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All Southern Water board members resign

By **MARY MEADOWS**
 STAFF WRITER

The Floyd County Fiscal Court replaced all members of the Southern

Water and Sewer District board during a special meeting on Tuesday, with Floyd County Judge-Executive Robbie Williams suggesting that those

former members and the water district could be subjected to civil fines imposed by the state.

The fiscal court voted unanimously — with

Magistrate Mike Tackett absent — to appoint Brian Hunter and Rick Roberts to three-year terms and Jeff Prater, Donny Daniels and Steve Daw-

son to two-year terms on the Southern Water board.

The resolution notes

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Floyd County Chronicle and Times photos by Elaine Belcher



Floyd Chronicle and Times photo by Mary Meadows
 Floyd County Judge-Executive Robbie Williams speaks during a special meeting on Feb. 5.

Insurance premium tax ordinance proposed

By **MARY MEADOWS**
 STAFF WRITER

The Floyd County Fiscal Court held the first reading of a new insurance premium tax ordinance during a special meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 5.

If approved during a second reading and vote, a new 4 percent insurance premium tax will be implemented on July 1.

The county is currently collecting a 6 percent insurance premium tax for insurance policies that are sold to residents of unincorporated areas of the county, but that tax is set to expire in July because it was repealed by the fiscal court last

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Three Floyd residents seek state offices

A **FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES STAFF REPORT**

Three local residents will be seeking state offices in the May primary election.

Allison Ball, a Prestonsburg native, is seek-

ing to return to her seat as state treasurer, Prestonsburg resident Gregory D. Stumbo filed his candidacy to become the state's next attorney general and political newcomer Jason S. Belcher filed paperwork to be-

come the next secretary of state.

The full candidate list for all state races includes the following candidates:

Kentucky Governor
 Republican contenders include incumbent

Gov. Matt Bevin of Louisville, Robert Goforth of East Bernstadt, Ike Lawrence of Lexington and William Woods of Corinth.

Democratic contenders include Rocky Adkins of Sandy Hook, Andy Beshear of Louisville,

Adam Edelen of Lexington and Geoffrey "Geoff" Young of Lexington.

Attorney General
 Gregory D. Stumbo of Prestonsburg is the only

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Floyd County Grand jury to consider drug trafficking charges

A FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

A Floyd County grand jury will determine whether there's enough evidence to convict three local residents for allegedly trafficking methamphetamine.

On Monday, three felony cases against Printer residents Steven Hunter, 37, Olivia Johnson, 35, and Johnanna Tackett, 33, were referred to the grand jury for consideration.

The trio was arrested by Floyd County Sheriff's deputies following a search of a home at Printer on Ky. 122 on Jan. 30.

"During the search, deputies discovered a variety of illegal drugs that included crystal meth, suboxone, hydrocodone and marijuana, along with paraphernalia such as digital scales, plastic baggies and needles," a statement from the Sheriff's Department said. "Money that is believed to be proceeds of illegal drug sales was also seized during the search."

All three residents were charged with first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance — over two grams of methamphetamine. Hunter was also charged with possession of marijuana.



The Floyd County Sheriff's Department reportedly confiscated these items following a search of a home in Printer last week.

Submitted photo

Johnson was also charged with first-degree possession of a controlled substance. Tackett was also charged with

third-degree possession of a controlled substance and controlled substance

not in original container. The sheriff's department reported that the investigation into these

alleged crimes continue and more charges may be filed in relation to this case.

Grand jury to consider case of man charged with assaulting police

A FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

A Floyd County grand jury will decide whether there is enough evidence to issue an indictment against a Stanville man charged with assaulting police.

On Feb. 4, Rodney R. Thompson, 35, of Stanville, waived his right to a preliminary hearing in the case against him and District Judge Eric Hall referred it to the grand jury for consideration.

Thompson was arrested on Jan. 27 and charged with third-degree criminal mischief,

fourth-degree assault, theft by unlawful taking, second-degree fleeing/evading police, resisting arrest, menacing and third-degree assault of a police officer.

Kentucky State Police Trooper Matt Martin reports in the citation that he was called to investigate a complaint of a man "screaming and yelling" at the Cardinal Mart gas station in Stanville on Jan. 27.

Martin reported he found a woman standing beside a car crying when he arrived, and she alleged that Thompson, her boyfriend, threat-

ened her, "hit her car out of gear" causing it to lock up and stole her wallet and purse.

Martin reported that Thompson was hiding in a crawlspace at his residence when he arrived with other troopers and the Floyd County Sheriff Department's K9 unit.

The K9 located Thompson in that crawlspace and bit him on the leg, Martin reported, and he could then be removed from the space and arrested.

Martin claims Thompson "continued to ignore commands and struck Tpr. Derek Coleman in

the knee by kicking him."

"(Thompson) then had to be forcibly placed in handcuffs where he continued to resist officers," Martin wrote. "The wallet and purse was located and returned to the owners, these items were located in plain view of (Thompson's) bedroom."

Martin claims that Thompson told him "he did not realize his actions because of being under the influence."

According to the dis-

trict court file in the case, Thompson refused to attend his arraignment on Jan. 28. He was being

held under a no bond order, but Hall amended his bond to \$5,000 cash on Monday.

KSP: Two Floyd women arrested, one charged with meth possession in Pike

AN APPALACHIAN NEWSPAPERS STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE — Two Floyd County women were arrested on charges including methamphetamine possession after, Kentucky State Police said, they located the women in the parking lot of a Pike business at 2 a.m. Thursday.

According to the citation of KSP Trooper Mark Branham, he was passing the parking lot of Wesley's Pawn Shop in the Green Meadow community of Pike County at nearly 2 a.m. Thursday morning when he noticed two vehicles, later determined to be operated by Tabitha Casey, 47, of River Bend, Tram, and Rhonda G. Collins, 40, of Mare Creek Road, Stanville, which were sitting door-to-door.

