Show your support for our local history

Luuwii (thank you) for considering supporting the TCP. This nomination recognizes the endurance and perseverance of the Tribal identity

Why Support the Traditional Cultural Property Nomination?

- You recognize and understand the connection to the Coos community has to Coos Bay

- You recognize the significance of the contributing resources and their value in retaining cultural practice and beliefs for future generations of the Coos People.

- This application is successful in making the case that this area has continuously reflected broad patterns in the use of the area by the Coos. The effort implied in the application is reflective of a proportional effort to steward resources important for Coos identity.

- The State Advisory Committee on Historic Preservation, a group comprised of technical experts and Governor appointed members, unanimously recommended this application for review by the National Park Service based on the merits of the application.

- You have reviewed the *Q'alya Ta Kukwis Shichdii Me* Traditional Cultural Property (TCP) application on the SHPO website, and believe that it should be determined eligible or listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

There are a few different ways that you, as local citizens/landowners can support our Traditional Cultural Property Nomination. You can do so by writing a letter of support addressed to the National Park Service and the State Historic Preservation Office within the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department.

By MAIL
Oregon Parks and Recreation Department
State Historic Preservation Office
RE: Kukwis shichdii Historic District
725 Summer Street NE, Suite C
Salem, OR 97301

By EMAIL: **ORSHPO.NationalRegisterProgram@oregon.gov**

We encourage everyone to learn more about our TCP and contact us with questions!

Our Frequently Asked Questions webpage has several key definitions relevant to understanding our TCP and responses to common misunderstandings about what a TCP is, why we are doing it!