Kalispel Career Training Center (KCTC) Interlocal Agreement ORD

Sustainability, City Light, Arts and Culture Committee

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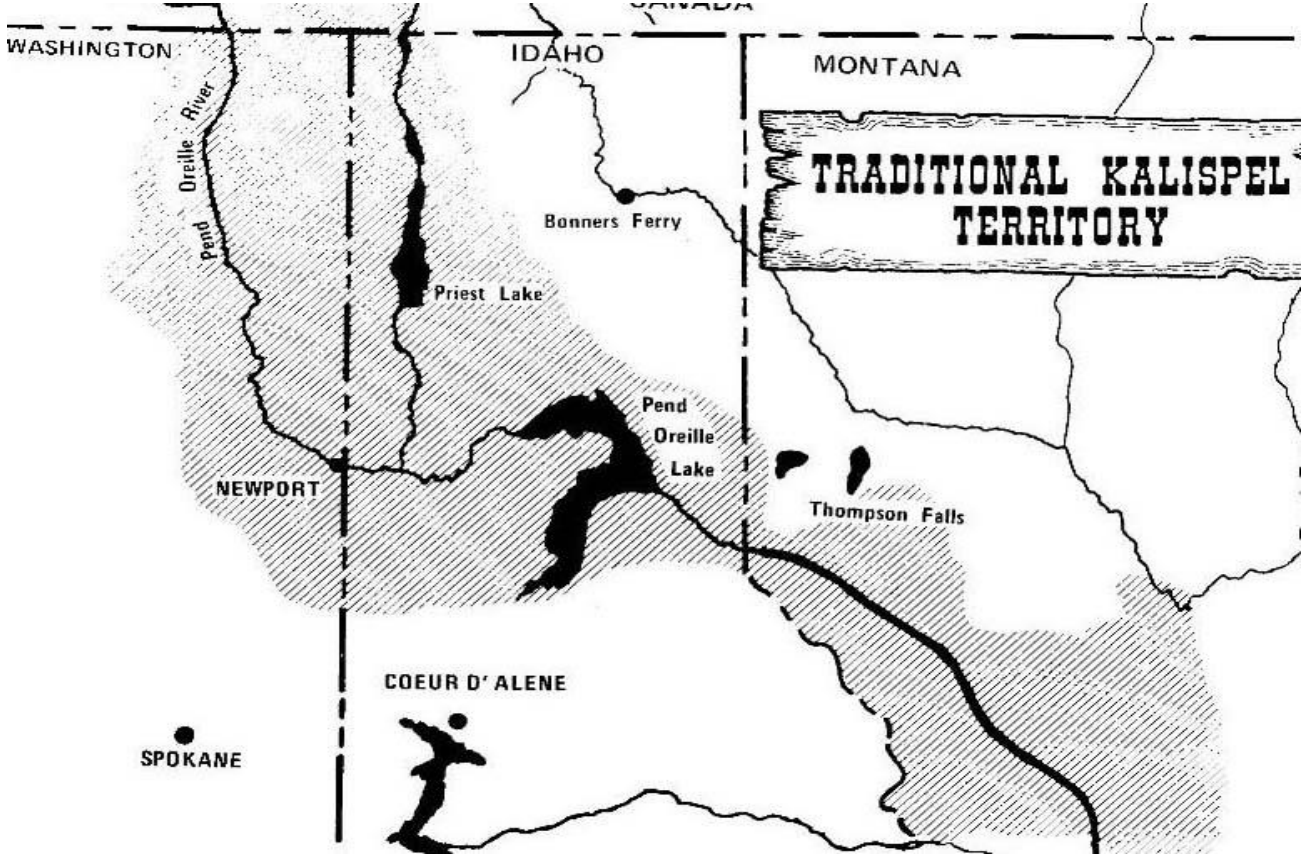
History of Partnership with KCTC

