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Wayland gym project moves forward



Floyd Chronicle and Times photo by Mary Meadows
Wayland officials open bids for work on the Wayland gym during a Jan. 8 meeting. Pictured left to right are Kevin Gilliam of Summit Engineering, Rusty Justice of Jigsaw Enterprises, commissioners Susie Mills and Charles Bentley, Mayor Jerry Fultz, attorney Tyler Green and Commissioner Curtis Lee.

Nearly \$1 million in projects underway in the city

By MARY MEADOWS
STAFF WRITER

When Kevin Gilliam of Summit Engineering reported the first of four bids submitted for the Wayland gym renovation project was \$409,000, Mayor Jerry Fultz let out an audible gasp.

That's because, un-

like the last time bids were opened for the renovation project, that \$409,000 base bid came in well below the current project budget, as did the other three bids that were opened during a Jan. 8 meeting.

Fultz said the gym

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Floyd Chronicle and Times photo by Mary Meadows
Attorney Greg Jensen, representing Quest Energy, apologizes to the Wayland City Commission for not paying the city on time or filing reports, as required in a contract for the removal of coal on previously-mined property the city owns.

Quest apologizes to Wayland

By MARY MEADOWS
STAFF WRITER

A month after the Wayland City Commission voted to end its contract with Quest Energy, representatives from the company came to a city meeting to apologize.

The company's lawyer Greg Jensen addressed the commission on Jan. 8, about a month after commissioners vot-

ed to end its contract with Quest, citing a breach of contract.

"We recognize and respect and appreciate the decision you all had to make in your last meeting," Jensen said. "And, what we really just hope to do is have further conversations with everyone here and find a way to work together,

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P'burg Tourism to highlight musicians, storytellers this year

By MARY MEADOWS
STAFF WRITER

Prestonsburg Tourism Director Samantha West said the agency will expand its efforts to highlight artists, including musicians and storytellers in 2019.

During a telephone interview this week, West said tourism officials are

planning to develop a new Prestonsburg Storytellers series.

The program is still being planned, but West described it as a series of mini-documentaries that will be broadcast by Prestonsburg Tourism online and on social media.

"That can go out,

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Legislators are back in session

By MARY MEADOWS
STAFF WRITER

Floyd County legislators returned to Frankfort this week for the opening of a 30-day legislative session.

Rep. Ashley Tackett Laferty, D-Martin, and Sen. Johnny Ray Turner, D-Prestonsburg, started that work on Jan. 8.

On Wednesday, Turner introduced a

bill that, if approved, would allow convictions for reckless homicide to be vacated. The bill, which was unsuccessful last year, proposes that convictions for reckless homicide could be vacated and expunged if the offender has been granted a partial pardon by the governor.

Turner said Thursday that he's not sure whether the bill will

move in the legislature this session, but he hopes to see its passage.

This is among several legislative matters that Turner will be supporting this session.

"Though this is the short or 30-day session, the legislators are facing some complex issues including pension, charter

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Senate Caucus Chair Johnny Ray Turner, D-Prestonsburg, confers with Senator Julian Carroll, D-Frankfort, on Senate business on Tuesday, the opening day of the 2019 Legislative Session. Submitted photo



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Rep. Robert Goforth, R-East Bernstadt, speaks with Rep. Sal Santoro, R-Florence, and Rep. Ashley Tackett Laferty, D-Martin, in the Kentucky House.

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Prestonsburg man accused of fighting with officer

**A FLOYD CHRONICLE
AND TIMES STAFF REPORT**

The felony case against a Prestonsburg resident accused of assaulting a police officer was sent to the grand jury for consideration this week. District Judge Eric Hall referred the case against Michael K. Lowe, 47, of Prestonsburg, to the grand jury following

a Jan. 7 hearing. Lowe was charged on Dec. 29 with third-degree assault of a police officer, menacing, resisting arrest, second-degree disorderly conduct, public intoxication of a controlled substance, possession of a handgun by a convicted felon and possession of drug paraphernalia.

According to doc-

uments filed in district court by Kentucky State Police Trooper Darvin Marsillett, the charges stem from an alleged domestic dispute at Slickrock in Prestonsburg in which Lowe was allegedly holding a gun on a female.

Marsillett reported in the citation that he found Lowe standing beside a truck on Jarrell Branch

with his hands in his pockets.

"After making contact with (Lowe) he was instructed to put his hands where they could be seen, while approaching the subject he put his hands in the pockets of his hooded sweat-shirt," Marsillett wrote. "I grabbed the subject by the shirt and began to fight. (Lowe) was tak-

en to the ground where he kept getting up off the ground. I deployed two taser cartridges on (Lowe) and (he) still continued to fight."

He reported that Lowe was "taken to the ground several times" but he kept getting up and fighting.

Marsillett reported that he determined Lowe was a convicted felon

and he allegedly had a 20 gauge Mossberg shotgun in his truck. He allegedly tried to cause problems during his transport to the jail. "While driving to the detention center he began to hit his head on my cage stating that he wished that I would just shoot him," Marsillett wrote, explaining that Lowe "had to be sprayed with OC spray."

Rate increase proposed for some Floyd gas customers

**A FLOYD CHRONICLE
AND TIMES STAFF REPORT**

Two companies based in Betsy Layne are proposing to increase gas rates for customers in Floyd and Johnson counties.

The Betsy Layne-based B&H Gas and Johnson County gas filed applications with the Kentucky Public Service Commission recently. Both companies are owned by Bud Rife and each of them owe money to Rife and other companies that he owns, PSC records show.

The application for B&H asks the PSC to approve rate increases that would increase the average bill per customer from \$35.88 to \$63.70.

The base rate for the first two mcf would increase from \$4.79 per mcf to \$16.40 per mcf, if these rates are approved, the filing says.

The filing requests a rate increase of more than 800 percent for all mcf, with B&H reporting that revenue increase would help the company "stand alone" without

having to get financial help from Rife and his other companies.

"In order to continue to provide safe and reliable natural gas service to its customers, B&H needs a rate increase that will allow B&H to fully pay its expenses each month and be able to be a stand alone company without receiving financial help from Mr. Rife's (B&H's President) non-regulated companies," the application says.

The same day this application was filed, Rife also file a rate increase request for Johnson County Gas, seeking a rate increase that would raise customer base rates from \$8.60 per mcf to \$17.80 per mcf, an increase of about \$9.20, or 106.92 percent.

The Johnson County Gas filing also notes the need for this company to raise rates so that it doesn't have to borrow funds from Rife or his other companies. It notes that Johnson County gas has been operating under a Chapter 13 bankruptcy for several years.

Both of these appli-

cations include numerous notarized promissory notes, tax filings and other documents to show how each of them are financially struggling and how much each of these companies are paying Rife and his other companies.

The B&H filing, for example, includes the company's 2017 tax filing which listed more than \$30,000 in payments to Rife from dividends, and about \$19,600 in additional funds to Rife for equipment and office building rental, and \$46,000 to his companies, B&S Oil and Bud Rife Construction, to buy gas and services.

The B&H filing also includes several notarized promissory notes, showing B&H owes Bud Rife Construction for several loans: \$3,600 for an undisclosed reason, \$32,500 for past due office rent, \$21,000 for past due truck rent, \$490,000 for "past due services rendered." Notarized promissory notes also show B&H owes B&S Oil more than \$1 million for "past due natural gas

delivered," and \$90,800 for a loan; and that it owes Goss Samford PLLC nearly \$40,000 for past due services rendered.

Both of these applications also include contracts that Rife made with himself on behalf of several of the companies.

In the B&H filing, the company agreed to pay him \$2,000 per month to lease office space, \$600 per month for rental of two trucks and \$1,200 per month for truck insurance and maintenance on those trucks.

Johnson County gas pays Rife \$6,000 a month as a management fee, \$2,000 a month for office space, \$600 per month for rental of two trucks and \$1,200 for truck insurance and maintenance, the other application reports.

According to PSC filings, B&H has two employees, and serves residents and businesses of Tram, Stanville, Ivel, Betsy Layne and Mare

Creek.

B&H has filed several rate adjustment applications with the PSC, and most of them have been denied. The latest one was denied in Oct. 2018, when the PSC reported that the company did not follow its methodology for setting its market price of gas.

On Jan. 10, the PSC issued a deficiency letter in both of these cases giving B&H and Johnson County Gas until Jan. 20 to correct the filings.

In 2017, the PSC required B&H to reduce its rates and refund customers, determining after a year-long investigation that the company had been overcharging customers for natural gas.

The order required B&H to be set at \$2.9885 per Mcf, reflecting an estimated gas cost of \$5.9885 per Mcf and a refund for customers of \$3 per Mcf, but that refund has not yet been given to customers, pending the

outcome of a lawsuit filed in Franklin County by Rife and one of his companies.

The PSC reported that B&H over-collected about \$102,000 from customers since that case opened in 2015.

The Franklin Circuit Court issued a temporary injunction against the PSC order in September 2017. The companies alleged the PSC ruling was unlawful and that enforcing it would cause "irreparable injury."

When the PSC opened the investigation in November 2015, it put B&H on notice that its collection of \$9.38 per Mcf was subject to refund.

The agency required the company to put funds collected above \$4.84 per Mcf into an interest-bearing account for the refunds, and it required the company to start quarterly gas adjustment filings.

AG asks to intervene in water rate case

**A FLOYD CHRONICLE
AND TIMES STAFF REPORT**

The Kentucky Attorney General's office is asking to intervene in a water loss rate case recently filed by the Kentucky Public Service Commission.

Justin M. McNeil of the Attorney General's office of rate intervention recently filed a motion to intervene in the case, in which the PSC is investigating the measuring, recording and reporting of water loss by water utilities in the state.

The PSC opened the case on Dec. 18 to "review the adequacy" of methods used by water utilities in its jurisdiction to measure, record and report water loss.

The PSC plans to provide guidance to water utilities about water loss reporting.

In an unrelated case, the PSC reported last year that more than half

of the water is lost in the Southern Water & Sewer District in Floyd County.

Southern Water reported a water loss rate of 42.85 percent to the PSC, while attributing 60 million gallons each for system flushing and fire department use, that case said, but the PSC reported that Southern was "unable to provide sufficient flushing records or records of fire department use" on its system.

Citing that issue, the PSC recalculated Southern's water loss rate to be 58.22 percent.

The company's water loss rate was reported as being 41.05 percent in 2013, 39.43 percent in 2014 and 42.84 percent in 2015.

State regulations mandate that for rate-making purposes, a utility's unaccounted for water loss rate may not be more than 15 percent.

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create another contract and find a mutually-beneficial relationship."

He described Quest as a "proud company that takes a great deal of pride in providing good jobs for our folks, our fellow employees and team members, and good partnership with those that we have in relationships and contracts with."

He said the company is "genuinely committed" to working with Wayland and wants to be a "committed and dedicated partner" with the city.

"The past is the past. We can't do anything about that. Neither party can, but we can work together, be good partners, get things lined out, improve the communication and, really, just work together the benefit of all parties. There's a bright future for both parties, I feel like," Jensen said.

The city's financial report shows Quest has paid Wayland more than \$25,700 since the start of the fiscal year, but officials have spoken about delinquent payments for months. Officials reported the city received a check for about \$25,000 that would cover all delinquencies on Jan. 4.

The decision to end the contract last month came after commissioners had voiced concerns about the city's contract with Quest for several months. Wayland officials reported that letters and requests for information went unanswered and the commission hired a Pikeville company to evaluate the mine site and determine whether Wayland was earning all of the royalties it should have received from Quest. The Dec. 11 letter terminating the contract required Quest to remove its equipment from city property as soon as possible.

When City Attorney Tyler Green asked Tuesday whether Quest had a new proposed contract to present to the city, Jensen said the company is prepared to do that, but thought it may be better to talk to the commission to find out what commissioners would think would work in terms of a contract.

"I have a question for you. It seems like in the past, our problem was we just didn't get paid. How can we ensure that we get paid each month?" Commissioner Curtis Lee said. "What would be your proposal for that?"

Jensen said, "Sir, I think the key part, just in fairness, there was some late payments, but payments have been made in full. I completely respect that. Really we feel like there was a communication gap between the parties and Quest will always take responsibility for any sort of lack of communication. It's on us if there is that."

He said the company officials came to Wayland that day and spoke with Mayor Jerry Fultz. Jensen explained that Quest sent tonnage reports that officials there "thought made sense."

"In working with the mayor, we realized that just because it makes sense to us, we recognized that it may not make sense to you all," Jensen said. "So one thing we spoke about was, you know, timelines, a date and a time, every month, the same one, and then, really kind of reaching back out to you guys and saying what form would you like it in?"

Green told him the biggest problem with the contract between Quest and Wayland was timeliness.

"Respectfully, I think timeliness was the biggest problem, timeliness of the reports and timeliness of the payments ... Just living up to the deadlines in the contract are very important to the commissioners," Green said.

Jensen suggested the possibility of Quest providing a deposit prior to the payment date every month, just to give the city some "predictability" about the funds it will receive. He emphasized the need to improve communication.

"That's why we came down here, three of our members came down, because you guys are that important to us, it is that relationship piece. I mean, it hurts when the relationship doesn't go the way it should, and hopefully you'll find us to be, 'I'll be there right way.' You know, I realize we weren't here that last month, but we're here now and we want to make it right. We want to work with you all and we want it to be in a way that works for you guys and your community. I mean, it's inspiring place to be. You guys are doing a lot of great things and we want to be a part of it," Jensen said.

Fultz suggested sitting down to talk with Lee about the issue, but the commission took no action. He said the commission appreciates the company's visit.

"Everybody sitting here, I think, appreciates you being here," Fultz said. "You're here, you're sharing with us, and we appreciate that. So, everybody can go home and think about what's been said, and where we were and think about where we need to go."

Before the end of the presentation, Jensen apologized.

"We're going to own it, and if there was an inconvenience that's had, we recognize it, we apologize. Sorry," he said. "We don't mean to have inconvenienced you for that, from the bottom of our heart, any inconvenience with you, we want to make right with you."

Wayland officials hope to eventually remove all of the coal from this site and clean it up for development. It includes about 45 acres and around 15 acres of that is flat land.

After the meeting, Green said Wayland is willing to negotiate, but not without improved communication, timeliness and payment from Quest.

"The proposal they brought to us last time had all of these deadlines, payment amounts, that they proposed, and we accepted and they didn't live up to their end of the deal," he said.

He talked about to potential of the mine site, calling it "another piece of the puzzle" that Wayland is constructing to improve the quality of life for residents there.

"Hopefully, we can get back on track with that and maybe make it something even more adventurous for the city because that's important," he said. "This is another piece of the puzzle up here, the 28 Hollow project is. When that's completed and all the coal is

mined out, we're not just going to have a financial benefit for the city. We're also going to have usable land, depending on how it's reclaimed."

