

BISHOP TRIBAL COUNCIL

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Bishop Paiute Tribal Council Comments Burial Assistance

July 19, 2021: The Bishop Paiute Tribal Council has received numerous questions regarding burial assistance. The Bishop Paiute Tribe provides full assistance for the Bishop Paiute tribal membership for cry dance set-up on the Bishop Paiute Reservation, a set amount for mortuary expenses, grave digging at Sunland Cemetery and related expenses as approved on a case-by-case basis, if necessary, to outlying areas.

The Bishop Paiute Tribal Council acknowledges member-tribes and the close relationship we share; however, the Bishop Paiute Tribe has experienced a serious deficit in program revenue and is unable to continue to provide cry dance set-up, etc. to other reservations without monetary assistance of the other Tribe's leadership acknowledging responsibility for their own tribal members. Correspondence has been forwarded to the other tribes for their information.

For more information, please call the Bishop Paiute Tribal Office at 760-873-3584 ext. 1300.

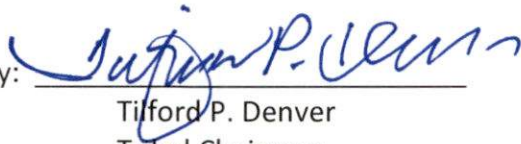
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The Bishop Paiute Tribe is a federally recognized Indian tribe located on its 879-acre Bishop Paiute Reservation in Inyo County, California. The Reservation was formed under Congressional Act 5299, P.L. No. 43 of April 20, 1937. The Tribe is committed to the well-being of its people. For more information please contact the Bishop Paiute Tribe at (760) 873-3584.

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