



## COUNCIL STUDY SESSION

Chachalu Museum and Cultural Center  
8720 Grand Ronde Rd, Grand Ronde, OR 97347  
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## MINUTES

MARCH 8, 2022

**Council Present:** Councilors Lisa Batey, Angel Falconer, Desi Nicodemus, Council President Kathy Hyzy, and Mayor Mark Gamba

**Staff Present:** Jon Hennington, Equity Program Manager      Ann Ober, City Manager  
Adam Moore, Parks Development Coordinator      Scott Stauffer, City Recorder  
Katie Newell, Library Director

Council and city staff departed Milwaukie at approximately 12:00 p.m.

### **1. Museum Exhibits – Tour**

The group arrived at Grand Ronde at approximately 1:30 p.m. and participated in a tour of the museum hosted by Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde (CTGR) staff.

The group recessed for a break at 2:19 p.m. and reconvened at 2:33 p.m.

It was noted that Mayor Gamba arrived at Grand Ronde at 2:25 p.m.

### **2. CTGR Council and City Council – Discussion**

The City Council and city staff participated in a discussion on the topics listed below with CTGR Tribal Council Vice Chair Chris Mercier, Secretary Michael Langley, Member Denise Harvey, CTGR Cultural Resources Manager David Harrleson, and CTGR Artist and Curator Travis Stewart.

The group discussed Chachalu Museum programming and exhibits, the ongoing First Fish Heron art works project at Milwaukie Bay Park and an art mural at the Milwaukie branch of the United State Post Office, the history and current state of CTGR membership, Indian history and cultural education resources, and library, health clinic, and housing services provided by the Tribe. They also commented on the possibility of future city visits to Grand Ronde and opportunities for Milwaukie and Grand Ronde communities to collaborate, including library visits, CTGR participating in the future use of the current Milwaukie city hall, the removal of the Kellogg Creek Dam, and support for affordable housing in the Portland metropolitan region.

### **3. Adjourn**

The group left Grand Ronde around 3:30 p.m. and returned to Milwaukie by 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Scott Stauffer, City Recorder

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