When he turned around to pull into the parking lot, Branham wrote in the citation that the two vehicles were attempting to leave and he stopped both vehicles. Casey excited her vehicle and "was acting very nervous and walking back and forth from her car," and Collins "was very erratic and jittery



Tabitha Casey



Rhonda S. Collins

... (and) appeared to be under the influence of methamphetamine," the citation said.

Casey gave verbal consent for Branham to search her vehicle and the trooper located two baggies which Casey identified as containing methamphetamine, the citation said. Casey told Branham that the suspected methamphetamine belonged to her, according to the citation.

Collins was given field sobriety testing and was placed under arrest before giving consent to search her vehicle, the citation said. During a search, Branham located suboxone in Collins' purse, the citation said.

Casey was arrested on charges of first-offense first-degree possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine), operating on a

suspended or revoked license and other traffic charges, court records show. Collins was arrested on charges of second-offense first-degree possession of a controlled substance, first-offense DUI, first-offense having a prescription controlled substance not in the proper container and traffic charges, court documents show.

Both were arraigned on their respective charges in Pike District Court Thursday, according to jail records.

Pike District Judge Tommy R. May ordered Collins held in custody on a \$1,000 cash bond with bail credit available and MCR monitoring and ordered Casey held in custody on a 10 percent payment of a \$2,000 bond with bail credit available, according to court documentation.

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Are you registered to vote?

Local residents have until April 22 to register to vote in the primary. To register online or obtain more information, visit, elect.ky.gov, or the Floyd County Clerk's office.

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Democratic candidate in this race.

Republican contenders include Daniel Cameron of Louisville and Will Schroder of Wilder.

State Treasurer

Incumbent Allison Ball of Prestonsburg is the only Republican candidate in this race.

Democratic contenders include Michael Bowman of Louisville and Josh Mers of Lexington.

Kentucky Secretary of State

Republican contenders include Andrew English of Crestwood, Stephen L. Knipper of Independence and Carl "Trump" Nett of Louisville.

Democratic con-

tenders include Jason S. Belcher of Harold, Jason Griffith of Whitesburg, Heather French Henry of Louisville and Geoff Sebesta of Lexington.

Auditor of Public Accounts

Incumbent Mike Harmon is the only Republican candidate in this race.

Democratic contenders include Kelsy Hayes Coots of Louisville, Drew Curtis of Lexington, Sheri Donahue of Louisville and Chris Tobe of Anchorage.

Commissioner of Agriculture

In the Republican primary, incumbent Ryan F. Quarles of Georgetown will face candidate Bill Polyniak of Lexington.

Democratic contenders include Robert Haley Conway of Georgetown and Joe Trigg of Glasgow.

BSCTC begins sustainable agriculture certification in March

A FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

According to a statement from Big Sandy Community and Technical College, the new old ways are coming back to the mountain folks of Eastern Kentucky, as the college has announced that it is introducing the Sustainable Agriculture Certificate in March, which prepares students for a variety of jobs in agriculture, both production and value-added, with a range of skills and knowledge.

Beyond the general education core requirements, students will pursue classes such as horticulture, organic agriculture and an agriculture internship under the guidance of program directors Professor Tammy Ball and Dr. Tom Vielheller, according to the BSCTC statement.

"We have planned an authentic experience of holistic gardening and with the principles of botany to create more effective mountain gardeners," said Ball.

According to Ball, this experience will also provide the space for multiple generations of students to work together and draw closer in their understanding of health and wellness through growing our own food.

"There is great satisfaction in growing the food that we put on the table for our families to eat" she said. "Until you actually do that, you cannot be fully aware of the brilliance of garden to table."

The Sustainable Agriculture Certificate begins with its first course, Horticulture Science (AGR 160) from 5 p.m. through 7:30 p.m. on March 21. It will meet every Thursday evening in Pike Building Room 104.

Donovan Scholars are welcome.

For more details and to register, please contact a program specialist: Lisa Newman at, (606) 218-2060, ext. 81205; Stephanie Vanhoose at, (606) 886-3863, ext. 82814; or Carla Branham at, (606) 886-3863, ext. 94827.

Funding awarded for road work

A FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet Highway District 12 in Pikeville announced Monday that the Floyd County Fiscal Court received \$52,900 in discretionary funds.

The funds are earmarked to for the repair of a slip/slide on the Left Fork of Abbott Creek.

Projects submitted to the Department of Rural and Municipal Aid for discretionary fund consideration were evaluated

by the KYTC district staff to assess the condition of roads, a press release said.

The statement said the funds were awarded as part of "Governor Matt Bevin's commitment to prioritize transportation infrastructure projects and increase economic opportunities" in the state.

"The Bevin administration continues to focus on taking care of what we have at both the state and local level to address critical infrastructure needs

that improve safety and support job creation and retention," KYTC Secretary Greg Thomas said in the statement. "This funding builds upon existing transportation investments and allows the Cabinet to collaborate with local governments to identify projects that will have large impacts to communities."

The Floyd County Fiscal Court is responsible for administering the work and KYTC will reimburse the county for the project.

