

Keeping the federal building pristine

By Bonne Smith

People who have business in the Richard B. Anderson Federal Building in downtown Port Angeles may notice how shiny and clean the floors, windows and doors are.

The dust-busters down at the Federal Building are Ricky Ewing and Bill Scofield. The third crew member is Evelyn Catli who is the newest employee. Evelyn has been on the job for five months.

The federal crew from Morningside is group supported employment with Steve Weller as supervisor and the contracted building manager.

"They do an excellent job," Steve said.

Bill has worked at the federal building for 11 years and Ricky has worked there for 7 years.

"I dust and I do all the glass," Ricky said. "I like to dust and I clean the (water)fountain."

Ricky said his favorite job is to keep the front doors



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Ricky Ewing and Bill Scofield are outstanding in their workmanship at keeping the federal building in downtown Port Angeles neat and clean.

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Bill specializes in the floors, mopping and sweeping. Bill also cleans the rooms in the federal building.

"Sometimes on a nice day I go outside and clean the railings," said Bill.

The crew work hard at keeping the federal building spotless.

Last month the federal building was renamed and United States Congressman

Norm Dicks attended the dedication ceremony.

Nothing new for the dust busters. They manage to keep a clean sweep and sparkling glass everyday.

The building also hosts a rotating display in the spotless glass display cases in the lobby from the Clallam County Historical Society.

Bill said the displays are very interesting. He said he liked the old uniforms.