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Colville Tribal Solutions Corporation Subsidiary 1872 Force Protection, LLC Awarded Chief Joseph Dam Contract by US Army Corps of Engineers

COULEE DAM, WA – The US Army Corps of Engineers awards a \$2.9 million security services contract for the Chief Joseph Dam in Bridgeport, Washington to 1872 Force Protection, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Colville Tribal Solutions Corporation.

"Colville Tribal Solutions Corporation and 1872 Force Protection, LLC, with the support of the Council, set out with a clear purpose to capture this project," said 1872 Force Protection, LLC General Manager Kay Bills. "We deployed tribal resources that were, at times, very difficult. But by preserving against many odds, we have captured this dam and the jobs that go with it for the Colville community."

Located on the southwest corner of the Confederated Tribes of Colville Reservation, the Chief Joseph Dam is the largest hydropower producing dam operated by the US Army Corps of Engineers and the second largest hydropower producing dam in the United States according to the US Army Corps of Engineers.

"What you see is not just another government contract for work," said Bills. "This is a partnership with the US Army Corp of Engineer. They have placed their trust in the Colville people."

Named after late Nez Perce Chief "Him-mah-too-yah-lat-kekt" Joseph, the dam was completed on the Columbia River in 1979 creating Rufus Woods Lake. According to the US Army Corps of Engineers, energy generated by the dam can power the entire Seattle metropolitan area.

"It is important to note that the profits from the contract will directly support the health and welfare of the Colville community," said 1872 Force Protection, LLC President Brian Nissen. "And that's a good thing."

1872 Force Protection, LLC is currently accepting applications for Army Regulation 190-56 qualified security personnel to join the 1872 team. All applicants must be Army Regulation 190-56, paragraph 2-3 (e.) certified to apply for these positions. Positions will remain open until filled. Contact careers@1872fp.com with your direct contact information including phone number and email address. Visit www.ctscnac.com for more information.

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1872 Force Protection, LLC (1872)

1872 Force Protection, LLC is a wholly owned subsidiary of Colville Tribal Solutions Corporation a Federally Chartered Section 17 Corporation of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation. 1872 provides a well-trained, uniformed, security force, either armed or unarmed, maintains a valid security company guard license in the state of Washington, and maintains a cooperative working relationship with the local law enforcement authorities.

Colville Tribal Solutions Corporation (CTSC)

CTSC is a Federally Chartered Tribal Section 17 Corporation that is responsible for the creation & management of Tribally owned enterprises for the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation in Washington State. CTSC currently has business concentrations in Security, Anti-money laundering and Forensic Accounting and Information Technology.