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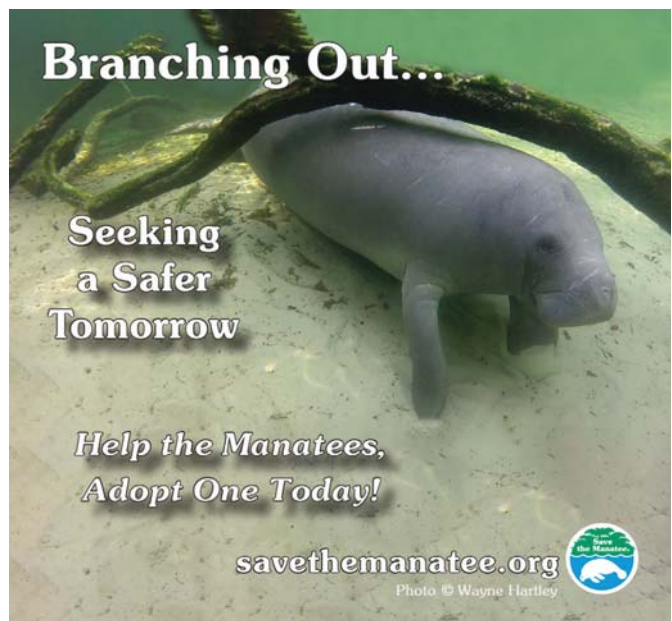
- RICK SEXTON

Rick Sexton doesn't remember much about the day he collapsed at work. His wife, Jenette, however remembers the call telling her just how critical the situation was. Rick was life-flighted to Pikeville Medical Center where one of the region's most respected interventional cardiologists, Dr. Muhammad Ahmad, was waiting in the cath lab to repair the complete blockage in his left anterior descending artery - a blockage known as the widow-maker. Today, Rick is back to work and doing well. He recognizes the Pikeville Medical Center team for its great care and for together - saving his life.

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year. Judge-Executive Robbie Williams said if a new insurance premium tax is approved, it will cost 33 percent less than what county residents are now paying.

"This was the original tax that was 6 percent, that was put on, I guess, approximately 24 months ago. It was repealed. We're proposing to put the tax back on at 4 percent. We're going to reduce it by 33 percent," Williams said. "Our concern is that if we don't put the tax back on, we've got a lot of essential services in the county that we're going to have to cut."

He said the tax is necessary because the former fiscal court approved a \$2.2 million bond for road improvements and work at the county jail, and because the county now has to pay a \$1.8 million bond that remains for Southern Water — a bond that the fiscal court backed for the water district years ago.

County Treasurer David Layne confirmed in the meeting that the county pays about \$190,000 per year on the road bond and about \$170,000 per year on the Southern Water bond. Layne said that Southern Water previously paid the fiscal court \$100,000 a year for that bond, but the district stopped paying the county that bond following a Public Service Commission order issued in 2013. Prestonsburg Utilities paid the bond temporarily last year, as part of the asset transfer between Prestonsburg and Southern Water, but that payment was also stalled.

Williams suggested that the Floyd County Fiscal Court may have to layoff employees if the tax is not implemented. He also said the fiscal court may not be able to

reopen the Martin Community Center if the tax is not implemented.

"The tax is basically the same tax that we had on previously, but, basically, we're just not going to have the cash flow to provide essential services to the county if we don't have this tax," Williams said. "I mean, take a look at what's going on in Knott County. They've basically laid everyone off in Knott County. We can cut, cut, cut, but at the end of the day, we've got senior citizens centers, we've got fire departments, we've got roads that have to be maintain."

He continued, "Listen, folks. We don't want taxes. People act like we want to increase taxes; that as a politician, that's your duty to come and do what you can to increase. That's not the case. This affects me directly. I have parents who are on a fixed income."

Williams estimated that if the 4 percent insurance premium tax is approved, residents who pay \$200 a month for insurance will pay \$96 per year for this tax. The tax is expected to provide the county with revenues of about \$1 million, officials reported, and Williams previously talked about also reducing the county budget in order to lower the tax from 6 percent to 4 percent.

The 6 percent insurance premium tax, which provides more than \$1.4



Floyd County magistrate George Ousley and Mark Crider listen to Judge-Executive Robbie Williams talk about the county's financial situation during a special meeting on Tuesday.

million for the county, was a sticking point for some fiscal court candidates during the 2018 election cycle. Voters ousted three fiscal court members, including the former judge-executive, while some fiscal court opponents campaigned against the tax.

Although public comments were not permitted during the special meeting on Tuesday, one Prestonsburg resident, Charles Wright Sr., chided fiscal court members for considering the insurance premium tax.

"Did you fellers run on no taxes?" Wright said.

"I'm sorry," Williams

said. "All of you fellers, didn't you run on no taxes?" Wright said. "Wasn't that what you guys got voted in for — for no taxes?"

Williams reminded Wright that this was a special meeting and public comment was not on the agenda.

Williams pointed out that during the debate held by Appalachian Newspapers in 2018, he did not say he would repeal the insurance premium tax.

"Yeah you did," Wright told him.

"Did I campaign with anybody in this room and tell them I would repeal

the taxes?" Magistrate Mark Crider said.

"You did. You did. You did say that. You sure did," Wright said.

"I did not," Crider said.

"You most definitely did. We got you on tape," Wright said.

As the debate contin-

ued, Williams called the meeting back to order.

He and Crider made the motion to hold the first reading of the ordinance; with both of them explaining that if it is approved, the tax would be revisited by the fiscal court annually.

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EDITORIAL

Your voice matters: Pledge to vote in 2019

Last week's filing deadline for candidates seeking placement on the primary election ballot means it is officially election season.

It also means there's no better time than now for Floyd County residents to register to vote.

There were tons of local candidates on the ballot last year, and there were a lot of important races. But still, the majority of residents of Floyd County — and Kentucky — did not vote.

The statewide turnout was 23.54 percent

during the primary election in May 2018 and it was 47.38 percent during the general election in November 2018.

In Floyd County, turnout was 37.5 percent in May and 44.4 percent in November.

That means that last year, 62.5 percent of the county's registered voters in May and 55.6 percent of voters in November decided to let their neighbors chose their elected leaders.

