



Enrollment increases; Natives still least represented

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Central Michigan Life

MICHIGAN — Minority enrollment at Central Michigan University has increased from last year's numbers.

The number of black students on campus has risen from 790 in 2009 to 889 this year, according to statistics from the registrar's office. Other minorities too have seen an increase.

However, the number of white students has grown from 17,028 to 17,514 — a proportional decrease from 83.3 to 82.2 percent — in the same span of time.

Kevin Williams, associate director of minority enrollment, said CMU staff members go to many under-represented areas around the state to recruit students every year, but the challenge is not always about finding them.

"This is one of the most segregated states in the nation," he said. "If you want to find underrepresented students, you have to go to where they reside."

Total undergraduate enrollment increased from 20,444 to 21,290 between fall 2009 and this semester. Though the percentage of white students has decreased, several minority percentages, including those for Native American, Asian and Hispanic students, has proportionally risen on campus.

Williams attributed the increase of minority students to high school visitations, summer programs and community efforts.

Betty Wagner, director of Admissions, said it takes a large amount of people to make the outreach programs work while retaining students.

"One of the things that is incredibly important is the faculty and staff," Wagner said.

Native Americans and Asians remain the two smallest minority groups on campus.

In fall of 1997, the two groups made up less than 2 percent of CMU's student body. In fall 2010, they made up 1 percent.

Colleen Green, director of Native American Programs, said the close-knit Native American society sometimes results in a lower retention rate among students. Some ways to ease transition from home to school are Native American organizations and programs, she said.

There are also week-long summer programs for Native American high school students and youth camps that participate in recruiting. "(Kevin Williams) and I attend the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe-sponsored Career Expo every year," Green said. "The expo is held locally to encourage local high schools students to seek out higher education."

Although the minority student population increases every year, Wagner said there is still room for improvement.

"We don't rest on our laurels," she said. "We try to analyze all of our programs every year and do far better. That is one of our main goals to diversify the campus. All of the positive benefits CMU has to offer will be enhanced with more diversity."

Legal Notice

LEGAL NOTICE
Gallup-McKinley County
New Mexico

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION
FOR LEASE OF STATE TRUST LAND
McKinley County, New Mexico
State Land Office
Option Agreement No. _____

A public auction will be held at the time, place, and date stated below in paragraph A. The item to be auctioned is a 40-year Option Agreement as generally described in paragraph B. A general description of the applicable State Trust Lands is described in paragraph C. Pre-auction qualifications and requirements for bidders are described in paragraph D.

The Commissioner of Public Lands ("Commissioner") has determined that the highest and best use for the State Trust Lands described in paragraph C is development of a municipal well field, and accordingly the Option Agreement being auctioned requires that use. The Commissioner currently estimates that at least 29 wells could be constructed on the subject State Trust Lands. The Bid Packet, Option Agreement, and any additional information can be obtained at the address set forth in paragraph E. The Option Agreement will be awarded to the qualified bidder successfully bidding the highest bonus at the auction, subject to the discretion of the Commissioner to ensure that the lands are placed to their highest and best use. *The minimum bid for the Option Agreement will be a bonus of \$1,000 and bidding will go up in increments of at least \$100.*

A) Auction:

Date: October 27, 2010
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Place: McKinley County Court House steps, Gallup, New Mexico.
The auction will be oral.

B) Summary of the Option Agreement:

The item being offered is an Option Agreement which would allow access to certain State Trust Lands and the ability to construct municipal monitoring and production wells at lessee's discretion. The term of this Option Agreement shall be for forty (40) years. The Option Agreement rental terms are as follows: \$1000/yr. for each well site; \$100/yr. for each monitoring well; \$1,000/yr. for each production well, plus 5%-10% production to the Commissioner; and 12.5% of all gross receipts from non-municipal sales of water.

The Option Agreement contains rent adjustments and terms regarding liens, assignment and subletting, relinquishment, default, insurance, indemnification, and the like, and is subject to all pertinent State statutes and rules. The complete Bid Packet with all terms and conditions can be obtained as described in paragraph E.

