Lewis Elected Governor

Monica Antone Wins Race for Lieutenant Governor

By GRIN Staff
Gila River Indian News

Lt. Gov. Stephen Roe Lewis was elected governor of the Gila River Indian Community and District 4 Council Representative Monica Antone was elected lieutenant governor in the Nov. 4 general election. Lewis defeated incumbent Gov. Gregory Mendoza and Antone won over Terrance B. Evans. The newly elected officially begin their term Jan. 1, 2015.

Lewis, who served with Mendoza for the last three years, won with 61.43 percent of the vote to Mendoza’s 37.61 percent. According the final totals, 1,145 voted for Lewis and 701 voted for Mendoza.

In a statement, Mendoza said, “I support our next governor and his vision to do what is in the best interest of our Community. Respectfully, I ask my supporters to do the same.” Both men were elected to their current posts in 2011 and served their first term in politics together.

Antone’s victory was sealed with 54.29 percent of the vote to Evans’ 44.47 percent. Evans, who is the District 7 Coordinator, served as a District 6 Council Representative prior to his current position. Antone received 1,087 votes and Evans received 825.

The five candidates elected as associate judges are Lucille Antone-Morago (incumbent), Donna Kisto-Jones (incumbent), Janice F. Breckenridge (incumbent), Lucinda M. Nier (incumbent) and Dallas De Lowe, a former associate judge.

Chief Judge Anthony Hill ran uncontested and will serve his second consecutive term. He received 93.38 percent of the vote and 1,439 ballots cast in his favor.

Governor-elect Stephen Roe Lewis and Lieutenant Governor-elect Monica Antone.

Building Young Leaders

Submitted by Gila River Health Care BHS Prevention Program

The Gila River Health Care BHS: Prevention Program participated and assisted Gila Crossing Community School with the middle school annual Star Retreat which took place in Prescott, Arizona. The Star Retreat is a 3 day camp for middle school youth which promotes leadership skills by utilizing team building workshops and activities.

The goals of the camp are to promote character, leadership, and cultural awareness among the young participants.

Gila River Health Care Prevention staff presented several workshops throughout the course of the camp. The workshops focused on team building, substance abuse prevention, and stress management. Youth were encouraged to become more involved within their community by listening to a cultural workshop which presented different cultural perspectives.

The Star Retreat also provided seventh and eighth grade students an opportunity to participate in several challenging activities which promoted the development of positive self-esteem. An example of one activity was the “High Ropes” obstacle course. This obstacle course entails participants to climb 50 feet up in the air while walking on a thin wire.

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On September 26, 2014, the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) and Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) released the Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Loop 202 South Mountain Freeway Study. Currently the Final EIS is available for a 60-day review until November 25, 2014. You are invited to attend the public forum for the opportunity to provide oral testimony or written comment on the Final EIS. ADOT and the FHWA have been invited to participate and will have representatives present. Lunch will be provided.

The Final EIS is available at:
- GRIC Service Centers
- Ira Hayes Library
- Online at azdot.gov/southmountainfreeway

Boys & Girls Club - Komatke Branch
Saturday, November 15, 2014
9am-12pm

Transportation will be provided. Contact your local Service Center.

If you are not able to attend the forum, you can still participate and give public comment to the Final EIS up until November 25, 2014 via the following:

Mail:   ADOT Loop 202 South Mountain Freeway Study
        1655 West Jackson Street, MD 126F
        Phoenix, AZ 85007

E-Mail: projects@azdot.gov

Phone: (602) 712-7006
KAI RESTAURANT EARNs THEIR NINTH CONSECUTive AAA FIVE-DIAMOND AWARD
Kai Restaurant receives AAA's Highest Honors for 2015

PHOENIX, AZ (November 5, 2014) – AAA, last week announced their list of 2015 award winners. Kai restaurant at the Sheraton Wild Horse Pass Resort & Spa was awarded their highest rating and maintained its coveted position as the solitary Five-Diamond restaurant in the state of Arizona. This announcement marks Kai’s ninth Five-Diamond designation and sets them apart as one of the prestigious few in a small group of Five-Diamond restaurants in the nation.

