

WINNEBAGO INDIAN NEWS



Winnebago Indians call themselves "Hochunkgra." A Slouan people, they once occupied the southern half of Wisconsin and the northern counties of Illinois. The Black Hawk War of 1832 and a series of treaties forced the Winnebago out of their homeland, and they were removed to reservations in Iowa, Minnesota, South Dakota, and finally to a portion of the Winnebago Reservation in Nebraska.

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Bago Bits...



On September 3rd, the Winnebago Senior Center served a drive-thru brunch to the community due to Winnebago Tribe going on Labor Day holiday. Thank you to the staff for preparing and handing out meals to our community.



Keep an eye out for information about the farmers market giving away fresh produce again! Last Wednesday squash, green & orange tomatoes were up for grabs. Pictured above (to the left) is Stuart Fischer & Blake Frenchman holding the watermelon they had for sale. Produce was grown locally with Tribal Farms!



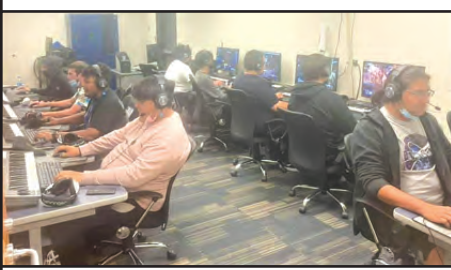
On September 4th, the Boys and Girls Club of The Hocak Nisoc Haci took their youth to the Nebraska Huskers' football game in Lincoln, Nebraska! The Huskers were playing the Fordhams Rams with a final score of 7-52, Nebraska up! This was a good experience for our youth to be a part of a win like this in person. Thank you to the Boys and Girls Club planning and organizing this event. (Photo courtesy of the Boys and Girls Club of The Hocak Nisoc Haci)



On Friday the 10th of September the Winnebago Football team had a home game vs. Tiospa Zina Wambdi. Shown above is #22 Javon Price passing the goal post as he makes a touchdown!! Congrats to our boys on winning this game 34-0!



It's Chief Little Priest Week here at the Little Priest Tribal College! Our very own Garan Coons was invited to host a viewing of Battle of the Bustles & explained briefly why we have this event annually at our Homecoming Celebration. (Photo by Bethani Redhorn)



Winnebago Public School has introduced a new team! This isn't your regular sports team you're used to; it is Esports so it focuses on competitive video games. This is the Esports team first season competing. They will be playing various different competitive video games over the course of the year. The teams schedule is opening up to play Kearney Catholic.

Winnebago Village Installs New 911 GPS Addresses throughout Winnebago



Gene Gilpin the Village Street Tech Supervisor standing in front of the Winnebago Village Address map. Photo by Winonah Leader Charge

Winonah Leader Charge

Winnebago, NE--There has been a lot of confusion and frustration in the Winnebago community with the new address changes.

This change has been in the works for years, but it as of recently the community is seeing the change.

Back in 2000, the acting sheriff and the board at that time decided to have Thurston County update their 911 system. Unfortunately, none of the communities in Thurston County were involved in these decisions.

Throughout the years, this project went through many departments but stayed at a standstill. During 2011 through 2015 emergency managements started learning the new na-

tional GPS system.

The GPS system determined the new addresses based upon the front door and where the home is located on the block. These updated addresses are locked into the national grid. This is the same system used in the entire world.

The starting point for the new addresses begins on the Southside of town which is the 100 block then moves Northward into the 200 block and 300 block.

The address changes were officially approved by the Village Board in 2014 then approved by Tribal Council in 2015.

As of this year, the Village has been putting up the new addresses.

In case of an emergency, emergency services such as the fire department, ambulance or police can find the location they are being called to, the GPS system gives them the exact location.

Gene Gilpin the Village Street Tech Supervisor said "it has been a work in progress. Hopefully everyone understands that this has been years in the making. We are trying to catch up where this project was left off. The Village staff would appreciate the communities' patients and understanding through this process. This is to help the community."

Support Winnebago's Farmers Market



Reggie Frazier in the process of making Birria Tacos! Excellent addition to the Farmers market. (Picture taken by Tyler Snake)

Winonah Leader Charge

Winnebago, NE—On September 10th, 11 vendors participated in the local Farmers Market located at the Ho-Chunk Village Market under the outside canopy.

Vendor tables consisted of fresh produce, arts n' crafts, and food with music entertainment in the background.

The farmers market will continue as

long as the season can go. The venue is open to anyone who wants to attend or participate as a vendor, this also including business entrepreneurs.

Tony Wood Financial Services Coordinator shared "this is your market, it is open to the entire community. I would love to see the farmers market used more."

Weather permitting the next sched-

uled 'Fridays at the Farmers Market' events are:

October 8th with a tailgating theme

October 29th a costume crafts fair

Anyone can be a vendor and if interested in being a vendor contact: Tony Wood via email at twood@hccdc.org.

For more information visit the Farmers Market Facebook page 'Winnebago Farmers Market Vendors'.

BAGO NEWS

WPHD Presents
Family Day to Remember
September 27, 2021
 9:30am - 3pm at LOW
Join us as we celebrate families
GAMES FOOD GIVEAWAY FUN
FAMILY EVENTS FOR ALL AGES
"Walk to Remember"
 Hosted by
Native Connections, MSPI, & Project LAUNCH

SCHEDULE

9:30am-11: "Walk to Remember" Open to Elders (Sponsored by Native Connections)
10am-11:30: Winnebago Singers singing Winnebago Family Songs (light continental breakfast served)
11am: "Walk to Remember" Open to all (Sponsored by MSPI/NC/PL) Registration for WTWC Family & PL Events open
 Lunch available (Meal ticket w/ registration)
12pm: WTWC Family Events Begin MSPI Youth Events Begin
1-2pm: Baby Games (Sponsored by Project LAUNCH)
3pm: Close of events

COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS WILL BE FOLLOWED

For more info contact:
 projectlaunch@winnebagotribe.com
 Brooke DeCora 402-922-1687

CHIROPRACTIC CLINICS

Located on the 3rd floor of Twelve Clans Unity Hospital in Room E111

Available Every Other Tuesday
SEPT. 14TH & 28TH
OCT. 12TH & 26TH
NOV. 9TH & 23RD

To set up an appointment patients can contact the Winnebago Public Health Department at **402-878-2294.**

Winnebago Public Health Department

Virtual Walk to Remember

Participants can register by visiting the link on the homepage of WinnebagoPublicHealth.com. Deadline to register is September 26th @ 8p.m.

Participants should walk at least one mile between September 13th and September 26th to receive a T-shirt. Must show proof of mile(s) by sending a picture or walking app photo to: bobbie.wolfe@ihs.gov.

Elder's will have the option to walk at Land of Wellness of September 27th from 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

T-shirt pick-up will be at LOW on September 27th, 2021 @ 11:30 AM - 3 PM

'Like' Winnebago Public Health Department on Facebook and e-mail proof of mile to Bobbie.Wolfe@ihs.gov

Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska Sacred Children Care Center North Environmental Assessment

Public Scoping Comment Period
September 17 to October 17, 2021

Project Background
 On behalf of the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska and the United States (U.S.) Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Great Plains Regional Office (GPRO), Vireo (consultant) is beginning to prepare an environmental assessment (EA) for the construction and operation of the proposed Sacred Children Care Center North in Winnebago, Nebraska, within the Winnebago Indian Reservation. The 12.6-acre proposed site for the childcare facility is located within Section 12, Township 26 North, Range 8 East, 6th Principal Meridian, in Thurston County, Nebraska.

The facility will be designed to serve 70-75 children, including classrooms, training rooms, sleeping areas, offices, a kitchen, indoor and outdoor play spaces; tiny homes transitional housing; and associated parking.

NEPA Process
 Following the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) process, an EA discloses relevant environmental information (land, water, cultural, human resources, etc.) concerning the proposed action and the no-action alternative. The EA will analyze the potential impacts associated with construction and operation of the childcare facility.

By way of this notice, the BIA is seeking your input as part of the NEPA scoping process for the EA. All comments received will be given equal consideration as part of the scoping process.

For More Information or Comments:
 Laurie Brown, Conservation Ecologist at Vireo
 929 Walnut St. Suite 700, Kansas City, MO 64106
 or laurie@bevireo.com

PREVENTING LYME DISEASE

Recently, cases of Lyme Disease have been reported that can be attributed to tick exposure in the Winnebago area. Check out the below information on what Lyme Disease is and how you can prevent it.