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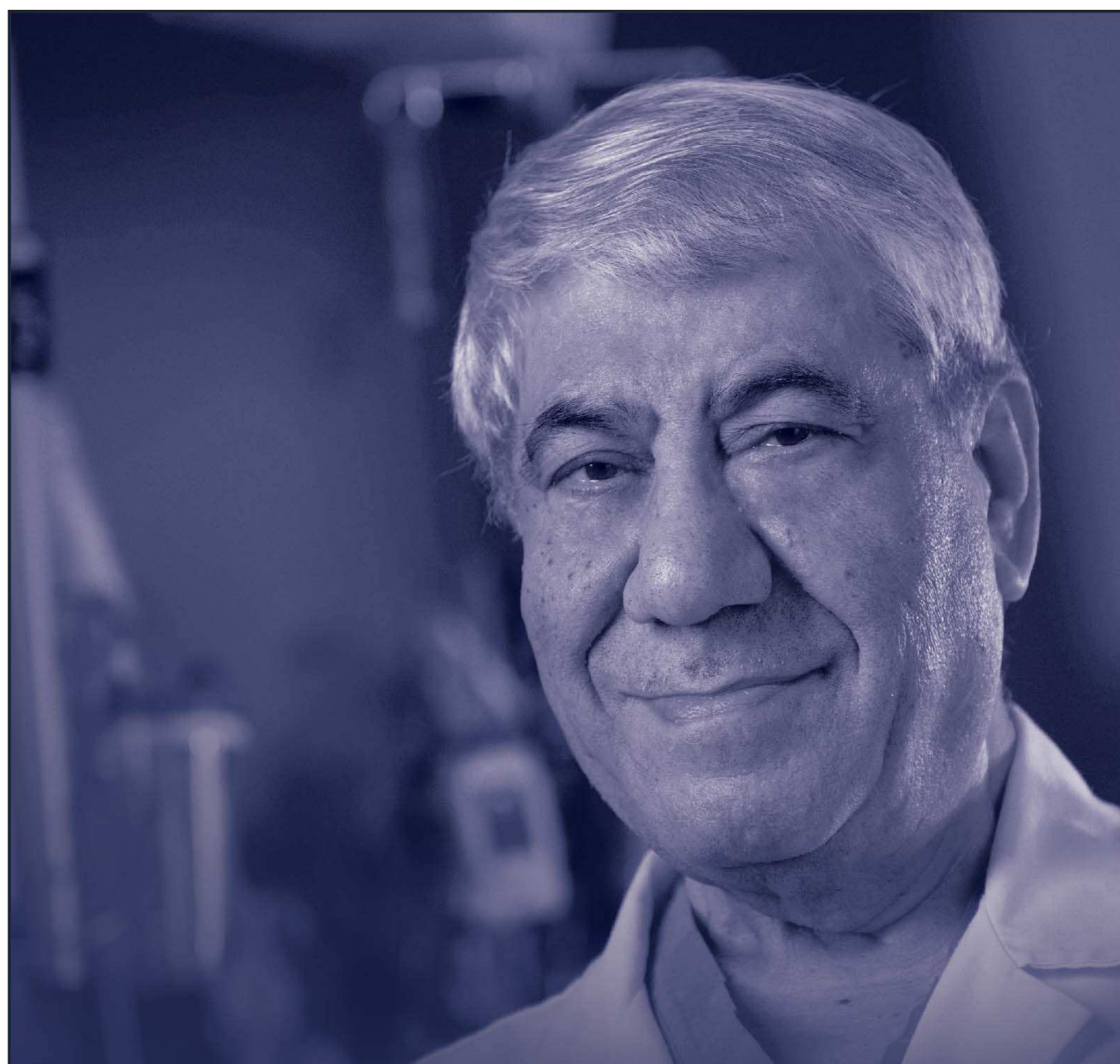
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PMC HEART AND VASCULAR INSTITUTE RECEIVES CHEST PAIN ACCREDITATION THROUGH THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF CARDIOLOGY

By: Carol Casebolt

Pikeville Medical Center (PMC) Heart and Vascular Institute has received official notification from the American College of Cardiology (ACC) announcing their most recent chest pain accreditation.

A team of surveyors from the ACC contacted the hospital to conduct a thorough review of the chest pain practices performed at PMC.

Receiving this accreditation means that the PMC staff has successfully demonstrated their compliance in the chest pain program. Evidence-based, clinical practice guidelines help hospitals around the country gauge their performance and set goals.

PMC Cardiac Accreditation, Certification Outcomes, Coumadin, Congestive Heart Failure, Coordinator, Jamessa Scott, APRN said, "Having been awarded Chest Pain with PCI accreditation by the American College of Cardiology, our patients can have the utmost confidence that we will provide them the best care possible."

PMC's Heart and Vascular Institute provides comprehensive cardiovascular services to the region.

"Obtaining this accreditation was a team approach, not just within the hospital, but with the local EMS," said Scott. "Because of this team effort, the community can be confident they are getting the highest quality heart care from their home to the hospital."



The department consists of six cardiologists, two interventional cardiologists, two cardiac electrophysiologists, three cardiothoracic surgeons and two vascular and endovascular surgeons.

Heart care at PMC is growing at an amazing pace.

As an organization, PMC has been strategically investing in cardiac care. In 2018 the hospital opened three state-of-the-art cath labs, some of the most spectacular on the market.

Construction is well under way for the new heart and vascular institute. This USDA project comes with a price tag of 30 million dollars and is slated for completion in August, 2020.

Heart disease is the number one killer of men and women in the United States and eastern Ky. has the monumental task of treating this deadly disease.

These major investments and proving that the hospital delivers the best possible care through accreditations are clear evidence that PMC is serious about becoming the leader of heart care in the Commonwealth.

For additional information about the PMC Heart and Vascular Institute visit www.pikevillehospital.org or call 606-218-2201.

LIFESAVING GASTRIC SLEEVE PROCEDURE CHANGES PATIENTS LIFE

By: Amanda Jo Lawson

Dale Kimbler of Dana struggled with obesity, high blood pressure, sleep apnea and back pain. His health issues were a constant reminder he was not living the life he wanted.

"I had no energy to do anything. My blood pressure was dangerously high. I started to fear for my health," said Kimbler.

Kimble recalls having several failed diet attempts.

"I could not lose weight on my own. I felt I had tried everything and failed. I knew it was time to improve my quality of life," added Kimbler.

He decided to make an appointment to see Pikeville Medical Center's (PMC) Bariatric Surgeon Amy Johnson, MD.

Kimble weighed 343lbs when he met with Dr. Johnson, for the first time. Dr. Johnson made Kimble feel at ease and discussed all options he had regarding his weight.

"I knew with proper guidance his life and health could improve," said Dr. Johnson.

Johnson says he was the perfect candidate for a gastric sleeve procedure. Since Kimble's procedure he has lost 140 lbs. and his life and health have changed for the better.

"Weight loss surgery is a lot of work and some days felt like an uphill battle, but in the end it was well worth it," said Kimbler.

He says his only regret is not doing it sooner.

Since surgery, Kimble no longer faces obesity, high blood pressure, sleep apnea or back pain.



Pikeville Medical Center teams with AirEvac to provide code blue simulations for medical professionals with a high fidelity mannequin to improve patient outcomes.

Pikeville Medical Center conducted a week long simulation training for physicians, licensed practitioners, residents, nurses and respiratory therapist.

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The simulation offered real time feedback to staff to further increase the skill and competence level of the health care professionals at the bedside.

"I feel so much better. I no longer have medical problems and I am doing things I was never able to do," Kimble added.

Prior to surgery, Kimble says he never realized everything he was missing.

"I am a much healthier person," Kimble said.

Kimble says he had tremendous support from his family.

He wants to encourage anyone who is considering weight loss surgery to do themselves a favor and do it now.

He credits Dr. Johnson and her staff for an amazing experience.

"The staff at the PMC Weight Loss Surgery Center becomes a part of your weight loss journey and provides support through the process," said Kimble.

For additional information about weight loss surgery call 606-218-2205 or visit www.pikevillehospital.org.



EDITORIAL

Allen taxpayers deserve more than this

"The Allen City Commission has spent more than a month trying to determine whether the city hired a paving company without approval."

It's hard to believe — and deeply troubling — that this newspaper had to print a sentence like that in a story about a local government body.

The taxpayers of Allen deserve more than this lack of accountability.

Government officials pledge to uphold the laws of this state and they pledge to do their best to carry out the duties of their elected office.

We expect them to spend money wisely and

to account for every dime that is spent.

If it takes the officials of any city more than a month to determine whether they voted or didn't vote to spend around \$30,000 to pave streets, then what does that say about other accountability measures this city should be taking?

If you recall, this round of funding marked the first time Allen received municipal road aid in at least a decade, because the state withheld the funds after the city failed to submit its financial reports, as required, for years.

The city spent this funding after tossing out a completely legitimate bid, claiming it was not legitimate, and accepting an invoice as a "bid" from the company that did the work—with that invoice being dated four days after the commission tossed out the other bid and voted to hire this one instead.

Months later, the commission talked about hiring the company again, but took no action, no vote, and when Commissioner Eilene Kinzer asked whether the city got more bids the following month, she learned that the work was al-

ready done and the company had been paid. In December, she was told officials would find the meeting minutes and call a special meeting, which didn't happen, and the same thing happened when she brought the topic up again this week.

Kudos to Kinzer for continuing to push for answers about this. We hope she doesn't stop asking until she hears the answer to her question once and for all.

And kudos to City Attorney Beth Shortridge, who has repeatedly tried to teach the Allen City Commission about its requirements under the

law.

On Monday, she talked about the importance of the commission taking actions during public meetings and the requirements for calling a special meeting, among other things that city officials who have served a government body for decades should already know.

They should already know this stuff by heart.

With the latest steps Allen has taken in the wrong direction, it's nice to see Kinzer's willingness to ask the same questions repeatedly and Shortridge's repeated attempts try to ed-

ucate elected officials who somehow don't understand these rules and regulations. Those efforts are about the only glimmer of hope Allen has left.

We've suggested that Allen officials receive training in the past, and a couple of them, the newest members, have.

This week, we emphatically suggest that all commission members and the mayor undergo the training that the taxpayers of Allen deserve and begin to heed the law and basic ethical standards under which a government body should operate.

GUEST COLUMN

Summing up

By **SJ RUTH**
APPALACHIAN NEWSPAPERS

Trumpty Dumpty sat on a wall. The end.

What's that? I've got another 495 words to go? Do I really have to spoil a perfect summation of our country today with more verbage?

Well, I guess if you say so. Here goes.

Emergency personel across the country reported a sharp increase in alcohol related deaths on Wednesday morning. The deaths appear to be a result of a drinking game in which participants take a shot each time the Donald lied in his nationally-televised speech.

According to Ruth Mitchell, spokesperson for Reno 911, things could have been much worse.

"Many Americans are just too naive today to understand the consequences of this game. Historically, presidents have bent the truth about once every hundredth paragraph. Trump does it once every seven words. No one with a functioning liver could survive. It's like playing Russian Roulette with six loaded chambers."

"But we feel we dodged a bullet. First, the speech was under 10 minutes. If he'd gone 15, casualties could have tripled. Second, the ratings were worse than the last

year of Happy Days. I don't think a shark would have helped."

In Kentucky, alcohol related mishaps were almost non-existent thanks to a cleverly scheduled UK basketball game. While Kentucky is heavy in Trumpets, few outside Louisville would miss the Cats for the Cheetoh.

For those of you who completely missed it, Trump made the assertion the situation on our southern border was a crisis of the soul. While that line spurred innumerable shots across the country, it's likely they were misinterpreted.

The soul of our country is in crisis because the occupant of the Oval Office has no soul. Neither do the religious and political charlatans that claim some sort of divine mandate for Trump.

The facts, which are meaningless to around 30 percent of our voting population, show that illegal immigration has consistently fallen since 2005. The facts also show that more people come in legally and stay until they aren't than come in illegally. The facts show far more people on terrorist watch lists are apprehended in airports than along our borders. Finally, the facts show far more illegal drugs enter our country by car, boat and airplane than by mules crossing the border.

The soul of our country is in crises because some have decided to ignore the symbolism of the Statue of Liberty and adapt a wall as a national symbol. A wall that is meant to keep brown Americans out of our country.

If it were really about national security, wouldn't we be talking about a wall on our southern and northern borders? Seems like nobody's scared of those fair-haired Canadians, though.

The greatness of America has always been in our diversity, a fact Trump and his ilk prefer you forget: Diversity in religious beliefs, diversity in national origin and racial makeup, diversity in our political makeup.

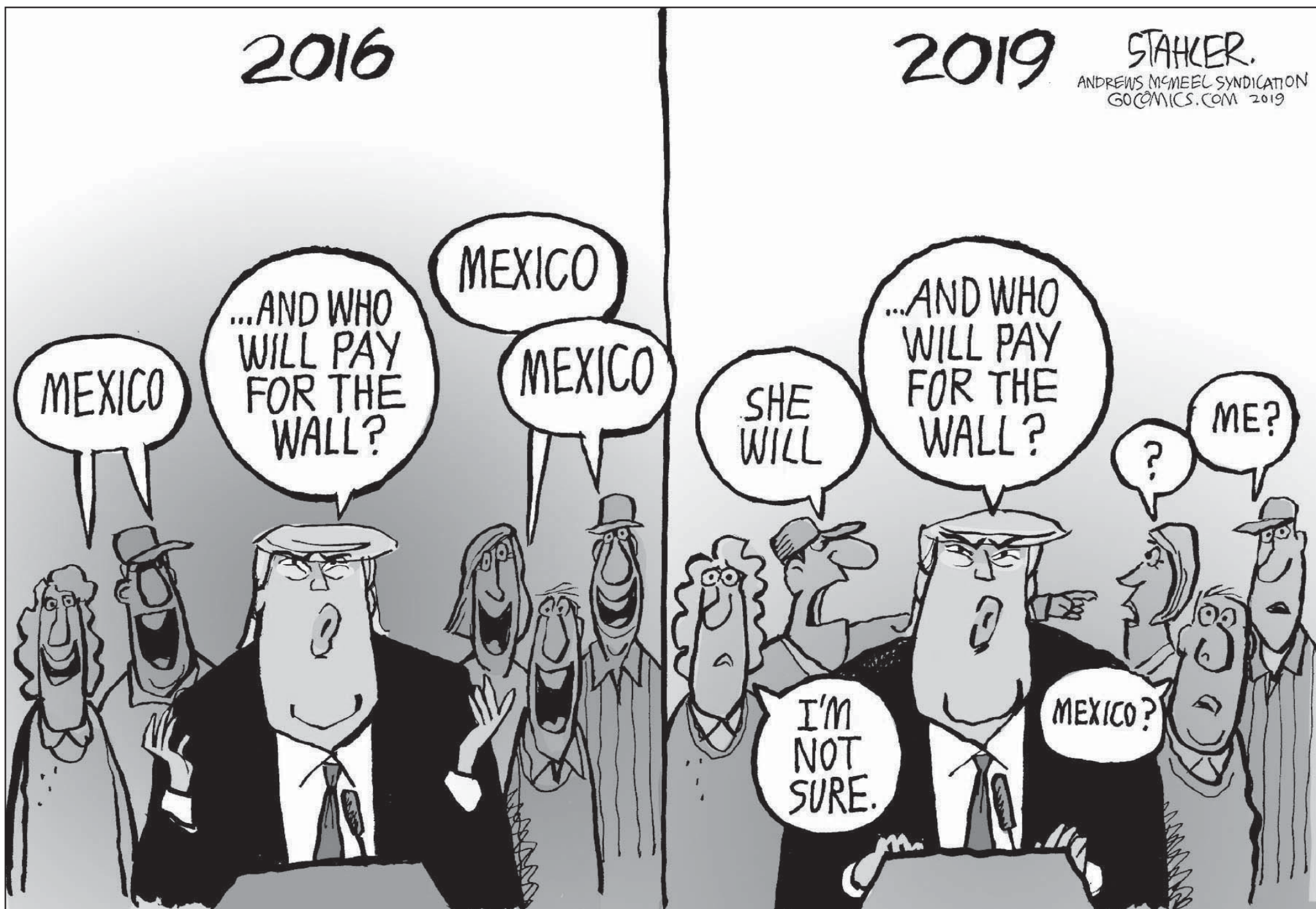
If our country has a crisis of the soul, it's in those who believed we needed to Make America Great Again by returning to the 19th century and adapting prehistoric technology and beliefs to erase Obama's legacy. And that's what this is really all about.

