 (ESV)].

The vocation of fatherhood mirrors that of our Creator - Jesus' heavenly Father. Creator God is the giver of life. Reflect on the words of Paul to the saints, the believers in Christ, at Ephesus: 'For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—' [Ephesians 3:14–17a (17b-19) (ESV)].

Creator God blesses men with the role of being fathers of their child(ren). An earthly father is to serve in many ways including providing for the basic needs of his offspring by providing emotional, mental, physical and spiritual support.

Creator God has also called fathers to serve as discipliners of their children. Again, this role is similar to the role of Creator God. Solomon wrote the following proverb: "My son, do not regard lightly the discipline of YAHWEH, nor be weary when reproved by him. For YAHWEH disciplines the one he loves, and chastises every son whom he receives" [Proverbs 12:5-11].

It is truly an act of love to discipline, not to abuse, but to train up a child in the fear (a healthy respect) of YAHWEH. We turn again to Paul and his letter to the saints at Ephesus: 'Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord' [Ephesians 6:4 (ESV)]. One of the key roles of a father is to be the spiritual teacher of his child(ren). The father is to lead his family in prayer. He is also to lead his family in attending divine services, where Creator God serves his family - his adopted

SUICIDE IN INDIAN COUNTRY PT. 30, CONTINUED...

Submitted by: Youth Crisis Intervention Center

Winnebago Youth Crisis Intervention Center and Youth Shelter

Some of the things that parents go through are really awful. That is a fact, and there's nothing wrong with your child seeing your distress; after all, she is learning that life can indeed be hard at times. But to learn resilience, she also needs to see you cope and then gradually recover. That's the real life lesson she learns by watching how you handle things. from social activities? The answer? Lots of things! And some are the same things that hurt adults:

- the loss of a loved one;
- parental separation or divorce;
- physical (including sexual) abuse of himself or a sibling;
- witnessing violence or substance abuse at home, or in the neighborhood;
- poverty, and the worry that it brings;
- parental job loss;
- a serious illness of either the parent or the child.

When things go wrong, you can model resilience by:

appropriately expressing your anger, hurt, loss;

- showing that you go to trusted persons (including health professionals) to talk things over and ask for help;
- showing confidence (sometimes even when you don't feel it) that you're going to handle the problem;

• showing your pride when you do solve the problem, or make a step in addressing part of it.

If you are pretty good at regaining stability after a bad experience, you only need to let your child see how you do it. If you are depressed or stuck in negative territory, be aware that your child is watching - and learning from - you. Get help so that you can move on; there's nothing wrong with letting your child know: "I'm seeing a counselor, someone who can help me fix what's wrong so I can feel better." A final point; although you want to model resilience, it's the child's resilience we're concerned with here. If things in your life cause you to lose your temper, don't try to fool yourself that giving him a quick hug afterwards makes everything okay. You may feel better, but he's likely to feel hurt and confused by your mixed messages. If you recognize that this a pattern of behavior, you'll probably benefit from getting help to change it; and this is a life lesson in resilience you want your child to copy.

What could make a four-year-old depressed? Why would a 10-year-old become angry all the time? What would lead a 13-year-old to withdraw You know what these things feel like; you know too that it can take some work and some time to get over them. Your child is likely to have the same range of emotional responses as you do, but probably with a good deal more doubt and fear. The fact is that children do not see things

just the way adults do and sometimes the parent barely notices what is, for the child, a traumatic experience. Some examples of these:

- being and/or feeling different from other kids;
- difficulty measuring up to expectations;
- parents who may fight a lot, leading the child to fear a divorce even when there's none being considered;
- being excluded or bullied at school;
- being humiliated in front of others;
- frequent moves, especially if the child is the quiet type;
- absence of parent.

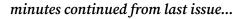
Adults need to also remember that their greater experience with life may mean they tend to dismiss as just "a little bump in the road" what is for a child a big deal. If you think back to your own childhood, you can easily understand how adults make light of something that is huge in the eyes of a child – and, the fact is, some things are huge for a person of any age.

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 1-800-273-8255 (TALK), Winnebago Behavioral Health 1-402-878-2911, After Hours Crisis # 1-712-259-3263. sons and daughters, on a weekly basis.

The father is to instruct his family in regard to the Lord Jesus through daily devotions, reading God's Sacred Word and leading them in prayer. It is good for a father to be a model of a spiritual warrior by beginning his day in prayer, offering a prayer at meal times, and closing the day with a prayer. What a comfort it is to be blessed with such a father!