We hope that statistical changes this year. There's no reason it can't

be different. With all of the political divisiveness that has surfaced in this country, there's never been a more important time for every person who is eligible to vote to exercise his or her right to do so.

It's a new year, folks, and there are still plenty of important races on the ballot. Regardless of the year or what's on the ballot, though, it's important for residents to be a part of our democracy. It's actually a vital part of what keeps this country plugging along.

When only a few people let their voices be heard, the government we get in that vote was selected by that few.

When governments are elected by only a few people, huge swaths of people in this county, this state and this country are left out. Instead of being represented by the leaders they chose, those people who do not vote are represented by people who were picked by everyone else who voted.

Why would anyone want to live in a country where the laws that

govern the way they live, the taxes they pay and the priorities of their communities are selected by leaders that were picked by other people? If you have a voice, why wouldn't you want to speak up?

This month, there are 30,069 people registered to vote in Floyd County, a decrease of 14 voters since December 2018.

We encourage Floyd County residents to increase that number. If you've never voted, let this be your first year. If you know someone who

does not vote, encourage him or her to cast a ballot

Don't just live here, work here or pay taxes here. Decide that this is the year you help create the community you live in because you cast your ballot in support of things that are important to you.

When it comes to promoting or protecting the things that are important in your life, the most important vote, folks, belongs to you. Don't let your neighbors make that choice for you.

Pledge to cast a ballot in 2019.

GUEST COLUMN

Cold hearted

By JK COLEMAN
APPALACHIAN NEWSPAPERS

Last week's climate change closed some Kentucky schools — Reason: Freezin', and Gov. Matt Bevin's bitter response did little toward thawing his frosty relationship with educators across the Commonwealth.

He told a Louisville radio station that allowing students to stay home during frigid weather conditions is only making us soft as a country, and that we're basically creating snowflakes of our own by teaching youngsters that it's okay to seek shelter and assume

the fetal position when faced with life's challenges. What a cold-hearted man. He just went and called your sixth grader a Democrat.

But if you think it's a cold time in the Bluegrass, imagine if you lived just across the state line. Virginia Democrat Gov. Ralph "Black Face" Northam is promoting a bill that would allow a woman to have an abortion just after her full-term baby is delivered. I have to admit, murder on day one would indeed be a sure fire way to prevent a kid from ever freezing to death waiting on a school bus, but it seems

a little harsh from where I'm sitting.

Maybe they're thinking the option should also be available just in case the newborn comes out as a bouncing baby boy who unfortunately bears a striking resemblance to the milkman. Virginia is for lovers alright — lovers with hearts as cold as ice.

Meanwhile, during his weathercast, Al Roker called Matt Bevin a nitwit over the governor's remarks about calling off school. We all know that anyone who works for that America-hating MSNBC outfit is going to be super sensitive and quick with the cold-heart-

ed zingers, but daggone it, calling a man a nitwit cuts to the bone. I know this because a punk like Roker once called me a nitwit back in kindergarten and that poor guy got himself a noogie he'll never forget.

Maybe Roker needs a reminder of when a former nitwit community organizer labeled the people of Washington, D.C. a bunch of wimps for calling off school because of ice. If you want to research it, former President Barack Obama and his family were perplexed when they woke up one morning back in 2009 to learn that their school had canceled classes simply due to cold weather. They essentially ridiculed the school sys-

tem for not being tough like the thugs in Chicago.

I don't know who to believe anymore. Al Roker tells me I'm going to freeze to death while Al Gore tells me I'm going to burst into flames. The cold-hearted left promotes the killing of newborns while the cold-hearted right tells kids to put a toboggan on and get on to school. And now a goofy Democrat congresswoman from New York named Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez tells me that if we don't address climate change the world will end in 12 years.

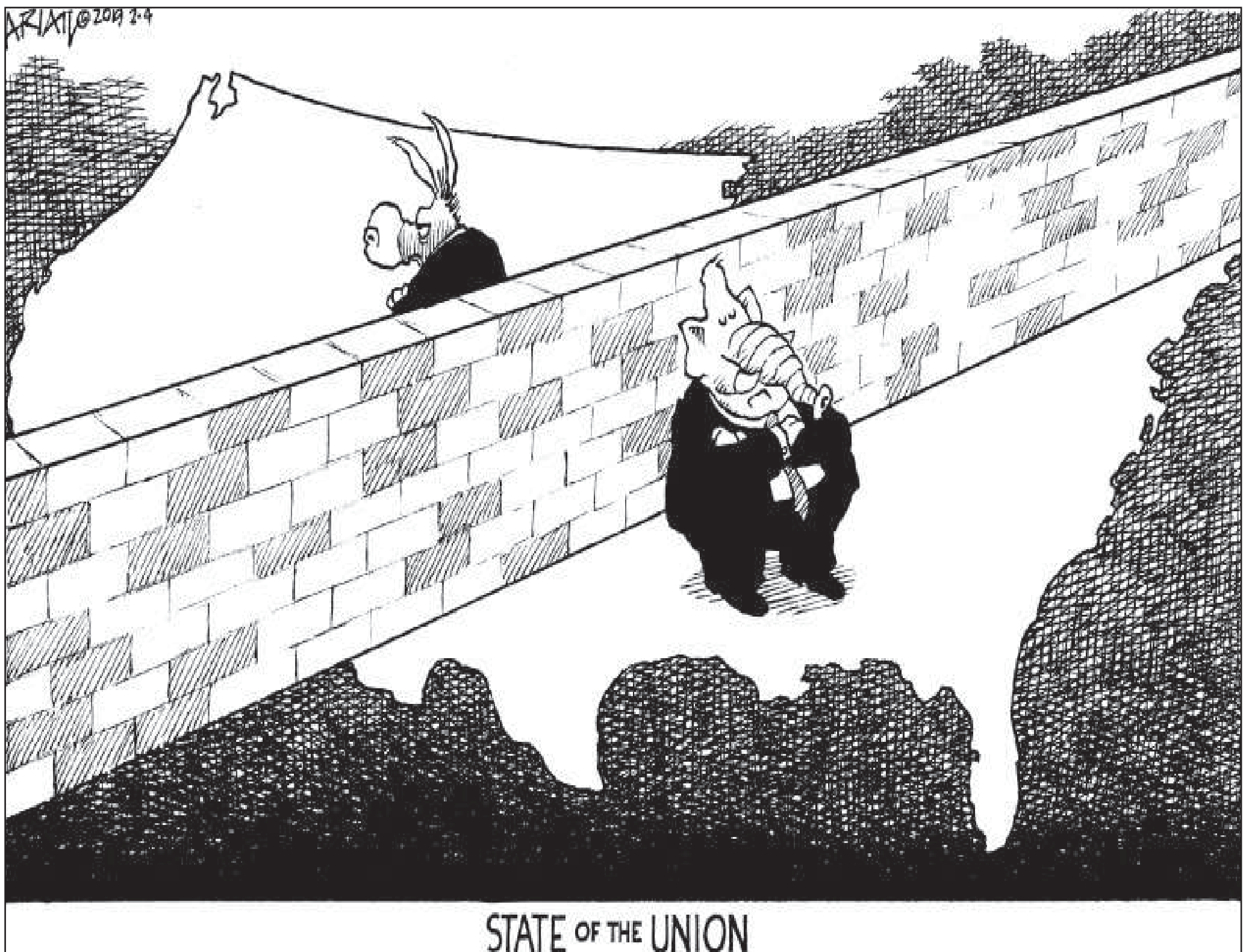
I may just not have the heart for 12 more.