Trumpty Dumpty sat on a wall. The end.

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Court documents: Inmate injected drugs while in custody

Other inmates charged after alleged jail fights

A FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

Floyd County Detention Center staff filed charges this week against a Grethel resident accused of promoting contraband and three inmates who allegedly fought inside the jail.

According to documents filed in Floyd District Court, Christopher Hamilton, 41, of Grethel,

is facing felony charges of first-degree promoting contraband, possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of a controlled substance following an alleged Jan. 5 incident.

Floyd County Detention Center Lt. Parker DeRossett alleges in the citation that Deputy Justin Isaac was investigating a fire alarm when he saw Hamilton "drawing a

clear substance out of a spoon into a needle."

"As soon as he saw the deputy, he put the needle down," DeRossett wrote. "The deputy told the inmate to step outside and he then radioed for assistance."

DeRossett said the clear substance is believed to be methamphetamine. The evidence will be sent to the lab for identification, he reported.

Hamilton was arrested on these charges on Monday. He pleaded not guilty during an arraignment in Floyd District Court the following day.

District Judge Jimmy Marcum scheduled a preliminary hearing in the case for Jan. 16.

Jail officials also filed misdemeanor charges against several inmates accused of fighting.

They include Tiffany Dawn Akers, 35, of Martin, Michael Shawn Moore, 51, of Martin and Kenneth Shane Boyd, 26, of Prestonsburg. They each were charged with fourth-degree assault and menacing in those cases.

Criminal charges, lawsuits filed

A FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

Charges were filed against several people recently in Floyd District Court, and there were also lawsuits filed in Floyd Circuit Court. The cases include:

Felony cases filed

Michael K. Lowe, 46, of Prestonsburg; public intoxication of a controlled substance, second-degree disorderly conduct, resisting arrest, menacing, third-degree assault of a police officer, possession of a firearm by a convicted felon, possession of drug paraphernalia

Shawn M. Spurlock, 26, of Martin; first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance, possession of marijuana

Steven Chad Castle, 35, of Printer; receiving stolen property

Bobby Greer, 33, of Printer; receiving stolen property

Angie M. Hamilton, 38, of Tram; receiving stolen property

Devon R. Johnson, 29, of Prestonsburg; first- and second-degree possession of a controlled substance, possession of drug paraphernalia

Lisa Burchett, 48, of East Point; driving under the influence, two counts of first-degree possession of a controlled substance, two counts of third-degree possession of a controlled substance, controlled substance not in original container

John Greer, age unavailable, of Thelma; flagrant nonsupport

Mary Case, 36, of Prestonsburg; public intoxication of a controlled substance, first-degree possession of a controlled substance, illegal possession of a legend drug

Keisha Robinson, 28, of Prestonsburg; second-degree burglary, theft by unlawful taking,

third-degree criminal mischief

Michael Stephens, 35, of Prestonsburg; third-degree burglary, theft by unlawful taking, second-degree criminal mischief

Gregory Short, 50, of Garrett; first-degree possession of a controlled substance, possession of drug paraphernalia

John Kidd, 63, of Harold; receiving stolen property, second-degree criminal trespassing

John Andrew Lewis, 52, of Melrose, Fla.; fugitive (grand theft)

James Sexton, 30, of Martin; speeding 26 mile over the limit, driving on a suspended license, reckless driving, first-degree wanton endangerment of a police officer, first-degree wanton endangerment, first-degree fleeing/evading police, possession of a handgun by a convicted felon, driving under the influence, criminal littering.

Christopher Sexton, 29, of Prestonsburg; first-degree fleeing/evading police, public intoxication of a controlled substance, criminal littering

Misdemeanor cases filed

Joshua A. Akers, 21, of Martin; second-degree disorderly conduct, public intoxication of a controlled substance, resisting arrest, menacing

Charles R. Beatty, age and address unavailable; violation of an emergency protection order

Lillie Rhinehart, 41, of Edmonton; possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia

Kevin John Frey, 51, of Inez; theft by deception (cold checks)

Freddie Collines, age unavailable, of Prestonsburg; third-degree criminal trespassing

Rodney McKinney, 45, of Prestonsburg; third-degree criminal trespassing

Brian K. Patton, 49, of McDowell; public in-

toxication of a controlled substance, menacing

Dougie Patton, 27, of Weeksbury; public intoxication

Edward Lester, 53, of Langley; second-degree disorderly conduct, menacing, public intoxication of a controlled substance

Roger Castle, 48, of Eastern; alcohol intoxication in a public place, driving without a license, driving under the influence

Brandi Leigh Peyton, 31, of Corbin; second- and third-degree possession of a controlled substance, giving officer false identifying information

Mary Case, 30, of Prestonsburg; public intoxication of a controlled substance, second-degree disorderly conduct, probation violation

Melvin Lewis Jr., 24, of Hazel Green; driving under the influence, resisting arrest

Kim Wolford, 57, address unavailable; alcohol intoxication in a public place, terroristic threatening

Adam Mullins, 29, of Beaver; improper display of registration plates, failure to wear seat belts, failure to have license in possession, possession of marijuana

Cleve Tackett, 33, of Prestonsburg; third-degree criminal trespassing, two counts of third-degree terroristic threatening, harassing communications

Rebecca Lynn Davis, 26, of East Point; fourth-degree assault

Joshua Adams, 28, address unavailable; second-degree hindering prosecution

Michael Burchett, 56, of Prestonsburg; fourth-degree assault

Jenifer Marsillett, 36, address unavailable; disorderly conduct, public intoxication

Michael Carver, 19, of Dwale; possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia

FLOYD COUNTY CHRONICLE AND TIMES OBITUARIES

JoAnn Burke

JoAnn Burke, 76, of Weeksbury, died Wednesday, Jan. 9, 2019.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home of Martin.

Josephine Slone Martin

Josephine Slone Martin, 94, of Wayland, died Monday, Jan. 7, 2019.

Arrangements are under the direction of Hall Funeral Home of Martin.

Rabon Dye

Rabon Dye, 72, of Prestonsburg, died Monday, Jan. 7, 2019.

Arrangements were under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home of Martin.

Hazel Shepherd

Hazel Shepherd, 69, of Harold, died Monday, Jan. 7, 2019.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home of Martin.

Community Events

- Jan. 12; 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.: Big Sandy Community & Technical College to host journeyman and master class, Pikeville. (606) 218-1262

- Jan. 14, 9 a.m.: Big Sandy Regional Industrial Authority meets, Sandy Area Development District. (606) 886-2374

- Jan. 15: St. Vincent Mission to start "Work Life" program, focusing on work readiness, detailing "God's design for our work and our lives," how to overcome roadblocks to employment and other types of assistance, including developing a resume, interview tips and other topics. Possible paid internship for participation. Free. (606) 886-2513

- Jan. 15, 1 p.m. and 5 p.m.: Private Pesticide Applicators Class, Floyd County Extension Office. (606) 886-2668

- Jan. 15, 3:30 p.m.: Mountain Arts Center Board of Directors meet, MAC. (606) 889-9125

- Jan. 15, 5:15 p.m.: Jenny Wiley Chapter of the AARP meets at Highland Terrace, Prestonsburg.

- Jan. 15, 6 p.m.: Prestonsburg Utilities Commission meets, utilities office

- Jan. 15, 7 p.m.: Tuesday Night Songwriter's Scene, Lizzie B's. (606) 886-1341

- Jan. 17: Big Sandy Idol to host auditions for home school, private school students, Gearheart Auditorium, Big Sandy Community & Technical College, Prestonsburg. (606) 886-7382

- Jan. 17, 10 a.m.: The Big Sandy Elder Abuse Council meets, the Big Sandy Area Development District. (606) 886-2374

- Jan. 17, 7 p.m.: Big Sandy Trail Riders meet, Floyd County Extension Office. (606) 886-2668

- Jan. 17, 7:30 p.m.: Floyd County Farmers Market meets, Floyd County Extension Office. (606) 886-2668

- Jan. 19; 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.: Big Sandy Community & Technical College to host contractor class, Pikeville. (606) 218-1262

- Every Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.: Moms Meet Moms in Recovery support group, offering free diapers, baby items, babysitting, food, refreshments, informational resources, at Destination Church. Qualifies as "parent education" and "peer support group" required by drug court. For information, call Kelly at (606) 886-2788

- Through Jan. 18: Judi's Place for Kids seeks designs from school-aged youth in Pike, Floyd, Johnson, Martin and Magoffin counties for its 2019 Run with Courage 5K Run T-shirt. Submit entries of original artwork (no copyrighted images, please) to info@judisplace.org or mail it to 128 South College Street, Pikeville, Ky. 41501.

- Throughout January, Big Sandy Area Development District, Prestonsburg, has a SHIP coordinator to help people qualify for Medicare savings on the Park B premium, Part D drug plan or both. Free. (606) 886-2374

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P'burg man faces sexual abuse charge

A FLOYD CHRONICLE
AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

A Prestonsburg man will be arraigned on an alleged sexual abuse charge following a warrant that was filed in Floyd District Court this week.

Prestonsburg Police Officer Nick Bingham sought and obtained the warrant, filed on Jan. 8, against William Nelson, 61, of Mays Branch Road, Prestonsburg, on

a charge of third-degree sexual abuse, a misdemeanor.

Bingham claims in the warrant that Nelson inappropriately touched an unidentified victim without permission on Dec. 16, a date that Prestonsburg Police Lt. George Tussey reported has been disputed by both the alleged victim and Nelson.

Tussey reported that the alleged sexual assault occurred when a female

went to visit Nelson.

He allegedly started making sexual comments to the woman, Tussey said, and started inappropriately touching her. Tussey reported the woman left when another person entered the residence.

She reported the alleged sexual abuse several days later, he said.

Nelson is scheduled to be arraigned in Floyd District Court on Jan. 23.



Appalachian Newspapers photo by Chase Ellis

The East Kentucky Expo Center's Larry Miller and Josh Kesler were joined by "PAW Patrol's" Chase and Marshall in announcing the Expo Center's summer shows of "PAW Patrol Live! Race To The Rescue." "PAW Patrol" will hold four shows over two days at the Expo Center on June 1 and June 2.

'PAW Patrol' coming to the rescue

AN APPALACHIAN NEWS-
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STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE — Officials with the East Kentucky Expo Center made the trip to Gatti's Pizza in Pikeville Tuesday for a special announcement that the venue would bring "PAW Patrol Live! Race To The Rescue" to the Expo Center this year.

"PAW Patrol," one of the top 40 children's entertainment shows in the country, will be in Pikeville for four shows over two days on June 1 and June 2. The shows will be

at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Saturday, June 1 and at noon and 4 p.m. on Sunday, June 2.

"Come roll with the 'PAW Patrol' as everybody's favorite heroic pups race to the rescue on the day of the Great Adventure Bay Race, a statement from the Expo Center said. "When Mayor Goodway goes missing, Chase, Marshall, Skye and the rest of the 'PAW Patrol' will need to team up with Ryder to save Adventure Bay's Mayor Goodway and stop Foggy Bottom's Mayor Humdinger from winning

the race."

Tickets go on sale at 10 a.m. Friday, Jan. 18 through the Appalachian Wireless Box Office.

Gatti's Pizza will hold a chance to win free tickets, including a family four-pack of tickets, during a promotion on Jan. 26. The first 25 people in line from noon to 2 p.m. will receive a free ticket voucher. One family will be selected for a family four-pack, which includes four tickets to Paw Patrol with four buffets and four game card for use at Gatti's.

Grand jury to consider charges in stolen truck case

A FLOYD CHRONICLE
AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

A Floyd County grand jury will consider whether there's enough evidence against three people accused of receiving a stolen vehicle.

District Judge Eric D. Hall referred felony cases against Angie M. Hamilton, 38, of Tram and Printer residents Steven Chad Castle, 35, and Bobby D. Greer, to the grand jury on Monday.

Charged with a felony count of receiving stolen property under \$10,000, Hamilton, Castle and Greer were arrested on New Years Eve by Prestonsburg Police Officer Ross Shurtleff.

Shurtleff was dispatched to O'Reilly's Auto Parts in Prestonsburg to respond to a vehicle theft, court doc-

uments say, and the alleged victim told him a 1995 Chevrolet S10 truck had been stolen from the parking lot while he was in the store.

Later that evening, the documents say, Kentucky State Police troopers M. Martin and W. Howard were dispatched to Hunter for an "altercation with possible shots fired" that allegedly occurred between Greer and two males "who stated that they had a vehicle stolen and had found it."

Shurtleff reported that the victim and a "posse of friends" went to the home where the truck was located and held Castle until police arrived.

"Troopers arrived on scene and located the victim and his father and a posse of friends who located Steven Castle

in the vehicle removing parts such as speakers, a stereo and the dash assembly from the vehicle, removed him and held him until Troopers arrived on scene," Shurtleff reported in the citation.

He said Greer lived in the home and troopers found him there with Hamilton, who Shurtleff said had active warrants.

"Around Hamilton and Greer was an assortment of items that had been stripped out of the vehicle sitting about the living room. No one there of the three knew how the truck got there, that it was stolen or who drove it there, so they said," Shurtleff wrote.

At the request of their attorney, Hall lowered bonds for Hamilton, Castle and Greer to \$3,000 cash.

Frontier gas seeks PSC approval for transfer

A FLOYD CHRONICLE
AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

Frontier Gas is asking the Kentucky Public Service Commission for permission to transfer ownership.

On Jan. 7, the company and its owners Steven Shute, Larry Rich, Robert Oxford and Industrial Gas Services filed an application with the PSC for approval of the transfer of shares from one of its original owners, Larry Rich, to another original owner, Steven Shute.

Frontier serves 5,700 distribution and farm tap customers in Floyd, Johnson, Letcher, Perry, Pike, Martin, Magoffin and other counties, and has an office on Ky. 321 in Prestonsburg.