C) General Description of the State Trust Lands subject to the Option Agreement:

Pt. Sec. 14, T.15.N., R.15.W (~320 acres); Pt. Sec. 16, T.15.N, R.15.W (~320 acres); Pt. Frac. Sec. 20, T.15.N, R.15.W (~280 acres); Pt. Sec. 22, T.15.N, R.15.W (~480 acres); Pt. Sec. 26, T.15.N, R.15.W (~320 acres); Pt. Sec. 28, T.15.N, R.15.W (~400 acres); Pt. Frac. Sec. 32, T.15.N, R.15.W (~420 acres); Pt. Sec. 34, T.15.N, R.15.W (~480 acres); Pt. Sec. 36, T.15.N, R.15.W (~640 acres); and Pt. Sec. 36, T.16.N, R.18.W (~640 acres).

D) Requirements and qualifications of bidders:

As a condition precedent to bidding at the auction, a bidder must obtain and read through a copy of the Bid Packet, Option Agreement, and all exhibits, and must demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, must have in its possession, and must deposit with the Commissioner at the address set forth below in paragraph E, evidence:

- That it has experience in the successful construction and operation of a municipal water supply well field, including aquifer management with monitoring wells and production wells;
- that it has experience in the successful operation of a municipal water supply system;
- of the number and kind of wells they intend to install on the property;
- of a commitment that the monitoring and production wells will be placed to beneficial use for municipal water supply purposes;
- that it has adequate funding resource to construct and operate a municipal well field and water supply system;
- that it can and will commit to the terms of the Option Agreement and all exhibits offered at auction;
- that it has assets of at least \$25 million; and
- that it has a market for the municipal water supply.

All prospective bidders must provide the evidence set forth above to the Commissioner for his review on or before October 25, 2010. In order to complete the requirements and qualify to bid, on or before October 25, 2010, each prospective bidder must deposit \$2,522,203 with the Commissioner in the form of a certified or cashier's check or bank money order, made payable to the Commissioner of Public Lands. This amount represents:

- First year's base rent - \$2,900
 - Estimated advertising cost - \$11,000
 - Existing infrastructure value - \$2,508,303
- Total Deposit - \$2,522,203**

The deposits of the unsuccessful bidders will be refunded. The successful bidder will be expected to pay all costs of the auction and of closing the transaction.

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tion if not included in the above.

Upon approval of the Commissioner, possession of the subject lands may be obtained when the Commissioner executes the Option Agreement.

E) How to Obtain a Copy of the Bid Packet, Option Agreement, or Other Information:

Please Contact:
Anna Villa
NM State Land Office
310 Old Santa Fe Trail
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504
505-827-5789

Disabled individuals who require aids to participate in the long-term business lease bid may call 505-827-5768; or Fax 505-827-6157, and/or TTY (800) 659-8331. Upon request, these documents may be available in alternative formats.

The right to reject any and all bids is expressly reserved and no lease shall become effective unless and until approved in writing by the Commissioner.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Window Rock-Apache County
Arizona

BID # 10-09-813WJ

The Navajo Nation Emergency Medical Service is looking for Certified Vendors who are under the Navajo Nation Business Regulatory Opportunity Act (Title 5, Ch. 2-Section 201-215).

The NNEMS Department is looking for vendor who is qualified in providing the following services:

- Rock Skirting for Two Modular Buildings 72x31
- Insulating of existing water/sewer line for two buildings
- Rain gutters for two buildings

If you are interested in the following please call Martina Jesus at (928) 871-7788 or Barbara J. Shondee at (928) 871-6508 to schedule an appointment starting October 5, 2010 through October 12, 2010.

Bids must be received at The Navajo Nation Purchasing Service Department, Post Office Box 9000, Window Rock, AZ 86515. No later than October 18, 2010.

