



PetSmart signs on to Tikahtnu Commons

National pet products retailer adds in-store pet hotel

National pet products and services retailer PetSmart signed a lease for a new store at Tikahtnu Commons in early April. The 25,000-square-foot PetSmart store will sit next to the Kohl's department store, on the west side of the retail and entertainment center. Construction of the store began in early May and is scheduled to open at the end of 2010 or in the first quarter of 2011.

"PetSmart is a valuable addition to Tikahtnu Commons," said Dave Pfeifer, CIRI vice president of real estate. "Its services and products enhance the center's growing role as a one-stop shopping destination."

PetSmart has more than 1,149 stores in the U.S. and Canada and more than 161 in-store PetsHotel dog and cat boarding facilities. The retailer offers a variety of pet food and supplies, pet training and pet adoption services. The store at Tikahtnu Commons will include a PetsHotel.

The Phoenix, Ariz.-based PetSmart began in 1986 and went public in 1993. The company generated \$5.34 billion in total sales in 2009, an increase of 5.4 percent from the previous year, and \$567 million in operating cash flow. Its earnings per share increased from \$1.52 in 2008 to \$1.59 in 2009. The company distributed \$32 million in dividends in 2009.

Approximately half of Tikahtnu Commons' one million square feet of retail and entertainment space has been built out. The projected \$100-million-plus project when completed could include 12 to 15 major stores and 60 to 75 smaller shops, restaurants and other businesses. CIRI Land Development Co. and its partner Browman Development Co. began developing the center in 2007 on a 95-acre parcel of CIRI land in northeast Anchorage.



PetSmart will locate its new store next to Kohl's department store. PetSmart will nearly complete the lineup of major stores on Tikahtnu Commons' west side: Best Buy (to the left of Target, not shown), Target, Sports Authority, Kohl's, PetSmart and Lowe's. A 30,000-square-foot pad remains available.

2010 CIRI annual meeting

Saturday, June 5

Chief Leschi School
5625 52nd St. E.
Puyallup, Wash.

Attendance is limited to CIRI shareholders and their immediate family members (i.e., spouse, children and/or stock custodian). Shareholders must check in with their guests and must present identification. Child care is available upon advance request.

CIRI shareholders are invited to display and sell their arts and crafts. A limited number of tables are available at no charge on a first-come, first-served basis. E-mail info@ciri.com to reserve a table.

Please help CIRI make sure there is enough food by letting us know how many will be in your party. Call 263-5191 or (800) 764-2474 (CIRI) and select option 5.

8 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Registration
10 a.m.	Business report
11 a.m.	Call to order
11:30 a.m.	Lunch
1 p.m.	Nominations, candidate speeches
2:30 p.m.	Voting

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Hyatt Place hotel opens in north San Antonio

CIRI joint venture caters to business travelers

The Hyatt Place San Antonio – North/Stone Oak opened its doors on April 15. The 126-room hotel in north San Antonio is owned by Sonterra Hotel Investors LLC, a 50-50 partnership between CIRI and hotel developer Dewey F. Weaver Jr.

Hyatt Place is a newer franchise chain of Global Hyatt Corp. that caters to business travelers. The Hyatt Place San Antonio – North/Stone Oak features free daily continental breakfast, 24-hour room service, a bakery café with Starbucks specialty coffees, complimentary Wi-Fi, 1,700 square feet of meeting space, 42-inch flat-panel high-definition televisions in guest rooms and a 24-hour fitness center.

The Hyatt Place is part of CIRI Land Development Co.'s 1400 Sonterra Blvd. project. The project is located on a 22.5-acre parcel of CIRI land in north San Antonio that CIRI acquired from federal surplus land as a result of the Cook Inlet Land Exchange.



The lobby, or Gallery, of the Hyatt Place San Antonio – North/Stone Oak combines stylish décor with distinctive architecture. CIRI is a 50-50 partner with Dewey F. Weaver Jr. in the 126-room hotel, which opened on April 15.