- 1 What is Lyme Disease?**
 Lyme Disease is the most common vector-borne disease in the United States. It is transmitted through the bite of an infected tick. Typical symptoms include fever, headache, fatigue, and a characteristic skin rash.
 If left untreated, an infection can spread to joints, the hearts, and the nervous system. Most cases of Lyme Disease can be treated successfully with a few weeks of antibiotics.
- 2 What causes Lyme Disease?**
 Lyme Disease is caused by a black-legged or deer tick bite.
 The risk of exposure is the greatest in the woods and the edge between lawns and woods. Ticks that transmit Lyme Disease can occasionally transmit other tickborne diseases as well.
- 3 How can I prevent Lyme Disease?**
 To prevent tick bites, always apply insect repellent when outdoors. Use a product that contains 20-30% DEET on skin and clothes (follow manufacture guidelines).
Dress to Protect. Wear light-colored shoes, long sleeves, long pants, and a hat. Tuck shirts into pants and pants into socks. Wear clothing that has been treated with an insecticide called permethrin. Put clothes in the dryer on high heat for 60 minutes after you come indoors.
Walk Carefully. Avoid wooded and busy areas with high grass and leaf litter.
Look for Ticks. Shower as soon as you come indoors. Ticks are very small and can hide under the armpits, behind the knees, in the hair, or in the groin.
Check Your Pets. Check your pets for ticks. Talk to your veterinarian about the best protection for your pets.
- 4 How do I remove a tick?**
 If a tick is attached to you, use fine-tipped tweezers to grasp the tick at the surface of the skin. Pull the tick straight up and out. Don't twist or jerk the tick.
 Clean the bite and your hands with rubbing alcohol, an iodine scrub, or soap and water. You may get a small bump or redness that goes away in 1-2 days, like a mosquito bite. This is not a sign that you have Lyme disease.
DO NOT put hot matches, nail polish, or petroleum jelly on the tick to try and make it pull away from your skin.
- 5 If I have a tick, will I definitely get Lyme Disease?**
 No. In most cases, the tick must be attached for 36-48 hours before the Lyme Disease bacterium can be transmitted.

Check out www.CDC.gov/Lyme for more information!

Family Event

Cornhole & Kickball Tournament

When: Sept. 27th, 2021
Where: Land of Wellness
Time: Cornhole 9am
Kickball 12pm

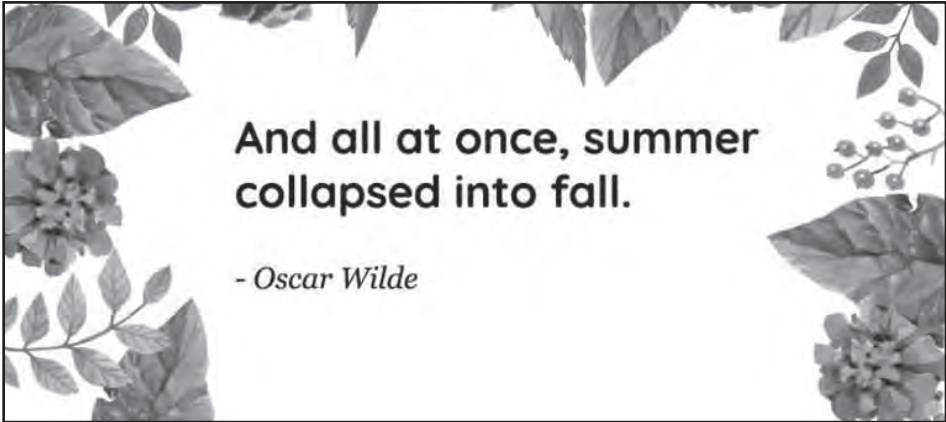
Roster for kickball must include:

- 3 Middle school
- 3 Highschool
- 3 adults

For more information contact Eugene Decora at 402-385-8767

Next WIN News Deadline:
September 28th

TRIBAL NEWS



And all at once, summer collapsed into fall.

- Oscar Wilde

Fall Season starts
Wednesday, September 22

Happy Fall Everyone!

Question of the Issue:

There was the water bucket challenge and now it's the popular crate challenge. If you had to make a challenge, what would you have people do?



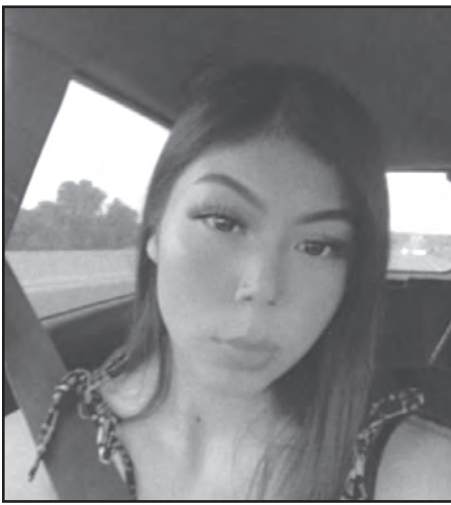
Garan Coons
Winnebago Communications Officer

If I had to create a challenge, I would call it the Ultimate Warrior Challenge. Must film it and do 4 things.
Ride a horse with no saddle
Must kill a deer with a bow and arrow
Must make a dish using only what mother earth provides and no preservatives
Must sing or play a love song with a flute or hand drum
When I worked at Nebraska Indian Community College we did one of these at the Santee Powwow. Every part had a meaning. Ride a horse, meaning that you were able to go back and forth to work. Kill a deer, meaning you could provide for your family. Make a dish meaning that your able to survive and not starve. Be able to sing or play a love song meaning that you were able to express yourself to a companion. I would give it a try but to be honest I know I couldn't complete all of them haha! It would be crazy to watch though.



Winonah Leader Charge
WIN Editor

I would create a challenge for everyone to be a source of positivity and happiness in their own life and the lives of others. For example, changing negative thoughts into positive ones and complimenting or saying something nice to someone at least once a day.



Tyler Snake
WIN Office Manager

My challenge would be something that gets people outdoors & moving. So, spending 30 minutes of physical activity outside to get your heartrate and blood pumping! I feel this would positively impact your day rather than falling off some crates!



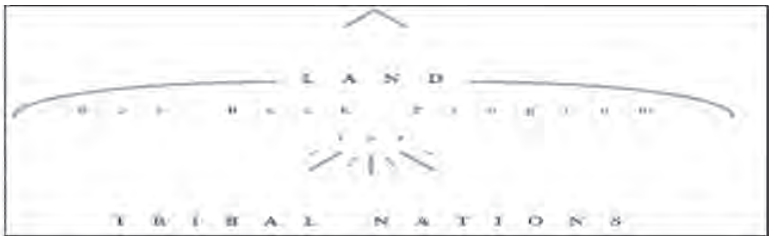
Bethani Redhorn
WIN Office Manager

The challenge I would create is aimed towards my people with furbabies! This would be a 7 day challenge and each day would be something different. You would need to create a short video of something new, fun, and exciting that you did with your pet that day. For example, I have an American Bulldog and he LOVES to go for walks or taking trips to the dog park; I would create one video for our walks, one video for the dog park trip, a trip to Starbucks because he loves his whipped cream, and even have one day where we are lounging around, watching movies. The idea behind the challenge would be to promote healthy relationships with our furbabies, we don't realize how much we mean to them when we are their whole world! :)



Christina Parker
Desktop Publisher

I would create a challenge that would help the planet, like planting a tree in your neighbor's yard (with approval from them first of course), fastest to fill a large dumpster with litter garbage, figuring out a creative way to recycle the disposable masks.



The Land Buy-Back Program for Tribal Nations implements the land consolidation component of the Cobell Settlement.

OUR GOAL:

Consolidate fractionated lands into tribal trust ownership for the benefit of tribal communities.

More information is available at:
www.doi.gov/buybackprogram

Things to Note:

- Winnebago Land Management can be contacted at: (402)200-5371 [ext. 2450 & 2451]
- Call the Trust Beneficiary Call Center at 1.888.678.6836 with questions, to update your address, or to register as a willing seller
- Participation is voluntary
- All sellers receive fair market value
- Landowners have 45 days to return purchase offers
- Payments are deposited into the seller's IIM account
- Not all landowners will receive an offer (doi.gov/buybackprogram/program-eligibility)
- Acceptance of returned offer packages is contingent on the availability of funding

WINNEBAGO TRIBAL COUNCIL PRIMARY & REGULAR ELECTION SCHEDULE

SEPTEMBER 7, 2021 & OCTOBER 5, 2021

September 20th, 2021	Monday	Absentee Ballots Mailed Out-Regular
October 5th, 2021	Tuesday	REGULAR ELECTION
October 6th, 2021	Wednesday	Notification of Newly Elected Members Oath of Office
Re-Organizational Meeting of New Tribal Council Members		

Hocak Corner

Hisjasu (heesh-jah-soo)	Pā (pah)
Eye	Nose
Načawa (nah-chah-wah)	'ī (ee)
Ear	Mouth

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Ho-Chunk, Inc. employees awarded Little Priest Tribal College scholarships

Two Ho-Chunk, Inc. employees were recently awarded scholarship letters to Little Priest Tribal College.

