

**Bud Lane**  
**Tribal Vice-Chairman**  
**Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians**



As an advocate for the Siletz Tribe, Bud was elected and served on the Siletz Tribal Council from 1984 to 1991, and from 2004 to the present. As Vice-Chairman, Bud helps to represent the Tribal Council in local, state, federal and inter-tribal matters, including various committees and boards.

A language teacher of his own Athabaskan language in the Siletz Valley School, Bud is also involved in the Tribe's principal ceremonies teaching their young people about Siletz tradition and Culture.

Bud credits the success of his tribe to all of the past and current Tribal Council leaders. The history of the tribe, since termination in the 1950s to restoration in 1977, has been one of growth and prosperity. The rebuilding of a tribe takes leadership and community support.