Form 1: Description of the Community

-Overview-
FORM 1: Description of the Community - Overview

What is the location, important geology and climate? The Burns Paiute Reservation, elevation 4,147', is located on the high desert in Harney County, OR.

The average temperature for this area is 44.45°, with an annual high of 59.1°, and an annual low of 28.8°. The average annual rainfall is between 10.89"-12" (the US average is 37"); the average annual snowfall is between 35"-45.3" (the US average is 25").

TOTAL AREA OF RESERVATION: 781 acres

TOTAL WATER AREA: None

TOTAL LAND AREA: 781 acres Reservation land
966.4 Trust Land
8,761 acres Fee Land
7,014 acres Allotted Lands

HOUSING UNITS: There are currently 52 homes on the Reservation

What is total population and age distribution? The total number of enrolled Burns Paiute Tribal members is 403. According to a survey conducted in March of 2015, the total population on the Reservation is 142. This number consists of 37 adult males, 43 adult females, and 62 children. Elders make up 13 of the total number of Tribal members on the Reservation; children make up 62 of the total population. Altogether, there are 37 males and 43 females currently living on the Reservation

What is the main form of transportation to? car

What is the nearest hub community? Burns and Hines are towns adjacent to the Reservation. The nearest city is Bend, OR, which is 134 miles away.

How long in this location region? The Burns Paiute people have always hunted, fished and camped in this area throughout history. They were forced off the land at one point by the US government, but were allowed back in 1887. Although the federal government granted federal recognition to the Tribe in 1968, clear title on their land was not issued until 1972.

What events shaped this community?
- White settlers moving into the area.
- Smallpox, cholera epidemics
- Being forced onto a Reservation
- US government breaking its promise of much larger Reservation.
- Loss of local jobs
- Loss of hunting/fishing rights
What languages? All of the people on the Reservation speak English. Very few speak their native language. The Tribe is looking into starting up a Language program.

What role does subsistence have? Many of the Tribal members continue to hunt and fish. There is some gathering. No one is completely reliant on these things.

What is ethnic distribution? According to the survey done in March of 2015, sixty-nine residents were identified as Tribal members, 66 non-Tribal members and another 6 did not specify.

What type of local government?
Native Council of Burns Paiute Tribe = The Burns Paiute Tribal Council consists of 7 elected members: Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary, Sergeant at Arms and 3 Council Members.

Staggered Elections – Elected Tribal Council Members serve staggered terms of 3 years.

What utilities and who manages them?
Electricity: Oregon Trail Electric Cooperative
Water/Sewer: 2 Tribal wells Hooked onto Burns City Sewer
Landfill: Harney County

What is basis for the economy? There is a small agricultural business on the Reservation. The Tribal Administration is the only other employer on the Reservation now that the Casino/RV park, Restaurant have closed.

What are the critical issues facing the Tribe? Lack of jobs, lack of recreational opportunities, diabetes, and the disenfranchisement of the Tribal people.

Average Income is $20,000.

Sources to Help

- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers -- Flood Plain Management
- Local knowledge/elders
- U.S. Census Bureau
- University of Oregon
- U.S.D.A. Natural Resources Conservation Service
- U.S. Geological Survey
- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
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-The People-
FORM 2: Description of the Community: The People

(Fill in the blank information below to give an overall description of the population of your community)

142. Total Current Population  
69. Number of Native Americans  
62. Number of people under 18  
13. Number of people over 60  
145. Total population as of last US Census  
26. Number of students in elementary school K-5  
13. Number of students in middle school  
12. Number of students in high school  
2. Number of students in alternative school  
?. Infant birth and death rate

Year of last US Census: 2000  
Date: March 9, 2015  
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What are the major recurring health problems in your community?

Diabetes  
Alcoholism  
Rheumatoid Arthritis  
Hypertension

Sources to Help

- U.S. Census Bureau  
- Local school district  
- Health clinic  
- Regional non-profits
Attachment C

Form 3: Description of the Community

-Education, Jobs and Income-
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Education, Jobs and Income

(Answer the questions below to provide an overview of education, jobs, and income in your community.)

___41___ Number of full-time jobs          ___13___ Number of part-time jobs
___5___ Number of seasonal jobs             ___5___ Number of people looking for work
___13___ Number of individuals on public assistance    ___22___ Food assistance USDA
___20,000___ Median household income (contested) . Source: ___2010 US Census___

☐ YES    ☐ NO  Is your tribal government paid in full to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS)?

___3___ Number of high school graduates last year?    ___2014___ Year
___3___ Number of students who went to college last year?    ___2012-2013___ Year
___1___ Number of students who went to trade school last year?  ___2013-2014___ Year
___0___ Number of high school graduates last year?     _________ Year

What jobs are available for high school graduates?  Seasonal with Natural Resources depending on their budget

What types of educational programs exist in your community? Treasure Valley Community College and Eastern Oregon University Outreach

List the employers in your community and the number of people employed by each:

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Sources to help
- U.S. Census Bureau
- Local employers
- Regional non-profits
- Tribal Council
ATTACHMENT D

Form 4: Description of the Community
-The Land and the Environment-
FORM 4: Description of the Community
The Land and Environment

Do your best to answer the following questions on land and environment:

1. **Who are the major landowners surrounding your Reservation?** (see attached map and key)

2. **What was the land entitlement for the Reservation?**
   781 acres of Reservation land and 7,014 acres Allotted Lands

3. **How many acres of fee land does the Tribe currently own?** 8,761 acres Fee Land

4. **How many acres of trust land does the Tribe currently own?** 966.4 Trust Land

5. **Where is the community water source?** Private wells.

6. **Where does the community get its gravel?** ACW Rock & Ready Mix

7. **Are there any contaminated sites in your community?** (oil spills, hazardous waste disposal, old military) **Describe these.** None of which the Tribe is aware.

8. **Are there any old landfills?** Elders have said that there is a site, but it has never been verified. **Where are they located?** One old dump site is at the bottom of the hill that goes up to administration. On the other side of the road. The rumored dump site is up by the cemetery that is near administration.

9. **Do you have an environmental and/or natural resources person employed in your community?** List the positions below:
   - Fisheries Program Manager
   - Natural Resources Director
   - Wildlife Program Manager
   - Fish & Wildlife Technician
   - Environmental Manager
   - Environmental Technician
   - Fishery Technician
   - Fishery Biologist

10. **Does your community have an environmental plan?** No
    If so, what are the top five priorities identified in your plan? N/A
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