Kai has spent the last twelve years elevating Native American-inspired cuisine and masterful service standards to national levels of critical acclaim. The sophisticated dining experience in Kai continues to evolve with recent enhancements to Kai’s dinner menu. Kai’s cohesive team of culinary visionaries and supreme service staff insist upon staying in pursuit of the finest in epicurean offerings. Staying in step with luxury dining rooms across the nation demands a fresh, seasonal and inspired approach to menu innovation.

The new fall/winter menu, spearheaded by Kai’s Chef de Cuisine, Joshua Johnson, continues to be punctuated with seasonal, local and Native-American influences and will rotate every eight weeks.

“It is an extreme honor to once again be recognized as the finest dining establishment in the state by AAA,” said Bunny Ahlam, General Manager. “Attaining one of North America’s most respected symbols of excellence in the hospitality industry is not an easy feat. Our team recognizes this responsibility and diligently earns this recognition each new day, through an unparalleled service experience that tells the sacred story of the Pima and Maricopa People,” said Ahlam.

It’s been nearly 80 years since AAA developed the Diamond Rating System to give travelers an unbiased property-evaluation resource, and it’s still one of the only rating systems to include on-site evaluations by property inspectors,” said Linda Gorman, Communications and Public Affairs Director for AAA Arizona. “Though standards change over time to reflect the latest trends, preferences and traveler demands, the AAA Diamond Awards continue to be a coveted symbol of excellence in the hospitality industry.”

The Sheraton Wild Horse Pass Resort & Spa is a total destination resort showcasing the heritage, culture, art and legends of the Pima and Maricopa Tribes. The resort offerings include: 500 culturally themed rooms, Forbes Five-Star/AAA Five-Diamond Dining at Kai restaurant, the Forbes Four-Star Aji Spa; 36-holes of Tron-managed golf at Whirlwind Golf Club; the 1,000-acre Koli Equestrian Center, and several nearby attractions. Follow us on Facebook, Instagram @sheratonwildhorsepass and Twitter.

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THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION in the Park

On Saturday, November 22, 2014 at 11 a.m., Church on the Street and the District 6 Recreation Committee will be hosting a free turkey dinner complete with all the trimmings at the District 6 Park. Community members of all districts, district representatives and community council representatives are all invited to come out and join us.

Senior Pastor, Walt Rattray of Church on the Street has a heart for the Gila River Indian Community and has been working along with tribal member Vickie Crain for the past four years reaching out to the communities in Districts 6 and 7 through weekly outreach, providing food, furniture, clothing, and trimmings at the District 6 Park. Community members will be hosting a free turkey dinner complete with all the clothing, food, furniture and household items. Church on the Street’s mission is to go into all the world and share the gospel. Mark 16:15 “And He said unto them, ‘Go into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature.’”

Terrin McColm-Church on the Street & Vickie Crain, Tribal Member-District 6 (liaison for Gila River Indian Community)
Koli Delivers Trailriding Experience

By Mikhail Sundust
Gila River Indian News

The Wild Horse Pass Development Area has more to offer than first meets the eye. Behind the classic casino and hotel is an area of economic development rich with entertainment and relaxation destinations. From the links at Whirlwind Golf Course to the old west town of Rawhide, WHPDA is a prized desert destination. But among this diverse set of major enterprises, one business stands out as an underserved and often underestimated element of the Wild Horse Pass Area.

Koli Equestrian Center (on Koli Road behind the Sheraton) is home to the only Community member-owned small business in the Wild Horse Pass area.

“The business is Chuck’s Trail Riding Adventures... but it operates out of the Koli Equestrian Center,” explained Chuck Pablo when I visited the corral last week. The tribe owns Koli but he manages it and runs his own business on the property.