Again should you have any questions please feel free to call Martina Jesus or Barbara J. Shondee at the above number.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Window Rock-Apache County
Arizona

REQUEST FOR BID

RE-BID:#10-09-804LE

The Navajo Nation Purchasing Services Department is soliciting for bids from qualified vendors on an RFP for:

RADIO ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN AGAINST DIABETES

TO OBTAIN BID NO. 10-09-804LE GO TO THIS WEBSITE: www.nnooc.org Link: Purchasing, RFP.

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Window Rock-Apache County
Arizona

REQUEST FOR BID

RE-BID#: 10-06-784LE

The Navajo Nation Purchasing Services Department is soliciting for Bids from qualified vendors on an RFP for:

Fire Alarm And Surveillance System Project

To obtain Bid No. 10-06-784LE go to this website: www.nnooc.org Link: Purchasing, RFP

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Arizona

BID # 10-09-815LE

The Navajo Nation of Emergency Medical Service hereby request for bids from licensed vendors for (10) Type II ambulances.

Request for ambulance specifications may be made to either Henry Wallace at (928) 871-6410 or Penny Johnson at (505) 696-5459.

Bids must be received at The Navajo Nation Purchasing Service Department, Post Office Box 9000, Window Rock, AZ 86515. No later than October 20, 2010.

E) How to Obtain a Copy of the Bid Packet, Option Agreement, or Other Information:

Please Contact:
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NM State Land Office
310 Old Santa Fe Trail
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504
505-827-5789

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02. Services

"Save/Save/Save"
Monthly Subscription Rates
\$11.50 per month

Buy 10 Months and Get 12 Months
Clip & Save up to \$23
On Home Delivery Only!

Pay one year in advance & save! Pay only \$115 for the entire year!

End Rolls of Paper
\$1.00 per roll. Great for packing, school projects and gift wrapping!
The Gallup Independent
500 N 9th Street
For details call 505-863-6811.

Make your ad stand out!
Highlight your ad in yellow for only \$2.00 a day.
For details call 505-863-6811.

Legal & Classified Liner Deadlines & Guidelines

Legal ads for Wednesday-Saturday publication must be received two (2) days prior to publication, before 2:00 pm.

Legal ads for Mondays or Tuesdays publication, must be received on Fridays before 2:00 pm.

Legal ads more than five (5) pages long must be received four (4) days prior to publication.

Classified Liner Ads that are 20 lines or more, AND price quotes, must be in by 11:00a.m. two (2) days (at least) prior to wanted publication date.

Classified Liner Ads for Tuesday-Saturday publication must be received one (1) day prior to publication, before 11:00 am.

Classified Liner Ads for Mondays publication must be received on Friday before 2:00 pm.

4 lines is the minimum amount of lines per ad. 22 Characters per line, including Punc. & Spacing.

Notice that ads must be faxed in or customer must come by office to place their ad.

All personal ads must be prepaid.

The Gallup Independent will not be responsible for ads that are left on price quote due to no reply or response from individuals.

Ads that are in need of correction, addition, removal, or changes must be made 24 hours after first publication. The Gallup Independent will not be responsible for ads not changed in the designated time frame and will be charged at regular price.

Be good to your environment!
Recycle old newspapers today!
We pay out 1¢ a pound.
The Gallup Independent
500 N. 9th Street

03. Lost & Found

Missing Dog. Long Haired Chihuahua, McGaffey Area, Need Medication 505 728 8186 or 505 728 2480. Reward

Lost and Found Special
4 lines, 22 characters per line, 3 days for Free!
•One (1) ad run per customer.
For details call 505-863-6811.

04. Help Wanted

Earn \$\$\$ and make a difference. 100+Tutoring seeking tutors. Pay \$12-35/HR. based on education. Call 505 508 5510; Fax Resume 505 - 508 - 5509

HELP WANTED.
Experienced Hotel Manager wanted Please email resume to hotelsnm@gmail.com

Zuni Entrepreneurial Enterprises Inc. (ZEE Inc.) is currently accepting applications for a Developmental Specialist for the Zuni Early Intervention Program. Applications are available at Zuni Entrepreneurial Enterprises Inc., Building 208 B Avenue and 6th Street, Zuni New Mexico 87327. For further information, please call (505) 782 5798.