Terri Lee Medina, Culture and Youth Education Coordinator, and Santita Medina, Office Assistant with All Native Solutions, were each chosen through a dedicated committee process.

"I want to express my deepest gratitude for being selected as a recipient of the LPTC scholarship," said Terri Lee. "I am very humbled, and this award will help empower me to focus on my education with a less financial burden. My three children are my motivation to further my education, and I want to set the example and be a role model for them."

Employees must be in good standing and with the company for at least a year to be considered.

"I am grateful to be awarded the LPTC Scholarship and want to express my appreciation to the Ho-Chunk Scholarship Committee," added Santita. "I am thankful for the opportunities provided to us employees and am happy to be a recipient."

Scholarships are awarded up to three times per year through a partnership with Little Priest Tribal College that is intended to emphasize the importance of education.



JESUS OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN OUTREACH



"The Secret to Happiness Part 2"

In the last issue I asked the question 'what is the secret to happiness?' Dr. Norman Nagel preached: "The greatest folly is to fool oneself into thinking that in fact we can earn or deserve salvation (and thereby we deserve happiness)" [Selected Sermons of Norman Nagel - London 1955 (205-6)].

Some use the Law to demand that God owes them happiness: "Look at me God - I am praying to you - often, at every meal, when I raise up and when I lay down my head! Look at me - I put money in the offering plate each week. Look at me I assist at funerals - tending the fire, preparing meals, donating food or money, or cutting the cake or offering up a prayer. Or look at me - I am not like those who get drunk, or who steal from others, or those who bully or slander or who tell lies, or who are sexually immoral."

'Some people go so far as to take the Law and annul the Gospel. They replaced God's way of promise and gift, as if there was another way, a way in which to earn God's favor. They would transform the gracious, giving God into the role of a spectator who should applaud their achievements' [Nagel (205)].

To insist on one's merits is to rob Christ of doing it all for us. If we can do it, then Christ died in vain. Paul brings home to us the peril of diminishing or rejecting the completeness of Christ's redemption, for if our reliance is not completely in Christ, then it is in ourselves and it is all up to us. If we are unwilling to receive all as a gift from God and would claim our due, then we shall receive the wages we claim, which is being left to ourselves by God, which is hell. [Nagel (206)].

The secret to happiness is not in our doing at the rejection or the expense of what Jesus has done.

The secret to happiness is in God. He has nothing to get; He has only everything to give. In giving away His gifts, God has His happiness. Here is the

true happiness that lives not in getting but in giving. So He might give, God needed those to whom He could make His gifts. There must be somebody to receive them. Therefore, God created us. He designed us as the recipients of His gifts. Thus God would fulfill His happiness. This happiness was not for Himself alone but for His creatures whom He created and equipped for similar giving, for similar happiness [Nagel (203)].

'So God created the complementarity of husband and wife and the way of oneness. God designed the giving of themselves to each other, the one flesh, the shared happy life of mutual giving. This giving, which is the action of love, is never static but ever growing. The more that is given, the more there is to give, the greater the happiness. Therefore, God ordained that children should come from the giving of husband and wife to each other. In children are opportunities for further giving, for further happiness. Marriage, family, and society place us amid many provocations to giving, that is, to happiness. There is God's design. There is God's happiness that He wanted to share with us. All He asked of His creatures was that they should receive His gifts from Him, allow themselves to be given to, and find their happiness as God finds it in giving' [Nagel (203-4)].

'The greatest gift from God is His Son. Here is the height of giving. For those who rebelled and refused His gifts, God gave His Son to die and rise again so to us He might give forgiveness achieved by Christ's atoning death and the risen triumphant life victorious over sin, death, and hell. From all the wretched unrest of getting and wanting and getting and wanting again, we have been made free. We are God's own, living from the gift of His hand. From our glad and grateful hearts we sing, "Thanks be to God for His unspeakable gift!" There it is. Is it yours? Do you receive it, that is, do you believe?' [Nagel (206)]?

Garden Update

Week of September 6, 2021

Kathleen Cue, Nebraska Extension Horticulture Educator in Dodge County

Fall Armyworm

The fall armyworm, *Spodoptera frugiperda*, is a pest of row crops and lawns, preferring Kentucky bluegrass above other types of lawn grasses grown in the region. The caterpillars eat the blades of grass, to the point of turf thinning and browning. Sixth instars, the largest they'll grow as caterpillars, are 1-1/4 inches long with 3 stripes extending along their length and an inverted "Y" shape on their head. Pupation takes place in the turf, with the adult moths emerging to mate. Sources differ on the number of eggs each female produces but it is many, ranging from 100 to 1000. Egg masses can appear on buildings, fences, plants, and outdoor furniture. Eggs develop into first instar caterpillars in just 2-5 days. Initially, feeding is minimal, owing to the caterpillar's small size, but as they grow, their appetite increases and the damage they cause more readily apparent.

The FAW is a tropical pest, overwintering where winters are mild, in southern Florida and Texas, and blown to northern locations via storms and the ac-

companying winds in summer. The "fall" in its common name refers to caterpillars becoming prevalent in late summer and early fall and "armyworm" references the caterpillars moving across the lawn in a line, eating everything as they go. FAW has no diapause, a suspension of development to successfully overwinter harsh winters like some of our native insects do. The FAW will be active until the first freeze at which time all feeding and activity by the FAW ends—at least until next year's storms blow moths into our region.

Insecticides will be most effective when caterpillars are newly-hatched and damage is not noticeable. To monitor for the FAW, mix a container of soapy water and dump it on the lawn. If the caterpillars are present, they will move above the lawn's surface. Insecticides containing one of these active ingredients are effective against the fall armyworm: carbaryl, chlorantraniliprole, azadirachtin, Monterey B.t., spinosad, and bifenthrin. Once the lawn is free of the FAW, overseeding may be necessary to fill in thin areas.



TRIBAL COUNCIL MINUTES

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA MID-MONTHLY TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES July 19, 2021 Via GoTo Webinar

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT

Victoria Kitcheyan
Lorelei DeCora
Rona Stealer
Brian Chamberlain
Coly Brown (in at 5:10 a.m.)
Thelma Whitewater
Aric Armell
Louis LaRose

OTHERS PRESENT

Garan Coons
Brandon Stout
Erika Dunn
Mona Z.

TRIBAL COUNCIL ABSENT

John Snowball (leave)

CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called the meeting to order at 5:04 p.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Louis LaRose offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA:

Brian Chamberlain a question for the WGDC Tribal Council Board members Rona Stealer motioned to approve the Agenda with additions. Aric Armell seconded.

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

READING OF THE MINUTES:

July 7, 2021 Regular Tribal Council meeting minutes

Rona Stealer motioned to approve the July 7, 2021 Regular Tribal Council meeting minutes. Aric Armell seconded.

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

July 12, 2021 Land meeting minutes

Aric Armell motioned to approve the July 12, 2021 Land meeting minutes. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

RATIFY FIVE SIGNATURES:

[Failed] Approve the Transition plan of the Quarantine RV's (copy for your records)

[Coly in at 5:10 p.m.]

[Tabled from 7-7-21] Adopt resolution #21-120: Ni\|kja\k Waka\ca\k (Sacred Children) Care Center East Construction Project

Louis LaRose motioned to Table the Ratify Five Signature adopting resolution #21-120: Ni\|kja\k Waka\ca\k (Sacred Children) Care Center East Construction Project. Aric Armell seconded.

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

Adopt resolution #21-127: Selective Overtime Enforcement Mini-Grant 2021

Aric Armell motioned to ratify the five signature adopting resolution #21-127: Selective Overtime Enforcement Mini-Grant 2021. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

TRIBAL COUNCIL ITEMS:

Task Force recommendation on quarantine housing units

Pandemic Task Force – recommends proceeds coming from sales of housing units to new housing and rehab of rental housing units.

Will have this discussion when John Snowball can be in the meeting.

Mask Discussion

Louis LaRose motioned to reinstate the Mask mandate within the exterior boundaries of the Winnebago Reservation, for all indoors and public buildings and places of business. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

OBJECT: Brian Chamberlain

VOTE: (6) yes, LD, TW, LLR, AA, RS, CB (1) no, BC (0) abstain Motion carried.