By Althea Walker
GRIC DSS

On Thursday, October 16, 2014, the Gila River Indian Community Department of Environmental Quality Pesticide Control Office accepted the Conner Byestewa, Jr. Environmental Award at the 22nd Annual Region 9 Tribal EPA Conference. The late Conner Byestewa, Jr. was the Director of Environmental Protection and the Agriculture Regulatory Office for the Colorado River Indian Tribes. The Conner Byestewa, Jr. Environmental Award is made in his honor to recognize the efforts of groups and individuals that have made and strengthened relationships and an all-around health, and the environment; to the cause of protecting human health, and the environment; and to the cause of protecting human

The Team was nominated for the award by the Inter-Tribal Council of Arizona, Inc. Environmental Director Ms. Elaine Cottrell who stated that the Pesticide Program Team deserves a number of exemplary qualities and attributes that include:

• A dedication of 13 or more years of service in safeguarding and protecting their community from unsafe use of pesticides.

The ranch has a lush, wide lawn, several shaded patios, picnic tables, an enormous outdoor cowboy grill and an arena for small groups and lessons. They also have large, 25-person trailers they use for hayrides and several stagecoaches for parades and weddings.

On this short tour of the property, I discovered there is an actual wild horse that roams through Koli quite often but never stays in the corral. They call him Henry. He’s big and white and kind of thin. He doesn’t cause any trouble and they just let him be. “That’s one of those old wild horses that’s hung around here since we got here,” said Pablo.

Pesticide Control Office

The Conner Byestewa, Jr. Environmental Award was presented to the Pesticide Program Team on their behalf by Environmental Director Ms. Elaine Wilson, who stated that the Pesticide Program Team has displayed loyalty, a dedication of 13 or more years of service in safeguarding and protecting their community from unsafe use of pesticides.

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COMMUNITY UPDATES by GRIN STAFF

Ira H. Hayes Post 84 Gets Upgrades to Facility

The Ira H. Hayes American Legion Post No. 84 will be receiving upgrades to their facilities in the coming months. On Oct. 21, a ceremony was held to initiate a building project to upgrade the aging deck and entrance leading up to the offices where post members meet.

Post Commander Urban Gift of District 6 and many of his brethren were able to gather resources to make the project happen.

Representatives from the Employment & Training Dept. and TERO were on hand to discuss the specifics on manpower, which will be provided as an in-kind service to the post.

The request for additional personnel came from the Post Commander, “We need a lot of help and we are getting a lot of help, to start out right,” said Gift. He wanted to make sure the upgrades to the facility would be done in the best way possible with the right resources.

Present from the WIA program, intern Phillip Morales a former Seabee in the U.S. Navy is part of a grant awarded to the Community provided by AmeriCorps. The AmeriCorps is a “Corporation for National and Community service,” according to their website www.nationalservice.gov.

The organization reaches out to communities across the U.S. who are in need of assistance for whatever the reason may be.

In utilizing the grant, Morales was hired to recruit veterans or those who may be interested working along side them. In the case of the building project it gives veterans a chance to work employing skills they have gained in the military.

Involved in the project, TERO will help with the manpower, utilizing trainees in craftsmanship programs to get a hands-on experience.

It will take a mixture of man and material to complete the project, which in the end will be safer and create more room for the two trailers adjacent to each other.

Ultimately, the project is beneficial on two fronts, building much needed infrastructure for the post at the hands of veterans and students seeking an occupation in building.

Halloween Fun in Gila River

By Mikhail Sundust

Gila River Indian News

Terrifying screams echoed through the gymnasium. Corpses lined the path. All that remained of a zombified recreation employee were the words “Help me!” scribbled on the wall in blood.

“No, it’s just paint,” said Sayan Jackson, 8 years old, with all confidence. “I saw them putting it on there.”

Okay, so maybe it wasn’t the scariest haunted house if you saw it being made. But it was enough to cling younger children to their parents like eats out of a bathtub. And everyone else got a good laugh out of it.

The Gila River Recreation Department did a great job decorating the Wellness Center inside and out. DJ Lokey and DJ Sejeme dropped a beat and brought the heat – maybe that’s why it was still in the 80s so late in October. A number of other GRIC groups like Akimel O’odham/Peo-Posh Youth Council and Miss Gila River royalty set up games for kids and gave away candy.

