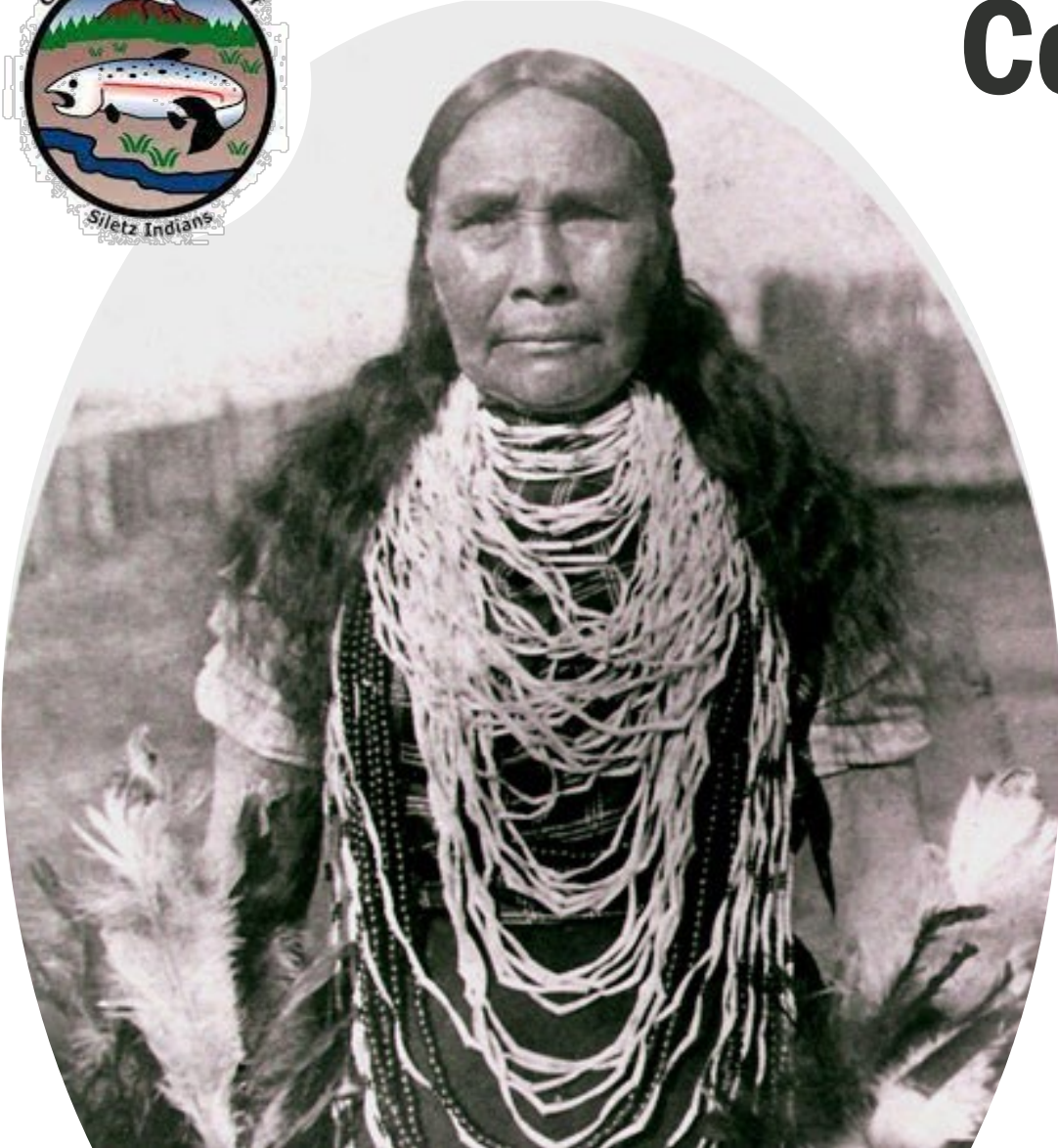




Exhibit B: Repeal of Siletz Consent Decree Agreement



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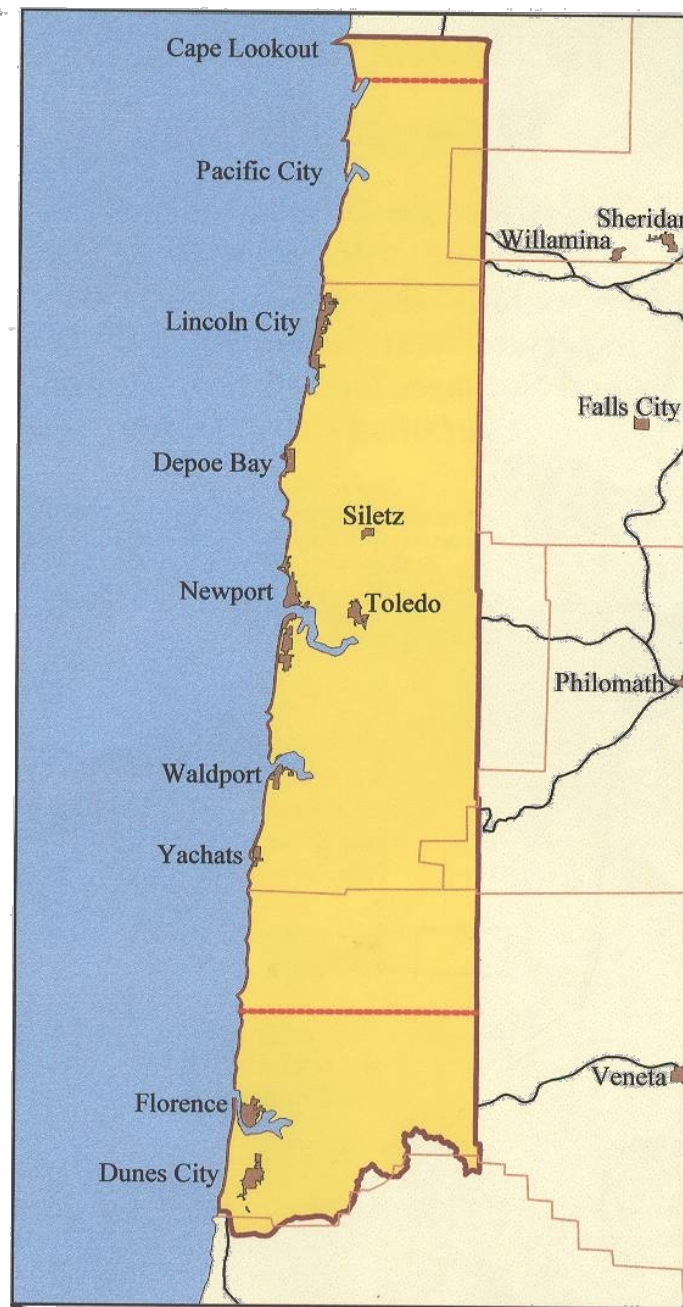


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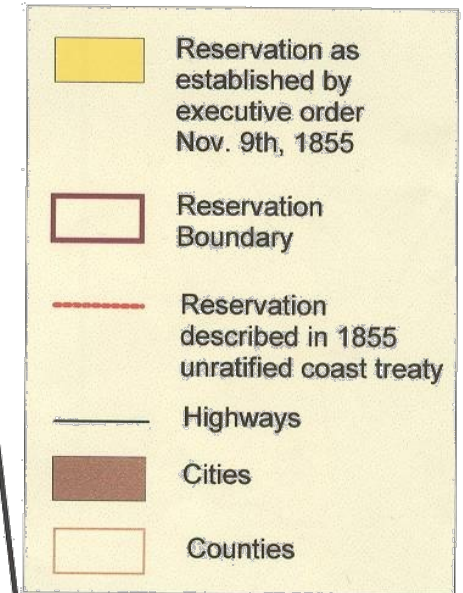


The Coast (Siletz) Reservation