The application reports that Shute entered into a purchase contract with Rich, agreeing to buy 13.6 percent of Rich's interest in the company

for about \$660,000. After the agreement, dated Dec. 31, 2018, is approved by the PSC, Shute will pay Rich a settlement payment of \$230,000, the application says, and then finance the balance owed to Rich. Upon closing Rich's liability as a guarantor on loans the company has will be released, the application states, and assumed by Shute.

Frontier's application explains that Shute and Rich acquired Frontier through 12 small gas utilities that were "financially and managerially deficient," consolidating them into a "stable, growing and well-managed company."

The transfer will cause no change to the company's financial status or its ability to finance its operations, the application says, and the company's current rates provide sufficient revenue.

"The transfer is in the public interest to allow Frontier to continue to operate effectively," the application says. "Because of Mr. Rich's health, he has had no active recent role in management of the company. The transfer of his member share will allow the remaining members to act more efficiently without the need for consultation with and approval of Rich's power of attorney."

It maintains that the Shute will "continue to focus on maintaining safe, reliable" gas distribution. He will continue to work with Oxford, another Frontier founder.

If approved, the transfer will give Shute 74.4 percent of the company. Oxford owns 19.6 percent and is president of IGS, which owns 6 percent.

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probably a five, 10-minute video that we're able to put out on Facebook and Youtube and different social media platforms to tell a story that you don't usually get to tell in a commercial or a pamphlet," she said. "We're excited to be able to tell a story that you don't normally get to tell through a commercial or a pamphlet, so we're just excited to connect our people to more outreach."

She said the videos will exhibit different people and different themes.

"It's going to be sort of a mini-documentary. We're still storyboarding it also," West said. "We'll be creating it and editing it in house, so we'll be excited to take on that new adventure and challenge, and then, we'll have it out to the public so that everybody can learn the story and share the story as well."

In 2019, Prestonsburg Tourism also plans to revamp its longstanding Tuesday Night Songwriter's Scene, a tourism promotion during which local musicians play live music at 7 p.m. on Tues-

days at Prestonsburg restaurants.

Prestonsburg Tourism started this program years ago, and it caught on. Now, live music is hosted throughout the week in Prestonsburg at numerous restaurants.

"We're going to start putting more focus on our Tuesday Night Songwriter's Scene and revamping that and shining a new light on those artists, because we've had a lot that are kind of, it's not really a program, but it's really served its purpose for quite a while, getting artists connected and into the public booking and moving forward, if they want to continue moving forward in the music industry," West said. "That's worked really well, so now we've had a lot of artists who have continued to move on to more things, so we're revamping that and bringing in new groups and new songwriters to refresh it and get some new taste and flavor to

it." West praised Tuesday Night Songwriter's Scene as "unique."

She said, "Sometimes we get accustomed to the really good talent we have here and we forget how unique it is, so we're going to try to start showcasing that, too. It's definitely unique. It's not common."

The upcoming Tuesday Night Songwriter's Scene events will be held Jan. 15 at Lizzie B's, Jan. 22 at Mosby's and Jan. 29 at the Brickhouse.



BSACAP ANNOUNCES ANNUAL BOARD MEETING

In accordance with its bylaws, Big Sandy Area Community Action's Board of Directors will meet on **January 22, 2019 at 7 p.m. at the May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, Prestonsburg, KY.** Further board meeting dates will be scheduled at this meeting.

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We cannot afford to let down our Christian standards just to hold the interest of people who want to go to hell and still belong to a church. – A.W. Tozer

You may think you can live fine without Christ, but you cannot afford to die without him. – Charles Spurgeon

We must not confuse the command to love with the disease to please. – Lysa Terkeurst

Make sure Satan has to climb over a lot of scripture to get to you. – John MacArthur

Satan's target is your mind and his weapon is lies, fill your mind with God's word. – Author Unknown

The devil knows if he can capture your thought life he has won a mighty victory over you. – Smith Wigglesworth

The greatest single danger in this end time is not sickness, nor poverty, nor persecution. It is deception. – Derek Prince

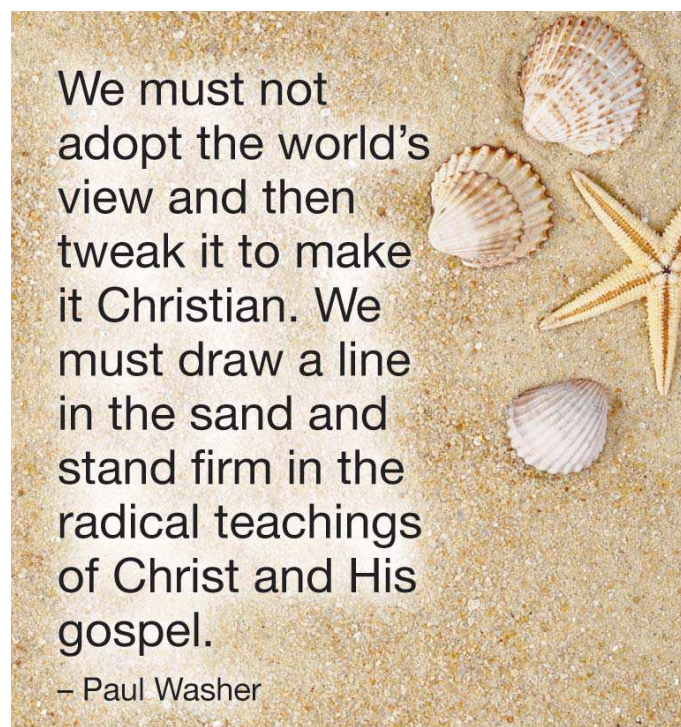
How can you expect to dwell with God forever, if you so neglect and forsake Him here? – Jonathan Edwards

If private revelations agree with Scriptures, they are needless; and if they disagree, they are false. – John Owen

Satan continues his efforts to make sin less offensive, heaven less appealing, hell less horrific, and the gospel less urgent. – John MacArthur

We must not adopt the world's view and then tweak it to make it Christian. We must draw a line in the sand and stand firm in the radical teachings of Christ and His gospel. We must preach the truth and be the examples of the truth we preach. – Paul Washer

There's one thing we need above everything else: It's something we don't talk about these days. We need a mighty avalanche of conviction of sin. – Leonard Ravenhill



When a person becomes a Christian, it is no longer a priority to listen to the world. It is no longer a priority to care what the world may think. Everything changes. The world looks completely different. All of the temporal pleasures of this world become less enjoyable because a greater joy has been found. Thus you place your fingers in your ears, for you no longer care about the world's opinion, and you run like a lunatic crying, "Life! Life! Eternal life!" – John Bunyan

Do not add to what I command you and do not subtract from it, but keep the commands of the Lord your God that I give you. – Deuteronomy 4:2

Fill your mind with God's Word and you will have no room for Satan's lies. – Author Unknown

Telling the truth

We live in an age where some justify lies by calling them "alternative facts" and where people accept a sophomoric relativism which says that one is entitled to believe whatever one wishes, even when one is believing blatant falsehoods. The fact that people can believe things which are easily shown to be false only illustrates how naïve and gullible we can be. This inability to distinguish truth from falsehood is something which we see most clearly in children. Young children will believe almost anything (e.g., the tooth fairy, the Easter bunny, and Santa Claus, to name just a few). As children get older, we expect them to discern truth from falsehood, and to tell the truth. Some parents question the wisdom of lying to children about such things as Santa Claus, as it sends several questionable messages. As children grow out of the naivete of early childhood, we teach them to be critical and discerning, for example, telling them not to trust strangers, and requiring them to tell the truth at all times. Like the little boy who cried wolf, we have trouble trusting those who have repeatedly deceived us. We are not relativists in our everyday life, knowing that there is an objective truth about factual matters. And while it may be wise to suspend judgement on some issues until the facts are better known, we should not deceive ourselves into believing that there are alternative versions of reality. Truth is one. – Christopher Simon



"Then we will no longer be infants, tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown here and there by every wind of teaching and by the cunning and craftiness of people in their deceitful scheming."
– Ephesians 4:14 NIV

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The church belongs to Christ



By JAMIE BECKETT
CHRONICLE & TIMES

A church in the Lexington area made a shift in their leadership. They allowed an openly gay man, who is married to another man, to become a deacon in the church. Just to clarify, a deacon is a leader of the church. Leaders of the church – as well as every member of the church – are representatives of Christ. And the church belongs to Christ. He bought and paid for it when He died on the cross for our sins.

When I was looking at Christian book releases for the month of January I ran across this title: "Modern Kinship: A Queer Guide to Christian Marriage." *What?* I did a double take. *Is this a play on words?* I glanced at the author names, two men. *Okay, maybe it's not a play on words.* I clicked on the link to see what the book was about. The summary read, "Same-sex marriage may be legal in America, but it's still far from the accepted norm, especially in Christian circles. So where can LGBTQ Christians who desire a lifelong, covenantal relationship look for dating and marriage advice when Christian relationship

guides have not only simply ignored but actively excluded same-sex couples? David and Constantino Khalaf struggled to find relational role models and guidance throughout dating, their engagement, and the early months of their marriage. To fill this void, they began writing Modern Kinship, a blog exploring the unique challenges queer couples face on the road from singleness to marital bliss. Part personal reflection, part commentary, and full of practical advice, "Modern Kinship" explores the biblical concept of kinship from a twenty-first-century perspective. This important resource tackles subjects such as dating outside of smartphone apps, overcoming church and family issues, meeting your partner's parents, deciding when and how to have children, and finding your mission as a couple. "Modern Kinship" encourages queer Christian couples to build God-centered partnerships of trust and mutuality."

Oh, no. No!

This is false doctrine. This is false teaching. This is NOT the word of God. The reason that Christian relationship guides have ignored and excluded same-sex couples is simple: This is not what God stands for, but instead is what God is against!

Let's see what the Bible says, shall we?

God gave the law to Moses. In Leviticus chapter 18, there's a whole list of laws on sexual relations.

These laws include, "Do not have sexual relations with a man as one does with a woman; that is detestable (18:22)."

Timothy writes, "We also know that the law is made not for the righteous but for lawbreakers and rebels, the ungodly and sinful, the unholy and irreligious, for those who kill their fathers or mothers, for murderers, for the sexually immoral, for those practicing homosexuality, for slave traders and liars and perjurers—and for whatever else is contrary to the sound doctrine that conforms to the gospel concerning the glory of the blessed God, which he entrusted to me (1 Timothy 1:9-11)."

The New Testament says, "Or do you not know that wrongdoers will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived: Neither the sexually immoral nor idolaters nor adulterers nor men who have sex with men nor thieves nor the greedy nor drunkards nor slanderers nor swindlers will inherit the kingdom of God (1 Corinthians 6:9-10)."

"It is God's will that you should be sanctified: that you should avoid sexual immorality; that each of you should learn to control your own body in a way that is holy and honorable... The Lord will punish all those who commit such sins, as we told you and warned you before. For God did not call us to be impure, but to live a holy

life. Therefore, anyone who rejects this instruction does not reject a human being but God, the very God who gives you his Holy Spirit (1 Thessalonians 4:3-8)."

The Bible clearly says homosexuality is wrong. How can a church knowingly elect a married homosexual man to be part of its leadership? How can we ignore the laws of God and think that's okay? Fact: It's not okay. It's not upholding the Word of God and instead is taking on the characteristics of the world. The church is to be set apart from the world. The church doesn't belong to us. It belongs to Christ! Therefore, we do not have the authority to make up our own rules! "Wrongdoers will not inherit the kingdom of God." Anyone who rejects His word rejects God.

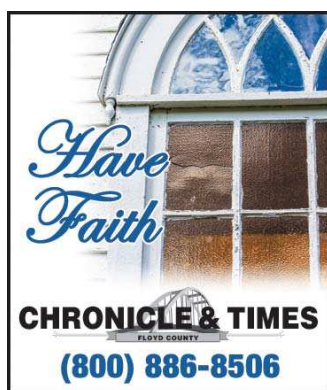
I do want to say one thing before I end. God hates the sin, but not the sinner. God loves us despite our flaws and failures. Likewise, we are to extend that same love to others. Jesus said, "Love your neighbor as yourself (Matthew 22:39)." It may be difficult for some to understand, but just because Christians don't agree with someone's choice does not mean we don't love and care for you. In fact, we want nothing more than everyone to come to Christ and have eternal life. Just realize, His Words are not to be altered. Once, we decide to follow Christ, we live for Him, not ourselves.

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project has been “a long time coming.”

“This is exciting for me. I don’t know about anybody else, but this is exciting,” Fultz said as Gilliam started opening bids.

The base bids from Goggan’s Construction, Wade Smith Inc., Alliance Corporation and Jones Contracting ranged from \$314,000 to \$447,000, with Goggan’s submitting the lowest base bid.

Gilliam said he will evaluate all bids and make a recommendation to the commission at a later date.

Officials expect the gym renovation to begin soon after the winning bidder is approved, and the work is expected to last around six months.

It’s among almost \$1 million in work that’s underway in Wayland. Work is already underway on a \$364,000 drain project and an Abandoned Mine Lands project totaling more than \$100,000 that would divert water runoff from an old mine in the city. The gym project budget tops \$470,000.

The city has been planning this project since about 2011, and it’s one of several projects planned to improve the quality of life in Wayland. The building was previously stabilized with coal severance funding in the

initial phase of work, and after this six-month renovation phase is complete, additional phases call for an addition to be built and improvements to be made to the exterior of the building.

Officials said, however, the gym can be functional after this phase is complete. It is rented for activities currently, but the building needs a new roof, heating and cooling and lighting.

“It will be a functioning community center/wellness center and museum,” said Rusty Justice, the project manager from Jigsaw Enterprises and Bit Source. He said plans call for the gym to sustain itself financially.

“We’ve worked very hard figuring out how this thing pays it way so it won’t be a burden to the city,” he said. “So many things, they become a burden, but this thing will have a low operating overhead, and will have enough revenue coming in to be functional.”

He said when the project is finally complete, it will include a walking track, the Mountain Sports Hall of Fame Museum and other amenities.

“Wayland’s the little town that could, I’m telling you,” Justice said, talking about a Smithsonian exhibit held at the Mountain Sports Hall of Fame. “I always say if you can bring people here, where you see peo-



Floyd Chronicle and Times file photo

Current and former Wayland residents walk into the old high school gym for a luncheon during the Wayland Homecoming in September.

ple doing the right things, the right way, for the right reasons, this is the true meaning of grass-roots here.”

He said coming to Wayland makes him “hopeful” about the future of former coal mining camps in Eastern Kentucky.

“These coal camps are assets, not liabilities, and they just need to be thought about differently,” Justice said. “And Wayland, if we can help Wayland succeed, then Van Lear and Jenkins and Stone, and all of these people will have a roadmap to follow ... It’s more than Wayland. It’s the

roadmap that says, this is how you go about it.”

Gilliam said the bid evaluations should be final by next week and once a recommendation is made, a notice to proceed will be issued. Work can then begin within 10 days after that.