TRIBAL COUNCIL MINUTES



5. Separation from Employment

Isaac Smith motioned to table the Separation from employment. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

VOTE: (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

6. Public-use Land Permit Policy

Louis LaRose motioned to table until the next Tribal Council meeting for revisions. Isaac Smith seconded.

Discussion: Isaac mentions referring to Title VII, Article 6 of Tribal Code.

VOTE: (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

BREAK:

4. ARPA I Guidelines - from earlier in meeting

Isaac Smith motioned to approve the ARPA I guideline revisions for ARPA 1 overages. Louis LaRose seconded.

VOTE: (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

5. Separation from Employment

Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve **VOTE:** (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain the Separation from Employment revision as recommended by H.R. Louis LaRose seconded.

VOTE: (3) yes, BC, LLR, IS (2) no, CB, LD (0) abstain Motion carried.

6. Tribal Council Emergency Grant -House Fire

Isaac Smith will reach out to the EMS Director to weigh in on fire extinguisher training.

Coly Brown motioned to approve the Standard Operating Procedure, and Application for Emergency Grant: House Fire. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

VOTE: (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

4. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Brian Chamberlain motioned to go into Executive Session at 11:39 a.m. Louis LaRose seconded.

VOTE: (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Coly Brown motioned to come out of Motion carried. Executive Session at 1:36 p.m. Isaac Smith seconded.

VOTE: (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Lorelei DeCora motioned to authorize the Chairwoman to work with the Legal Counsel to contact the tax property on Leatha Bass taxes to find out status of the account. Isaac Smith seconded.

VOTE: (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Isaac Smith motioned to direct the CEO to direct Health and Human Services to adhere to the kinship policy and return the children to their Jaji LSC Immediately. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

Motion carried.

Brian Chamberlain motioned to direct the General Counsel to OBJECT: Lorelei DeCora and Coly Brown attend the next Regular Tribal Council meeting on the Child & Family Services Codes. Isaac Smith seconded.

> **VOTE:** (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Isaac Smith motioned to suspend the rules to hear from Robert Burns. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

VOTE: (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

OPENING PRAYER: Kenneth Mallory offered the opening prayer. to adopt resolution #23-106:

AGENDA: Additions: 2023 Legal Aid of Nebraska, FY23 Head Start Cola, and Amateur Sports Calendar ad.

Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve the agenda with additions. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain

READING OF THE MINUTES: 1. April 3, 2023 – Regular Tribal Council Meeting

Aric Armell motioned to approve the April 3, 2023, Regular Tribal Council meeting minutes. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

2. April 10, 2023 - Physical **Resources Report**

Aric Armell motioned to approve the April 10, 2023, Physical **Resources Report meeting** minutes. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

3. April 11, 2023 – Special Tribal Council Meeting - CEO Performance Evaluation

Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve the April 11, 2023, Special Tribal Council Meeting - CEO Performance Evaluation meeting minutes. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

4. April 12, 2023 – CEO Report

Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve the April 12, 2023, CEO Report meeting minutes. Aric

Brian Chamberlain motioned Legal Aid of Nebraska to provide legal services and strengthen coordinated community response to stop violence against members and eligible members of the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska. Louis LaRose seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

2. Adopt resolution: FY23 Head Start AIAN Supplement - COLA and Quality Improvement

Brian Chamberlain motioned to adopt resolution #23-107: FY23 Head Start AIAN Supplement -COLA and Quality Improvement. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

3. Amateur Sports Calendar Ad

Rona Stealer motioned to approve the Ad for the 2023-2024 WPS Sports Calendar. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

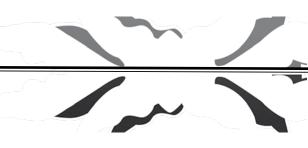
TRIBAL COUNCIL ITEMS: 1. LD – Child & Family Services

Brian Chamberlain motioned to direct General Counsel to establish policy and code revisions as follows, with first draft presented in Thirty (30) days:

2. Add legal mandate for Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska department(s) to strictly adhere to kinship policy.

3. Add legal mandate that Winnebago Tribal Court strictly adhere to kinship policy.

Add legal mandate that prior to any child being placed, settled, at guardianship, etc., with non-tribal member that:



VOTE: (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

TRIBAL COUNCIL ITEMS: 1. ECONOMIC IMPACT STUDY

Lorelei DeCora motioned for the Winnebago Tribe to be included in the Economic Impact Study being completed by Jonathan Taylor for Ho-Chunk, Inc., completion of the Non-Disclosure Statement. Louis LaRose seconded.