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A word from the president

By: Margie Brown, CIRI president and CEO

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Leading by example

Our early leaders understood the importance of being actively involved in the affairs of the Native rights organizations that advocated for Alaska Native land claims. As you will read on page 3, CIRI original enrollee Alice Brown fought tirelessly for the rights of Alaska Natives and laid the groundwork for many others who followed her lead in the fight for the settlement of Alaska Native land claims. As the first woman on the original Board of the Alaska Federation of Natives, she was the role model for Native and non-Native women alike. She led by example and helped pioneer the belief that neither gender nor race alone should determine whether an individual is qualified to serve. As an Alaska Native woman, I thank her personally for her strength and courage.

Alice's sense of civic responsibility is one from which we can all learn. CIRI shareholders' responsibilities start with being knowledgeable about the business of your Company. Reading the monthly newsletters and annual reports and attending shareholder information meetings are excellent ways to do this. Shareholders also can apply to serve on a Shareholder Participation Committee. Several committee members have moved on to become CIRI's directors. To learn more about the committees, check the first proxy packet that was mailed to you or go online to www.ciri.com.

One of the most important responsibilities of being a CIRI shareholder is to select well-qualified shareholders to serve on the CIRI Board of Directors to oversee the direction and decisions of the company. Shareholders with a good understanding of the current activities, opportunities and challenges facing CIRI can better evaluate the candidates and vote for directors who are qualified, knowledgeable and committed to continuing the growth of the Company. CIRI has flourished over the years with a strong Board of Directors that merges new, fresh perspectives into a Board that offers stability, expertise, and focus on the business of the Company.

Much of the Company's success, particularly CIRI's relationships, flows from this steady, wise leadership. These are relationships with shareholders, CIRI employees, partners, vendors, banking institutions and the community as

a whole. The company has worked hard to build these connections, which, in turn, have contributed to attracting and retaining high-quality management, obtaining expert partners and securing outstanding business and financial opportunities.

It is vital, therefore, that shareholders take the time to learn about this year's Board candidates, their background, experience, ideas and vision for the Company. Please take time to study carefully the materials that have been sent to you during the election season.



Margie Brown

While the circumstances have changed since Alice Brown fought for Alaska Native land claims and rights, the principle she exemplified remains the same: we must be actively involved in the affairs of our Alaska Native corporations and communities to ensure that we control our own destiny.

I encourage you to attend our 2010 Annual Meeting of CIRI shareholders in Puyallup, Wash., on June 5. If you do not plan to attend the annual meeting in person, I encourage you to participate in the meeting by sending in a proxy prior to 5 p.m. Alaska Daylight Time on Friday, May 28, 2010.

Just as Alice Brown helped to lay the groundwork for future generations, CIRI recognizes the importance of involving descendants in the affairs of the Company and preparing them for their future as informed and involved shareholders. CIRI will once again host a "Youth Voting" booth at the annual meeting, where descendants from kindergarten through age 18 can cast a mock ballot and be eligible for prizes.

Your active involvement helps ensure that CIRI shareholders of today and future generations may all benefit from our strength and prosperity. While

the circumstances have changed since Alice Brown fought for Alaska Native land claims and rights, a key principle she exemplified remains the same: we must be actively involved in the affairs of our Alaska Native corporations and communities to ensure that we control our own destiny.

CIRI Board of Directors

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Our Business

CIRI tourism manager wins Anchorage award

Dee Dee Kay recognized for exceptional volunteer efforts

Dee Dee Kay, CIRI Alaska Tourism Corp.'s lodge sales manager, was awarded a Heart of Anchorage Award from the Anchorage Downtown Partnership on March 27. Kay received the "Spirit of Alaska" award, which recognizes volunteers who demonstrate exceptional efforts in support of a downtown business or organization.

"I feel really fortunate because I've always worked for employers who understood the importance of giving back to the community and being involved," said Kay. "The only way I could have done these things is working for a company like CIRI that allows you to give back."

Kay serves in a wide variety of volunteer roles, including Special Olympics Alaska, the Mayor's Charity Ball, the Alaska Travel Industry Association's Travel Auction, the Eva Foundation and YoungLives. She is a member of Rotary International and has directed the Anchorage "Downtown" Rotary Club's Fireside Committee for four years.