Hundreds of people marched down the 2-mile Trail of Doom zombie walk up Main Street, around Seed Farm Road down Cholla and back to the Wellness Center. Dozens more ran in the 5K zombie walk up Main Street.

By going down the Trail of Doom, the GRPD Halloween Carnival offered free burgers and hot dogs.

On the other side of town the Gila River Police Department was hosting its own Halloween event with free burgers and hot dogs. Kids scored more candy with games and families learned about Community programs like the Prevention Coalition, which fights drug use and suicide. Meanwhile, the Ira Hayes Veterans Post 884 gave away gifts via Toys for Tots.
Ticket Winners Watch Cardinals Win in Arlington

Eugene Moffett, far left, and Erika Hernandez, far right, with their guests at AT&T Stadium on Nov. 2.

Two Gila River Indian Community employees were among the 85,688 fans at AT&T Stadium in Arlington, Texas for the showdown between the Arizona Cardinals and the Dallas Cowboys, two first place teams and former division rivals. Erika Hernandez and Eugene Moffett won the tickets at this year’s annual employee picnic for the game on Nov. 2. Hernandez and Moffett attended the game with a guest each and, while wearing Cardinal red, they watched the Cardinals rack up a road win against the Cowboys, 28-17.

Hernandez is a Recreation Coordinator for District 5 and Moffett works at Transportation. - GRN Staff
Red Ribbon Walk in D5

By Christopher Lomahquahu
Gila River Indian News

In the Community students took to the road promoting a healthy lifestyle free of substance abuse. An organized event called the Red Ribbon walk held in collaboration between Casa Blanca schools, District 5 recreation, and the Gila River Prevention Coalition was held on Oct. 24.

Out supporting the students’ efforts were Gov. Gregory Mendoza and Lt. Gov. Stephen R. Lewis, and District Four Council Representative Monica Antone.

The route took the students back across Casa Blanca Road to District 5 ball field where the youths got to finish walking through a red banner. At the end, faculty and Community health workers cheered them on as they crossed the line.

Afterwards a small rally was held where Gov. Mendoza, Lt. Gov. Lewis, and Councilwoman Antone expressed their gratitude for the students.

Gov. Mendoza urged that the high school students be the example and should think of their future and of the younger ones. “It’s going take you to tell your families that drugs are not good for our Community, you high school students that are here, let’s set the example for these little ones,” said Mendoza.

To inspire the youths about the importance of receiving a quality education he said that “you are our future, we need you to continue your education, I am proud of all of you.”

“This is a very special day, by taking a pledge to be healthy and drug free,” said Lt. Gov. Lewis. He focused on the need to be in control making positive choices saying, “We need you to be healthy and to learn how to make good decisions.”

Councilwoman Antone thanked the Gila River Prevention Coalition, District 5, schools, and GRHC for their work in putting together the event. Antone’s message to the students centered on the importance of being together in curbing drug usage saying, “Be with each other and be united, to be drug free.”

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The course ends with participants jumping from a tree to a bar which allows them to propel down a rope to the ground. Not all youth participated in the “High Ropes” activity, but all youth were engaged during the activity by cheering, supporting, and shouting words of encouragement to the people going through the course. Overall, youth shared positive and supportive feedback on their camp experience and said they would take the message they learned from camp back to educate their school, peers, families and community.

Prevention

What to Know About Ebola

Many of you have heard of the recent outbreak in Africa with a disease named Ebola. Here are a few facts:

What Is Ebola?

Ebola is a virus that causes a serious illness, often fatal, that affects the kidneys and liver.

How Is It Spread?

Ebola is NOT spread in the air or through food. It is spread to others ONLY through direct contact with blood or other bodily fluids of an Ebola infected person who is showing symptoms.

Is There A Danger Of Ebola Spreading in The U.S.?

The risk of an outbreak in the United States is very low. It is important to remember that in order to develop the disease, you must have traveled to Africa OR have had direct contact with an Ebola infected person with symptoms.

The Center for Disease Control (CDC) has instructed ALL hospitals to ask ALL patients if they have recently traveled out of the country.