A Navajo Owned business located in Window Rock, AZ seeking to fill a position for Assistant to the Office Manager under a Temporary 90-day contract. Responsibilities include: Administrative responsibilities including: reviewing, completing and submitting quotes. Reviewing contracts with purchase orders and monitoring/maintaining current purchase orders for sufficient funds. Collections, and assisting with the overall day to day functions of the office. Qualified candidates must have experience in accounting / bookkeeping and contract administration. Must have strong PC skills with proficiency in MS Office (Word, Excel, & Outlook), have exceptional organizational skills, be detail oriented and have 3 years office managerial experience. This position requires a background investigation. Salary DOE. Please submit resume and cover letter via fax to 505 348 9085 or email to jobs@acnfm.com. Equal Opportunity Employer & Navajo Preference Employer.

04. Help Wanted

Job Vacancies
Bureau of Indian Education
Crownpoint Community School
P.O Box 178
Crownpoint, New Mexico 87313

Certified Position:
Head Teacher - OUF
Education Specialist (MATH) - OUF
Teacher (Language Arts) - OUF
Teacher (Library Science) OUF

Classified Positions
Homeliving Assistant (Male)
10/08/10

All positions are open until filled. For more information, Call Crownpoint Community School at : (505) 786 - 6159/6160

Help Wanted
Experienced Mechanic needed. Must have own tools. OBOII Knowledgeable. Heavy equipment experience preferred. M&R Auto Sales 514 W. Maloney

Leader Operator and CDL Water Truck Driver needed. Operators need min 5 yrs. exp. Journeyman. Fax resumes to 480 - 987-0791 or deliver to Labor Relations Office. Deadline is October 13th at 12 noon. S & J Grading, Inc. is a Navajo Preference Employer on this project.

House Cleaner wanted in Gallup area. To clean 2 Company Houses each 3 bedroom 2 bath homes. Once a week for \$80.00 each home. Please call Rachelle at 801-362-6349 or email. Your interest to rachellekauvaka@ea-gleairmed.com

Now Hiring
Job in the Window Rock, AZ area Class B CDL Driver
3 Yrs. Exp., Current MVD Printout and Med- card. 40 Hours Per Week PAY \$13 per hr. N/S inc. - Window Rock, AZ (928) 871 - 4395

Coastal Transport is now hiring day and night shift class A CDL drivers and offering a \$2000 sign on bonus. Must have tanker & hazmat endorsements and 1 year truck-driving experience. Apply in person at 3800 W. Hwy. 66 Gallup. 1 800 366 3785

10. Babysitting

Babysitting in Gamarco Approved by State 708 Draco 7:30am to 6:00pm Call 505 879 1360

Family Want Ad Special
Want to place an advertisement for babysitting, yardwork, etc.? Pay only \$11.00 for 3 days. 4 lines, 22 characters per line **•No commercial accounts**
For details call 505-863-6811

13. Miscellaneous For Sale

RCA 32" TV
Black - Great Condition
100.00
505 870 6626

Ethan Allen Desk with matching Chair Solid Maple \$125.00 505 870 6626

Gas Powered Weed Trimmer \$100 o.b.o (505) 906-7314

1950's Huffly Bicycles His n Hers 20" Frame in great shape. 3 speed on handle bars. But needs new tires. (505) 906-7314 Ask for Mike.

Independent Special
Have something to sell under \$500? Run a 4 line ad for 6 days for FREE! Simply fill out a form at 500 N. 9th St. **•One (1) Miscellaneous item per customer only.**
For details call 505-863-6811.

20. Garage & Yard Sales

Backyard Sale Oct. 9, 2010. 8am to 12 noon 410 Julie Dr. Luggage, bedding, frying pans, iron clothes, Fixtures & more.