Kay serves on the board of directors of the Mat-Su Convention & Visitors Bureau and helped with the 2009 Heart of Anchorage Awards. She also serves as a greeter to new families in the Sunday School program at ChangePoint Church.

The Heart of Anchorage Award honors employees, leaders and business owners in the downtown community who demonstrate hard work and a dedication to excellence.



CIRI Alaska Tourism Corp. lodge sales manager Dee Dee Kay receives her Heart of Anchorage Award on March 27 at a ceremony at the ConocoPhillips Atrium.

Image courtesy of the Anchorage Downtown Partnership

CIRI shareholder news

Wireless carriers offer discounts to CIRI shareholders

AT&T, ACS, GCI provide discounts on wireless plans and phones

CIRI has worked with wireless carriers to obtain discounts on wireless phones and plans for CIRI shareholders and employees. Three major wireless carriers, AT&T, Alaska Communications Systems (ACS) and GCI, have extended discounts.

AT&T offers a 15 percent discount on all AT&T Nation individual plans priced at \$39.99 and above and the primary line on all FamilyTalk family plans, excluding the unlimited plans in both categories. AT&T also offers the discount for all smartphone data plans priced at \$30 and above and Laptop Connect mobile internet plans priced at \$30 or higher. To obtain the discount, shareholders should present their shareholder card and the FAN (discount code) #2462134 at any AT&T location.

ACS offers a 20 percent discount on all their wireless plans and features and \$100 off any wireless device. This includes nationwide, statewide and smart phone plans and additional add-ons like unlimited texting, mobile web, data and messaging. To obtain the discount, shareholders should present their shareholder card and the code "D74048" at any ACS location.

GCI also offers a 20 percent discount on all their wireless plans and features and \$100 off any phone, along with waived activation fees. This includes nationwide and statewide plans and additional add-ons and smart phone packages. To obtain the discount, shareholders should present their shareholder card at any GCI location.

For more information on the discounts, please go online to www.ciri.com/wireless.

Shearer, Johansen win April, May Stock Will prizes

Frank Michael Shearer won the April 2010 Stock Will participation prize. Yulanda Crete Johansen won the May 2010 Stock Will participation prize. To be eligible for the monthly \$200 prize drawings, shareholders must have a Will disposing of their CIRI shares on file in CIRI Shareholder Relations. The CIRI Stock Will form and instructions are located on the CIRI Web site at www.ciri.com. To verify whether you have a Will on file, contact CIRI's probate staff at (907) 263-5191 or toll-free at (800) 764-2474.

CIRI to pay second quarter dividend

CIRI's second quarter 2010 dividend of \$8.53 per share will be mailed or direct deposited on Wednesday, June 30. Shareholders who own 100 shares of stock will receive a second quarter dividend of \$853.

The deadline for signing up for direct deposit or changing an existing direct deposit instruction for the second quarter 2010 dividend is 3 p.m. on Wednesday, June 2. The deadline for shareholder address changes for the second quarter dividends is 3 p.m. on Tuesday, June 22. Address change forms can be downloaded from CIRI's website, www.ciri.com, and mailed to CIRI at P.O. Box 93330, Anchorage, AK 99509-3330, or faxed to (907) 263-5186. Please call CIRI Shareholder Relations at 263-5191 or toll-free at (800) 764-2474 to confirm receipt of the fax.

Shareholders can visit CIRI's website for dividend, address change, direct deposit or lost and missing dividend information. Shareholders may also call CIRI's dividend hotline, (907) 263-5100 or toll-free (800) 764-2435.

Hyatt Place

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The parcel is located on the intersection of Sonterra Blvd. and U.S. Highway 281, a major highway into and out of San Antonio. Nearby sites of interest include the 350-bed Methodist Stone Oak Hospital and the 700,000-square-foot headquarters of Tesoro Petroleum.

Weaver's company, InterMountain Management LLC, manages the Hyatt Place San Antonio – North/Stone Oak. Weaver himself started in the hospitality industry when he was 11 years old, with experience in everything from dishwashing and housekeeping to hotel management and ownership.

