



JENNY'S NEWSLETTER

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*"When the people fear the government, that's tyranny
When the government fears the people, that's liberty."*

Thomas Jefferson

SECOND WIND

Good morning to all, this fine Wednesday morning! It's good to have awakened to a fresh start today after having regained enough energy to write this hopefully uplifting and informative letter to you, my friends of the great Osage.

I want to thank each of you who supported me during the campaign and will be forever grateful for the experience and knowledge I have gained through this endeavor. Having had the opportunity to meet many of you and become reacquainted with many friends of years ago has been a great honor and privilege of which I would have missed had I not entered the race for Congress. I have much to be thankful for and much to look forward to.

Because my heart and soul are so connected to the welfare of the Osage people, I cannot bring myself to walk away. I will continue to write the news but perhaps not as regularly as I have in the past. At some point, hopefully soon, I will become employed somewhere on the hill in

order to do good works for the betterment of government affairs or direct service to the Osage people in a different form rather than elected office. I ask this time for your prayers rather than votes to help me achieve this new goal.

REPORTED RESULTS

The results that have been reported in the Osage News are **unofficial** at this time.

Today, Wednesday, June 9, at 10:00 a.m. the Election Board will retrieve all absentee ballots that were not received by Election Day, June 7th, but were post marked prior to the 7th. These ballots will be counted and added to the votes reported in the Osage News. These votes could affect the outcome of the Congressional race; therefore, the official count will not be available to us until this process is completed.

WHAT HAPPENED?

Though I didn't win so far as we know at 8:00 a.m. this morning; we, the Osage people won overall by ousting Jim Gray from the office of Principle Chief.

Cutting off the head of the snake is always the answer when attempting to move away from tyranny. This we did in fine fashion.

There will be a run-off election on July 19 for Chief and Assistant Chief. On the ballot will be:

CHIEF

- John D. Red Eagle
- Tim Tall Chief

ASSISTANT CHIEF

- Scott BigHorse
- Amanda Proctor

HOW IT WORKS

- Those of you who received an Absentee Ballot without any problems for the first election will automatically receive one for this run-off election.
- Those of you who requested an Absentee Ballot but never received one should send in an Application for one in order to secure you get one this time around.
- Those of you, who voted in person on the 7th but will not be able

to on the 19th, need to make Application for an Absentee Ballot.

The application for an absentee ballot is attached to this newsletter for your convenience. This is the same application used for the General Election and I have checked with the Election Board to confirm that this same application is to be used for the run-off election.

REMEMBER. If you received an absentee ballot for the General Election, you do not need to apply for another one; you will automatically receive one for the run-off.

Anyone who is concerned with the handling of the General Election should consider concentrating on receipts of delivery when mailing your applications and absentee ballots, such as Certified Return Receipt Requested.

MINERALS COUNCIL

The list of your new Minerals Council as reported in the Osage News is also unofficial but most likely dependable. Until the Minerals Council Election Board posts the Certified list here is what is being reported:

- Cynthia Boone
- Dudley Whitehorn
- Melvin Core

- Curtis O. Bear
- Andrew Yates
- Galen Crum
- Joseph Abbot, Jr.
- Myron Red Eagle

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Petition to Remove Edwards

We still have the unfinished business of petitioning Congress to remove Shannon Edwards from Congress due to excessive absenteeism. I had the petition up on the hill on Monday the 7th and there were times that a line actually formed of people wanting to sign the petition.

This is a HOT TOPIC and one that the Osage people are clearly adamant about. Those of you who are unable to sign the petition in person wherever it may be available are urged to print it from the attachment provided with this newsletter, sign it and send it to me: Jenny M. Miller, P.O. Box 3165, Bartlesville, OK 74006. In order for our voices to be heard on this matter, a substantial amount of signatures must be on the petition.

Now that it is evident that Jim Gray will be leaving the building, many of you should be able to breathe more easily and be way less fearful to sign. Today is a new day and we must stand up to the plate to do what is best for

our government, therefore, our tribe.

Now is the time for us, the body of citizens of this government, to set the standard, the tone and the example of which we expect our elected officials abide.

The petition will be available for your signature on the hill on July 19th for the run-off election and most likely at the Landrum Center provided the Osage Shareholders Association plan to offer the shuttle service again. More information will be provided as it is received.

Networking

The mission to organize across the country for the sake of Osages, who live afar, is still on my agenda. I'm happy to help wherever possible provided those of you out there are interested in helping yourselves.

Anyone interested in forming online groups in your area, please let me know by e-mailing me at: jenny2010@cablone.net or calling 918-260-5712. I'm happy to post contact information on the website for people to make connections with you. www.jenny2010.com

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