Winneshiek County Highway Dept. Truck Logo Committee

Lorelei DeCora motioned to appoint Lewis St. Cyr and Sunshine Bear to the Winneshiek County Committee for their new logo from the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

WGDC Board question

Brian Chamberlain asked the two Tribal Council members on the Board meeting of the Winnebago Gaming Development Commission the outcome of July 14, 2021 meeting.

Louis LaRose – Meeting on termination of an employee turned into a power struggle, they had a difference of opinion regarding tribal rules or gaming rules.

John Snowball – absent

Victoria Kitcheyan asked if the issue is resolved or will there be further action.

Louis LaRose – resolved, minus one board member.

Aric Armell – Leave it up to the Board.

Brian Chamberlain – wants to hear from John Snowball

Coly Brown – asks for Clarity on Roberts Rules – Chair making motions themselves can we get this clear?

ADJOURN:

Aric Armell motioned to adjourn. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

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

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned the meeting at 5:47 p.m.

*Respectfully submitted,
Lorelei DeCora, Secretary
Winnebago Tribal Council*

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA CEO REPORT MEETING July 20, 2021 Via Go To Webinar

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan
Rona Stealer
Lorelei DeCora
Louis LaRose
Coly Brown
Aric Armell
Thelma Whitewater
Brian Chamberlain (in at 10:20 a.m.)

OTHERS PRESENT:

Esther Mercer
Amy LaPointe
Garan Coons
Brandon Stout
Ireta Blackbird
Joy Johnson
Lynelle Blackhawk
Sharon Frenchman
Teresa Littlegeorge
Tyresha Wolfe
Chiara Cournoyer
Cecelia Earth

TRIBAL COUNCIL ABSENT:

John Snowball

CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called to order at 10:03 a.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Louis LaRose offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA

Louis LaRose motioned to approve the agenda. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

DEPARTMENTAL UPDATES

CEO REPORT – presented by Esther Mercer

CAO REPORT – presented by Lynelle Blackhawk

Physical Resources Report – Presented by Ireta Blackbird

[Brian in at 10:20 a.m.]

BLACKHAWK COMMUNITY CENTER LOBBY – DISCUSSION

Will handle the requests on a case by case basis.

FY 21 ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

Tribal Assistance Caseworker – position approval

Rona Stealer motioned to approve the Tribal Assistance Caseworker position. Aric Armell seconded.

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

Grant and Compliance Specialist (WCHS) – Position approval

Lorelei DeCora motioned to approve the Grant and Compliance Specialist (WCHS) position to be effective October 1, 2021. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

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

Revised FY 21 Org Chart approval

Louis LaRose motioned to approve the Revised FY 21 Org Chart. Coly Brown seconded.

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

BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

Winnebago Gaming Development Commission

Lorelei DeCora motioned to appoint Janet Bird to the Winnebago Gaming Development Commission. Rona Stealer seconded.

VOTE: (4) yes, BC, LLR, LD, RS (2) no, AA, TW (1) abstain, CB Motion carried.

TRIBAL UTILITY BOARD

Lorelei DeCora motioned to appoint Marcell Blackbird to the Tribal Utility Board. Coly Brown seconded.

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

POLICE REVIEW BOARD – RESIGNATION

Coly Brown motioned to accept the resignation of Angie Walker from the Police Review Board. Lorelei DeCora seconded.

OBJECT: Thelma Whitewater

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

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Daycare Site Selection

Lorelei DeCora motioned to ratify the five signature adopting resolution #21-120: Ni\|kja\k Waka\ca\k [Sacred Children] Care Center East Construction Project pending a new site selection. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

DEPARTMENTAL SPOTLIGHT – EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Presented by Amy LaPointe

ADJOURN:

Aric Armell motioned to adjourn. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

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

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned at 12:45 p.m.

*Respectfully submitted,
Teresa Littlegeorge,
Executive Assistant
CONCUR:
Lorelei DeCora, Secretary
Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska
Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska*

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA GENERAL COUNSEL MEETING MINUTES July 21, 2021 via GoTo Webinar

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT

Victoria Kitcheyan
Lorelei DeCora
Rona Stealer
Louis LaRose
Thelma Whitewater
Coly Brown
Aric Armell (in at 10:12 a.m.)
Brian Chamberlain

OTHERS PRESENT

Joleen Thiele
Wendy Helgemo
Denise Jensen
Jennifer Beareagle
Brandon Stout
Josh Chamberlain
Tyresha Wolfe
Lynelle Blackhawk

TRIBAL COUNCIL ABSENT:

John Snowball (leave)

CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Thelma White-water offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA:

Louis LaRose motioned to approve the agenda with additions. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

STANDING UPDATES: Presented by Wendy Helgemo

Iowa Land Legislation Update - Process of locating documents that are in archive.

[Aric Armell in at 10:12 a.m.]

Opioid Litigation

Flood Case

Comment/Consultation Letters

UPDATE ON CAPITAL GAINS TAX RESEARCH

HEMP UPDATE

Licensing Commission status

Still advertising one Vacancy for the HEMP Commission

CODE REVISION WORKING SESSION PLANNING

Lorelei still requesting a hard copy of the Codes.

FREDERICK WHITEBEAR REFERRAL

Council unanimous agreement to file charges.

Recommends to strengthen the policy and add in disciplinary actions.

Aric Armell motioned for the Winnebago Tribe to pursue legal action against Frederick Whitebear. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

VILLAGE OF WINNEBAGO WATER & SEWER AGREEMENT

Agreement Negotiation status

Water Primacy

WINNEBAGO TRIBE POSTING CANDIDATES: Update, information only. No action taken.

ADJOURN:

Aric Armell motioned to adjourn. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned at 11:40 a.m.

*Respectfully submitted,
Teresa Littlegeorge,
Executive Assistant
Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska
CONCUR:
Lorelei DeCora, Secretary
Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska*

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA TREASURER'S REPORT July 28, 2021 via GoTo Webinar

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Brian Chamberlain
Lorelei DeCora
Rona Stealer
Coly Brown
John Snowball
Aric Armell
Louis LaRose
Thelma Whitewater

OTHERS PRESENT:

Alan Post
Brandon Stout
Damon Payer
Danelle Smith
Esther Mercer
Mike Means
Lynelle Blackhawk
Kim Friloux
Michael Michaud
Mayan Beltran
Teresa Littlegeorge
Christian Rogers
Cecelia Earth
Joy Johnson

Kiva Harden-Free
Tyresha Wolfe

TRIBAL COUNCIL ABSENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan (sick leave)

CALL TO ORDER: Vice-Chairman Chamberlain called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Rona Stealer offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA:

John Snowball motioned to approve the agenda as amended. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

[Aric Armell in]

WCHS FINANCIAL REPORT:

Billing and Collections - Presented by Kim Friloux.

Lorelei DeCora motioned to approve the Winnebago Comprehensive Health Systems Report. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

WINNAVEGAS REPORT:

FINANCIAL REPORT – Presented by Mike Means

Aric Armell motioned to approve the Financial Report as presented. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

Action items:

Everi Tournament Bank

Rona Stealer motioned to approve the request from the Slot Department regarding Everi; the purchase of new TournEvent machines at a cost of \$181,102.50. Aric Armell seconded.

7-0-0
Big Truckin' Giveaway

Rona Stealer motioned to approve the request from the WinnaVegas Marketing Department for the Big Truckin' Giveaway September 18, October 9, and October 30, 2021. Coly Brown seconded.

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

\$28,000 Sizzling Summer Slot Tournament in September 2021

Louis LaRose motioned to approve the request from WinnaVegas Marketing Department regarding the \$28,000 Sizzling Summer Slot Tournament in September 2021. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

MARKETING PERFORMA – Michael Michaud

HUMAN RESOURCES Update

Christian Rogers

GAMING COMMISSION REPORT:

Presented by Damon Payer

Aric Armell motioned to approve the report. Coly Brown seconded.

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

TRIBAL CFO REPORT:

Financial Summary

COVID-19 as of July 14, 2021: update only

CARES Act Projects as of July 14, 2021: DEADLINE Extended by Congress to expend the money until December 31, 2021.

Housing Utility Assistance - updates

Facilities - updates

Food Pantry - updates

Wake & Burial - updates

Security - updates

Small Business Grants - updates

Communication - updates

Quarantine Housing Project - updates

Food Security - updates

Clean Water initiative - updates

Heating Cooling Initiative - updates

Homecoming Celebration - updates

American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) – updates

Aric Armell motioned to approve the Tribal CFO Report. Coly Brown seconded

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

TRIBAL COUNCIL ITEMS:

Planning Department - Engineering Contract

Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for professional Engineering firms interested in planning and design for construction of a Community Broadband/Fiber Network Infrastructure.

The Proposed infrastructure network will be designed to provide broadband and Internet services for the Winnebago Reservation.