OBJECT: Brian Chamberlain [Coly Brown withdrew his objection]

VOTE: (3) yes, LD, LLR, IS (2) no, BC, CB (0) abstain Motion carried.

2. Travel Approval

Lorelei DeCora motioned to approve Tribal Council travel to attend the Tribal Self-Governance Conference June 26-29, 2023 in Tulsa, OK. Isaac Smith seconded.

VOTE: (5) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

3. Meth Code

Louis LaRose motioned to direct the General Counsel to work with modifying the Meth Code. Will add this to the next General Counsel meeting. Isaac Smith seconded.

Robert Burns - would like to sell two Armell seconded. buffalo to the tribe for \$3,500.00

Refer to Wildlife & Parks.

ADJOURN:

Lorelei DeCora motioned to adjourn. Aric Armell motioned to ratify Isaac Smith seconded. (No Vote)

[Lorelei out at 2:21 p.m.]

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA MID-MONTH MEETING

April 17, 2023

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan Brian Chamberlain Lorelei DeCora Rona Stealer Coly Brown Louis LaRose

TRIBAL COUNICL ABSENT: Isaac Smith (leave)

OTHERS PRESENT:

Michele Mitchell Esther Mercer Kellie Snow **Keeley Purscell** Kenneth Mallory Aric Armell

CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called to order at 5:09 p.m.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

[Brian Chamberlain out at 2:16 p.m.] RATIFY FIVE SIGNATURES: 1. Approve Emergency Assistance to J.P. for House Fire

> the five-signature approving Emergency Assistance for J.P. House Fire. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

2. Adopt Resolution #23-105; Winnebago Tribe FY 2023 U.S. Health & Human Services (HHS) Administration for Children & Families Tribal Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home visiting Program Grant

Brian Chamberlain motioned to ratify the five-signature adopting Resolution #23-105; Winnebago Tribe FY 2023 U.S. Health & Human Services (HHS) Administration for Children & Families Tribal Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home visiting Program Grant. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS: Adopt resolution: Legal Aid of Nebraska

i. Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska Child and Family Services Department Head sign for approval (no designee allowed).

ii. Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska CEO sign for approval (no designee allowed).

iii. ALL (9) nine Tribal Council members sign for approval.

1. We Will not release Tribal funds without this level of approval, our children deserve even better treatment.

4. Amend Child and Family Services policy/code to mandate strict adherence to kinship policy.

5. Amend Child and Family Services policy/code to create/ enhance presence of grandparents within any case file for placement/ guardianship.

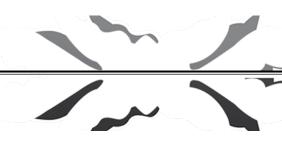
6. Amend Child and Family Services policy code to cause actions taken with unanimous (allowance for relationship abstention) consent of the tribal council to take effect immediately.

7. Amend Tribal code(s) to cause Tribal Court to uphold actions.

i. Prevent Judicial overreach.



TRIBAL COUNCIL MINUTES



8. Amend Child and Family Services Grant. Louis LaRose seconded. Policy/code to support reunification efforts.

i. Parental responsibility ii. Grandparents' rights

9. Amend policy/code to recognize dwellings as property of the children Tribal Historic Preservation Offices. who reside within them.

Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Brian Chamberlain motioned to authorize all (9) nine council members to participate in promulgation of policy and code revision. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Brian Chamberlain motioned to direct the Administration and Department(s) to participate with the General Counsel in promulgation of the code/policy revisions. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

ADJOURN:

Brian Chamberlain motioned to adjourn at 5:37 p.m. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned the meeting at 5:37 p.m.

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA GENERAL COUNSEL MEETING April 19, 2023

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan Lorelei DeCora Rona Stealer (in at 9:26 a.m.) Coly Brown Kenneth Mallory Isaac Smith Aric Armell Louis LaRose Brian Chamberlain (in at 11:00 a.m.)

VOTE: (6) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Isaac Smith motioned to adopt resolution #23-109: FY 23 Historic Preservation Fund Grants-in-Aid to Kenneth Mallory seconded.

VOTE: (6) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Louis LaRose motioned to adopt resolution #23-110: Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Formula Grant (EECBG). Isaac Smith seconded.

VOTE: (6) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

CLASS III GAMING: update from Danelle Smith and Michele Mitchell.

Kenneth Mallory motioned to adopt resolution #23-111: Authorizing the Winnebago Gaming Development Corporation to develop a strategy for the Commencement of Negotiations on behalf of the Winnebago Tribe for a Class III Gaming Compact with the State of Nebraska. Coly Brown seconded.