Showing that the Boundaries Established by Executive Order November 9, 1855 Followed the Description and Request by Superintendent Palmer April 17, 1855 and Not those Described in the 1855 Unratified Coast Treaty



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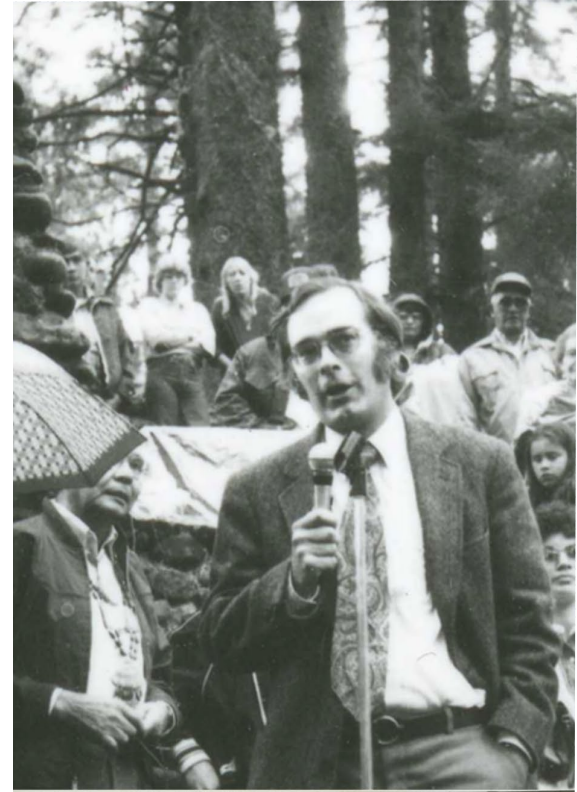