Lorelei DeCora motioned to approve submission of the application for the broadband funding to the department of commerce. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

ADJOURN:

Thelma Whitewater motioned to adjourn. Aric Armell seconded.

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

Vice-Chairman Chamberlain adjourned the meeting at 10:37 a.m.

*Respectfully submitted,
Teresa Littlegeorge,
Executive Assistant
Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska
CONCUR:
Lorelei DeCora, Secretary
Winnebago Tribal Council*

BAGO VS. TIOSPA ZINA



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TRIBAL COUNCIL MINUTES

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA REGULAR TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETING

August 2, 2021 via GoTo Meeting
at 9:00 a.m.

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan
Lorelei DeCora
Brian Chamberlain
Rona Stealer
Louis LaRose
Coly Brown
John Snowball
Aric Armell

OTHERS PRESENT:

Esther Mercer
Alan Post

Ireta Blackbird
Autumn Nieman
Lynelle Blackhawk
Garan Coons
Joy Johnson

TRIBAL COUNCIL ABSENT:

Thelma Whitewater, On Leave

CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM

OPENING PRAYER: Louis LaRose offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA:

Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve the agenda. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

READING OF THE MINUTES:

7-19-2021 Mid-Monthly Tribal Council meeting minutes

Rona Stealer motioned to approve the 7-19-2021 Mid Monthly Tribal Council meeting minutes.

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

7-20, 2021 CEO Report meeting minutes

Aric Armell motioned to approve the 7-20-2021 CEO Report meeting minutes.

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

7-21-2021 General Counsel meeting minutes

Aric Armell motioned to approve the 7-21-2021 General Counsel meeting minutes.

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

7-22-2021 General Counsel meeting minutes

Aric Armell motioned to approve the 7-22-2021 General Counsel meeting minutes.

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

7-28-2021 Treasurer's Report meeting minutes

Aric Armell motioned to approve the 7-28-2021 Treasurer's Report meeting minutes.

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

RATIFY FIVE SIGNATURES:

Adopt Resolution #21 - 128
Brian Chamberlain motioned to ratify the five signature approving the adoption of Resolution # 21-

128; Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska - Child Support Program (WTN - CSP). Rona Stealer seconded.

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

NEW BUSINESS:

Planning Department
Adopt Resolution #21 - 129 FY 21 BIA Noxious Weeds Fund

Brian Chamberlain motioned to adopt Resolution #21 -129 FY 21 BIA Noxious Weed Fund.

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

Adopt Amended Resolution #21-120A; Nikjak Wakacak (Sacred Children) Care Center North Construction Project

Louis LaRose motioned to adopt Amended Resolution #21-120A: Nikjak Wakacak (Sacred

Children) Care Center North Construction Project. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

OLD BUSINESS:

Pandemic Task Force Recommendation
Councilman Snowball recommends holding a Special Planning Meeting of the Tribal Council on the

Quarantine Housing with representation from the WTN Tribal Housing, Physical Resources and the

Land Management.
Councilman LaRose would like "Vaccines" added to the meeting.
Chairwoman Kitcheyan will schedule the meeting.

TRIBAL COUNCIL ITEMS:

Quote for Roads Dump Truck
Lorelei Decora motioned to approve the \$21,900.00 for the Roads Department to purchase the

2007 Sterling Dump Truck. Brian Chamberlain seconded.
VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain
Motion carried.

St. Augustine Indian Mission Golf Scramble Sponsorship
No action taken.

ADJOURN:

Aric Armell motioned to adjourn. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

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

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned at 9:24 AM.

*Respectfully submitted,
Lorelei DeCora, Secretary
Winnebago Tribal Council*

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA SPECIAL TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETING - QUARANTINE HOUSING DISCUSSION August 9, 2021

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan
Rona Stealer
Thelma Whitewater
Lorelei DeCora
Aric Armell
John Snowball
Louis LaRose
Brian Chamberlain

OTHERS PRESENT:

Lynelle Blackhawk
Ireta Blackbird
Alan Post
Autumn Nieman
Billie Kitcheyan
Kim Sulsberger
Brandon Stout
Garan Coons
Esther Mercer
Fannie LaTray
Teresa Littlegeorge
Tina Lewis
Wilhelmena Sharpback

TRIBAL COUNCIL ABSENT:

Coly Brown

CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Aric Armell offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA:

Aric Armell motioned to approve the agenda. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

1. Overview of funding source for quarantine housing and allowable use Trailers

2. Land sites of quarantine units Sale of Long houses, Veteran's Rental, Wolf Homes (Dec. 21, 2021)

3. Mandatory COVID vaccination Discussion

ADJOURN:

Aric Armell motioned to adjourn. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned at 10:16 a.m.

*Respectfully submitted,
Teresa Littlegeorge,
Executive Assistant*

*CONCUR:
Lorelei DeCora, Secretary
Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska
Winnebago Tribal Council*

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA MID-MONTHLY TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETING August 16, 2021 Via GoTo Webinar

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan
Lorelei DeCora
Rona Stealer
Brian Chamberlain (in at 5:04 p.m.)
Coly Brown
John Snowball
Thelma Whitewater
Aric Armell
Louis LaRose (in at 5:20 p.m.)

OTHERS PRESENT:

Matt May
Joy Johnson

CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called to order at 5:01 p.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Rona Stealer offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA:

Aric Armell motioned to approve the agenda. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

[Brian in at 5:04 p.m.]

READING OF THE MINUTES:

August 2, 2021 Regular meeting minutes

Aric Armell motioned to approve the August 2, 2021 Regular meeting minutes. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

August 9, 2021 Special meeting minutes

Rona Stealer to approve August 9, 2021 Special Meeting minutes. Aric Armell seconded.

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

RATIFY FIVE SIGNATURES:

Adopt resolution #21-130: FY22 Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska State Plan for CSFP Serving Senior Citizens
Coly Brown motioned to ratify the

five signature adopting resolution #21-130: FY22 Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska State Plan for CSFP Serving Senior Citizens. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

NEW BUSINESS:

[Brian off 5:07 p.m., on 5:08 p.m.]
17th Annual Fatherhood is Leadership Conference

Aric Armell motioned to support any of the Tribal Council to attend the 17th Annual Fatherhood is Leadership Conference. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

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

Enrollment Office - Fire Proof File Cabinets
Coly Brown motioned to table the fire proof cabinets for enrollment until quotes are received. Aric Armell seconded.

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

Adopt Resolution: Head Start 4th Year Continuation Grant

Brian Chamberlain motioned to adopt resolution #21-131: FY22 Head Start 4th Year Continuation Grant. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

TRIBAL COUNCIL ITEMS:

Executive Session Items

T.G. Request
M.B. Request

Brian Chamberlain motioned to go into Executive Session at 5:17 p.m. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

Aric Armell motioned to come out of Executive Session at 5:41 p.m. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

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

John Snowball motioned to waive the age requirement to authorize Temeeka Goodman to get her minor trust fund released and to have the policy updated. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

Louis LaRose motioned to accept Michael Blackfish's employment history to full fill policy requirement for Tribal Housing Policy. Aric Armell seconded.

OBJECT: Lorelei DeCora
VOTE: (7) yes(0) no (1) abstain,
LD Motion carried.

Rona would like the Tribal Housing Policy worked on.

ADJOURN:

Brian Chamberlain motioned to adjourn. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned at 5:46 p.m.

*Respectfully submitted,
Lorelei DeCora, Secretary
Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska*

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA CEO REPORT MEETING August 17, 2021 via GoTo Webinar

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan
Brian Chamberlain
Lorelei DeCora
Rona Stealer
Coly Brown
Louis LaRose
Thelma Whitewater
Aric Armell
John Snowball

OTHERS PRESENT:

Esther Mercer
Brandon Stout
Daryl LaPointe, Jr.
Ireta Blackbird
Joy Johnson
Katherine Washburn
Lewis St. Cyr
Lynelle Blackhawk
Tina Lewis
Teresa Littlegeorge
Alan Post
Angie Walker
Cecelia Earth
Misty Jefferson
Chiara Cournoyer
Kellie Snow

CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called the meeting to order at 10:23 a.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Louis LaRose offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA:

Aric Armell motioned to approve the agenda as amended. Coly Brown seconded.

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

FY22 BUDGETS: (Meeting held from 9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.)

DEPARTMENTAL UPDATES:

CEO Report - Presented by Esther Mercer
CAO Report - Presented by Lynelle Blackhawk

Brian Chamberlain motioned to authorize CAO/CEO to take all actions necessary to assist with Enrollment Department Staffing Plan and bring back in 21 days. Thelma Whitewater

seconded.