The cold winds of craziness are cutting right through me.

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Submitted photo

State officials presented diplomas recently to 35 new Kentucky State Police troopers. Several of them will be working in Eastern Kentucky.

FLOYD COUNTY CHRONICLE AND TIMES OBITUARIES

Jerry Luther Hall of Hall Funeral Home of Martin.
 Jerry Luther Hall, 78, of Covington, Georgia, died Sunday, Jan. 20, 2019.
 Visitation was held Saturday, Feb. 2, at J.C. Harwell and Son Funeral Home in Covington. Services will be held Sunday, Feb. 8, at the Hall Funeral Home in Martin.
 Arrangements are under the direction of J.C. Harwell and Son Funeral Home of Covington. Obituary courtesy

Kaye Rowland
 Kaye Archer Rowland, 73, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, Jan. 30, 2019.
 Visitation was held at 5 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 5, at the Carter Funeral Home in Prestonsburg.
 Arrangements were under the direction of Carter Funeral Home of Prestonsburg.

Community Events

- Feb. 7, 5:30 p.m.: Free Bornlearning Academy for children age birth to five and their parents, May Valley Elementary. Free meal. (606) 285-0883
- Feb. 11, 9 a.m.: Big Sandy Regional Industrial Authority meets, Sandy Area Development District. (606) 886-2374
- Feb. 12, 12 p.m.: Prestonsburg Tourism meets, Mountain Arts Center. (606) 886-1341
- Feb. 12, 6 p.m.: Wayland City Commission meets, community center
- Feb. 13, 5 p.m.: Wheelwright City Commission meets, city hall. (606) 452-4202
- Feb. 13, 12 p.m.: Jenny Wiley State Resort Park invites volunteers to attend an organizational meeting for Operation Clean Sweep, which will be held March 16 from 9 a.m. to noon.
- Feb. 18, 5 p.m.: Floyd County Soil and Water Conservation District meets, 18 Mayo Br., Brandykeg. (606) 889-9800
- Feb. 18, 6 p.m.: Prestonsburg City Council meets, city hall. (606) 886-2335
- Feb. 19, 10 a.m.: Floyd County Fiscal Court meets, county courthouse. (606) 886-9193
- Feb. 19, 3:30 p.m.: Mountain Arts Center Board of Directors meet, MAC. (606) 889-9125
- Feb. 19, 5:15 p.m.: Jenny Wiley Chapter of the AARP meets at Highland Terrace, Prestonsburg.
- Feb. 19, 6 p.m.: Prestonsburg Utilities Commission meets, utilities office
- Feb. 21, 10 a.m.: The Big Sandy Elder Abuse Council meets, the Big Sandy Area Development District. (606) 886-2374
- Feb. 22, 7 p.m.: Front Porch Pickin', Mountain Arts Center
- Feb. 25, 5 p.m.: Southern Water meets, Southern offices, McDowell.
- Feb. 25, 6:30 p.m.: Floyd County Board of Education meets at Betsy Layne High School. (606) 886-2354
- Feb. 26, 6 p.m.: Martin City Council meets, city hall.
- Feb. 26, 11:30 a.m.: Big Sandy Area Development District meets, Big Sandy ADD office. (606) 886-2374.
- Feb. 28, 5 p.m.: Floyd County Tourism meets, county courthouse. (606) 886-9193
- 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

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New state troopers graduate

SPECIAL TO THE FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES

The Kentucky State Police Academy presented diplomas to 35 new troopers at a graduation ceremony held in Frankfort on Feb. 1.

There are now 809 troopers serving the state.

"It is a profound honor today to welcome the newest members of the Commonwealth's 'Thin Gray Line,'" said Gov. Matt Bevin. "The Kentucky State Police's 97th Cadet Class carries forward an incomparable tradition of servant leadership to our communities. As Kentuckians, we are grateful for their sacrificial service, we pray for their safety, and we commit to support them even as they serve and protect us."