In other news, the commission also:

- Approved the financial report, showing the city has \$41,600 in its road fund and \$59,400 in its general fund and that around \$2,000 in bills were paid. It also provided an update on property tax collections (\$200), insurance premium tax collections (\$4,500) and

franchise tax collections (\$500) and highlighted a year-to-date budget comparison, showing that the city has spent about 58 percent of the funds budgeted in administration, 35 percent budgeted for public safety, 57 percent budgeted for public works, 61 percent budgeted for other expenses, 49 percent budgeted for payroll and 52 percent budgeted for utilities so far this fiscal year.

- Voted unanimously to re-hire city clerk Sharon Anderson, who resigned last month.

- Voted unanimously to create a part-time clerical position at mini-

mum wage for five hours weekly and hired Kaylee Chaffins to fill that position.

- Received a Parks & Recreation report from Commissioner Michael Caudill, who said the city’s donation helped the fire department purchase fruit which it gave away at Christmas.

- Received a police report from Chief Brian Ratliff, who said the department will be conducting traffic safety checkpoints in January at the junctions of Ky. 7 and Ky. 1086, Ky. 1086 at the Wayland Fire Department and Ky. 7 at the Martin Branch intersection.

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schools, school safety and others,” a statement from his office said.

He was part of the bi-partisan 2018 School Safety Working Group, which held its final legislative meeting in Prestonsburg in December. That group’s chairman, Sen. Max Wise, filed a school safety bill as the senate’s highest priority bill, Senate Bill 1, on Wednesday, and Turner said Thursday that Wise expects the House to set this bill as its priority bill this session.

“That just shows that it’s the most important issue that we’re talking about this session,” Turner said.

He said he is honored to be part of the working group.

“The chairman was really good about not do-

ing a knee-jerk reaction when we have the incident down in West Kentucky last year,” Turner said about the Marshall County school shooting. “It’s easy sometimes to do a knee-jerk reaction but the committee and the chairman, along with the co-chair, chose to go around the state and get all the stakeholders involved, and get input from everybody, law enforcement people, school people, classified as well as certified, and try to come up with an idea about what we need to do.”

The 30-page bill detailing the School Safety and Resiliency Act proposes several school safety measures, including the implementation of a school security marshal who will report to the Department of Criminal Justice Training and the Kentucky Center for School Safety. The bill

proposals penalties and sanctions for schools that fail to correct safety deficiencies or implement corrections and it would require, among other things, that the Kentucky Department of Education help school districts develop a “trauma-informed approach” to education.

“One thing about the bill is that it does not include any measures that deals with guns,” Turner said. “There’s nothing in the bill that says that teachers have to use guns or have to handle guns. It doesn’t mention guns, training or anything like that.”

Turner said the bill can be broken down into four sections, calling for improvements in personnel, systems and structures, a “culture of student connection” and accountability.

“I think the most important thing about the bill is that we’re go-

ing to try to seek more school resource officers and more mental health professional to put them in schools and it does establish some training that’s required for them,” Turner said. “School districts will be required to appoint a school safety coordinator and they will have to receive training and then they will provide school safety training, and that will include active shooter situations. One other thing is that it revises the school suicide training law to require public and middle school administrators to show suicide prevention awareness information or give out suicide awareness information by video or live presentation.”

He said the committee’s goal was to have at least one mental health professional for every 1,500 students in schools.

“I think it’s a good

start, and, like I said, the chairman has been really good about not rushing anything,” he said. “He filed the bill yesterday, and he’s letting it sit out there. We leave Friday and won’t be back until Feb. 2. So, he’s letting all the groups, anybody that wants to have some input between now and then to give us that input so we may tweak it. What we’ve done, it may need some tweaking, so he’s allowing it to sit there so people to look at it and give any constructive criticism or anything that might help the bill.”

Legislators have asked for a fiscal impact note to show how expensive this bill would be. Turner said legislators are “putting mechanisms into to place” so that funds can be allot during next year’s budget session in the Kentucky General Assembly.

Both Turner and La-

ferty have also pledged to support Kentucky teachers in matters related to state pensions during this session.

In her first year as a legislator, Laferty reported that she was selected to serve on committees for transportation, economic development and tourism.

Among her priorities this session is finding a way to move the completion of the Minnie-to-Harold connector project up on the state’s priority list. She said the project, which has stalled for years under Gov. Matt Bevin’s administration, poses a safety risk for the public.

She said the Minnie-to-Harold connector is a “shovel ready road that is within three miles of completion” and leaving it unfinished poses safety issues.

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Local Planning Committee Meeting and Public Forum

The Floyd County Schools’ Local Planning Committee will conduct a meeting on January 22, 2019, at 6 p.m., at Adams Middle School, Prestonsburg KY, 41653.

This meeting is an orientation meeting for the committee and is one of a series of meetings to develop a District Facilities Plan for the Floyd County Schools.

There will be a Public Forum conducted at 7:00 p.m. This forum is to encourage local participation in determining how existing school facilities are used as well as the construction of new school facilities. Suggestions will be used as input to the Local Planning Committee as a new district facilities plan (DFP) is developed. Hope to see you there.

Appalachian College of Pharmacy and UPIke sign memorandum of agreement

SPECIAL TO APPALACHIAN NEWSPAPERS

PIKEVILLE — An agreement that will provide qualified Appalachian College of Pharmacy students the opportunity to simultaneously earn a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Pikeville while completing their Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) degree at ACP was jointly announced Wednesday by officials at UPIke and ACP.

A formal signing ceremony was held at the Health Professions Education Building on the campus of the University of Pikeville.

Under the terms of the Memorandum of Agreement, beginning in the 2019 spring semester, ACP students will be able to enroll in UPIke-Coleman College of Business's MBA program, which transitioned to a fully-online format in August 2018. The program also offers classes year-round.

"The ability for our students to be able to simultaneously earn their MBA's from UPIke while they are completing their PharmD degrees here at ACP is a significant enhancement to the education students will be able to obtain while studying at ACP," said ACP Dean Susan Mayhew. "Possessing business skills is important in any business, but it is increasingly important for today's pharmacists, many of whom chose to open their own pharmacy businesses, or whose business skills serve as an additional reason for an employer to consider hiring them."

UPIke's MBA program prepares learners for successful careers by providing relevant curriculum and experiences on a flexible schedule.



From left, UPIke President Dr. Burton Webb, UPIke Provost Dr. Lori Werth, Ph.D., Coleman College of Business Dean Dr. Howard Roberts, MBA, Appalachian College of Pharmacy President Michael McGlothlin, J.D., and ACP Dean and Chief Academic Officer Susan Mayhew, PharmD, BCNSP, FASHP, sign a Memorandum of Agreement between UPIke and ACP. With the MOA, ACP pharmacy studies will be able to pursue a MBA through the collaboration with UPIke.

With three specializations available — professional, healthcare and entrepreneurship — students are empowered to customize their education to best suit their ambitions.

UPIke faculty and staff look forward to collaborating with ACP to equip pharmacy students with valuable skills, as well as to help shape education in Central Appalachia.

"UPIke's Coleman College of Business (CCOB) strives to meet needs in the region with appropriate academic programs," said Howard Roberts, Ed.D., MBA, CCOB dean. "The delivery of healthcare is becoming increasingly complex and, therefore, healthcare providers must increase their business acumen. Pharmacists who have developed skills in areas such as accounting, finance, strategic planning and cost effectiveness

are in high demand." To learn more about the partnership between UPIke and ACP or to apply to the university's online MBA program, call, (606) 218-5020.

The Appalachian College of Pharmacy is the only three-year PharmD program in the Commonwealth of Virginia. Founded in 2003, the college accepted its first students in 2005. It is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.

Its mission is to cultivate a learning community committed to education, community outreach and the professional development of pharmacists. Its graduate pharmacists are now practicing throughout the United States.

Founded in 1889, UPIke remains steadfast in

its commitment to preparing students for the future while creating intellectual, cultural and economic opportunities for Appalachia. Main-

taining its commitment to Christian principles, UPIke recognizes the infinite worth of each person, respecting a variety of religious expressions.

UPIke's MBA program is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.

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Big Sandy Idol auditions open for home, private school students

A FLOYD CHRONICLE-TIMES STAFF REPORT

Big Sandy Idol and its sponsor Gearheart Communications will conduct a special audition for home school and private school students at 3 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 17, in the Gearheart Auditorium on the Prestonsburg campus of Big Sandy Community and Technical College.

Auditions are open to any student who is home schooled or attends a private high school in Pike, Floyd, Johnson, Martin

and Magoffin counties.

Two students will be selected to compete in the Big Sandy Idol competition to be held in March at the Mountain Arts Center.

Singers will compete for a full scholarship to BSCTC, a full album recording and a spot with the Big Sandy Singers.

For more information, contact Chesi Arnett, assistant director of fine arts at, (606) 886-7382, or email, carnett0037@kctcs.edu



May Valley Elementary academic team members earned first place overall this season and first place in quick recall.

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Floyd students earn academic honors



Prestonsburg Elementary academic team members earned second place overall and in quick recall.

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SPECIAL TO THE FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES

Floyd County Schools Superintendent Danny Adkins released the final standings for the county's elementary academic teams this week.

The Jan. 9 press release congratulates academic teams at May Valley and Prestonsburg Elementary for earning first- and second-place, respectively, in final standings and quick recall, and it also honors students from other schools who also earned honors.

Adkins said in the statement, "Congratulations May Valley Elementary for placing first for the season and first in quick recall. Congratulations Prestonsburg Elementary for being our runner up overall and in quick recall. There were only a few points be-

tween these two teams, showing how competitive the season was."

He also said, "We're proud of these teams and our individual students who placed in the different content areas. We're looking forward to Governor's Cup competition starting this month and hope everyone will support our academic teams."

In the Governor's Cup competition, elementary students will compete in English composition and future problem solving on Feb. 5, and the written assessment and quick recall will take place Feb. 9.

May Valley will host Allen, Duff-Allen Central and Prestonsburg Elementary on those days in District 131, while South Floyd will host Betsy Layne and John M. Stumbo in District 132.

And the winners are

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| Math | Science |
| 1st place: Luke Hall, Allen | 1st place: Allie Hamilton, Betsy Layne |
| 2nd place: Drake Hatfield, Prestonsburg | 2nd place: Ally Hamilton, Prestonsburg |
| 3rd place: Miles Hutchinson, May Valley | 3rd place: Ava Mays, South Floyd |
| 4th place: Taegan Slone, Prestonsburg | 4th place: Taegan Stewart, South Floyd |
| 5th place: Reagan Laferty, May Valley | 5th place: Kylie Conway, Betsy Layne |
| Science | Arts & Humanities |
| 1st place: Ally Hamilton, Prestonsburg | 1st place: Reagan Laferty, May Valley |
| 2nd place: Noah Watts, Stumbo | 2nd place: Amelia Gilbert, Prestonsburg |
| 3rd place: Miles Hutchinson, May Valley | 3rd place: Braxton Howard, May Valley |
| 4th place: Kaylee Banks, Betsy Layne | 4th place: Adrianna Terry, Prestonsburg |
| 5th place: Isaac Stewart, Prestonsburg | 5th place: Allie Hamilton, Betsy Layne |
| Social studies | English Composition |
| 1st place: Braxton Howard, May Valley | 1st place: Mileigh Kilburn, May Valley |
| 2nd place: Kaden Blackburn, Prestonsburg | 1st place: Sofiya Cook, South Floyd |
| 3rd place: Luke Hall, Allen | 2nd place: Ava Mays, South Floyd |
| 4th place: Isabella Newman, South Floyd | 2nd place: Kylie Walters, May Valley |
| 5th place: Bryson Patton, Allen | 4th place: Queenie Hatton, Prestonsburg |

BSCTC official to present research in Indonesia

SPECIAL TO THE FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES

Big Sandy Community and Technical College announced that Professor Dr. Agus Sofyan was awarded membership to the Technical Committee for the International Conference on Environment Sciences and Renewable Energy (ESRE) to be held in Bali, Indonesia in May.

ESRE 2019 aims to provide a forum for researchers, practitioners and professionals from the industry, academia and government to share best practices in research and development in the field of environmental sciences and renewable energy.

Dr. Sofyan plans to present research about the importance of dietary



Agus Sofyan

metal exposure in aquatic ecosystems as an alternative way for protecting aquatic biota. Attendees include researchers, engineers, students, industry professionals, investors and others who seek opportunities for collaboration in the field.

Volunteers sought

SPECIAL TO THE FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES

The Big Sandy Long-Term Ombudsman Program seeks volunteers to serve as "friendly visitors" or certified ombudsman volunteers.

An ombudsman is an advocate for residents of nursing homes, personal care homes and family

care homes.

In addition to regular visits, an ombudsman can provide information and help resolve complaints on behalf of residents.

Local residents who would like to be involved or learn more, may contact Tara Little at, (800) 737-2723.

Local workforce study underway

A FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

The Eastern Kentucky Concentrated Employment Program, Kentucky Career Center JobSight and One East Kentucky conducting a workforce

study for what it calls "a new employer" who "could potentially locate a new manufacturing facility" in Perry County.

According to EKCEP, the company could bring 250 full time jobs that pay between \$17 and

\$25 per hour.

"As part of the company's decision-making process, One East Kentucky and Kentucky Career Center JobSight are partnering to produce a local workforce study to assist the company as of-

ficials determine if there are enough qualified workers within the local community to meet staffing needs," a statement from EKCEP said.

The "possible positions" the company could offer include press opera-

tion, extrusion lead, CNC machinist, lead-hand shipper, electrical technician, quality technician, forklift operator, toolmaker, extrusion die head, saw operator, skilled laborers, plant accountant and HR manager.

The organizations hosting the workforce study encourage local residents to participate.

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Balanced Blackcats handle Jenkins, 90-63



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Blake Slone plays defense for host Prestonsburg on Wednesday night as the Blackcats entertained Jenkins.

BY STEVE LEMASTER
SPORTS WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — In a balanced effort, Prestonsburg received scoring from 13 different players on its way to beating 15th Region rival Jenkins 90-63 in a boys' high school basketball game at the Fieldhouse on Wednesday night.

With the win, Prestonsburg improved to 8-7.

Jenkins dropped to 1-12 with the loss.

Excelling offensively, Prestonsburg shot 60.3 percent (35-of-58) from the field. The Blackcats

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Floyd Chronicle and Times photo by Steve LeMaster

Blackcat Clayton Smith looks to deliver a pass during the second quarter of Prestonsburg's home game against Jenkins earlier in the week.

Lady Blackcats top East Ridge, 87-72



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Freshman forward Faith Lazar contributes to Prestonsburg's win over Magoffin County last Friday night at Prestonsburg.

BY STEVE LEMASTER
SPORTS WRITER

LICK CREEK — Prestonsburg returned to the win column away from its home earlier in the week, upending host East Ridge 87-72 in a girls' high school basketball game on Monday night.

With the win, Prestonsburg improved to 9-6.

East Ridge slipped to 3-12 with the loss.

Prestonsburg shot 57.7 percent (30 of 52) from the field. The Lady Blackcats were eight of 12 (66.7 percent) from three-point range.

