

DISCLOSURE – CONGRESSMAN RAYMOND RED CORN
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This disclosure is offered in narrative form for clarity. Any additional questions may be directed to Congressman Red Corn c/o the Osage Nation Congress, P.O. Box 1449, Pawhuska, Oklahoma, 74056, or rredcorn@osagetribe.com.

General comments

Below is an examination of three areas pertaining to my personal business holdings and those of my immediate family. They include

1. Red Corn & Myers, Inc. a corporation owned by me and my business partner, Jerry L. Myers,
2. Fully Involved, Inc., a corporation owned by my wife, Louise S. Red Corn, and
3. various businesses owned by my son, Thomas Ryan Red Corn of Pawhuska.

Red Corn & Myers

Upon my return to Pawhuska in 2003, my partner Jerry Myers and I founded a company to purchase and remodel downtown commercial property in Pawhuska. I own 51% of the company. During our first major remodel, we became aware of a dilapidated property on 6th Street, purchased it, and began necessary interior demolition.

I contacted the Osage Nation to inquire if any program or department needed office space, and was informed that the Osage Tax Commission was considering expansion and relocation. Red Corn & Myers worked with the Tax Commission to custom design a 3000 square foot office to be constructed inside the shell of the recently acquired property. The property designated for the Tax Commission was one of five downtown properties under development by Red Corn & Myers, and was the only property leased by an Osage Nation entity.

An agreement was negotiated whereby the building would be completely rebuilt (except for the exterior walls) to the specifications of the Tax Commission and leased to the Commission at a rate of \$1900/month for a term of 42 months (through November, 2007) with an option to renew. The Osage Tribal Council approved the plans and the lease.

In June of 2006, I was elected to Congress, and the lease executed in 2003 was still in force and effect as a legally binding contract.

As the expiration of the 42-month lease approached in the fall of 2007, the Tax Commission requested, in writing, to continue their lease. The Rules and Ethics Committee of the Congress took up the issue. As a member of the Rules and Ethics Committee, I physically excused myself from the meeting when the issue was discussed and voted upon. The Committee made the determination that renewing the lease would be unacceptable under the Constitution. The Tax Commission relocated to older offices next door, and the property vacated by the Osage Tax Commission was leased the following month to Edwin Fair Community Mental Health.

Fully Involved, Inc.

My wife, Louise Red Corn, has been a journalist for most of her working life. She has worked for Time Magazine, as a photographer for the United Nations, and as a reporter for the Knight-Ridder chain of newspapers, including stints in Raleigh, NC, Biloxi, MS, Detroit, MI and Lexington, KY.

We married in 2004, and she went to work for the Tulsa World covering Osage and Creek counties in 2005. In February of 2006, we learned that the Barnsdall Times was for sale. We formed a corporation, Fully Involved, Inc., and signed papers to purchase the paper outright in February, 2006, prior to my filing as a candidate for the 2006 election.

At the end of 2006 I signed over my share of Fully Involved, Inc. to Louise. From that time forward, she has owned 100% of the newspaper. In 2007 the name of the newspaper was changed to the Bigheart Times in honor of the town's original name and the Oklahoma Centennial.

At no time has the Bigheart Times solicited advertising from the Osage Nation or its subsidiaries. The Bigheart Times does receive and accept advertising from those entities. The Bigheart Times has accepted invitations to meetings where all media vendors of the Million Dollar Elm casinos were invited. The Bigheart Times has the second largest circulation of any weekly newspaper in the county. Only the Skiatook Journal has a larger circulation.

From January 1, 2009 through September 27, 2009, advertising from Osage Nation programs and casinos represented 8.96% of the Bigheart Times total advertising revenues.

The Osage Nation Congress, by its nature as a legislative branch, exercises no control over any choice of media that the Nation's programs or business enterprises may make when placing advertisements.

Businesses owned by Ryan Red Corn

My oldest son, Ryan Red Corn, owns a several related businesses housed in one building in downtown Pawhuska. Ryan graduated with a degree in Fine Arts from Kansas

University in 2004, and went directly to self-employment, starting Red Hand Media that same year. His business now employs 5 full-time persons, all Osages, none of whom are related to the Red Corn family. Several Osage Nation programs and events have used his services since 2003.

His other clients include:

- Smithsonian's National Museum of the American Indian
- Native American Rights Fund
- National Congress of American Indians
- United States Department of Defense
- Sony Music
- Hard Rock Cafe
- Lucky Star Casino
- PBS
- Sundance Film Institute
- Head Start
- Washington University of St. Louis
- Cornell University
- Harvard
- UNITY
- Native Vote
- Native Americans in Philanthropy
- Roots & Rights (Canada)
- Wichita Public Schools
- Notah Begay III Foundation
- Crazy Crow
- Albertsons
- The Heard Museum
- University of Illinois
- Native American Community Development Institute (NACDI)
- Wisconsin Department of Transportation, and others.

Tribal clients include:

- Chickasaw Nation
- Cheyenne & Arapaho
- Chemhuevi Nation (California)
- Tulalip Tribes
- Sac and Fox Nation
- Osage Nation
- Prairie Band Potawatomi
- Standing Rock Sioux Nation
- Prairie Island Band of Mdewakanton Dakota

- Pawnee Nation
- Mandan, Hidatsa & Arikara Nation
- Chiefs in Ontario (Canada) (organization of 32 Tribes in Ontario, Canada)
- San Manuel Band of Mission Indians (California)
- Ioway (Baxoje) Language Dept
- Central Tribes of the Shawnee Area
- Muscogee Creek Nation

His firm offers branding and graphic design services, and also designs, markets, and prints t-shirts for customers across the U.S. About 10% of sales are international.

The Osage Nation and all Osage Nation business subsidiaries combined represent an estimated 6.9% of his companies' business receipts so far in 2009.

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