VOTE: (6) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

JUVENILE CODE AMENDMENTS FOR YCIC: Isaac Smith motioned to adopt

resolution #23-112: Amending the Winnebago Tribal Code Title 4 Juvenile Code. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (6) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

CARLISLE REPATRIATON - Updated NARF Agreement and Information **Request:**

Louis LaRose motioned to adopt

Army Corp of Engineers Opposing the Carbon Pipelines. Rona Stealer seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

PUBLIC INTOXICATION/PUBLIC **NUISANCE CODE REVIEW & RECOMMENDATIONS:**

Isaac Smith motioned to authorize Legal to interact with other programs on the Public Intoxication/Public Nuisance Code then bring back a resolution. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

TRIBAL EMINENT DOMAIN **AUTHORITY RESEARCH & RECOMMENDATIONS:**

Recommendation: WTN - Adopt zoning, Environmental laws.

WTN getting water quality code in place, legal is working with EPD Water Quality.

ADOPTION OF 911 ADDRESSES FOR WINNEBAGO RESERVATION:

Thurston County will make these live so anyone from the public can look at it. Then Tribe could fud signs for tribal areas. General Counsel will draft a resolution.

FIVE MINUTE BREAK

[Brian Chamberlain in at 11:00 a.m.]

AIR SPACE – DRONE REGULATION: discussion.

Isaac Smith motioned to direct General Counsel to take all actions necessary to develop a code on Airspace drone regulations. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (8) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned the meeting at 12:12 p.m.

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA SPECIAL TRIBAL COUNCIL **MEETING - LAND PURCHASE** April 20, 2023

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitchevan Brian Chamberlain Lorelei DeCora Rona Stealer Isaac Smith Aric Armell Coly Brown Kenneth Mallory Louis LaRose

OTHERS PRESENT:

Joy Johnson Esther Mercer Aaron LaPointe Cory Cleveland Fannie LaTray Lola Bernie Harvey Freemont Autumn Nieman Ireta Frazier **Britney Thomas** Lynelle Blackhawk Cecelia Earth Christina Parker Teresa Littlegeorge Joseph Painter

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairwoman Kitcheyan called to order at 12:51 p.m.

OPENING PRAYER:

Brian Chamberlain offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA

Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve the agenda. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (8) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

ROUND ABOUT: Presented by Joy

OTHERS PRESENT:

Danelle Smith Michele Mitchell Esther Mercer Lynelle Blackhawk JR LaPointe Rebecca DeCora Cecelia Earth Teresa Littlegeorge Kellie Snow Garan Coons Christina Parker

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairwoman Kitcheyan called to order at 9:26 a.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Isaac Smith offered the opening prayer.

AGENDA: Additions: EPA Hypoxia Grant, Tribal Historic Preservation Offices, Energy Efficiency & Conservation.

Isaac Smith motioned to approve the agenda with additions. Louis LaRose seconded.

VOTE: (6) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

RESOLUTIONS:

Isaac Smith motioned to adopt resolution #23-108: FY 2023 Winnebago Tribe EPA Hypoxia EPD

resolution #23-113: Approving a Revised Legal Representation Agreement with the Native American **Rights Fund Regarding Carlisle** Repatriation Efforts. Isaac Smith seconded.

VOTE: (6) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

WINNEBAGO LAND TRANSFER ACT: In progress. Update

[Rona Stealer in at 9:26 a.m.]

BIA LETTER OF CREDIT REQUEST - Tribal Agricultural Land Lease Policy: Update only.

NE DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION TRIBAL TRASPORTATION **CONFERENCE – FOLLOW UP LETTERS TO STATE:**

Louis LaRose motioned to approve (2) two letters to the NE Department of transportation. Lorelei DeCora seconded.

OBJECT: Aric Armell and Isaac Smith

VOTE: (5) yes, LD, LLR, CB, RS, KM (2) no, IS, AA (0) abstain Motion carried.

LETTER TO ARMY CORP OF **ENGINEERS OPPOSING CARBON PIPELINES:**

Louis LaRose motioned to approve the Chairwoman to send letter to the [Isaac Smith out at 11:17 a.m.]

CHIEF JUDGE CONTRACT **RENEWAL:** In progress.

ARMY CORP OF ENGINEERS REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON INDIGENOUSE KNOWLEDGE IN **CONSULTATION PROCESS:**

CRIMINAL METH CODE REVISIONS: In progress.