KSP Commissioner Rick Sanders said the new troopers were a welcome addition to the ranks, noting that 58

troopers retired from the agency in 2017.

"Who will fill their shoes?" he asked. "Who will walk in their footsteps and protect the citizens of the Commonwealth?"

Sanders challenged the families and friends of the new troopers to help in the recruitment process.

"One of the best ways to support current troopers is to make sure the agency has a steady flow of quality recruits to maintain our strength in the field," he said. "So keep us in mind when talking to your sons, daughters, brothers, sisters, nieces, nephews, uncles, aunts and neighbors about careers. Law enforcement is a noble profession that provides opportunities to contribute to society in many positive ways."

Kentucky Justice Secretary John Tilley praised the dedication of the new troopers.

"I'm immensely proud

of the hard work and commitment these troopers have demonstrated at the academy and eager to have them serving our communities," he said. "We should all be thankful to have so many professionals at KSP who are dedicated to public safety and willing to make sacrifices on our behalf."

The new troopers are part of the agency's 97th cadet class. They reported for training on Aug. 12, 2018, in a class that consisted of 61 cadets.

Twenty-six cadets resigned during the program.

Several of the new troopers will be serving Floyd, Pike and surrounding counties through Post 9 in Pikeville.

They include: Billy Ball of Prestonsburg, Nicholas Brummett of Pineville, Shane Jacobs of Pippa Passes, Mahala Lewis of Pleasureville, Dylan Mullins of Melvin, Katan Parker of Bowling Green and

Joshua Scott of West Van Lear.

Brummett, Jacobs and Parker were among seven cadets who earned associate degrees in general occupational and technical studies from the Bluegrass Community and Technical College during the training.

The cadets are the second group to benefit from new hiring guidelines established by the legislature in 2017. Through this revision, anyone who possesses a high school diploma or GED and has three years of full-time work experience can apply for employment as a Kentucky State trooper and earn an associate degree during the training process.

Each new trooper will be supervised by a training officer for eight weeks after reporting to their post assignments.

For more information, visit the employment link at, kentucystatepolice.org.

Floyd County Health Department reminds parents of vaccinations

By ELAINE BELCHER STAFF WRITER

With the 2017 Kentucky Department of Education requirement that all students receive hepatitis A immunization, most parents took their children to get immunizations during the summer months of 2018.

For those parents, the Floyd County Health Department wants to remind parents that the second injection of a series of two is due or coming due soon.

"One of the roles of the Floyd County Health Department is to encourage protection from and prevention of vaccine

related illnesses," Floyd County Health Department Executive Director Thursa Sloan said. "The board of education is working through the school health coordinator to reach out to parents to notify them of the need to get vaccine compliant too. It takes all of us working together to try to keep children healthy," said Sloan.

She said to obtain the most protection from the vaccines and be compliant with the immunization regulation, both vaccines are required to finish the hepatitis A series.

"It is very important to bring your child no earlier than six months after

the initial vaccination for the booster for maximum protection," said Sloan. "We are trying to track immunizations to ensure that everyone is protected and compliant."

Kentucky is in the midst of a hepatitis A outbreak according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. As of Jan. 26, the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Human Services reports a total of 129 cases in Floyd County reported from Aug. 1, 2017 through Jan. 26, 2019.

The new KDE regulation also requires a booster of the meningitis vaccine at age 16 for those who took the first

dose at age 11-12.

"For maximum protection, that second dose of the meningitis vaccine needs to be completed," said Sloan.

The hepatitis A and meningitis vaccines are both in stock at the Floyd County Health Department, so contact the health department today to arrange for those vaccines by calling the Prestonsburg office at, (606) 886-2788, or the Betsy Layne clinic at, (606) 478-5454.

"We will offer some evening hours for working parents or those with day time transportation issues to get vaccines completed," Sloan said.

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BSCTC donors recognized on National Philanthropy Day

FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

Big Sandy Community and Technical College recently recognized Drs. Gopal and Mina Majmundar at the National Philanthropy Day Awards Luncheon hosted by the Association of Fundraising Professionals Kentucky, Bluegrass Chapter.

The annual event honors philanthropists and volunteers in the region.

"We are honored to be the focus of the generosity of Drs. Gopal and Mina Majmundar, said Dr. Sherry Zylka, BSCTC president. "Their unwavering support and insight

has provided excellence within our student body and college."