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

Physical Resources Report - Presented by Ireta Blackbird
BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

Tribal housing Committee - One Applicant
Aric Armell motioned to appoint

Trey Blackhawk to the Tribal Housing Committee for a two year term. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

Brian Chamberlain motioned to advertise one vacancy for a one year term for the Tribal Housing Committee. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

HUMAN RESOURCES:

Telecommuting Policy Revision
Lorelei DeCora motioned to table Telecommuting Policy Revision and return when the changes are complete.

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

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT:
Strategic Plan Update - Presented by Joy Johnson.

Adopt Resolution

Brian Chamberlain motioned to adopt resolution #21-132: FY2021 Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Winnebago Tribal Transit Capital Project

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

HUMAN SERVICES:

Client Satisfaction Survey
Lorelei DeCora motion to table the survey until the Tribal Council recommendations are added. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

Office Associate - YCIC and Youth Shelter - '22 Tribal Appropriations request

YCIC Assessment Specialist
YCIC and Youth Shelter Social Worker
Youth Intake and Outreach Specialist

Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve all the Job Description requests as submitted. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

YCIC/Youth Shelter Organizational Chart Update

Rona Stealer motioned to approve the YCIC/Youth Shelter Organizational Chart Update. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

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

DEPARTMENTAL SPOTLIGHT HO CHUNK RENAISSANCE:
Presented by Lewis "Blue" St. Cyr [John out 1:32 p.m.]

POW-WOW COMMITTEE ITEM:
Advertise for FY2022 Pow-wow Committee

Brian Chamberlain motioned to advertise for the FY 2022 Pow-Committee for 10 vacancies. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

[Brian out 2:00 p.m.]
Pow-wow Budget review

Jr. & Sr. Princess travel funds
Aric Armell motioned to authorize a \$1,000.00 from the Approved Pow-wow budget to the Jr. and Sr. Princess for travel funds as done previously. Coly Brown seconded.

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

ADJOURN:

Aric Armell motioned to adjourn. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned the meeting at 2:22 p.m.

*Respectfully submitted,
Teresa Littlegeorge,
Executive Assistant*

*CONCUR:
Lorelei DeCora, Secretary
Winnebago Tribal Council*

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA GENERAL COUNSEL MEETING VIA GoTo Meeting August 18, 2021

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan
Rona Stealer
Lorelei DeCora
Aric Armell
Coly Brown
Thelma Whitewater
Louis LaRose
Brian Chamberlain

OTHERS PRESENT:

Jennifer Beareagle
Alan Post
Brandon Stout
Esther Mercer
Lynelle Blackhawk
Wendy Helgemo
Teresa Littlegeorge
Ron Nohr

TRIBAL COUNCIL MINUTES

TRIBAL COUNCIL ABSENT:

John Snowball (sick leave)
CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called the meeting to order at 10:04 a.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Jennifer Beareagle offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA:
 Aric Armell motioned to approve the agenda. Rona Stealer seconded.
 VOTE: (5) yes(0) no (0) abstain
 Motion carried.

STANDING UPDATES:
 Iowa Land Legislation update – Wendy Helgemo presented.
 Opioid Litigation – Jennifer Beareagle presented.

Flood Case
 Comment/Consultation Letters Submitted letters
 Upcoming Deadlines
 National Endowment for the Arts (Consultation on Tribal Consultation) – August 24, 2021

National Institutes of Health (Consultation on proposed updates to NAG-PRA regulations) – August 31, 2021

Hemp Update
 Licensing Commission status
[Louis LaRose in at 10:35 a.m.]
 Dakota County Tax Sale cases

Blaise Land Holdings LLC v. Estate of Pearl Premeaux, CI21-81
 Blaise Land Holdings LLC v. Little Priest Tribal College, CI 21-82

Ambrose Land Holdings LLC v. Estate of Milford Bear, CI 21-85
 Basil Land Holdings LLC v. Estate of Minnie Rouse, CI 21-86

WTN Land Management Homesite Lease Policy
 Action Item: Approve Amendments to Homesite Lease Policy

Thelma Whitewater motioned to adopt resolution 21-133: Approving an Amendment to the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska Residential Land Leasing Policy. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

BIA 17 Weight Limits
 Action item: Approve Amendments to WTC, adopting special provisions applicable to BIA 17

Thelma Whitewater motioned to adopt resolution 21-134: Amendments to the Winnebago Tribal Code Title 6 Civil Traffic Code; Amending Section 6-426(1) of the Civil Traffic Code and Adopting Title 6, Article 9 (Special Provisions Applicable to BIA Route 17).

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

Village of Winnebago Water & Sewer Agreement Update
 Executive Session: Negotiation Discussion

Lorelei DeCora motioned to go into Executive Session at 11:08 a.m. Aric Armell seconded.
 VOTE: (6) yes (0) no (0) abstain
 Motion carried.

Rona Stealer motioned to come out of Executive Session at 11:19 a.m. Thelma Whitewater seconded.
 VOTE: (6) yes (0) no (0) abstain
 Motion carried.

Action Item: Approve Negotiation offer from Village of Winnebago

Rona Stealer motioned to meet with the Village Board for a (6) six month Negotiations period, during which no disconnections take place during that time. Aric Armell seconded.
 VOTE: (6) yes(0) no (0) abstain
 Motion carried.

Employee Vaccination – Discussion only
 ADJOURN:

Aric Armell motioned to adjourn at 11:49 A.M. Rona Stealer seconded.
 VOTE: (6) yes(0) no (0) abstain
 Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
 Teresa LittleGeorge,
 Executive Assistant
 Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska
 CONCUR:
 Lorelei DeCora, Secretary
 Winnebago Tribal Council

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA TREASURER'S REPORT MEETING MINUTES August 26, 2021

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan
 Lorelei DeCora
 Rona Stealer
 Louis LaRose
 Coly Brown
 John Snowball
 Thelma Whitewater
 Brian Chamberlain (in @9:30 a.m.)
 Aric Armell (in @ 10:03 a.m.)

OTHERS PRESENT:

Alan Post
 Brandon Stout
 Autumn Nieman
 Terri Mentink
 Mayan Beltran
 Sharon Frenchman
 Joy Johnson
 Teresa LittleGeorge
 Kiva Harden
 Cecelia Earth
 Mistv Jefferson

Esther Mercer
 Lynelle Blackhawk
 Tyresha Wolfe
 Garan Coons
 Glinda Bruggeman
 Mike Means
 Michael Michaud
 Kellie Snow

CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called to order at 9:06 a.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Louis LaRose offered the opening prayer.

APPROVE AGENDA:
 Lorelei DeCora motioned to approve the agenda with additions. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

OLD BUSINESS:
 CARES ACT Housing Plan – presented by Autumn Nieman

Lorelei DeCora motioned to approve the modified Housing Plan as submitted and start the application process. Coly Brown seconded.

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

[Brian Chamberlain in 9:30 a.m.]
 TRIBAL CFO REPORT: Presented by Alan Post, Tribal CFO

Coly Brown motioned approve the CFO Report as presented. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

Wake & Burial addition of funds
 Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve Wake & Burial budget addition due to additional deaths this year. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

FY2022 Appropriations Budget
 Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve the FY2022 Appropriations Budget as submitted. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

WCHS FINANCIAL REPORT:
 Billing & Collections

Coly Brown motioned to approve the WCHS Financial Report for Billing and Collections. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

Board Stipend
 Lorelei DeCora motioned to approve to increase the WCHS Board stipend as presented. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

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

[Aric Armell in at 10:03 a.m.]
 Adopt resolution

Lorelei DeCora motioned to adopt resolution #21-136: To Establish the Winnebago Health Foundation, Approve By-Laws, and Initiate Selection of the Initial Board of Directors. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

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

WINNAVEGAS REPORT:
 Financial Report presented by Mike Means, Controller

Rona Stealer motioned to approve the WinnaVegas Financial Report as presented. Aric Armell seconded.

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

Marketing Report presented by Michael Michaud, Marketing Director

Approvals: Presented by Mayan Beltran, General Manager

Request from the WinnaVegas HR Department: Re: Cage/Guest Service Manning Doc & Organizational Chart Merger

Louis LaRose motioned to approve the request from the WinnaVegas HR Department: Re: Cage/Guest Services Manning Doc & Organizational Chart Merger.

Thelma Whitewater seconded.
 OBJECT: Aric Armell

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

Request from the WinnaVegas Marketing Department: Re: September & October Promotional Vehicle Three Bid Process

Lorelei DeCora motioned to approve the Bid from Woodhouse Blair for 2021 RAM 1500 Classic Warlock Quad cab 4X4 6'4" Box (Red) for the amount of \$35,674.00.