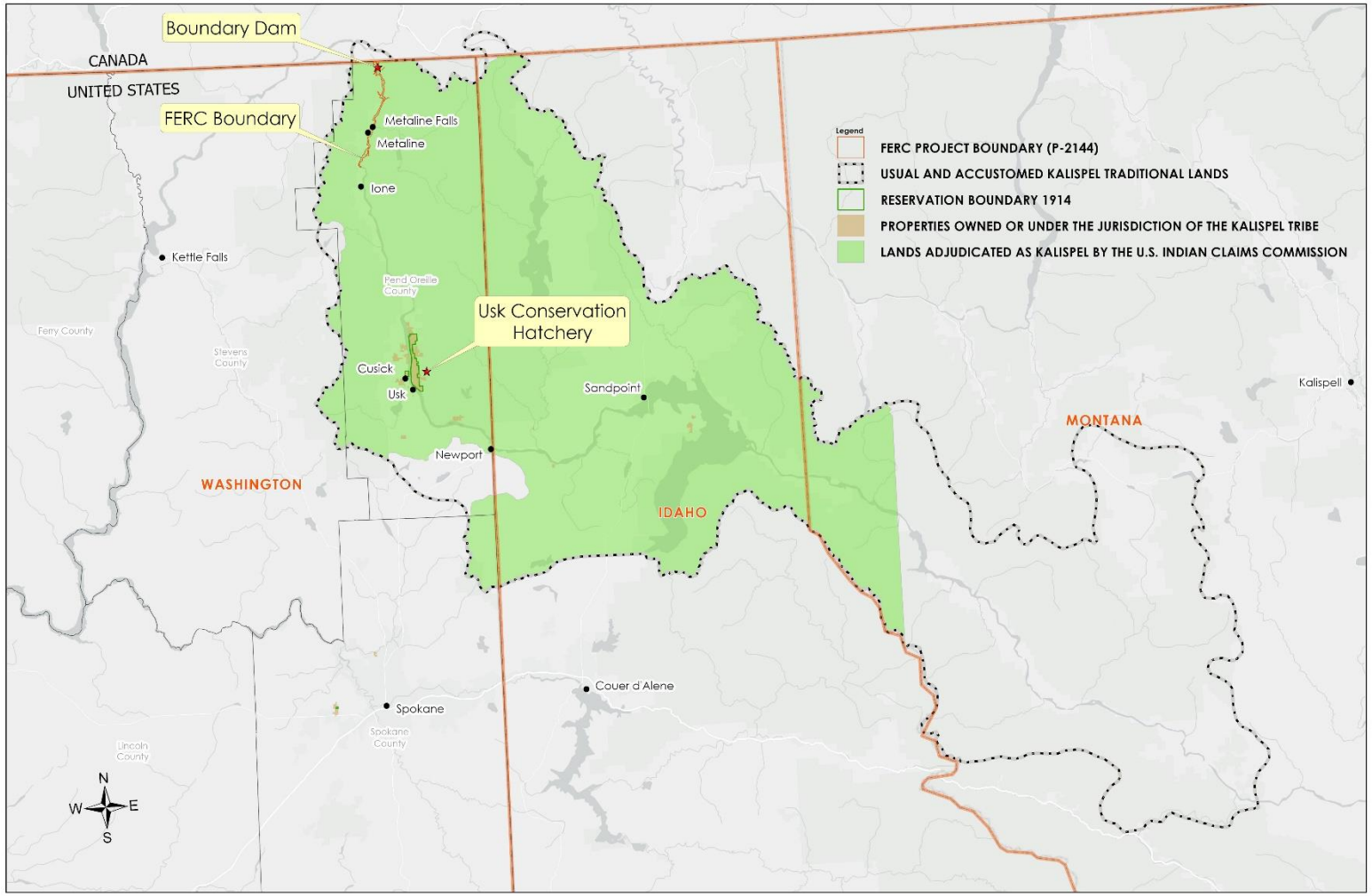
- Formed in 2012
- Promotes increased access to skilled trades for Kalispel Tribal members.
- Expands & creates more jobs on or near the Kalispel Indian Reservation.
- 3 continuous Interlocal Agreements, totaling 14 years of support from SCL.
- Seeking 4th term for 2026-2030.

Support for the Partnership

- Washington State RCWs authorize Interlocal Agreements.
- Boundary Hydroelectric Project boundaries upon land historically occupied by the Kalispel Tribe.
- Supports shared objectives to increase opportunities for skilled trades instruction & support the local community.