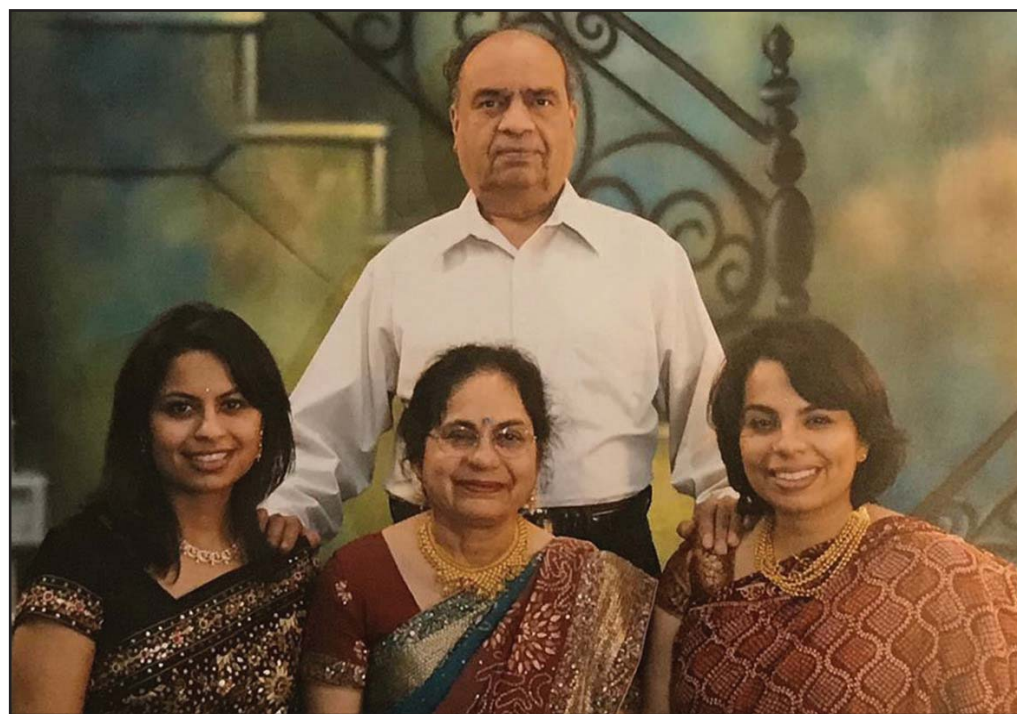
Drs. Gopal and Mina Majmundar moved to the United States from India in the early 1970s. Gopal operates a pediatric and family medicine practice. His wife, Mina, is now a retired anesthesiologist of more than 30 years. Mina currently serves as a board of directors member of the Big Sandy College Educational Foundation, Inc. They raised two daughters in Martin, Dr. Mamata Majmundar and Dr. Monica Majmundar Sheth.

Since 2014, the Majmundars have awarded a scholarship in their

namesake to the top two associate degree nursing and licensed practical nursing students at graduation.

They recently established the Drs. Gopal, Mina, Mamata and Monica Majmundar Family Endowed Scholarship, which benefits first-generation college students and encourages students to complete their degrees. The scholarship is renewable for their second year of college.

For more information on giving opportunities at BSCTC, contact Kelli Martin at, (606) 886-7358, or email, kayers0006@kctcs.edu.



Submitted photo
Pictured left to right, Dr. Monica Majmundar Sheth, Dr. Mina Majmundar, Dr. Gopal Majmundar and Dr. Mamata Majmundar were recently honored by Big Sandy Community and Technical College.

Upgrades planned for Jenny Wiley State Resort Park

A FLOYD CHRONICLE AND TIMES STAFF REPORT

Jenny Wiley State Resort Park in Prestonsburg is receiving additional upgrades.

Governor Matt Bevin and officials with the Tourism, Arts and Heri-

tage Cabinet announced on Feb. 1 that JWSRP is among several state parks that will collectively receive \$20 million in upgrades.

The funding is the second part of a program called "Refreshing the Finest," which was

launched in 2016 and provided \$18 million in state park upgrades.

That funding launched 133 state park projects, which Bevin reported are "nearly complete."

"The improvements have helped to significantly increase business

among Kentucky's state parks, yielding a \$7.6 million revenue boost in 2018 compared to 2016," a press release said.

The 2018 General Assembly allocated an additional \$20 million to replace park lodge roofs, upgrade campgrounds,

repair wastewater treatment plants, fix swimming pools and make other facility repairs, Bevin announced in a press release.

Projects planned in this phase of "Refreshing the Finest" include new roofs at JWSRP and

several parks, as well as utility and campground improvements at other parks.

All 17 state resort parks, including JWSRP, will also receive new flooring, furniture, paint, fixture and paint, the state reported.

RESIGN

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that all water district board members "unanimously decided" to resign from their positions "due to the findings" in the recent public service hearings in Frankfort.

The Kentucky Public Service Commission issued an order on Jan. 31, denying a rate increase requested by Southern Water. The order notes that the Southern District has "demonstrated a lack of candor and a failure to properly provide documentation" for the rate increase.

"On the whole, Southern District has been unable to explain the exact methodology used to obtain its estimate of the billing analysis information and the preparer of the billing analysis has stated that the amounts stated had not been verified," the order said.

PSC officials grilled Southern Water board members during a hearing last month in Frankfort, repeatedly asking them about the district's lack of fiscal analysis and documentation, as well as other issues.

There were also repeated questions at that hearing about the terms of Southern Water board members, with the PSC requesting after the hearing, copies of the Floyd County Fiscal Court minutes.

In November 2018, the fiscal court voted to reappoint Southern Chairman Paula Johnson and member Larry Joe Osborne to the Southern Water board, and it also appointed Hayes Hamilton to fill the seat of Joe Jacobs, reporting that his term expired on Dec. 16.

In December 2018, the fiscal court voted to appoint Eula Hall, the mother of Southern Water General Manager Dean Hall, to fill Hamilton's "unexpired" term on the board. Jacobs was not aware, however, that he had been replaced when he testified at the PSC in January, and Hamilton was serving in another seat at the time.

At the PSC hearing last month, commissioners asked several Southern board members to clarify when they were appointed and when their terms expired.

At Tuesday's meeting, Williams suggested former Southern board

members and/or the agency may face penalties from the Kentucky Public Service Commission.

"I think a lot of folks are aware of what's going on with the Southern Water. They've been under scrutiny from the Public Service Commission," he said. "The board members have resigned."

He explained the new members were selected based on criteria established by the PSC. "There's things going on," Williams said. "There's going to be some, it looks like there may be some civil fines for some things that's happened; that if we work together on trying to get these issues cleared up and we put a board in place that they feel is qualified, competent, and we jointly agree on those individuals, that they'll work with us on some of the issues that we are going to face going forward."

Williams would not

comment after the meeting.

Andrew Melnykovich, spokesperson for the PSC, said on Tuesday that the agency has not opened a new case for the appointment of board members at Southern, but he also noted that "in all likelihood" another case would not be required to be filed unless PSC officials wanted to look at those appointments in more detail.