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

WINNEBAGO GAMING DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION:
 Rona Stealer motioned to accept report from the Winnebago Gaming Development Corporation. Lorelei DeCora seconded.

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

GAMING COMMISSION REPORT:
 Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve the Gaming Commission Report as submitted.

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

TRIBAL COUNCIL ITEMS:
 BIA/USGS Funding-Stream Gauge Project FY22

Brian Chamberlain motioned to adopt resolution #21-137: BIA/USGS Funding-Stream Gauge Project FY22. Aric Armell seconded.

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

NCAI MEMBERSHIP FEE
 Aric Armell motioned to table the NCAI Membership renewal until the Resolution can be prepared with delegate and alternated being named. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

NAFOA Travel
 Brian Chamberlain motioned to approve travel for any interested Tribal Council members wishing to attend the conference 2021 Fall Finance & Tribal Economies Conference San Antonio, TX September 27-28, 2021. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

Land Buyback MOA
 Aric Armell motioned to table until the September 13, 2021 Land Meeting to prepare a resolution approving the MOA for Land Buyback. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

CAREER – National Dislocated Workers Grant FY'21 – Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska

Rona Stealer motioned to adopt resolution #21-138: CAREER – National Dislocated Workers Grant FY'21 – Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska. Lorelei DeCora seconded.

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

Commercial Lease Nikjak Wakacak (Sacred Children) Care Center North

Lorelei DeCora motioned to adopt resolution #21-139: Nikjak Wakacak (Sacred Children) Care Center North. Coly Brown seconded.

Discussion.
 Motion withdrawn, second Withdrawn.

Brian Chamberlain motioned to table until the September 13, 2021 Land Meeting. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

Winnnebago Tribe Broadband Connectivity Project

Aric Armell motioned to adopt resolution #21-139: Winnebago Tribe Broadband Connectivity Project. Louis LaRose seconded.

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

Enrollment Director Action
 LD/TW motioned for the Tribal Council to receive the Enrollment Director's Personnel file, and information on who called the police department. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

Football games - Consideration of Admin Leave

John Snowball motioned for consideration of Administrative Leave at 1:30 p.m. for football game at 2:00 p.m. on Friday August 27, 2021. Aric Armell seconded.

DISCUSSION: Rona Stealer requested the sports calendar for future events

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

ADJOURN:
 Aric Armell motioned to adjourn at 11:44 a.m. Rona Stealer seconded.

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

Respectfully submitted,
 Teresa LittleGeorge,
 Executive Assistant
 Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska
 CONCUR:
 Lorelei DeCora, Secretary
 Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA WINNAVEGAS RESORT & CASINO GENERAL MANAGER PERFORMANCE EVALUATION 2021 August 30, 2021

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan
 Lorelei DeCora
 Thelma Whitewater
 Aric Armell
 Louis LaRose
 Coly Brown
 Louis LaRose
 Brian Chamberlain

OTHERS PRESENT:

Teresa LittleGeorge (minutes)
 Brandon Stout (IT)
 Jennifer Bear Eagle
 Mayan Beltran (in at 3:55 p.m.)
 Rona Stealer

TRIBAL COUNCIL ABSENT:

John Snowball (leave)
CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called the meeting to order at 1:14 p.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Using prayer offered by Louis LaRose earlier today.

APPROVE AGENDA:
 Aric Armell motioned to approve the agenda. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

TRIBAL COUNCIL INTERNAL DISCUSSION & REVIEW OF DOCUMENTATION

Discussion regarding Contract. Review of Evaluations from the Tribal Council.

Surveillance Synopsis discussion.
 3:45 p.m. – Recess
 3:54 p.m. - reconvened
(Mayan Beltran in at 3:55 p.m.)
 Chairwoman explains the process taken by the Tribal Council to conduct General Manager's review.
 Overview of Evaluation results with General Manager Mayan Beltran.

ACTIONS:
 Lorelei DeCora motioned to deny the June 2021 WinnaVegas General Manager Bonus. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

Lorelei DeCora motioned to terminate the WinnaVegas General Manager's Contract effective in (30) thirty days for cause "Habitual Neglect". Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

ADJOURN:
 Aric Armell motioned to adjourn at 5:51 p.m. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
 Teresa LittleGeorge,
 Executive Assistant
 Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska
 CONCUR:
 Lorelei DeCora,
 Tribal Council Secretary
 Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA SPECIAL TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETING - ENROLLMENT August 30, 2021

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan
 Louis LaRose
 John Snowball
 Thelma Whitewater
 Lorelei DeCora
 Rona Stealer
 Coly Brown
 Brian Chamberlain
 Aric Armell

OTHERS PRESENT:

Daphne Evans
 Garan Coons
 Esther Mercer
 Ramona Sheridan
 Lynelle Blackhawk
 Misty Jefferson
 Brandon Stout
 Tyresha Wolfe
 Tina Lewis
 Danie Greene
 Cheri Redhorn

CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called to order at 9:07 a.m.

OPENING PRAYER: Louis LaRose offered the opening prayer.

ENROLLMENT ISSUES:
 Lorelei DeCora motioned to reinstate the Enrollment Director, Cheri Redhorn with back pay, further supervision of Enrollment Director to go back under CEO, and the Tribal Council needs to establish a work group to work with the Enrollment staff & Enrollment Committee on office space, staff positions, and updating the data base. Then the Tribal Council backs out after this is done. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

Discussion: Brian Chamberlain stresses the amount of responsibility that the Enrollment Director has to the entire community. Further discussion follows.

VOTE: (4) yes, TW, LD, AA, LLR (3) no, RS, CB, JSB (1) abstain, BC
 Motion carried.

ADJOURN:
 Aric Armell motioned to adjourn. Brian Chamberlain seconded.

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

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned the meeting at 10:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
 Teresa LittleGeorge,
 Executive Assistant
 Winnebago Tribal Council

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA WINNAVEGAS RESORT & CASINO ACTING GENERAL MANAGER September 1, 2021

TRIBAL COUNCIL PRESENT:

Victoria Kitcheyan
 Lorelei DeCora
 Thelma Whitewater
 Aric Armell
 Louis LaRose
 Rona Stealer
 Louis LaRose
 Brian Chamberlain

OTHERS PRESENT:

Brandon Stout

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TRIBAL COUNCIL ABSENT:

Coly Brown (leave)
CALL TO ORDER: Chairwoman Kitcheyan called the meeting to order at 12:10 p.m.
OPENING PRAYER: Prayer offered by Louis LaRose.
APPROVE AGENDA:

Lorelei Decora motioned to approve the agenda. Thelma Whitewater seconded. VOTE: (7) yes (0) no (0) abstain Motion carried.

TRIBAL COUNCIL INTERNAL DISCUSSION & APPOINTMENT OF THE ACTING WINNAVEGAS GENERAL MANAGER

Lorelei Decora motioned to appoint Michael Michaud as the Acting WinnaVegas General Manager. Louis LaRose seconded.

OBJECT: BC, TW
 VOTE: (3) yes, LD, LLR, RS (4)no, BC, TW, JSB, AA (0) abstain
 3 - 4 - 0 Motion failed.

Brian Chamberlain motioned to appoint Kellie Snow as the Acting WinnaVegas General Manager. Rona Stealer seconded.

OBJECT: TW
 VOTE: (2) yes, BC, RS (4) no, LD, JSB, AA, TW (1) abstain, LLR

2 - 4 - 1 Motion failed.

Thelma Whitewater motioned to appoint Ray Thomas as the Acting WinnaVegas General Manager. John Snowball seconded.

OBJECT: BC
 VOTE: (3) yes, AA, JSB, TW (4) no, BC, RS, LLR, LD (0) abstain,
 3 - 4 - 0 Motion failed.

John Snowball asks to bring the Michael Michaud motion back for re-consideration.

He was on the presiding side of that motion.

Lorelei Decora motioned to appoint Michael Michaud as the Acting WinnaVegas General Manager. Louis LaRose seconded.

OBJECT: BC, TW
 VOTE: (5) yes, LD, LLR, RS, JSB, AA (2) no, BC, TW (0) abstain
 5 - 2 - 0 Motion carried.

Lorelei Decora motioned to adjourn at 12:23 p.m. Thelma Whitewater seconded.

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

Chairwoman Kitcheyan adjourned the meeting.