Weaver's management team has an average of 25+ years experience in the hospitality industry. InterMountain is one of North America's largest hotel management and development companies and currently owns or manages more than 65 hotels nationwide. InterMountain is pre-approved to operate Marriott, Hyatt, Wyndham, Hilton, Holiday Inn Express, Starwood and Comfort Suites premium brand hotel properties.

CIRI Spotlight: Alice E. Brown

Dena'ina woman was a pioneer of Native rights

Original CIRI shareholder Alice E. Brown was inducted into the Alaska Women's Hall of Fame for achievements in political activism in March 2010. Brown, a Kenaitze tribal member, was a pioneer in many ways. As the only woman on the original board of the Alaska Federation of Natives (AFN), Brown fought tirelessly for the rights of Alaska Natives at a pivotal time in Alaska's history. She championed the causes of all people who were disadvantaged or disenfranchised. Her work to build consensus and promote civic responsibility – coupled with courageous tenacity – helped shape the course of Alaskan history.

Before the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act was passed in 1973 that created the Native regional corporations, the first Native activists made enormous personal sacrifices using their own money for travel, office supplies, postage, long distance phone calls and telegrams. They dedicated countless hours of their time without compensation and bore the brunt of public condemnation.

Alaska State Senate Resolution No. 27, passed in 1973, honored and recognized Brown's life and devotion to her fellow Alaskans. She served as a role model for Native and non-Native women alike, exemplifying the powerful role women can play in shaping the direction for future generations.

In 1967, Alaska Gov. William Egan appointed Brown to the Alaska Governor's Task Force on Land Claims, to which she was reappointed by Gov. Walter Hickel in 1968. She also served as the chairman of the board for the first Alaskan Native Political Education Committee in 1970.

Brown's mother was born Anastasiia Nutnal'ta (English name Nancy Hedberg) and her father was John Hedberg (aka Moose Meat John). Born

in Kenai on May 11, 1912, Brown passed away on Feb. 1, 1973. When she passed, there was an outpouring of condolences and honors. On Feb. 5, 1973, the Sealaska Corporation board passed a resolution honoring her: "Whereas, her passing has taken from all Alaska Native people, indeed all Alaskans, a person of true and enduring dedication who has inspired us all."

John Borbridge, then Sealaska president, wrote, "The work she did for her people is her memorial. A lady respected by those privileged to know her, she persistently fought for a fair claims settlement for all Natives at a time when many believed that it was not possible."

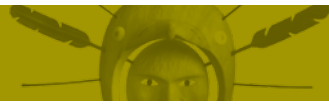
Upon Brown's death, the list of her pallbearers read like the who's who of the Alaska Native claims movement: Emil Notti, George Ondola, Miles Brandon, Emil McCord, Cecil Barns, John Borbridge, Jesse Maile, Willie Hensley, Cliff Groh, Mike Gravel, Robert Goldberg, Robert Ely, Byron Mallott, Harold Seater and Elmer Tennison.

Few of the original ladies of the Native land claims movement have been recognized for their contributions. It is fitting that Brown was inducted into the Alaska Women's Hall of Fame recognizing her as one of the women who have shaped Alaska - an honor long overdue.



Alice E. Brown

Photo courtesy of Rebecca Lyon



Palmer shareholder publishes children's book

Patricia Wade writes modern story drawn from ancient legends

When CIRC Shareholder Patricia Wade took a job at the Chickaloon Village Tribal Office in 1995, she didn't think it would lead to a writing career. Fifteen years later, she is the long-time editor of the *Chickaloon News*, a freelance writer for publications like *The Frontiersman* and the *Anchorage Daily News*, and now an author.

"I have always liked to write, even when I was in high school. When I came to work for Chickaloon Village, I asked them ... a lot of my family members were very vocal and effective speakers, but didn't have writing skills," said Wade. "The family decided one of the most important things I could do was write a newsletter."

Wade recently published her first book, "Luk'ae," a children's book that imparts lessons on proper nutrition and eating habits and making healthy choices.

"Nutritional education is such an important issue and it's obvious that our people are dying from the wrong kinds of diet," said Wade. "And you know, sometimes I think we're not even aware of it. It was introduced so gradually and, before you know it, we're all sick with diabetes, obesity. It was horrible to watch."

