



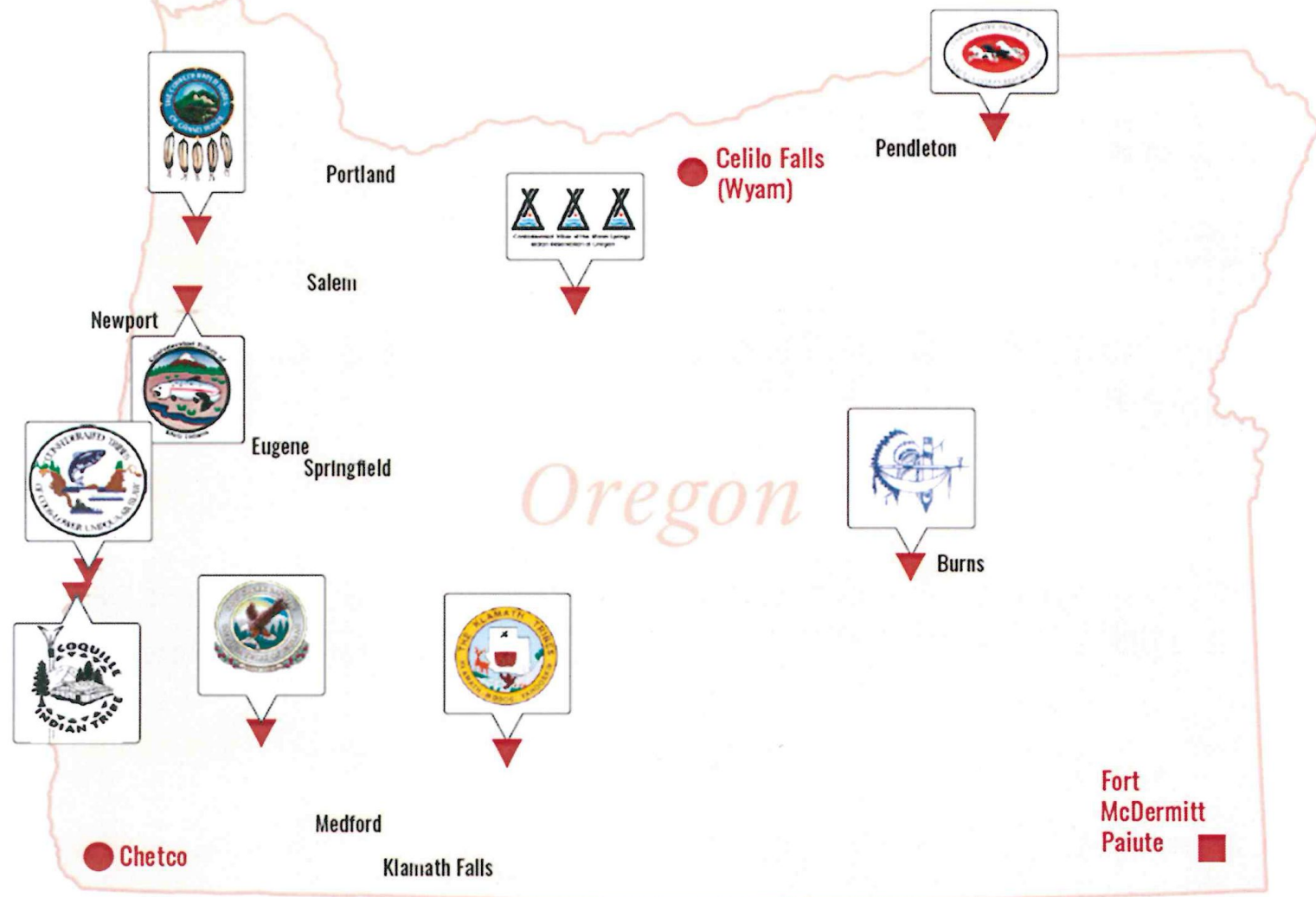
Grand Ronde Restoration

The Confederated Tribes of
Grand Ronde

Did You Know

There are nine nations in Oregon

- The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde
- The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians
- The Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw Indians
- Confederated Tribes of Umatilla Reservation
- Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs
- Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Indians
- Coquille Indian Tribe
- Klamath Tribes



The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde: Who Are We?





**How Did the Tribe get
the Reservation?**

Termination

Long ago, tribes were rounded up and forced onto reservations. After several decades of living on reservations, seven out of the nine tribes were **terminated** by the federal government. Tribal members were forced to move from the reservation to find housing and jobs to support their families.

What do you think the word terminated means?

Termination Video

After being terminated for almost 30 years, a group of elders on the Grand Ronde reservation began fighting for the tribe to be restored and sought **restoration**.

What do you think the word restoration means?



Grand Ronde Restoration Hearing 1983
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Grand Ronde Restoration

After traveling back and forth to Washington DC a lot, testifying in front of Congress and a whole lot of other planning, on November 22, 1983 the Grand Ronde Restoration Act was signed into law and the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde became recognized by the state of Oregon and the federal government.

Tribe	Total Acres of the Reservation	Date the Tribe was Restored
The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde	11,040	1983
The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians	4,204	1977
The Confederated Tribes of Umatilla	172,882	Never terminated
The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs	644,000	Never terminated
The Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua, and Siuslaw	127	1984
Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Indians	3,236	1982
Klamath Tribes	390	1986
Coquille Indian Tribe	6,512	1989
Burns Paiute Tribe	11,736	1972

Today

The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde celebrates every year on November 22nd and hosts a Restoration Celebration and powwow for tribal members and community members to come take part in and give thanks to our ancestors and elders who helped fight for our Tribe.



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