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 alderman position. If he
 accepts candidacy for the four-
 year term, an alderman candi-
 date will be appointed for the
 two-year term. At least two
 votes are required for eligibili-
 ty of candidacy in the General
 Election.

The Democrat write-in
 nominee for the two-year
 alderman position in Lodge
 Grass is Dawn LaFountain
 with 41 votes.

In the Hardin Primary,
 there were no write-ins for the
 four-year or two-year alder-
 man positions, making Harry
 Steinmetz, Jr. (REP), Karla
 Geck (DEM) and Robert Seder
 (DEM) the candidates for the
 four-year alderman term, and
 Carla Colstad the candidate
 for the two-year term.

According to Election
 Administrator Cyndy Maxwell,
 "If someone declares a candi-
 dacy for any of these terms
 prior to the General Election,
 write-ins who have not accept-
 ed will not count. If no one else
 declares candidacy for these
 positions, then all the write-in
 votes will be counted."

The Hardin election 'ballot
 issue' resulted in 31 Democ-
 rats and 18 Republicans voting
 for the amended plan of gov-
 ernment; while five from each
 political party voted for the
 existing form.

Law enforcement grant money distributed

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The Crow Tribe and Northern Cheyenne Tribe of Native Americans are listed on an August Grantee Report, dispersed by the Office of Community Policing Services, to receive money for hiring more police officers.

The Crow Tribe is slated to receive \$46,695 while the Northern Cheyenne Tribe is slated to receive \$221,044.

Under the U.S. Department of Justice's COPS program, law enforcement agencies apply for assistance to pay the salary and

benefits of officers over three years on a declining match basis, up to a maximum of \$75,000 per officer.

According to Senator Max Baucus (D-MT), "This program has been extremely beneficial to Montana.

"As of August, 1999, over 220 cops have been funded and Montana has received over \$14.5 million from this program. It has helped communities focus on their streets, their schools, the use of technology and equipment to fight crime."

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The land may be barren now but in a few weeks these lawns will be turned into a miniature forest of fledgling trees.

both Wyman and Kober hope to see the possibility of other projects occurring in the area. The planting is expected to take place in the next two weeks.

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