Wade remembers her diet being mostly moose, salmon, caribou and sheep when she was young.

She recalls the introduction of sugar, flour and soda pop and how people were not aware of its harmful effects.

The book tells the story of several salmon as they make their way through their lifecycle, from spawning in a river to traveling to the open ocean and back again. The story is set in Southcentral Alaska and features Alaska Native characters. The book is formatted similarly to a graphic novel, with Wade's son, Dimi Macheras, providing striking original art.

"Our legends were of vital importance to our people as they didn't have schools before the newcomers arrived," wrote Wade. "They taught their children using our ancient stories. As an Ahtna woman growing up hearing these stories, I decided to create a modern story that would remain true to the ancient wisdom."

In addition to writing, Wade visits schools in the Mat-Su Borough to share Ya Ne Dah Ah stories.

"I feel the importance in letting the public know who we are and that we're still here," said Wade. "This area is such a fast-growing region. People are coming in all the time. So one of my jobs is to go to the schools and tell our stories and share our people's history."

"Luk'ae" can be found at Tidal Wave Books in Anchorage, Fireside Books in Palmer and online at amazon.com.



Graphic by Dimi Macheras, courtesy of Patricia Wade

CIRI needs your help locating shareholder addresses

CIRI strives to ensure correspondence, reports, newsletters and dividends reach shareholders in a timely manner. It is important for shareholders to notify CIRI Shareholder Relations and the U.S. Postal Service of all address changes. The following CIRI shareholders do not have a current mailing address on record with CIRI Shareholder Relations and should fill out the change of address form at CIRI's offices, or download it at www.ciri.com/content/shareholders/change.aspx. You can also write a letter, signed by the shareholder, which includes the new address, telephone number, birth date and the last four digits of your social security number.

Anderson, Richard Wilmont
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 Askay, Egan Hugh
 Barker, Norman Vincent
 Barrickman, Misti Lynn
 Beach, Alton Lee III
 Bond, Heidi Rae
 Bonner, Hilliard Ellis
 Bright, Richard Kenneth
 Bright, Steven Patrick
 Christenson, Pamela Rae
 Cleveland-Smith, Timothy Gracen
 Cook, Tilford Don
 Coppedge, Malika Nichole
 Dalton, Dominik Kai
 Dannellik, Jennifer Nichole
 Davis, Rufino
 Elliott, Sarah Lynn
 Flynn, James Alvin
 Gardner, Amber Ellen

Goozmer, Stephen Roy
 Graham, Sophia Maria
 Greenberg, Thomas William
 Hallstead, Kathleen Mae
 Hammond, Alberta Lou
 Hand, Joshua Robert Eugene
 Hand, Mary Joan
 Hand, Ryan Patrick
 Harris, Sherri Fry
 Hunter, Harold
 Jacobsson, Christopher
 Marion-Stone
 Jimenez, Jane Alice
 Jordon, Branden J.
 Joubert, Mary Ellen Joann
 Kelly, Tad Lawrence
 Kimmell, Troy Shannon
 Knapp, Cheryl Bernice
 Komakhuk, Douglas Kirk
 Komakhuk, Mary Rita

Larson, Ronney George
 Lewis, Alec Rodney
 Maroni, Bonnie Marie
 Marsden, John Victor Sr.
 Meadows, Lillian Beth
 Mejia-Lora, Latonia Michelle
 Moore, Shaun Michael
 Mumchuck, Charles Lewis
 Mylander, Hannah Marie
 Nethery, Brandi Michelle
 Nethery, Vince Franklin
 Neuman, Mary Ellen
 Nicoli, Gerald Roy Jr.
 Olson, Virginia Louise
 Page, Brent Silas
 Peal, Mary E.
 Peterson, Michael Gary
 Proctor, Jessica Irene
 Purnel, Linda Gail
 Reamer, Steven Clark