The Reservation



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What they do…

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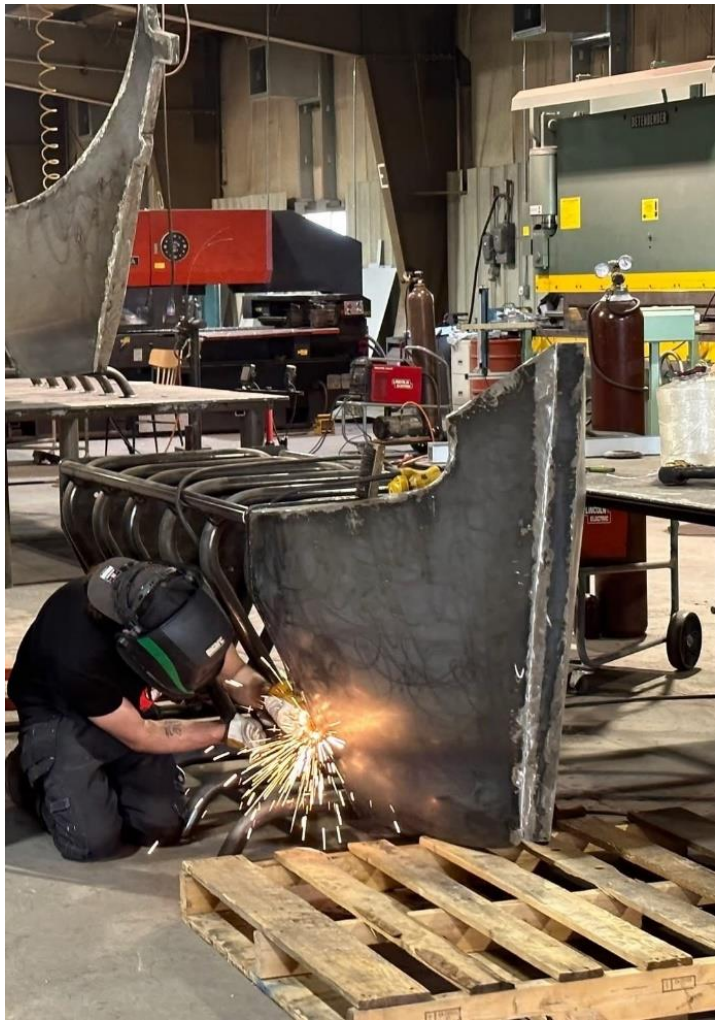
Student projects – Metal Sculptures



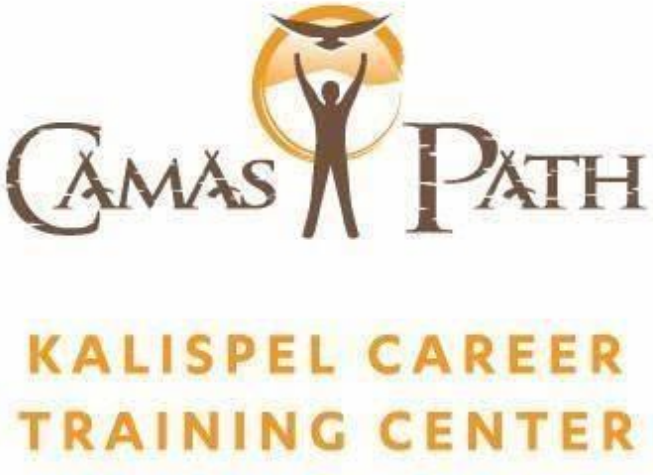
Student projects – Local Displays

Student projects – Tiny House builds

Student projects – Trailer Showers

Purpose of the Ordinance

- Provides authority to SCL GM/CEO to sign a five-year agreement with the Kalispel Tribe of Indians.
- Agreement commits SCL to $50,000 per year to support the Kalispel Career Training Center.
- Supports the Kalispel Tribe's Workforce Enhancement Initiative.
- Annual report to SCL includes funding use and workforce trained (44 graduates to date).



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Mission

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Vision

Create a shared energy future by partnering with our customers to meet their energy needs in whatever way they choose.

Values

- **Customers First**
- **Environmental Stewardship**
- **Equitable Community Connections**
- **Operational and Financial Excellence**
- **Safe and Engaged Employees**