Most people who become infected with Ebola are those who live with or care for people who already caught the disease and are showing symptoms.

If you had contact with a person with recent travel to Africa who is sick, seek medical attention. Symptoms may appear anywhere from 2-21 days after exposure to Ebola.

WHAT CAN YOU DO?

- Wash your hands frequently with soap and water or use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer.
- Avoid contact with blood and bodily fluids of any person.
- Do not handle items that may have come in contact with a person's blood or bodily fluids.
- Clean and disinfect high-touch areas.
- Keep medications up to date: avoid flu vaccination, Tetanus (prevent pertussis), Pneumovax (prevent pneumonia), etc.
- Avoid casual contact and keep a 3 foot radius from an Ebola infected person with symptoms.

Health Resource Department - Gila River Indian Community
Sacaton: (520) 562-5100  -  Komatke: (520) 562-5100

Learn about prevention, risks, and other up-to-date info, by visiting the CDC website:
http://www.cdc.gov/ nh/ebola

Would You Like to Participate in the O'Odham Village Demonstration at the 2015 Arizona Indian Festival?

Seeking the Following:

- Traditional Dance Groups (O’Odham & Pee Posh)
- Bead Artists
- Pottery Makers
- Basket Makers
- Artists

Contact Shannon Redbird at 520-562-9859
Shannon.Redbird@gric.nsn.us

This event is in conjunction with the 2015 Superbowl festivities.

Deadline - 12/5/14
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Naranjo, Art - District Three (3)
Sulley, J. Dallas - District Four (4)

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COMMUNITY COUNCIL ACTION SHEETS

November 7, 2014

ACTION SHEET
Community Council, PO Box 2138, Sacaton, Arizona 85147; Phone (520) 562-9720, Fax (520) 562-9729

CALL TO ORDER
The Second Regular Monthly Meeting of the Community Council
held Wednesday October 15, 2014, in the Community Council
Chamber in the Governance Center in Sacaton, Arizona
was called to order by President Chairman Gregory Men-
doza at 9:12 a.m.

INVOCATION
Provided by Councilwoman Carol Schuz

ROLL CALL
Sign-In Sheet Circulated
Executive Officers Present:
Governor Gregory Mendoza
Lt. Governor Stephen R. Lewis
Council Members Present:
D1- Franklin Pablo, Sr.; D2- Mark Jogg; D3-Carol Schuz; D3-Rodney Jackson; D4- Monica Antone (9:30), Jennifer Allison (9:15), Christopher Mendoza; D5- Brian Davis, Sr., Robert Stone, Franklin Pablo, Sr., D6- Anthony Villanueva, Sr., Albert Pablo, Sandra Nasewytewa, D7- Devin Redbird
Council Members Absent:
D3- Carolyn Williams; D4-Vacant; D5-Janice F. Stewart

APPROVAL OF AGENDA
APPROVED AS AMENDED

PRESENTATIONS/INTRODUCTIONS
1. Rebecca Rios, State Representative Candidate
Presenters: Dale Gutenson, Ronald R. Rosier

APPROVED

MOTION MADE AND SECOND TO APPROVE

councilman Devlin Redbird provided MS. REBECCA
Rios’s Brief Biography. MS. Rios Informed Coun-
cilman Devin Redbird of her political background and
had been involved in several community affairs and
helped to develop several community projects.
Presenters: Phil Bonds

APPROVED

TABLED AT APPROVAL OF AGENDA

2. Head Start Program Staffing Analysis
Presenters: Mario Molina

APPROVED

TABLED AT APPROVAL OF AGENDA

3. Gila River Indian Community Hardee Consulting For Fiscal Year
Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Hardee Economics For Fiscal Year

APPROVED

Presenters: Linus Everling, Thomas Murphy

APPROVED

Resolution Approving And Authorizing An Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Franzoy Consulting, Inc. For Fiscal Year 2015 (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Lusia Everling, Thomas Murphy

APPROVED

Resolution Approving And Authorizing An Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Gokkin Hydrology, PLC PLC For Fiscal Year 2015 (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Lusia Everling, Thomas Murphy