Remmy, Sunny Shannon
 Robison, Mona Lisa
 Roehl, Lana Joyce
 Sampson, Jeanita Kim
 Santana, David Michael
 Segura, David Lee Jr.
 Shavings, Jacob Anderson
 Sisler, Christopher Lee
 Smith, Andrew David
 Soxie, Dalene Ruth
 Sweeney, Alfred Henry Jr.
 Sweeney, Eugene Paul Sr.
 Thiele, Otto R III
 Todd, Guy Anthony II
 Whitley, Steven John
 Williams, Samantha Lynn

Native Village of Eklutna to hold Pow-Wow

Alaska Native artists, musicians, dance groups featured

The Native Village of Eklutna will hold its biennial Pow-Wow/Potlatch on June 12 and 13 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. The pow-wow is located on Eklutna Inc. land at Mile 26.5 on the New Glenn Highway.

The pow-wow is an opportunity for the community to interact with the Eklutna Village. It will feature Alaska Native artists, musicians and traditional dance groups. The pow-wow is open to the public – all are welcome. Admission is \$2 per person. Children 5 years and younger are free.

Contact the Native Village of Eklutna at (907) 688-6020 or nve@eklutna-nsn.gov for questions or more information.

In Touch with shareholders



Image courtesy of Cynthia Anouar
Cynthia Anouar

Arizona graduate

CIRI shareholder Cynthia Anouar graduated from the University of Phoenix with a Bachelor of Science in Business/Administration (BSB/A) on Feb. 24.



Image courtesy of Leona Johnson
Erma and Dane Bremner

Anchorage wedding

CIRI shareholder Erma Johnson and Dane Bremner, best friends for 15 years, were married on March 5 at the Anchorage Native Lutheran Church. The ceremony was officiated by Pastor Karen Sonray and was attended by family and friends from Anchorage and Yakutat. Erma's maid of honor was Cynthia Petersen and her bridesmaids were Darrian Bremner and Jennifer Crider. The flower girls were Jade Bremner and Sanora Bell; the ring-bearer was Vinnie Sampson. Dane's best man was Ron Converse and his groom's men were Phillip Harry and Adam Johnson. Erma is the daughter of CIRI shareholder Leona and Walter Johnson and the granddaughter of Lovie and Willie Johnson and Martha Kalerak Anselm. Dane is the son of Beverly Bremner of Yakutat and the grandson of Harold and Esther Bremner.



Image courtesy of Tammy Thompson
Cecilia, Anastasia and Tammy Thompson

Babies Cecilia and Anastasia

CIRI shareholder Mary Rastetter is proud to announce the arrival of her seventh and eighth grandchildren, Cecilia and Anastasia Thompson. They are the children of Mary's daughter, Tammy Thompson.



Image courtesy of Barbara Williams
Susan, Barbara, Frank and Megan Williams

Federal career

Barbara Williams, an original CIRI enrollee, graduated from Northern Arizona University in December 2009 with a Master's of Arts Degree in English with Emphasis in Literacy, Technology and Professional Writing. Williams recently moved back to Alaska after a 12-year absence and is working for the Bureau of Indian Affairs as a budget analyst. "I have been a federal employee most of my working career. I started my federal career when I joined the Marine Corps at age 18, which was during the Vietnam era. I love English and enrolled in the English LTPW Program at NAU to improve my writing, cognitive and communication skills in my personal life and that of my profession."

Condolences

Ralph Ahgupuk, 65

Ralph Ahgupuk died April 9 at home in Anchorage. Mr. Ahgupuk was born June 25, 1944. He is survived by his wife, Annie A. Ahgupuk; daughter, Lisa A. Ahgupuk; son, Al W. Ahgupuk; grandchildren, Tiffany L. Miner, Henry G. Miner, Robin J. Ahgupuk and Jewel M. Huntsman; and sister, Ruth Floyd.

Patti Lu Hansen Bowdon, 57

Patti Lu Hansen Bowdon died Mar. 12 at home in Seldovia, Alaska. Ms. Bowdon was born Sept. 11, 1952, in Seldovia. She is survived by her husband, Thomas Bowdon; daughter, Tamara Bowdon; son, Thomas Bowdon; grandchildren, Elijah and Tyra Bowdon; sisters, Sandi, Jackie and Becky Hansen, Lois Deluca and Julie Huntsman; brothers, Dean, Roy and Todd Hansen; uncle, Gilbert Ollestad; aunt, Thelma Patton; and many cousins, nieces and nephews.

