

113TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 416

To amend the Grand Ronde Reservation Act to make technical corrections,
and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 28, 2013

Mr. MERKLEY (for himself and Mr. WYDEN) introduced the following bill;
which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs

A BILL

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technical corrections, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. ESTABLISHMENT OF RESERVATION.**

4 Section 1 of the Act entitled “An Act to establish a
5 reservation for the Confederated Tribes of the Grand
6 Ronde Community of Oregon, and for other purposes,”
7 approved September 9, 1988 (Public Law 100–425; 102
8 Stat. 1594; 102 Stat. 2939; 104 Stat. 207; 106 Stat.
9 3255; 108 Stat. 708; 108 Stat. 4566; 112 Stat. 1896),
10 is amended—

1 (1) in subsection (a)—

2 (A) by striking “Subject to valid” and in-
3 serting the following:

4 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Subject to valid”; and

5 (B) by adding after paragraph (1) (as des-
6 ignated by subparagraph (A)) the following:

7 “(2) ADDITIONAL TRUST ACQUISITIONS.—

8 “(A) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may
9 accept title to any additional number of acres of
10 real property located within the boundaries of
11 the original 1857 reservation of the Confed-
12 erated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community
13 of Oregon established by Executive order dated
14 June 30, 1857, comprised of land within the
15 political boundaries of Polk and Yamhill Coun-
16 ties, Oregon, if that real property is conveyed or
17 otherwise transferred to the United States by or
18 on behalf of the Tribe.

19 “(B) TREATMENT OF TRUST LAND.—All
20 applications to take land into trust within the
21 boundaries of the original 1857 reservation
22 shall be treated by the Secretary as an on-res-
23 ervation trust acquisition.

24 “(C) RESERVATION.—All real property
25 taken into trust within those boundaries at any

1 time after September 9, 1988, shall be part of
 2 the reservation of the Tribe.”; and

3 (2) in subsection (c)—

4 (A) in the matter preceding the table, by
 5 striking “in subsection (a) are approximately
 6 10,311.60” and inserting “in subsection (a)(1)
 7 are approximately 11,274.19”; and

8 (B) in the table—

9 (i) by striking the following:

“6	7	8	Tax lot 800	5.55”;
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10 and inserting the following:

“6	7	7, 8, 17, 18	Former tax lot 800, located within the SE ¼ SE ¼ of Section 7; SW ¼ SW ¼ of Section 8; NW ¼ NW ¼ of Section 17; and NE ¼ NE ¼ of Section 18	5.55”;
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11 (ii) in the acres column of the last
 12 item added by section 2(a)(1) of Public
 13 Law 103–445 (108 Stat. 4566), by strik-
 14 ing “240” and inserting “241.06”; and

15 (iii) by striking all text after

“6	7	18	E ½ NE ¼	43.42”;
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16 and inserting the following:

“6	8	1	W ½ SE ¼ SE ¼	20.6
6	8	1	N ½ SW ¼ SE ¼	19.99
6	8	1	SE ¼ NE ¼	9.99
6	8	1	NE ¼ SW ¼	10.46
6	8	1	NE ¼ SW ¼, NW ¼ SW ¼	12.99
6	7	6	SW ¼ NW ¼	37.99
6	7	5	SE ¼ SW ¼	24.87

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6	7	5, 8	SW ¼ SE ¼ of Section 5; and NE ¼ NE ¼, NW ¼ NE ¼, NE ¼ NW ¼ of Section 8	109.9
6	8	1	NW ¼ SE ¼	31.32
6	8	1	NE ¼ SW ¼	8.89
6	8	1	SW ¼ NE ¼, NW ¼ NE ¼	78.4
6	7	8, 17	SW ¼ SW ¼ of Section 8; and NE ¼ NW ¼, NW ¼ NW ¼ of Section 17	14.33
6	7	17	NW¼ NW ¼	6.68
6	8	12	SW ¼ NE¼	8.19
6	8	1	SE ¼ SW ¼	2.0
6	8	1	SW ¼ SW ¼	5.05
6	8	12	SE ¼, SW ¼	50.8
6	7	17, 18	SW ¼, NW ¼ of Section 17; and SE ¼, NE ¼ of Section 18	136.83
6	8	1	SW ¼ SE ¼	20.08
6	7	5	NE ¼ SE ¼, SE ¼ SE ¼, E ½ SE ¼ SW ¼	97.38
4	7	31	SE ¼	159.60
6	7	17	NW ¼ NW ¼	3.14
6	8	12	NW ¼ SE ¼	1.10
6	7	8	SW ¼ SW ¼	0.92
6	8	12	NE ¼ NW ¼	1.99
6	7	7	NW ¼ NW ¼ of Section 7; and	
6	8	12	S ½ NE ¼, E ½ NE ¼ NE ¼ of Section 12	86.48
6	8	12	NE ¼ NW ¼	1.56
			Total	11,274.19".

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