



FOUR BEARS

SEGMENT NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2014

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Chairman Grady's' Community Update

Greetings from Councilman Frank Grady's office. We are sending you best wishes and warm regards this holiday season. Currently the Tribal Business Council is going over the budget. Councilman Grady is submitting for budget approval on the following items:

1. Request for FY 2015 Appropriation New Chief Four Bears Community Building in amount of \$14,590,000.00 for Four Bears Segment.
2. Request for FY 2015 Appropriations of \$1,500,000.00 for a 15 Lot Housing - BIA Route 2 Subdivision in Four Bears Segment.
3. Request for FY 2015 Appropriations of \$1,000,000.00 for a 20 Lot Mobile Home Park in Four Bears Segment.
4. Request for FY 2015 Appropriations of \$2,250,800.00 for an 8 Unit Housing Rental Complex Phase II to be located within Thunder Butte Subdivision in Four Bears Segment.
5. Request for FY 2015 Appropriations of \$1,500,000.00 for a 15 Lot Housing-Clarks Creek Subdivision in Four Bears Segment.
6. Request for FY 2015 Appropriations Highway Lighting Intersections in amount of \$366,700.00 for Four Bears Segment.
7. Request for FY 2015 Appropriations of \$345,009.00 for a Four Bears Athletic Program.
8. Request for FY 2015 Appropriation for 3 Daytime Police Officers and 3 Night Time Police Officers for the Four Bears Segment.

Other Budget Items:

In Support of Appropriating Money into an Emergency Fuel Assistance Program for All Tribal Members. The Budget approval is tentatively set for Regular Tribal Business Council meeting to be held January 8, 2015.

The upcoming Four Bears Christmas Party as you know will be held on December 21, 2015. A deep appreciation goes out to Whiting Oil Company. They will be bringing toys for the children.

It feels good to say, people are moving into their new homes daily as they get connect to Electricity and heating. There was a delay on the homes due to easement and right-of-way approval by the Secretary of Interior. We are moving forward again. Upon the completion of Woman Goes Out, the next area of concentration will be Thunder Butte.

At the office, all staff are required to take a drug test and Human Resources has scheduled it for this week December 8-12. The staff has been busy with the moving of the office to our new location on the Northwest side of the Tribal Building. We are located between the Human Resource Department and Contracts Department. Councilman Grady has an open door policy so come and visit us.

Community News

Four Bears Meal Site

WE WILL NOT SERVE OR DELIVER MEALS THESE DAYS:

December 10: Cooks meeting at Northern Lights

December 17: Tribal Elders Check Disbursement and meeting at 4 bears casino 11:00 AM

December 24: Admin. Leave, ½ Day

December 25: Christmas Day

December 26: Admin. Leave

Please Note: Due to safety and liability concerns four bears will not deliver meals to elders with mean dogs. four bears does not want employees afraid or bitten. Those individuals with mean dogs are still welcome to come in and eat. Lunch is served from 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM.

Four Bears cannot deliver or serve meals to anyone that is intoxicated, due to the possibility of a choking hazard. We do not want that to happen to anyone. Any questions please call 627-3155 or 627-3168

Old School Open Gym

Old School Open Gym is limited to men 35 years and older. The gym will be open Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7 pm - 9 pm at the Johnny Bird Veteran's Building.

2014 Four Bears Census

The 2014 Four Bears Census has recorded that there are 419 adults and 308 children living in the four bears segment. The census was recorded to help the Four Bears staff get an approximate count of residents for community budgeting. The budget will be used towards community functions and parties throughout the year, Homes were to include ALL individuals living in the house, including babies, enrolled or not. Ages we also asked to be listed to assist in a proper count between adults and children. If you did not complete the census, or left someone out by mistake, please stop by the Johnny Bird Veteran's Building to update your information so that we can ensure no one in our community will be left out.

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, December 17: Tribal Elders check disbursement and meeting 4 Bears Casino - 11:00 AM

Thursday, December 18: 2014 Christmas Community Outreach

Presented by White Horse Woman Outreach - Johnny Bird Veteran's Memorial Building 6:00 PM

Sunday, December 21: Four Bears Community Christmas Party

Johnny Bird Veteran's Memorial Building 1:00 PM

Wednesday, December 24: Administrative Leave, ½ Day

Thursday, December 25th - Sunday, December 28th: Christmas Vacation

Thursday January 1st - Sunday, January 4th: New year's Vacation

Thursday, January 8th: Tribal Business Council Meeting

Tuesday, January 12th: Four Bears Community Board Meeting 6:00 PM

Four Bears Segment Staff Directory

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FOUR BEARS COMMUNITY BOARD

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