Lecon Chuitt Sr., 75

Lecon Chuitt Sr. died Mar. 4 at the Lakeview Assisted Living Home in Anchorage. Mr. Chuitt was born Oct. 1, 1934, in Tyonek, Alaska. He served in the Army and was also a village public safety officer, bartender, fisherman and sandblaster. His family wrote, "Lecon was a loving husband and father. He loved to spoil his grandkids. He loved to hunt, fish, play bingo and Yahtzee. Lecon will be missed very much." He is survived by his wife, Mary Chuitt; daughters, Teresa Standifer and Marian King; sons, Mark Chuitt, Lecon Chuitt Jr., Larry Hawkins, Anthony Chuitt, Calvin Nance and Richard Hawkins; 15 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; nieces, Donita Hensley, Becky Peratrovich, Deb Poitry, Jane Standifer-Trenton; nephew, Paul Standifer; goddaughter, Michaelene Stephan; and uncle, Maxim Chickalusion Sr.

Marietta Joan Peterson-Curtis, 72

Marietta "Elta" Joan Peterson-Curtis died Feb. 1 at home in Soldotna, Alaska. Ms. Peterson-Curtis was born Nov. 18, 1937, in Kakanak, Alaska to Bessie and Fred "Pinby" Peterson. Marietta loved being with family and friends, bird-watching, gardening, houseplants and fishing. Her family wrote, "Her laugh was contagious and made the world go round. She will be greatly missed by those who loved her." She is survived by her husband of 55 years, David Curtis; daughters and sons-in-law, Diana Cuthbert and Ron, and Elizabeth Edelman and Duane; son, David Curtis; ten grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; brother, Clyde Peterson; sisters-in-law, Nancy Fithugh and Mary Ann Curtis; and many stepchildren, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Robert William Goocher, 66

Robert William Goocher died Nov. 16, 2009, at the Valley Medical Center in Renton, Wash. Mr. Goocher was born Sept. 25, 1943, in Anchorage. He is survived by his daughters, Lou, Patricia and Elsie Goocher; son, William Goocher; grandchildren, Cole and Karl, Corinne and Storm Prescott, and Scott and Jake Goocher; and sister, Frances.

Carl Kelly, 85

Carl Kelly died Feb. 27 at home in Ninilchik, Alaska. He is survived by his wife, Doris J. Kelly; daughters, Gail K. Manley and Connie K. Judson; and sons, Carl E. and Clifford A. Kelly.

Qetit' un Hch'etni

"Ket-eet oohn hch-et-nee"

The Kenaitze Indian Tribe invites you to their Potlatch 2010. Please join them in honoring our Elders, soldiers and families of past and present.

June 25, 26 and 27
Old Town, Kenai

For more information, to RSVP or to offer help in the planning and celebrations, please contact Bonnie Juliussen at (907) 283-3612 or at bjuliussen@kenaitze.org.

Shareholder/descendant-owned business

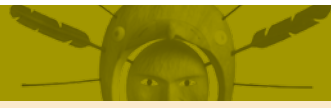
CIRI shareholder Glenn Sellars and DeAnn W. Sellars own Sellars Electric, a small diverse business that specializes in electrical contracting in the state of Washington, particularly Pierce, King and Snohomish counties. Sellars Electric also provides construction services for industrial, commercial and residential installation, design, shooting and maintenance.

Sellars Electric Inc.

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E-mail info@ciri.com or call (907) 263-5146 to submit your shareholder-owned business information.

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Flora Mae Lincoln, 75

Flora Mae Lincoln died April 8 at home in Anchorage. Ms. Lincoln was born Mar. 5, 1935, in White Mountain, Alaska. She loved to pick berries, go for car rides, take walks, be with her grandkids and listen to country music. She is survived by her children, Sugar, Colin, Becky, Martin and Debbie; brother, Sunshine Lincoln; and cousins, nieces, nephews, best friends Marie Long and Anna Bebe, and extended family.