Back Yard Sale
Sat 8 to 1 616 - 618 Zecca Drive TV Furniture , men and women clothes, lots of stuff

Saturday 10/09/10 8 am to ?? 404 Freedom Dr. Lots of Items to choose from must sell all

400 E. Green Street 10 Days - Starts Friday, Oct 8 High Quality Items 8:00 - 4:00

Huge Sale 1506 Pecan Ct Everything Must Go 10/08/10 - 10/09/10 7 :00 - ? Lots of Musical Items and misc.

Garage/Yard Sale Special
3 days for \$14.00 Includes Garage/Yard sale kit. 4 lines: 22 characters per line. Will run Wed., Thur., Fri., OR Thur., Fri., Sat.
For details call 505-863-6811.

22. House For Rent/Sale

Publishers Notice:
All real estate advertised in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968 which makes it illegal to advertise any preference, limitation, or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex or national origin or intention to make any such preference, limitation or discrimination. This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an Equal Opportunity basis.

22. House For Rent/Sale

Home for Sale
2 bedroom 2 lots
\$45,000 (Rent to Own)
Mike 870 - 1401

29. Unfurnished House For Rent

House for Rent
Behind Indain Hospital, 3 bedroom, 2 car garage, \$900 + Utilities. Call 505 839 2200

31. House For Sale

Beautiful remodeled home for sale. 1405 Elva is a 3 bdrm. 2 bath home Appx. 1,080 Sq. Ft. Amanda at 505-488-8588

36. Mobile Home For Rent

2 Bed, 2 bath 595 per month 300 deposit No Pets 722 2148 Located in Gamarco Leave Message

3 Bdrm/2 Bath. \$550/mo & \$400 deposit. 6 mo. Lease No Pets. Call 722 - 6535 Mon. Fri. between 9a.m. to 5p.m. Applications & background check required.

45. Autos & Trucks For Sale

2008 Nissan Frontier Xtend Cab Truck Low Miles Asking \$13,500 505 863 9160

2005 Dodge Neon 4 Door Good Condition Asking 2500 Firm! 5058 870 - 5113

1967 Blue Chevy - 3/4 ton, step side, long bed pick up. 350 engine, automatic. \$2,200. Call (505) 681-0182.

1985 Camero \$500 No engine or transmission Body is straight one dent on the door. Interior is still nice. Don't have a title. Call (505) 879-3875 if interested.

Selling a Car/Truck/Motorcycle?
Run your used vehicle ad in the Independent at this affordable rate! \$20.00 for 6 days! 4 lines: 22 characters per line. **•No commercial accounts. One Vehicle Only Per Ad**
For details call 505-863-6811.

46. Motorcycles

95 Kawasaki KX65 2 stroke kids dirt bike. Well maintained, new top end. Comes with all riding gear. \$600 firm (505) 879-3875

Los Angeles Times Daily Crossword Puzzle

Edited by Rich Norris and Joyce Nichols Lewis

ACROSS	4 Unit quantified in a subscript	40 Follow closely	52 Walks like a crab
1 The Bob Hope Classic component and others	5 Secondary	41 Wane	56 lrk
6 Having lovely panoramas	6 Having lovely panoramas	42 Swine	59 Big top, for one
7 Privately, to a lawyer	7 "This tape will self-destruct in five seconds"	43 Indonesian island	60 Official gem of South Australia
15 Like some Egyptian churches	7 Egyptian churches	46 Compound used as a lab solvent	61 Brusque
16 Robin's band	8 Modernists	47 Two, for one	63 Mimicked
17 *Stand firm	9 Gloat	48 "Never mind"	64 CIA predecessor
19 Writer de Beauvoir	10 Johnson of "Laugh-In"	50 Artist known for spatial impossibilities	65 Safety device
20 Amiable	11 "Frankly,"	51 Part of QE2: Abbr.	66 The London Zoo has one
21 PIN requester	12 Poker face's lack		67 Ms. evaluators
22 European capital	13 VCR's "Go back"		
24 1871 Cairo premiere	14 Abby's twin		
27 Latin god	18 Bell-shaped lily		
29 *Find by chance	21 Oklahoma city		
33 Own up to	23 Lovey-dovey		
35 Pierre's peeper	25 British mil		