Prestonsburg shot 50

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were five of 13 (38.5 percent) from three-point range.

Prestonsburg shot 72 percent (15 of 20) from the free-throw line.

Adam Slone, a junior guard, led Prestonsburg with 20 points. The accurate-shooting Slone shot 88.9 percent (eight of nine) from inside of the arc.

Four Prestonsburg players reached double figures in the scoring column as Blake Slone added 15 points, Grant Justice netted 13 points and Graham Burchett flipped in 10 points.

Finishing one field goal short of reaching double figures, Josh Hall tossed in eight points for the Blackcats.

Clayton Smith (seven points), Jacob Martin (five points), Kaleb Jarvis (two points), Isaiah Collins (two points), Nathan Collins (two points), Will Gullett (two points), Kane Scarberry (two points) and Garrison Yates (two points) provided the rest of the Blackcats' scoring in the convincing victory.

Prestonsburg is scheduled to visit 16th Region title contender Morgan County on Monday. Tip off for the Prestonsburg-Morgan County boys' basketball game is set for 7:30 p.m. in West Liberty.



Prestonsburg's Grant Justice pulls down a rebound as the Blackcats hosted Jenkins on Wednesday night.

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percent (19 of 38) from the free-throw line.

Kaitlyn Keathley poured in a game-high 31 points to lead Prestonsburg to the win. Joining Keathley in double figures and registering a double-double, Caroline Aiaz added 23 points and a game-high 10 rebounds for the Lady Blackcats.

Reesce Endicott accompanied Keathley and Aiaz in double figures for Prestonsburg, scoring 11 points.

Both Alison Campbell and Alivia Slone nearly reached double digits, finishing with nine points and eight points respectively.

Faith Lazar (four points) and Annabelle Trusty (one point) accounted for the rest of the Lady Blackcats' individual scoring in the victory.

East Ridge shot 45.3 percent (24 of 53) from the field. The Lady Warriors were only two of 12 from three-point range.

East Ridge shot 61.1

percent (22 of 36) from the free-throw line.

Owning an advantage inside, East Ridge outrebounded Prestonsburg 37-31.

A balanced East Ridge scoring effort featured five players in double figures. Harley Parks led the Lady Warriors with a team-high 14 points. Sarah Tackett and Haylee Meade followed, adding 13 points apiece for the Lady Warriors.

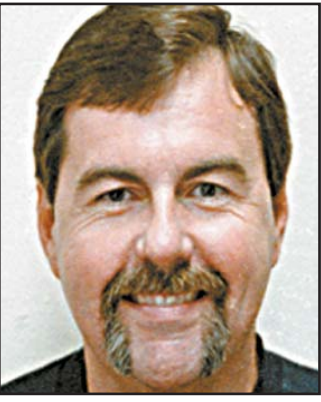
Also reaching double figures for East Ridge, Kelsi Slone and Leah Wells posted 10 points apiece.

Kyra Looney and Sylvia Ratliff rounded out the East Ridge individual scoring, chipping in seven points and five points, respectively.

Looney led East Ridge inside, pulling down eight rebounds.

Prestonsburg is slated to face 58th District rival Betsy Layne in the opening round of the 15th Region All "A" Classic at the East Kentucky Expo Center in downtown Pikeville at 6:00 p.m. on Friday.

A few New Year's Cup resolutions



Racin'
Steve Mickey

We are already a week into the New Year and I would like to let you in on a few on my resolutions that I have made for not only myself but also a few that I have for the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series. Now we all know that it is easier to make resolutions that to keep them so with that theme in mind, let's get started.

I'm going to get the obvious out of the way first because my ever popular "eating smarter in 2019" resolution has not started off like I envisioned but I will say that after a week my resolution of exercising is still intact. Those are my two resolutions for the year and if I can bat 500, 2019 is going to be a heck of a year.

Now to my racing resolutions and this first one is going to be tough as it deals with our family trip to Daytona's Speedweeks. I have convinced my wife that this is the "big" winter break that everybody dreams about but she keeps saying that she heard there was a beach there and that people enjoyed seeing the ocean in the middle of winter. Up to this point I have her convinced that you can't spend enough time around the track and that whatever night they drop a green flag that it is mandatory that you be there. She never used to complain as long as Rusty Wallace was on the starting grid but since he is retired, I feel like I am going to have to drive by the ocean one year so she can send home a picture of the beach.

This next resolution is another tough one as I love talking racing to any fan I come across and this doesn't mean just in person as social media has really given us the opportunity to expand our racing fan base. I resolve to never again argue the merits of the

system that is now used to determine the series champion. I still come across fans that have the mindset that the old point system was better and that it crowned the true champion. I don't have any problem with the old point system as I have a lot of "old school" in me and I respect all the champions that were crowned but the system that is in place now continues to build drama from February to November. That just wasn't always the case back in the day. It also gives a driver that you might not think has a chance to win the championship the opportunity to finish on top. Just ask Joey Logano how he feels about this system.

I also resolve to sit back and really enjoy all that the veteran drivers bring to the sport this season. I am as guilty as any fan of not appreciating how much the elder statesmen of the sport bring to each race on the schedule. The retirements of drivers like Jeff Gordon, Tony Stewart and Dale Earnhardt Jr. have us missing them not only for their driving but also for their personalities. I'm all for the young drivers coming up and would be the first to admit that their success is so vital to the health of the sport but with experience comes wisdom and that shows up on race day.

This resolution hurts more than any of them as I resolve to never go to a race this season and lament over the way the atmosphere around the track has changed. I always loved the midway activity outside of the track as there was so much to do and unfortunately for the family budget, there was also so much to buy. I know those days are gone and now it is up to NASCAR to make sure the fans get the experience they want with the racing at each stop on the schedule. If that means tweaking the rules and I sure hope it also means an overhaul of the schedule down the road then make the changes. It's time that the sanctioning body listens to the fans and also the drivers to create a rule book with a schedule that keeps everyone engaged from the first green flag at Daytona to the last checkered flag at Miami.

Betsy Layne beats Buckhorn to end skid

By STEVE LEMASTER
SPORTS WRITER

BUCKHORN - Returning to the win column on the road, Betsy Layne beat host Buckhorn 50-44 in a girls' high school basketball game on Monday night.

The victory allowed Betsy Layne to halt a nine-game losing skid.

With the win, Betsy Layne improved to 3-12.

Buckhorn stumbled to 5-9 with the loss.

Betsy Layne shot 37.2

percent (16 of 43) from the field. The Lady Bobcats shot 59.3 percent (16 of 27) from the free-throw line.

Sophomore Katie Kidd led Betsy Layne to the win, scoring 14 points and grabbing eight rebounds. Kidd was 4-of-5 from the free-throw line in the Lady Bobcats' victory.

Freshman Madilyn Meade accompanied Kidd in double figures for Betsy Layne, scoring 13 points.

Lauryn Watkins narrowly missed logging a double-double for the visiting Lady Bobcats, tallying nine points and pulling down eight rebounds.

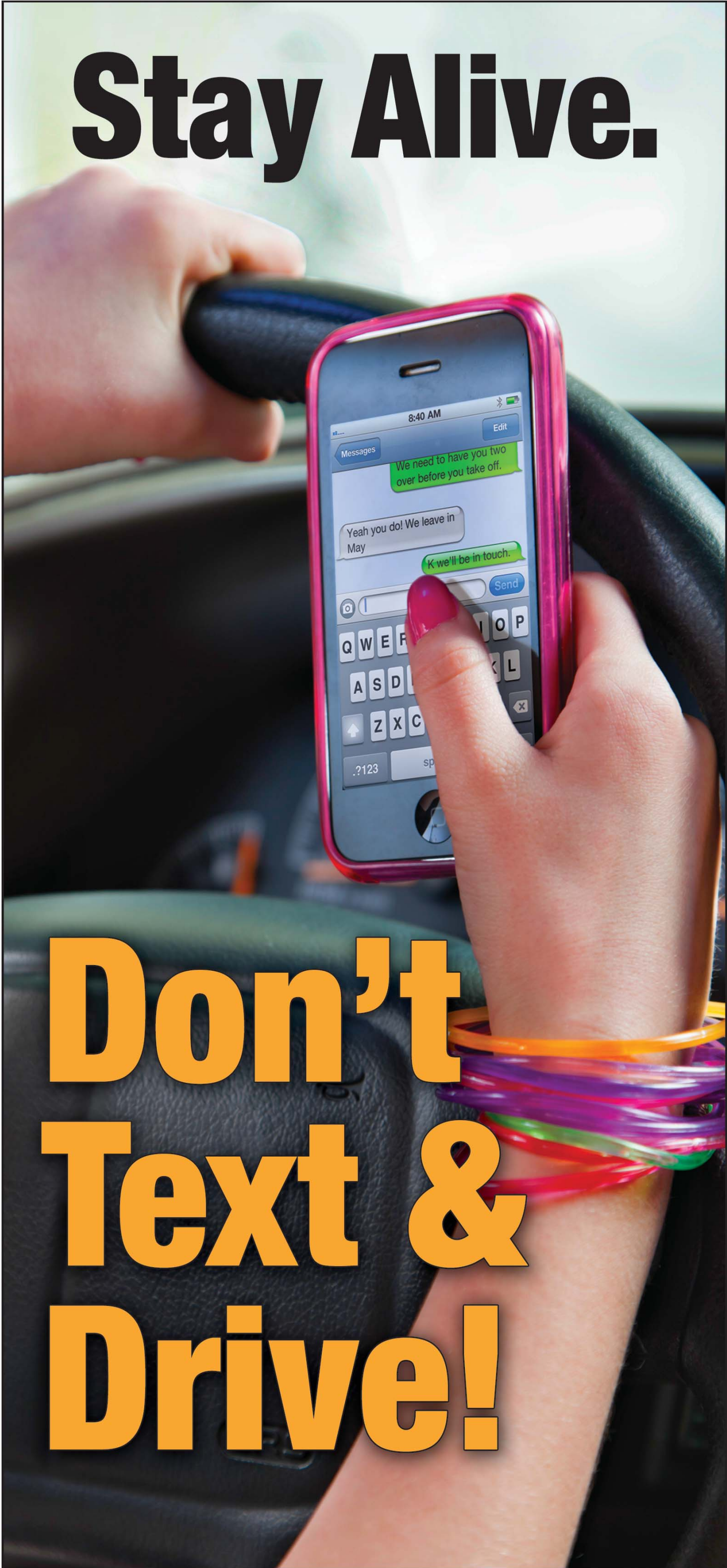
The other scorers for Betsy Layne in the winning effort were Alexandria Jarvis (six points), Kimberly Akers (four points), Kenadie Boyette (two points) and Amelia Blackburn (two points).

Betsy Layne claimed its first win since beating Oneida Baptist Institute 60-37 on December 8.

The Lady Bobcats' recent skid included losses to Phelps, Lawrence County, Floyd Central, Garrard County, East Jessamine, Madison Central, Johnson Central and Belfry.

Betsy Layne is scheduled to face 58th District counterpart Prestonsburg in the opening round of the 15th Region All "A" Classic at the East Kentucky Expo Center in downtown Pikeville at 6:00 p.m. on Friday.

Stay Alive.



Don't Text & Drive!

SUDOKU & CROSSWORD ANSWERS

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Use your imagination and creative skills to help you move forward. Listen to your intuition, not to what someone tells you. Distance yourself from indulgent people or takers. Focus on personal gains and improved health. Be responsible and do your own thing. Concentrate on a special relationship and romance.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) – Determination and discipline will be required. Say no to anyone trying to manipulate or coerce you into doing things that aren't in your best interest. Surround yourself with responsible people.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) – Follow through with a lead someone gives you. A chance to make a professional change will spark your interest. Discuss your intentions with a loved one. Sharing will lead to romance.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) – Don't let confusion set in and override your common sense when it comes to personal matters. Someone will not be who he or she appears to be.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) – Before you take a giant leap, consider all the angles. You are best off taking a moment to rethink your options. A romantic evening will help you clear your head.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) – A suggestion will intrigue you. See where following it leads you, and be open to change and willing to roll with the punches. An improvement could result.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) – Don't let anyone interfere with your plans. Look at an opportunity and figure out how to best reach your goal. Observing someone's response will help you make a decision.

**DAILY
ASTROGRAPH**
by Eugenia Last



CANCER (June 21-July 22) – You'll be drawn to someone or something unusual. Study all the possibilities and consider how best to fit into something you want to be a part of. A partnership looks inviting.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) – Focus on activities that require strength, agility and determination. Participation will lead to a new friendship with someone who will alter your life. Romance is in the stars.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) – Get involved in something that makes you feel good. Lend a helping hand, organize an event that includes loved ones or make a point to learn something new.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) – Don't let someone's criticism get you down. Look at your attributes and build on what you know you do well and what you enjoy doing. Live life your way.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) – A gathering with the people you know and love will lead to interesting discussions that will clear up some of the questions you have about your lineage. A new beginning is within reach.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) – Don't believe everything you hear. An emotional situation will escalate and cause a problem with a loved one. Don't let someone from your past disrupt your life.

