



TRAVIS BOERSMA SHARES STATEMENT ON THE FLYING LARK ENTERTAINMENT VENUE

Horse racing and the equine industry have been passions of mine since I was young. Races are something I enjoyed with my grandfather and now enjoy with my kids. Three years ago, I started a project to help save the horse racing industry in Oregon, improve the Josephine County fairgrounds, provide new employment opportunities in my community, and bolster rural Oregon's economy.

Over the course of the last few years, I've worked with a team of dedicated experts to revive Grants Pass Downs and build The Flying Lark, a premier restaurant, horse racing and gaming center. These projects have provided hundreds of living wage jobs, supported seasonal workers and created opportunities for people of all ages in the community. Through the entire process, I've made it a priority to meet and work with Oregon's tribal leaders.

It's my hope that tribal leaders will once again come back to the table to identify ways in which we can work together. Until then, our team has made it clear we will continue to work to provide jobs and support the economy while following all laws and guidance.

Everything I've done in my professional career has been with the goal of improving life and opportunities in my hometown and my state. I believe work at Grants Pass Downs and The Flying Lark does just that.

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