APPROVED

7. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing An Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Hardee Consulting For Fiscal Year 2015 (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Lusia Everling, Thomas Murphy

APPROVED

8. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing An Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Peter Mock Groundwater Consulting, Inc. For Fiscal Year 2015 (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Lusia Everling, Thomas Murphy

APPROVED

9. A Resolution Approving And Authorizing An Agreement Between The Gila River Indian Community And Hardee Consulting For Fiscal Year 2015 (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Lusia Everling, Thomas Murphy

APPROVED

10. A Resolution Approving And Amendment To The Residential Housing Improvement Program Allowing Successor(s) in Interest To Substitute Their Name(s) For The Original Approved Applicant In The Event Of Death Of The Applicant (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Robert G. Keller

APPROVED

11. A Resolution Approving The Write-Off Of Four Accounts Between 2003-2014 Due To The Customers Declarative Death And The Delinquent Amounts Are Uncollectable (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

12. A Resolution Authorizing And Approving The Termination Of Per Capita Trust Accounts And Directing The Distribution Of Trust Assets To Certain Beneficiaries (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

13. A Resolution Approving The Transfer Of The Gila River Indian Community Business Enterprise Liquor License To The Sun Valley Marina Development Company For The Use At Events Held At The Wild Horse Pass Motorsports Park (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Denton Robinson, Ronald R. Rosier

APPROVED

14. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Arizona Department Of Education

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

15. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Maricopa For The Maricopa Police Department Regional Emergency Operations Center and Training Facility (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

16. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Maricopa County Department Of Transportation, Revealing Narratives: Pozos De Sonoqui Cultural Heritage And Its Inter-

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

17. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Town of Queen Creek For The Community Paramedic Program (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

18. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Town of Gilbert For the Gilbert Police Department Of Arizona Crime Prevention Bolocop Project (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

19. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Maricopa County Department Of Transportation, Revealing Narratives: Pozos De Sonoqui Cultural Heritage And Its Inter-

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

20. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Town Of Queen Creek For The Community Paramedic Program (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

21. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Pinal County Sheriff’s Office Regional SWAT Improvement Project (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

22. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Maricopa For The Maricopa Police Department Regional Emergency Operations Center and Training Facility (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

23. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Maricopa For The Maricopa Police Department Regional Emergency Operations Center and Training Facility (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

24. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Maricopa For The Maricopa Police Department Regional Emergency Operations Center and Training Facility (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

25. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Maricopa For The Maricopa Police Department Regional Emergency Operations Center and Training Facility (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

26. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City of Phoenix For Junior Achievement of Arizona, Jr. Biztown (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

27. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Maricopa For The Maricopa Police Department Regional Emergency Operations Center and Training Facility (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

APPROVED

Presenters: Cheryl Pablo

APPROVED

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Foundation for Children At Risk Program (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

28. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Casa Grande Planning and Development Department For The Owner Occupied Housing Rehabilitation Program (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

29. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Mesa For The Mesa Police Department Rape Aggres-

sion Defense (RAD: Education and Training (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

30. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Maricopa County For Audubon Arizona, Nature In Your Neighbor-

hood (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recom-

mendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

31. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Maricopa County For Girl Scouts - Arizona Cactus-Pine Council, Inc. Leadership Center for Girls (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

32. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Mesa For For University’s Native Students Achieving Health Care Professions Program (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

33. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Maricopa County For Childhelp, Inc. Children’s Center of Arizona (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

34. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Casa Grande For The Casa Grande Valley Historical Society, Educational Program Enhancement (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

35. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Mesa For For University’s Native Students Achieving Health Care Professions Program (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

36. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To Final County For Regional Fire And Rescue Department, Fire-Rescue Truck Construction Project (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

37. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Tempe Community Development/Housing Services, Family Self Sufficiency Program (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

38. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Elroy For The Elroy Municipal Court Video and Audio Arrangement Equipment (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

39. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Elroy For The Elroy Police Department On-Officer Taser Axon Camera Systems (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

40. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Mesa For Mesa Grande Cultural Park Educational Outreach (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

41. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Maricopa County For The Daisy Mountain Fire District Type 3 Wild Land Engine (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

42. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Phoenix For The Children’s Museum And Phoenix Multi-Purpose Room (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

43. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The Maricopa County For The Family Self Sufficiency Project (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

44. A Resolution Approving A Grant Award From The Gila River Indian Community’s State Shared Gaming Revenues To The City Of Phoenix For The University’s Native Students Achieving Health Care Professions Program (G&MSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED AT RESOLUTION #14

45. A Resolution Approving A Fifty (50) Year Homestead Assign-ment Agreement For April Crawford Located In District Three Of The Gila River Indian Reservation And Designated As Drawing No. 33614-0709 (NRSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Pamela Pasqual
TABLED AT APPROVAL OF AGENDA

46. A Resolution Approving A Fifty (50) Year Homestead Assign-ment Agreement For Antonelli Antone Located In District Four Of The Gila River Indian Reservation And Designated As Drawing No. 33614-0709 (NRSC motioned to forward to Council with recommendation of approval)

PRESENTER: Pamela Pasqual
TABLED AT APPROVAL OF AGENDA

47. A Resolution Adopting The Gila River Police Department To Enter Into An Agreement With The City Of Phoenix Police Department For Access And Use Of The National Integrated Ballistic Information Network (LSC forwards to the Council with recommendation for approval)

PRESENTER: Kathleen Kirkham
APPROVED
ORDINANCES

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Elections Update (Executive Session) (G&MSC motioned to forward to Community Council) MOtion MADE AND SECOND TO PROCEED WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS

PRESENTER: Scott Butler

2. South Mountain – FEIS Update (Executive Session) (G&MSC motioned to forward to Community Council)

PRESENTER: Cheryl Pablo
APPROVED

EXECISE SPECIAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CRIMINAL JURISDICTION UNDER VAWA MANDATING EFFECTED COMMUNITY DEPARTMENTS TO PARTICIPATE THE VAWA WORK GROUP; FURTHER RE- DIRECTING THE DEPARTMENT TO SUBMIT WHITE PAPERS ON THE POTENTIAL IMPACT OF VAWA JURISDICTION MOTION MADE AND SECOND TO DIRECT THE GOVERNOR TO APPOINT REPRESENTATIVES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE INTER-TRIBAL WORK GROUP NEW BUSINESS

1. GRTI Resolution (G&MSC motioned to forward to Community Council with recommendation of support and proceed with this Resolution to NCAI; EDSC concurs)

PRESENTER: GRTI Board of Directors
MOtion MADE AND SECOND TO SUPPORT AND PROCEED WITH THIS RESOLUTION TO NCAI

2. Tribal Social Services Access to Criminal History Record Information (HSSC: motioned to forward to Council to authorize the Executive Office to engage in all necessary efforts and lobbying of Community’s lobbyist to access to criminal history record information by TSS, LSC concurs)

PRESENTER: Emma Storer
TABLED AT APPROVAL OF AGENDA

3. Art Work – Services (Executive Session) (G&MSC motioned to forward to Community Council)

PRESENTER: Teri-Lynne Kisto
TABLED AT APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MINUTES

1. June 16, 2014 (Regular)
APPROVED

2. September 5, 2014 9 a.m. (Special)
APPROVED

3. September 5, 2014 3:45 p.m. (Special)
APPROVED

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. CULTURAL RESOURCES WORKING GROUP FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2014, 9AM, CCOS CONFERENCE ROOMS B& C

2. PMA LEASING WORK SESSION OCTOBER 16, 2014, 9AM, WILD HORSE PASS HOTEL & CASINO

3. NATIONAL Indian CHILD WELFARE CONFERENCE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2014, 9AM WILD HORSE PASS HOTEL & CASINO

3. PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR COUNCILWOMAN CAROLYN WILLIAMS’ FAMILY

PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR JANET WILLIAMS’ FAMILY

ADJOURNMENT

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 12:54pm

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