TODAY'S SUDOKU PUZZLE

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All answers are in today's edition

TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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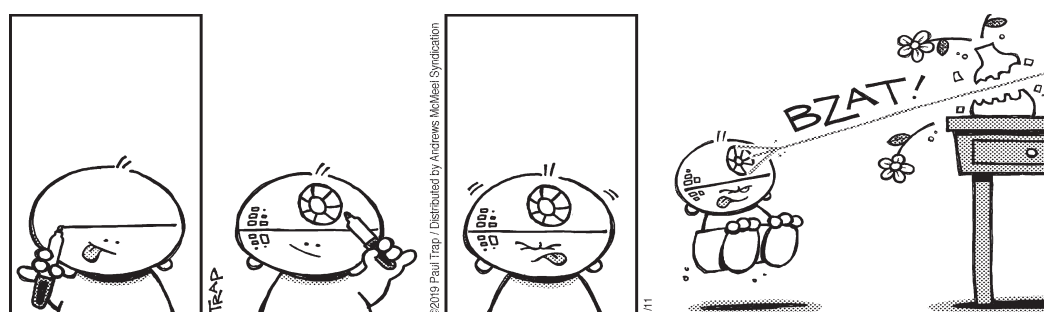
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Greg Hopper of East Point has filed an application with the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet, to replace an existing bridge with a new bridge, within the floodplain of Little Paint Creek near the community of East Point, KY. The site is located on the south side of Route 1100 in Floyd County, Kentucky. More specifically at latitude 37°42'58.87" N and longitude 82°48'24.62" W. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Water Resources Branch, 300 Sower Boulevard, Third Floor, Frankfort, KY 40601. Phone: (502) 564-3410

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION I CIVIL ACTION NO. 09-CI-00947 TAX EASE LIEN INVESTMENTS 1, LLC PLAINTIFF V. U.S. BANK,

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NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FKA FIRSTSTAR BANK, NA DEFENDANT CROSS-CLAIMANT V. JEWELL CRIDER, CENTRAL FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC., FLOYD COUNTY, CHASSITY MEEKS, REMIT CORPORATION, TAX EASE LIEN INVESTMENTS 1, LLC, UNKNOWN SPOUSE, IF ANY, OF JEWELL CRIDER DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

So as to comply with the Final Judgment and Order of Sale entered by the Floyd Circuit Court in the above styled action, and so as to raise the amounts as set forth therein, with a principal of \$21,544.56, plus interest and other costs, please be advised that I, the Floyd County Master Commissioner, has been ordered by the Floyd Circuit Court to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder during a public auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 17th day of January, 2019, in the Floyd Fiscal Courtroom (Old Circuit Courtroom) on the second floor of the old Floyd County Courthouse, 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the Floyd County Justice Center), and subject to the following terms and conditions, the property described by: **PROPERTY ADDRESS:** 21 Crider Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 **MAP NUMBER:** 001-00-00-013.01 **SOURCE OF TITLE:** Being the same property conveyed to Charles Crider and Jewell Crider, from Callie Salyer and Myrtle Salyer, husband and wife, by Deed dated 08/20/1994, Deed Book 380, page 69, Floyd County Clerk's Records. Subsequently Charles Crider died on 03/11/2009. **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

The manufactured home situated on the property, which is a 1992 Inda Brandywine manufactured home with VIN AL14681926882 shall be sold along with the real property to be sold herein. A. The property address and map number contained herein are for convenience only. All property will be transferred pursuant to the legal descriptions contained within the Judgment referenced above. B. The successful bidder shall the bid amount, in full, by cash or certified check, on the date of the sale or shall pay a non-refundable deposit equal to 10% of the purchase price with the balance due in full within thirty (30) days. If the bid is not sufficient to pay the expenses of said sale, then along with the purchase price, the successful bidder shall pay additional sums required to cover said costs. On the date of said sale, the successful bidder, if only paying 10%, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon. The surety must own land in Kentucky and have equity in the land that is greater than the bid amount. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 7.74000% per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall mature in thirty (30) days and shall have the force and effect of a Judgment. A lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety thereon. In the event the purchase price is not paid in full within thirty (30) days, then the property may be subject to immediate re-sell. In the event the Plaintiff is the successful bidder, said Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit pursuant to the Judgment referenced above and not be required to produce a bond. C. The purchaser shall be required to assume and

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pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year and all subsequent years. All delinquent taxes for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds along with the payment of other assessments properly claimed or filed within the above referenced record. Any taxes or assessments for prior years which are validly owed and are not paid by the sale proceeds shall remain liens on the subject property and will be assumed by the purchaser. D. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, stipulations, defects, or encumbrances of record affecting said property; any assessments for public improvement; and any matters disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property. The property is also sold subject to rights of redemption which may exist in favor of the United States of America, the Defendants and/or record owners of said property. E. The property shall be sold "AS IS." The Court and the Master Commissioner shall not be deemed to have warranted the title of the subject property to the purchaser. F. Any announcements made on the date of sale shall take precedence over printed matter contained and as published within the Floyd County Chronical and Times. This 7th day of January, 2019. Gregory A. Isaac Floyd County Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION I CIVIL ACTION NO. 12-CI-357 TAX EASE LIEN SERVICING, LLC PLAINTIFF V. KENTUCKY TAX BILL SERVICING,

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INC. DEFENDANT/ CROSS-CLAIMANT V. JEFFREY HOWELL, BRENDA HOWELL, ASSET ACCEPTANCE, LLC, UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS OF 14811 KY RT 122, IF ANY, FIRST GUARANTY BANK AND COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF FLOYD DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

So as to comply with the Judgment and Order of Sale entered by the Floyd Circuit Court in the above styled action, and so as to raise the amounts as set forth therein, with a principal of \$845.57, plus interest and other costs, please be advised that I, the Floyd County Master Commissioner, has been ordered by the Floyd Circuit Court to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder during a public auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 17th day of January, 2019, in the Floyd Fiscal Courtroom (Old Circuit Courtroom) on the second floor of the old Floyd County Courthouse, 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the Floyd County Justice Center), and subject to the following terms and conditions, the property described to wit: **PROPERTY ADDRESS:** 14811 KY RT 122 **MAP NUMBER:** 053-10-01-004.00 **SOURCE OF TITLE:** Being the same property conveyed to Jeffrey Howell and Brenda Howell by deed dated July 25, 2006 and recorded in Deed Book 526, Page 531 of the Floyd County Kentucky Records. A. The property address and map number contained herein are for convenience only. All property will be transferred pursuant to the legal descriptions contained within the Judgment referenced above. B. The successful bidder shall the bid amount, in full, by cash or certified check, on the date of the sale or shall pay a non-refundable deposit equal to 10% of the purchase price with the balance due in full within thirty (30) days. If the bid is not sufficient to pay the expenses of said sale, then along with the purchase price, the successful bidder shall pay additional sums required to cover said costs. On the date of said sale, the successful bidder, if only paying 10%, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon. The surety must own land in Kentucky and have equity in the land that is greater than the bid amount. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall mature in thirty (30) days and shall have the force and effect of a Judgment. A lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety thereon. In the event the purchase price is not paid in full within thirty (30) days, then the property may be subject to immediate re-sell. In the event the Plaintiff is the successful bidder, said Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit pursuant to the Judgment referenced above and not be required to produce a bond. C. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year and all subsequent years. All delinquent taxes for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds along with the payment of other assessments prop-

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COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION I CIVIL ACTION NO. 16-CI-00493 NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC d/b/a CHAMPION MORTGAGE COMPANY PLAINTIFF V. LOLA FAYE MOSLEY, et al DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

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PO Box 54930, Lexington, KY 40555. EOE

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ment and Order of Sale entered by the Floyd Circuit Court in the above styled action, and so as to raise the amounts as set forth therein, with a principal of \$158,377.67, plus interest and other costs, please be advised that I, the Floyd County Master Commissioner, has been ordered by the Floyd Circuit Court to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder during a public auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 17th day of January, 2019, in the Floyd Fiscal Courtroom (Old Circuit Courtroom) on the second floor of the old Floyd County Courthouse, 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the Floyd County Justice Center), and subject to the following terms and conditions, the property described to wit: **PROPERTY ADDRESS:** 16 Sizemore Road, Minnie, KY 41651 **MAP NUMBER:** 051-00-00-049.00 **SOURCE OF TITLE:** Being the same property conveyed to Lola Faye Noble by deed dated February 10, 1969, recorded in Deed Book 198, Page 443 of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

A. The property address and map number contained herein are for convenience only. All property will be transferred pursuant to the legal descriptions contained within the Judgment referenced above.

B. The successful bidder shall the bid amount, in full, by cash or certified check, on the date of the sale or shall pay a non-refundable deposit equal to 10% of the purchase price with the balance due in full within thirty (30) days. If the bid is not sufficient to pay the expenses of said sale, then along with the purchase price, the successful bidder shall pay additional sums required to cover said costs. On the date of said sale, the successful bidder, if only paying 10%, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon. The surety must own land in Kentucky and have equity in the land that is greater than the bid amount. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 6.0 % per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 12 % per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall mature in thirty (30) days and shall have the force and effect of a Judgment. A lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety thereon. In the event the purchase price is not paid in full within thirty (30) days, then the property may be subject to immediate re-sell. In the event the Plaintiff is the successful bidder, said Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit pursuant to the Judgment referenced above and not be required to produce a bond.

C. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year and all subsequent years. All delinquent taxes for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds along with the payment of other assessments properly claimed or filed within the above referenced record. Any taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years which are validly owed and are not paid by the sale proceeds shall remain liens on the subject property and will be assumed by the purchaser.

D. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, stipulations, defects, or encumbrances of record affecting said property; any assessments for public improvement; and any matters disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property. The property is also sold subject to rights of redemption which may exist in favor of the United States of America, the Defendants and/or record owners of said property.

E. The property shall be sold "AS IS." The Court and the Master Commissioner shall not be deemed to have warranted the title of the subject property to the purchaser.

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E. The property shall be sold "AS IS." The Court and the Master Commissioner shall not be deemed to have warranted the title of the subject property to the purchaser.

F. Any announcements made on the date of sale shall take precedence over printed matter contained and as published within the Floyd County Chronical and Times.

This 7th day of January, 2019,
Gregory A. Isaac
Floyd County Master Commissioner
199 North Lake Drive
Prestonsburg, KY 41653
(606) 886-2391
(606) 886-2776
(fax)

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II CIVIL ACTION NO. 16-CI-00592
 U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION as Indenture Trustee for CIM Trust 2015-3AG Mortgage-Backed Notes, Series 2015-3AG
PLANTIFF
 V.
BILLY J. MAY,
 et al
DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF SALE

So as to comply with the In Rem Judgment and Order of Sale entered by the Floyd Circuit Court in the above styled action, and so as to raise the amounts as set forth therein, with a principal of \$40,266.84, plus interest and other costs, please be advised that I, the Floyd County Master Commissioner, has been ordered by the Floyd Circuit Court to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder during a public

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auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 17th day of January, 2019, in the Floyd Fiscal Courtroom (old Circuit Courtroom) on the second floor of the old Floyd County Courthouse, 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the Floyd County Justice Center), and subject to the following terms and conditions, the property described to wit: **PROPERTY ADDRESS:** Box 30 Route 1428, Allen, KY 41601 **MAP NUMBER:** 061-40-03-013.00 **SOURCE OF TITLE:** Being the same property conveyed to Billy J. May, no marital status shown, by deed dated November 4, 1970, recorded in Deed Book 203, Page 563, of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

A. The property address and map number contained herein are for convenience only. All property will be transferred pursuant to the legal descriptions contained within the Judgment referenced above.

B. The successful bidder shall the bid amount, in full, by cash or certified check, on the date of the sale or shall pay a non-refundable deposit equal to 10% of the purchase price with the balance due in full within thirty (30) days. If the bid is not sufficient to pay the expenses of said sale, then along with the purchase price, the successful bidder shall pay additional sums required to cover said costs. On the date of said sale, the successful bidder, if only paying 10%, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon. The surety must own land in Kentucky and have equity in the land that is greater than the bid amount. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 6.0 % per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 12 % per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall mature in thirty (30) days and shall have the force and effect of a Judgment. A lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety thereon. In the event the purchase price is not paid in full within thirty (30) days, then the property may be subject to immediate re-sell. In the event the Plaintiff is the successful bidder, said Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit pursuant to the Judgment referenced above and not be required to produce a bond.

C. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year and all subsequent years. All delinquent taxes for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds along with the payment of other assessments properly claimed or filed within the above referenced record. Any taxes or assessments for prior years which are validly owed and are not paid by the sale proceeds shall remain liens on the subject property and will be assumed by the purchaser.

D. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, stipulations, defects, or encumbrances of record affecting said property; any assessments for public improvement; and any matters disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property. The property is also sold subject to rights of redemption which may exist in favor of the United States of America, the Defendants and/or record owners of said property.

E. The property shall be sold "AS IS." The Court and the Master Commissioner shall not be deemed to have warranted the title of the subject property to the purchaser.

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This 7th day of January, 2019,
Gregory A. Isaac
Floyd County Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II CIVIL ACTION NO. 16-CI-00745
 JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association Successor by merger to Bank One, N.A.
PLANTIFF
 V.
 Monnie Osborne aka Monnie Rie Beverly;
 Bruce Osborne; Shoreline Tax Services, LLC
DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF SALE

So as to comply with the Judgment and Order of Sale entered by the Floyd Circuit Court in the above styled action, and so as to raise the amounts as set forth therein, with a principal of \$79,110.38, plus interest and other costs, please be advised that I, the Floyd County Master Commissioner, has been ordered by the Floyd Circuit Court to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder during a public auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 17th day of January, 2019, in the Floyd County Fiscal Courtroom (Old Circuit Courtroom) on the second floor of the old Floyd County Courthouse, 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the Floyd County Justice Center), and subject to the following terms and conditions, the property described to wit: **PROPERTY ADDRESS:** 1363 Ky. Route 1100 East, East Point, KY 41216

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MAP NUMBER: 032-00-00-033.00 **SOURCE OF TITLE:** Being the same property conveyed to Monnie Rie Beverly, a single person, by deed dated October 14, 1983, recorded in Deed Book 279, Page 542, of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

A. The property address and map number contained herein are for convenience only. All property will be transferred pursuant to the legal descriptions contained within the Judgment referenced above.

B. The successful bidder shall the bid amount, in full, by cash or certified check, on the date of the sale or shall pay a non-refundable deposit equal to 10% of the purchase price with the balance due in full within thirty (30) days. If the bid is not sufficient to pay the expenses of said sale, then along with the purchase price, the successful bidder shall pay additional sums required to cover said costs. On the date of said sale, the successful bidder, if only paying 10%, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon. The surety must own land in Kentucky and have equity in the land that is greater than the bid amount. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 8.5 % per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall mature in thirty (30) days and shall have the force and effect of a Judgment. A lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety thereon. In the event the purchase price is not paid in full within thirty (30) days, then the property may be subject to immediate re-sell. In the event the Plaintiff is the successful bidder, said Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit pursuant to the Judgment referenced above and not be required to produce a bond.

C. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year and all subsequent years. All delinquent taxes for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds along with the payment of other assessments properly claimed or filed within the above referenced record. Any taxes or assessments for prior years which are validly owed and are not paid by the sale proceeds shall remain liens on the subject property and will be assumed by the purchaser.

D. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, stipulations, defects, or encumbrances of record affecting said property; any assessments for public improvement; and any matters disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property. The property is also sold subject to rights of redemption which may exist in favor of the United States of America, the Defendants and/or record owners of said property.

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This 7th day of January, 2019,
Gregory A. Isaac
Floyd County Master Commissioner

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Spurlock Mining, LLC, 3228 Summit Square Place, Suite 180, Lexington, Kentucky 40509 has applied for Phase II bond release on permit number **836-8080** which was last issued on August 31, 2016. The application covers an area of approximately 12.00 acres located at Hite in Floyd County. The permit area is approximately 0.35 miles north-east from KY Route 122's junction with CR-1220 and located 0.04 miles east from Left Fork Beaver Creek. The bond now in effect for the permit is a surety bond in the amount of \$21,600. Approximately twenty-five percent (25%) of the original bond amount of \$21,600 is included in the application for release. Reclamation work performed including: backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in July 2014. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, revegetation of disturbed areas and establishment of the post-mining land use. Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by February 18, 2019. A public hearing has been scheduled for Tuesday, February 19, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by February 18, 2019.

Reclamation work performed for Increment 3 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in Summer of 2017. Reclamation work performed for Increment 7 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in Fall 2017. Reclamation work performed for Increment 10 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in Fall of 2013. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, and initial revegetation of disturbed areas. Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by March 4, 2019. A public hearing has been scheduled for Tuesday, March 5, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by March 4, 2019.