*Respectfully submitted,
 Lorelei DeCora,
 Tribal Council Secretary
 Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska*

Next WIN News Deadline: September 28th

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
 Case No. CV21-131

In the Matter of the Guardianship Petition of:
 NATASHA SNOW
 In Re:
 S. C. (Born 2/2005)

TO: CHANDA PRICE, Mother
 ALL POTENTIAL FATHERS

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed for Guardianship and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual(s) in Case No. CV21-131 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 30th day of NOVEMBER, 2021 at the hour of 10:00 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
 Case No. JFJ21-026

The People of the Winnebago Tribe
 In the Interest of:
 A. W. (Born 3/2006)
 Shari Patton, Mother

To: ALL POTENTIAL FATHERS

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Adjudication concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ21-026 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 16th day of NOVEMBER, 2021 at the hour of 11:30 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
 Case No. CV21-126

In the Matter of the Guardianship Petition of:
 MORGYN REDHORN

In Re:
 G. W. (Born 12/2010)

TO: CHANDA PRICE, Mother
 ALL POTENTIAL FATHERS

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed for Guardianship and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual(s) in Case No. CV21-126 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 30th day of NOVEMBER, 2021 at the hour of 10:00 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
 Case No. CV21-130

In the Matter of the Guardianship Petition of:
 SANDRA REDHORN

In Re:
 T. F. (Born 12/2007)

TO: RELLA WALKER, Mother
 CHRISTOPHER FLANDERS, Father

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed for Guardianship and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual(s) in Case No. CV21-130 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 30th day of NOVEMBER, 2021 at the hour of 10:30 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
 Case No. JFJ21-013ABCD
 The People of the Winnebago Tribe
 In the Interest of:
 J. G. (Born 3/2004)
 C. K. (Born 11/2005)
 L. K. (Born 6/2013)
 L. K. (Born6/2014)
 Lilly Snow Kearnes, Mother

To: JEROME GHOSTDOG, Father
 CURTIS KEARNES, Father
 ALL POTENTIAL FATHERS

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Adjudication concerning the above referred Individual(s) in Case No. CV21-122 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 9th day of NOVEMBER, 2021 at the hour of 1:30 P.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
 Case No. CV21-122

In the Matter of the Guardianship Petition of:
 WENDY OHL

In Re:
 J. L. (Born 8/2011)

TO: WHITLEY MITCHELL, Mother
 GEORGE LOPEZ, Father

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed for Guardianship and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual(s) in Case No. CV21-122 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 30th day of NOVEMBER, 2021 at the hour of 11:30 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
 Case No. JFJ21-022

The People of the Winnebago Tribe
 In the Interest of:
 D. W. (Born 8/2021)
 Lois Whitewater, Mother

To: JASON PARKER, Father
 ALL POTENTIAL FATHERS

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Adjudication concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ21-022 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 23rd day of NOVEMBER, 2021 at the hour of 1:00 P.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
 Case No. CV15-028

In the Matter of the Guardianship Petition of:
 MICHELLE ROUILLARD

In Re:
 N. L. (Born 7/2014)

TO: DOMINIQUE WHITEBEAVER, Mother
 WYATT LOPEZ, Father

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed for Guardianship and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual(s) in Case No. CV15-028 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 30th day of NOVEMBER, 2021 at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

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Thurston County Clerk's office is seeking applications for a fulltime office clerk.

Please contact:
 Patty Bessmer at 402-385-2343 for more information or for an application.

Position open until filled.

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JOB TITLE	DIVISION	LOCATION
Compensation Analyst	Ho-Chunk Corporate Services	Bellevue, NE
Benefits Enrollment Clerk	Ho-Chunk Corporate Services	Bellevue, NE
Business Development/Capture Manager	Flatwater Solutions	Bellevue, NE
Compliance Coordinator	Ho-Chunk Corporate Services	Bellevue, NE
Database Administrator Supervisor	Ho-Chunk Corporate Services	Bellevue/Winnebago, NE
Commercial Auditor	Ho-Chunk Corporate Services	Bellevue, NE/Winnebago, NE
Director of Finance	WarHorse Gaming, LLC.	Bellevue/Omaha, NE
Director of Legal	Ho-Chunk Corporate Services	Bellevue/Winnebago, NE
Director of Marketing	WarHorse Gaming, LLC.	Bellevue/Omaha, NE
Government Contracting Auditor	Ho-Chunk Corporate Services	Bellevue, NE/Winnebago, NE/ Fairfax, NE/Colorado Springs, CO
Project Coordinator	Flatwater Solutions	Bellevue, NE
Talent Acquisition Manager	WarHorse Gaming, LLC.	Bellevue/Omaha, NE
Project Manager II	Flatwater Solutions	Fairfax, VA/Washington, DC
Electrical Engineer	Flatwater Solutions	Lakewood, CO
Mineral Geologist	Flatwater Solutions	Lakewood, CO
IT Systems Engineer	WarHorse Gaming, LLC.	Lincoln, NE
Team Supervisor I	Pony Express	Rosalie, NE
Insurance Analyst	Ho-Chunk Corporate Services	Sioux City, IA
Barista I	Sweetwater Café	Sioux City, IA/South Sioux City, NE/Winnebago, NE
CAD Technician	BluStone Architectural	Sioux City, IA
Team Member I (4) PT	Pony Express	Sioux, IA./Rosalie, NE/Walthill, NE/Winnebago, NE/Emerson, NE
Carpenter/Finish Carpenter (3)	BluStone Homes	South Sioux City, NE
Carpentry Apprentice	HCI Construction	South Sioux City, NE
Construction Manager/Estimator	HCI Construction	South Sioux City, NE
Facilities/Maintenance	Pony Express	South Sioux City, NE/Emerson, NE/Walthill
Project Manager Assistant	HCI Construction	South Sioux City, NE
Senior Superintendent	HCI Construction	South Sioux City, NE
Shop Tech/Delivery	HCI Construction	South Sioux City, NE
Assistant Team Member & Team Supervisor I	Heritage Foodtown	Walthill, NE
Ambassador I (5)	Thunder Ridge Solutions	Winnebago, NE
Ambassador II (5) & Ambassador III (5)	HCI Management Services	Winnebago, NE

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The Winnebago Tribal Council is 100% AGAINST Meth. Not only is Meth harmful to the individual, it destroys families and our community. Meth use is not the HoChunk/Winnebago way of life. On 12-30-19, during the Winnebago Mid-monthly Tribal Council meeting, a motion was passed to publish all meth related offenses occurring on the Winnebago reservation, in the Winnebago Indian News.

The following individual(s) has been arrested for a meth offense...

As of 09-14-2021, there are no recent meth arrest(s) to report.

HARVEST CELEBRATION & POWWOW



Wahaǵi Wōška

Harvest Celebration
Tuesday, September 21st
 Veterans Memorial Park, Winnebago NE

MUST BE FULLY VACCINATED TO ATTEND!

*MUST present "COVID-19 vaccination card" prior to entry
 Children 11 years and under are allowed to attend*

Morning Prayer & Innovation at 9:00 a.m.

Morning Activities

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

- Pēc hot'ų
Fire building
- Cē hį hipirak'ų
Yarn belt making
- Watašoroc'ų
Hominy making
- Cābnā
Lacrosse demonstration
- Rēx haruporok nāp hi'ų
Hand drum making
- Sā'ų
Cattail weaving racks
- Kāsu
Women's Dice Game
- Mācgu
Archery
- Wanap'į hikišere
Necklace making
- Waisgap hataxgi'ų
Bread making
- Wašira
Powwow dances
- Hay rides & Bouncy houses

*Everyone
 welcome!*

Afternoon Activities

12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

- Wiroku
Traditional tools
- Mā wōha
Earth cooking
- Hošgac
Bean bag toss
- Majja māka
Traditional medicines
- Cā mācece
Deer harvest
- Wanap'į
Necklace making
- Pāxge hoxų
Bead weaving technique
- Waguje gikok
Moccasin games
- Hay rides & Bouncy houses
- Green Corn Dance cultural film
located WPS theatre (1 p.m. & 3 p.m.)
- Lunch provided by LPTC &
Alcohol Program at Noon

Wašira

Green Corn Dance & Traditional Powwow

All dancers and singers welcome!

M.C.

- Garan Coons
- Host Drums
- New Breed

A.D.

- Craig Cleveland Jr.
Head Man Dancer
- Scott Aldrich
Head Woman Dancer
- Jonielle Smith

Dinner at 5:00 p.m.

located at BHCC gym

Grand Entry

7:00 p.m.

- Sr. Harvest Princess
Paris LaPointe
- Jr. Harvest Princess
Marleigh Littlebear

For more info, contact: Michelle Kie 402-922-0932 or Bleu St.Cyr 402-878-4135

Sponsored by:



*In the event of rain, activities will be cancelled and the powwow will be moved to the BHCC gym.
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Win up to \$500 in Free Play!

Every Thursday swipe your ClubWINN card at the kiosk and you can win \$5 to \$500 in Free Play by spinning the Winning Wheel.

Swipe your player's card at the kiosk to play!



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Saturday, October 9

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