Gordon Phillips, 61

Gordon Phillips died Feb. 24 at the Alaska Native Medical Center in Anchorage. Mr. Phillips was born April 7, 1948, in Lower Tonsina, Alaska to Agnes Marshall and Charles Phillips. He was proud to serve his country in the U.S. Navy during the Vietnam War. Gordon was a registered guide for big game hunters in the Wrangell Mountains for many years. He was a skilled carpenter and worked in construction as well. His family wrote, "Gordon was always there when you needed him and known to be a reliable friend. He was loyal, generous and had a great sense of humor. Gordon had a special place in his heart for his cat, Skeeter." He is survived by his wife, Helen; stepson, Joe Robertson; siblings and their spouses, Merle and Mary Phillips, Curtis Phillips, Lonita and Bob Lohse, and Susan Taylor; and numerous nieces and nephews, including niece, Janet Allard, who spent so much time with him.

Patricia Louise Pitcher, 72

Patricia Louise Pitcher died Feb. 10 at the Lower Umpqua Hospital in Reedsport, Ore. Ms. Pitcher was born June 1, 1937, in Palmer, Alaska to Theron and Martha (Gregonioff) Smith. She worked as a lumber grader for the Edward Hines Lumber Company for many years. In 1981, she and her husband Monty moved to Winchester Bay, where they owned and operated the Harbor View Motel for 19 years. She retired to her dream home close to Scottsburg, where she enjoyed watching the Umpqua River flow. She is survived by her daughters, LuJuana L. Rhen and Cindy R. Keith; sons, Juan D. and Marty W. Pitcher; sisters, Shirley Hislop, Nancy Still and Sarah Kavasharov; and 12 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Thomas Sidney Roberts, 82

Thomas Sidney Roberts died Feb. 12 at Providence Hospital in Anchorage. Mr. Roberts was born Nov. 9, 1927, in Anchorage. He is survived by his daughters, Florence Caskey and Elsa Dowd; and son, Thomas F. Roberts.

Alex Rogers, 70

Alex Rogers died recently at the Oakwood Hospital and Medical Center in Detroit, Mich. Mr. Rogers was born in Mekoryuk, Alaska. He is survived by his daughters, Darlene Cole, Geraldine Rogers and Rachel Phelps; and grandchildren, Steve and Chad Cole, Binky, B. J. and Hedi Hoffman, Brittany Sparks, and Joshua, Jess, Justin, Jazz, Sean and Sandra Phelps.

Elvin Robert Secrest, 81

Elvin Robert Secrest died Jan. 23 at the Northwest Medical Center in Springdale, Ark. Mr. Secrest was born Feb. 4, 1928. He is survived by his son, David Secrest; sisters, Neva Vaughn, Alma Hofford and Nora Hoelloring; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Edward Victor Segura, 76

Edward Victor Segura died Mar. 9 at the Alaska Native Medical Center in Anchorage. Mr. Segura was born Nov. 18, 1933, in Kenai, Alaska. He is survived by his spouse, Elizabeth Segura; stepdaughter, Debbie Craig; stepsons, Bobbie Craig and Bill Moody; sisters, Gert Frostad, Rita Smagge and Clare (and Van) Swan; and brothers, Jim (and Carol), Billy, David (and Sandy) and Rick (and Patty) Segura.

Myrtle (Myrt) Evelyn Veltri, 65

Myrtle Evelyn Veltri died Nov. 10, 2008, at the Mountainview Hospital in Las Vegas, Nev. Ms. Veltri was born May 18, 1943, on a riverboat near Beaver, Alaska. She was the eldest daughter of Ivar and Ruth Peterson. She was well known as a stewardess for Wien Airlines for many years. She is survived by her daughter, Eve Ruth Reisch; granddaughters, Caitlin May and Zoe Lu; sisters, Linda Kalkins, Lorraine Peterson and Ruthie Gail Peterson; brothers, Lynn, Glen and Charles Peterson; and numerous relatives and friends.

Condolences

Polly Marina Goozmer, 85

Rickey Lee John, 48

Hansel Komakhuk, 60

Charles Paul Jr., 40

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