Termination & Restoration

1954 Termination

1977 Siletz Restoration Act

1980 Siletz Reservation Act*



The Consent Decree

- Restoration Act was silent on hunting, fishing, trapping, and gathering rights.
- Consent Decree was required by the state as a condition of Reservation Act.
- Consent Decree severely limited and “permanently defined” rights

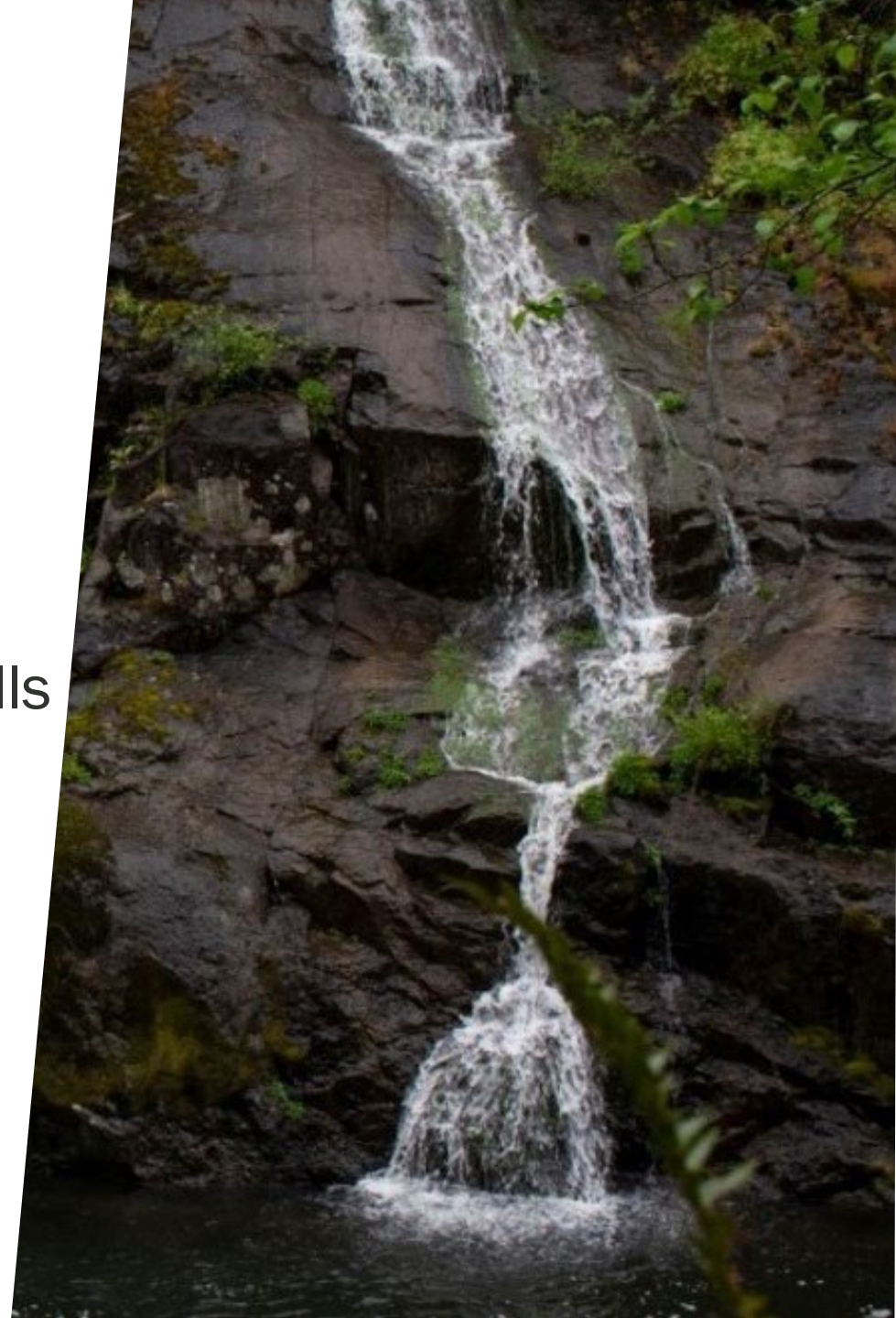


Modern Relationship between Siletz Tribe and ODFW



Voluntary, Cooperative

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- Sea Lion Control Project at Willamette Falls
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- Willamette Wildlife Mitigation Program
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- 2023 Cooperative Management Agreement with ODFW





Issue: Repeal of Siletz Consent Decree Agreement



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Staff

Recommendation:

Adopt staff recommendations to repeal OARs 635-041-0500, 635-041-0510, 635-0410515, and 635-041-0520 and amend OAR 635-800-0500 as proposed by staff.

