



# Puyallup Tribal Housing Department

*"A DRUG & ALCOHOL FREE HOUSING PROGRAM"*



**BLOCK WATCH FOLLOW-UP@NE GYM**

A block watch follow-up meeting will be held at the NE gym Wednesday, Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> @6pm. We will go over the review the previous information provided and work on next steps in implementing this program at the Northeast & Longhouse sites. Please come down and check it out. There will be refreshments and give-away items!!!

**COMMUNITY DINNER**

PTHD will be hosting a Suicide Prevention community dinner at the Northeast Gym on September 26<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm. This is open to all PTHD residents. Come out and enjoy a meal with your neighbor!!!

**PTHD CLOSED**

MONDAY, SEPT 2<sup>ND</sup> & SEPT 9<sup>TH</sup>  
WEDNESDAY, SEPT 18<sup>TH</sup> @ NOON

Puyallup Tribal Housing will be closed Monday, Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup> and Monday, Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> in observance of Labor Day, as well as Fishing Wars Recognition Day. PTHD will also close at 12pm on Wednesday Sept. 18<sup>th</sup> for Puyallup Family Day 😊



**ONLINE PAYMENTS**



**PAYMENTS MADE ONLINE INFO**

Did you know that payments made online can take up to 5 days to post to your account? As with any other financial institution, the processing time for payments made online is not automatic. Our accounting department must have a confirmation that the payment was received by our bank to credit any accounts for rent due. Please make sure you are taking that information into account when making rent payments online. This is still the most convenient way to make sure payments are received every month.

## ONLINE PAYMENTS NOW AVAILABLE!!!

PTHD has now launched the online portal for rent payments. All you need to do is follow this link <https://billerpayments.com/app/enrolledwebui/#/login?bsn=ptoihousing> and set up an account for payments from your bank account and/or debit card. You can authorize the payment to be processed that day or an upcoming date of your choosing. We will still be accepting payments at the office. All PTHD employees are willing to assist any residents that may need help with the online payment option. This option will make it easier for all residents to pay their rent on time, as it will eliminate your need to come down to the office.



## PET WASTE

SEE SOMETHING...SAY SOMETHING...

This month we will focus on dog/animal waste as this can cause pests to inhabit the common areas of the properties. Not properly disposing of your pets' waste can lead to a variety of different diseases and parasites. It can also lead to contamination of our water systems.

Dog waste can carry many forms of parasites/diseases such as hookworms, tapeworms, ringworms, and salmonella. It may take over a year for dog waste to decay. Even after the waste is no longer visible the parasites eggs are still lingering in the soil to infect other hosts. Salmonella can seep into the soil to infect the groundwater, which can be hazardous to your family and landscapes.

Dog waste is not fertilizer to the lawns as it takes a very long time to decay. It is also very toxic to the lawns in its raw form. Dog waste is a major reason for storm water pollution. It just doesn't go away because you don't see it anymore!!! Please make sure that you are properly disposing of your pet's waste for the safety of your family and community.



## MAINTENANCE CORNER

Just a brief reminder on stove cleanliness and the hazards of grease build-up. Keeping clean drip pans and hood filters can prevent grease fires that may damage your home. Here are some helpful tips on cleaning your stove.

<https://www.thekitchn.com/how-to-clean-a-greasy-range-hood-filter-cleaning-lessons-from-the-kitchn-203844>

<https://www.thespruce.com/how-to-clean-stove-drip-pans-5073245>

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