PROPERTY TAX CERTIFICATE PURCHASE OPTIONS: In progress.

PATERNITY DNA TESTING FOR **ENROLLMENT PURPOSES:** In progress.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Aric Armell motioned to go into Executive Session at 11:37 a.m. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Aric Armell motioned to come out of Executive Session at 12:12 p.m. Louis LaRose seconded.

VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

ADJOURN:

Aric Armell motioned to adjourn the meeting at 12:12 p.m. Rona Stealer seconded.

Johnson.

Discussion regarding Grant opportunities.

Lorelei DeCora motioned to approve the round about at 2.0 and Day Care entrances. Louis LaRose seconded.

OBJECT: Aric Armell, Isaac Smith

VOTE: (6) yes, LD, LLR, RS, KM, BC, CB (2) no, IS, AA (0) abstain Motion carried.

Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve the Trail Grant Submission. Rona Stealer seconded.

VOTE: (8) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Isaac Smith motioned to approve the MOU with WinnaVegas for James Price Sr., and Zach Hansen to serve as temporary Water Operators. Aric Armell seconded.

VOTE: (8) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

Minutes to continued next issue...

Respectfully submitted,

Lorelei Decora, Secretary Winnebago Tribal Council

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

REMEMBERING DAPHNE EVANS, NOV. 26, 1961 - JUNE 14, 2023

Submitted by: Family of Daphne

WINNEBAGO, NE - Daphne Evans, known by her Ho-Chunk name, Caxji Nacge Pi Maxi Nazi (Good Buffalo Heart Woman Standing On Cloud), passed away on June 14th, leaving behind a legacy of love, community service, and a profound impact on those she touched. She was 61.

Daphne was born on November 26, 1961, in Winnebago, Nebraska, embracing the rich heritage and traditions of her Native American roots. As a proud member of the Winnebago Tribe, she dedicated herself to advocating for Indian Education and the well-being of her community.

In her early years, she attended Winnebago Public Schools and then graduated from Phoenix Indian High School and was crowned Ms. Phoenix Indian High School in 1980, exemplifying her poise, intelligence, and leadership.

Winnebago Public Health

Throughout her life, Daphne actively engaged in various roles and initiatives that shaped the lives of many. She served as a member of the Winnebago School Board, where she tirelessly worked to enhance educational opportunities for tribal youth. Her passion for education and her commitment to fostering a nurturing learning environment were a driving force in her work.

Daphne's dedication to her tribe extended beyond the realm of education. She served on the Winnebago Tribe's Enrollment Committee, playing a vital role in ensuring the integrity and inclusivity of tribal membership. Additionally, she served as the Assistant Administrator of Housing, diligently working to provide safe and affordable housing options for her community.

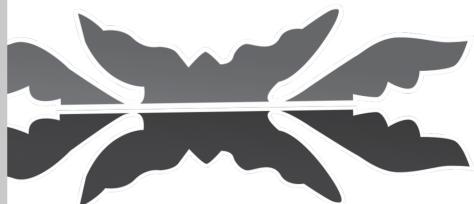
Recently, Daphne assumed the esteemed role of Ho-Chunk, Inc. Ambassador, representing her tribe with grace, dignity, and a commitment to economic empowerment. Her efforts to strengthen the tribal economy and create opportunities for future generations will continue to have a lasting impact.

Daphne's impact extended far beyond her professional and community involvement. She was a loving mother, a devoted wife, and a cherished friend. Her nurturing spirit, infectious laughter, and kind words brightened the lives of those around her. She enjoyed the company of four canine fur babies. Daphne will forever be remembered for her resilience, compassion, and unwavering support. Daphne is survived by her husband Reno Evans, her mother, Catherine Frenchman, her siblings, Jamie (Diane Redhorn) Frenchman, Sharon (Avery Blackhawk) Frenchman, and John Bouchal, her sons Teddy (Roxanne) Frenchman and John (Kristina) Jensen, her daughter KT Evans, her seven grandchildren, and a community grateful for her contributions. Her memory will be forever etched in the hearts of those who had the privilege of knowing her.

Wake services will begin June 15, 2023 at the Blackhawk Community Center, and funeral services on Saturday, June 17th at 2 pm at the same location. Issac Smith officiating.

May her legacy continue to inspire and guide us, and may her spirit find eternal peace.





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LAST, SUFFIX, FIRST, MIDDLE: Eligible Voters who will turn 18 years of age between the Primary (Sept 6th) and Regular (Oct 4th) Election

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