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Spurlock Mining, LLC, 3228 Summit Square Place, Suite 180, Lexington, Kentucky 40509 has applied for Phase I bond release on Increments 3, 7 and 10 of permit number **836-0445** which was last issued on June 22, 2018. Increment 3 covers an area of approximately 27.09 acres, Increment 7 covers an area of approximately 24.47 acres and Increment 10 covers an area of approximately 18.75 acres located 0.6 miles south of Hite in Floyd County, Kentucky. The permit area is approximately 0.6 miles northwest from the junction of KY Route 122 and KY Route 2030 and located in the vicinity of Osborn Branch. The bond now in effect for Increment 3 is a surety bond in the amount of \$103,000. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$103,000 is included in this application for release. The bond now in effect for Increment 7 is a surety bond in the amount of \$115,600. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$115,600 is included in this application for release. The bond now in effect for Increment 10 is a surety bond in the amount of \$92,300. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$92,300 is included in this application for release. Reclamation work performed for Increment 3 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in Summer of 2017. Reclamation work performed for Increment 7 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in Fall 2017. Reclamation work performed for Increment 10 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in Fall of 2013. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, and initial revegetation of disturbed areas. Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by February 18, 2019. A public hearing has been scheduled for Tuesday, February 19, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by February 18, 2019.

Reclamation work performed for Increment 7 includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in August 2015. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, revegetation of disturbed areas and establishment of the post-mining land use. Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by February 18, 2019. A public hearing has been scheduled for Tuesday, February 19, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by February 18, 2019.

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Spurlock Mining, LLC, 3228 Summit Square Place, Suite 180, Lexington, Kentucky 40509 has applied for Phase II bond release on permit number **836-5648** which was last issued on June 10, 2018. The application covers an area of approximately 4.3 acres located at Tram in Floyd County, Kentucky. The permit area is approximately 0.8 miles south from Powell Branch Road's junction with US 23 and located along Powell Branch. The bond now in effect for the permit is a surety bond in the amount of \$30,000. Approximately twenty-five percent (25%) of the original bond amount of \$30,000 is included in the application for release. Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in August 2015. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, revegetation of disturbed areas and establishment of the post-mining land use. Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by February 18, 2019.

A public hearing has been scheduled for Tuesday, February 19, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by February 18, 2019.

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION I CIVIL ACTION NO. 17-CI-00502
 FREDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION
PLANTIFF
 V.
R.J. KIDD
DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF SALE

So as to comply with the Judgment and Order of Sale entered by the Floyd Circuit Court in the above styled action, and so as to raise the amounts as set forth therein, with a principal of \$54,302.39, plus interest and other costs, please be advised that I, the Floyd County Master Commissioner, has been ordered by the Floyd Circuit Court to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder during a public auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 17th day of January, 2019, in the

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Floyd Fiscal Courtroom (Old Circuit Courtroom) on the second floor of the old Floyd County Courthouse, 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the Floyd County Justice Center), and subject to the following terms and conditions, the property described to wit: **PROPERTY ADDRESS:** 6448 KY Route 2030, Honaker, Kentucky 41603 **PROPERTY DESCRIPTION:** Beginning at a stake at Ima Sue Kidd Collins' line three feet from the blacktop road; thence up the road eighty-six feet to Joann Innis' line; thence across the bottom with Joann Innis' line to a stake at the creek; thence with the creek to a stake at a corner of Ima Sue Kidd Collins' line; thence across the bottom with Ima Sue Kidd Collins' line to a stake at the beginning. An easement for water rights or water line of any description and its maintenance is hereby conveyed with this property.

SOURCE OF TITLE: Being the same property conveyed to R.J. Kidd, by Deed dated February 3, 1987 and recorded February 3, 1987, of record in Deed Book 307, Page 296, in the Office of the County Clerk of Floyd County, Kentucky. A. The property address and map number contained herein are for convenience only. All property will be transferred pursuant to the legal descriptions contained within the Judgment referenced above.

B. The successful bidder shall the bid amount, in full, by cash or certified check, on the date of the sale or shall pay a non-refundable deposit equal to 10% of the purchase price with the balance due in full within thirty (30) days. If the bid is not sufficient to pay the expenses of said sale, then along with the purchase price, the successful bidder shall pay additional sums required to cover said costs. On the date of said sale, the successful bidder, if only paying 10%, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon. The surety must own land in Kentucky and have equity in the land that is greater than the bid amount. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 3.750% per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall mature in thirty (30) days and shall have the force and effect of a Judgment. A lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety thereon. In the event the purchase price is not paid in full within thirty (30) days, then the property may be subject to immediate re-sell. In the event the Plaintiff is the

successful bidder, said Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit pursuant to the Judgment referenced above and not be required to produce a bond.

C. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year and all subsequent years. All delinquent taxes for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds along with the payment of other assessments properly claimed or filed within the above referenced record. Any taxes or assessments for prior years which are validly owed and are not paid by the sale proceeds shall remain liens on the subject property and will be assumed by the purchaser.

D. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, stipulations, defects, or encumbrances of record affecting said property; any assessments for public improvement; and any matters disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property. The property is also sold subject to rights of redemption which may exist in favor of the United States of America, the Defendants and/or record owners of said property.

E. The property shall be sold "AS IS." The Court and the Master Commissioner shall not be deemed to have warranted the title of the subject property to the purchaser.

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successful bidder, said Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit pursuant to the Judgment referenced above and not be required to produce a bond.

C. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year and all subsequent years. All delinquent taxes for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds along with the payment of other assessments properly claimed or filed within the above referenced record. Any taxes or assessments for prior years which are validly owed and are not paid by the sale proceeds shall remain liens on the subject property and will be assumed by the purchaser.

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This 7th day of January, 2019.

**Gregory A. Isaac
Floyd County
Master
Commissioner
199 North Lake
Drive
Prestonsburg,
KY 41653
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(606) 886-2776
(fax)**

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II CIVIL ACTION NO. 17-CI-00735
U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as Trustee
For the holders of the Specialty Underwriting and Residential Finance Trust Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-BC2
PLANTIFF
V.
SHEILA TACKETT VANCE AKA SHELIA ANNE VANCE AKA SHEILA TACKETT AKA SHELIA TACKETT VANCE, et al DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF SALE

So as to comply with the Judgment and Order of Sale entered by the Floyd Circuit Court in the above styled ac-

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tion, and so as to raise the amounts as set forth therein, with a principal of \$80,334.98, plus interest and other costs, please be advised that I, the Floyd County Master Commissioner, has been ordered by the Floyd Circuit Court to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder during a public auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 17th day of January, 2019, in the Floyd Fiscal Courtroom (Old Circuit Courtroom) on the second floor of the old Floyd County Courthouse, 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the Floyd County Justice Center), and subject to the following terms and conditions, the property described to wit:

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 61 Shelton Hollow Road, Martin, KY 41649

MAP NUMBER: 038-00-00-020.01

SOURCE OF TITLE: Being the same property conveyed to Sheila Tackett Vance and Cola Vance, her husband, from Timothy Potter and Donna Potter, his wife dated January 3, 2007 and recorded at Deed Book 531, Page 272 in the records of the Floyd County Clerk.

A. The property address and map number contained herein are for convenience only. All property will be transferred pursuant to the legal descriptions contained within the Judgment referenced above.

B. The successful bidder shall the bid amount, in full, by cash or certified check, on the date of the sale or shall pay a non-refundable deposit equal to 10% of the purchase price with the balance due in full within thirty (30) days. If the bid is not sufficient to pay the expenses of said sale, then along with the purchase price, the successful bidder shall pay additional sums required to cover said costs. On the date of said sale, the successful bidder, if only paying 10%, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon. The surety must own land in Kentucky and have equity in the land that is greater than the bid amount. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 9.99 % per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall mature in thirty (30) days and shall have the force and effect of a Judgment. A lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety thereon. In the event the purchase price is not paid in full within thirty (30) days, then the property may be subject to immediate re-sell.

In the event the Plaintiff is the successful bidder, said Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit pursuant to the Judgment referenced above and not be required to produce a bond.

C. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year and all subsequent years. All delinquent taxes for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds along with the payment of other assessments properly claimed or filed within the above referenced record. Any taxes or assessments for prior years which are validly owed and are not paid by the sale proceeds shall remain liens on the subject property and will be assumed by the purchaser.

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above and not be required to produce a bond.

D. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, stipulations, defects, or encumbrances of record affecting said property; any assessments for public improvement; and any matters disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property. The property is also sold subject to rights of redemption which may exist in favor of the United States of America, the Defendants and/or record owners of said property.

E. The property shall be sold "AS IS." The Court and the Master Commissioner shall not be deemed to have warranted the title of the subject property to the purchaser.

F. Any announcements made on the date of sale shall take precedence over printed matter contained and as published within the Floyd County Chronical and Times.

This 7th day of January, 2019.

**Gregory A. Isaac
Floyd County
Master
Commissioner**

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION I CIVIL ACTION NO. 18-CI-00199
PENNYMAC LOAN SERVICES, LLC
PLANTIFF
V.
RONALD MEADE DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF SALE

So as to comply with the Judgment and Order of Sale entered by the Floyd Circuit Court in the above styled action, and so as to raise the amounts as set forth therein, with a principal of \$70,898.57, plus interest and other costs, please be advised that I, the Floyd County Master Commissioner, has been ordered by the Floyd Circuit Court to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder during a public auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 17th day of January, 2019, at the door of the old Floyd County Courthouse, 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the Floyd County Justice

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Center), and subject to the following terms and conditions, the property described to wit:

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 47 Jackson St., Prestonsburg, KY 41653
MAP NUMBER: 045-20-07-018.00
SOURCE OF TITLE: Being the same property conveyed to Ronald Meade by deed dated October 22, 2008, recorded in Deed Book 551, Page 697 of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

A. The property address and map number contained herein are for convenience only. All property will be transferred pursuant to the legal descriptions contained within the Judgment referenced above.

B. The successful bidder shall the bid amount, in full, by cash or certified check, on the date of the sale or shall pay a non-refundable deposit equal to 10% of the purchase price with the balance due in full within thirty (30) days. If the bid is not sufficient to pay the expenses of said sale, then along with the purchase price, the successful bidder shall pay additional sums required to cover said costs. On the date of said sale, the successful bidder, if only paying 10%, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon. The surety must own land in Kentucky and have equity in the land that is greater than the bid amount. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 6.625 % per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall mature in thirty (30) days and shall have the force and effect of a Judgment. A lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety thereon. In the event the purchase price is not paid in full within thirty (30) days, then the property may be subject to immediate re-sell.

In the event the Plaintiff is the successful bidder, said Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit pursuant to the Judgment referenced above and not be required to produce a bond.

C. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year and all subsequent years. All delinquent taxes for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds along with the payment of other assessments properly claimed or filed within the above referenced record. Any taxes or assessments for prior years which are validly owed and are not paid by the sale proceeds shall remain liens on the subject property and will be assumed by the purchaser.

D. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, stipulations, defects, or

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encumbrances of record affecting said property; any assessments for public improvement; and any matters disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property. The property is also sold subject to rights of redemption which may exist in favor of the United States of America, the Defendants and/or record owners of said property.

E. The property shall be sold "AS IS." The Court and the Master Commissioner shall not be deemed to have warranted the title of the subject property to the purchaser.

F. Any announcements made on the date of sale shall take precedence over printed matter contained and as published within the Floyd County Chronical and Times.

This 7th day of January, 2019.

**Gregory A. Isaac
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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Spurlock Mining, LLC, 3228 Summit Square Place, Suite 180, Lexington, Kentucky 40509 has applied for Phase II bond release on **permit number 836-5568** which was last issued on May 24, 2018. The application covers an area of approximately 17.71 acres located 2.5 miles northwest of Blue Moon in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 0.4 miles east from KY 2030's junction with Gunstock Branch Road and located on Gunstock Branch.

The bond now in effect for the permit is a surety bond in the amount of \$38,400. Approximately twenty-five percent (25%) of the original bond amount of \$38,400 is included in the application for release. Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in spring 2015. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, and initial revegetation of disturbed areas. Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by February 18, 2019.

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COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION I CIVIL ACTION NO. 18-CI-00216
U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION as Successors by merger of U.S. Bank National Association, ND
PLANTIFF
V.
RICKY JUSTICE LORETTA JUSTICE, et al DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF SALE

So as to comply with the Judgment and Order of Sale entered by the Floyd Circuit Court in the above styled action, and so as to raise the amounts as set forth therein, with a principal of \$212,203.49, plus interest and other costs, please be advised that I, the Floyd County Master Commissioner, has been ordered by the Floyd Circuit Court to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder

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The bond now in effect for the permit is a surety bond in the amount of \$75,000. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$75,000 is included in this application for release. Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in April 2018. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, and initial revegetation of disturbed areas.

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during a public auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 17th day of January, 2019, in the Floyd Fiscal Courtroom (Old Circuit Courtroom) on the second floor of the old Floyd County Courthouse, 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the Floyd County Justice Center), and subject to the following terms and conditions, the property described to wit:

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 3194 Toler Creek, Harold, KY 41635

MAP NUMBER: 108-20-01-006.00

SOURCE OF TITLE: Being the same property conveyed to Ricky Justice by deed dated October 11, 1984, recorded in Deed Book 316, Page 538 of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

A. The property address and map number contained herein are for convenience only. All property will be transferred pursuant to the legal descriptions contained within the Judgment referenced above.

B. The successful bidder shall the bid amount, in full, by cash or certified check, on the date of the sale or shall pay a non-refundable deposit equal to 10% of the purchase price with the balance due in full within thirty (30) days. If the bid is not sufficient to pay the expenses of said sale, then along with the purchase price, the successful bidder shall pay additional sums required to cover said costs. On the date of said sale, the successful bidder, if only paying 10%, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon. The surety must own land in Kentucky and have equity in the land that is greater than the bid amount. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and shall bear interest at the rate of 5.2400 % per annum from the date of sale until paid in full. Said bond shall mature in thirty (30) days and shall have the force and effect of a Judgment. A lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety thereon. In the event the purchase price is not paid in full within thirty (30) days, then the property may be subject to immediate re-sell.

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crement 9 covers an area of approximately 31.08 acres located 1.00 miles southeast of Printer in Floyd County. The permit area is approximately 1.10 miles southeast from KY Route 2030's junction with KY Route 122 and located on Shop Branch. The bond now in effect for Increment 1 is a surety bond in the amount of \$91,800. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$91,800 is included in this application for release. The bond now in effect for Increment 4 is a surety bond in the amount of \$75,000. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$75,000 is included in this application for release. The bond now in effect for Increment 5 is a surety bond in the amount of \$75,000. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$75,000 is included in this application for release. The bond now in effect for Increment 6 is a surety bond in the amount of \$75,000. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$75,000 is included in this application for release. The bond now in effect for Increment 7 is a surety bond in the amount of \$75,000. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$75,000 is included in this application for release. The bond now in effect for Increment 8 is a surety bond in the amount of \$75,000. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$75,000 is included in this application for release. The bond now in effect for Increment 9 is a surety bond in the amount of \$123,400. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$123,400 is included in this application for release. Reclamation work performed for Increment 1 includes: backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in Spring of 2018. Results thus far achieved are backfilling, grading, and initial re-vegetation of disturbed areas.

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