Melnykovich would not confirm whether the PSC is considering imposing fines against former Southern board members or the district. He noted, however, the agency's authority in doing so.

"There are provisions

in the statutes that allow board members and the entity itself, the water district itself, to be penalized for various violations of PSC regulations and so forth, but the PSC hadn't initiated any action against either the board members individually or against the district as of Friday," he said. "So, I can't really comment as to what the PSC may or may not have been planning to do, but there are provisions that do allow for the imposition of penalties and those penalties can, the board members, as individuals, can be subject to those penalties, so that they would be liable for the penalties as opposed to the district

itself."

Hall would not comment after the resolution was approved by the fiscal court Tuesday, saying only that he was "happy to have a board." He was not aware of the names of the new members who were appointed by the fiscal court.

Hall said all former Southern board members brought letters of resignations to the Southern Water office in McDowell on Friday, Feb. 1. He said he did not read those letters and presented them to the Floyd County judge-executive's office. Staff there, however, said they those letters were available at the water district.

Legal action authorized against RCC Big Shoal

By **RUSS CASSADY**
REGIONAL EDITOR

PIKEVILLE — The Pike County Fiscal Court voted Friday to proceed with legal action against a company that received a \$400,000 loan from the county, then failed to pay the principle and interest back and moved its proposal to build a facility from Pike to Floyd County.

During Friday's special meeting, the court voted unanimously to carry out action, which Assistant County Attorney Kevin Keene said could be filed as early as the coming week, against RCC Big Shoal, the company which received a \$400,000 loan from the administration of Wayne T. Rutherford in 2014 but has neither constructed its proposed natural gas-to-liquid fuel plant nor repaid the loan.

Pike Judge-Executive Ray Jones said Friday that he and the current county commissioners met with the principals of RCC Big Shoal, and neither that meeting, nor what has transpired since have given him any confidence in the company or its claims.

"They are substantially in breach of the contract that was initially entered into," Jones said. "It is my opinion that this is not a legitimate proposal."

Jones also took issue with the agreement the company reached with then-Deputy Judge-Executive Herbie Deskins last year to stave off a

lawsuit already approved by that administration of the fiscal court, which would have seen much of the loan repaid over a period of a few months, but was never filed.

The company, Jones said, made \$100,000 in payments then stopped.

"Not only did they breach the original agreement, they're also in breach of this supposed modification," he said.

Jones also said that both he and Assistant County Attorney Kevin Keene have examined the agreement executed by Deskins and do not believe it can stand.

"Neither the county judge nor the deputy judge can enter into any contract unless it's approved by the fiscal court," Jones said. "I see that this agreement ... is completely unenforceable and invalid."

The agreement, Jones said, also would have waived the default and hundreds of thousands of dollars in interest the company owes.

The agreement, Jones said, is inappropriate and unenforceable.

"No one person has the authority under the law to waive \$400,000 in debt owed to the county," he said.

How the agreement came about, Jones said, will likely be revealed during the deposition stage of the litigation.

Keene said he attempted to work with the company on the matter, but was taken aback when he was told by the company's local repre-

sentation that, in order to review company information, confidentiality would be involved. That, he said, threw up a "red flag."

"Confidentiality agreements aren't really conducive to keeping the public advised," he said, adding the duty of the court is to represent the people.

Aside from the confidentiality agreements, Keene said he has concerns about the company's business filings allowing corporations to be "hidden" behind other corporations, and also the way the company is registered, which causes confusion over which state's laws to which it would ultimately be held to account.

The court also approved allowing Jones to assist Keene in the litigation. Jones said he wants to assist due to the complexity of the matter.

"This is not going to be an easy task ... because we may end up having to expand this to sue the parent entity," he said. "We may end up filing an amended complaint at some point to sue the principals who were involved in this, the individuals."

"In the event we find out there has been fraudulent conduct toward the people of this county ... it would seem to me that we should pursue the individuals who are responsible so they cannot hide behind limited liability companies," he continued.

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Floyd BOE, Laferty recognizes new national board certified teachers

By ELAINE BELCHER
STAFF WRITER

The Floyd County Board of Education recognized seven teachers who have recently achieved their national board certification. National Board Certification was designed to develop, retain and recognize accomplished teachers and to generate ongoing improvement in schools nationwide.

Superintendent Danny Adkins allowed special guest, State Rep. Ashley Tackett Laferty (D-Floyd), to present certificates recognizing Kristin Hatfield and Kristin Garrett of Prestonsburg Elementary School, Jennifer Wells and Jessica Slone of Duff-Allen Central Elementary School, Kayla McKinney of Floyd County High School, Tasha Haley of Betsy Layne Elementary School and Erica Reid of Allen Elementary.

"Being able to be here tonight to present

these certificates means a lot to me as a representative," said Laferty. "For each teacher who works to gain their national certification, it enables the Floyd County Schools District to be able to serve the kids of this area that much more effectively to help them become successful — and that is something we all want to work toward."

In 2015, Gov. Steve Beshear and U.S. Rep. Hal Rogers, co-chairs of SOAR (Shaping Our Appalachian Region), joined the Eastern Kentucky educators to help kick off the three-phase education and workforce development initiative aimed at building a STEM-based (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) workforce by creating new opportunities for teachers through National Board Certification. The Morehead State Universities/University of Pikeville/SOAR program collaborated with 16 Kentucky Touchstone Energy



Floyd County Chronicle and Times photo by Elaine Belcher
State Representative Ashley Tackett Laferty attended the recent Floyd County Board of Education meeting to present certificates of achievement to teachers Erica Reid, Kristin Hatfield and Kristin Garrett, who had recently achieved their national board certification. Also awarded certificates, but not present, were Jennifer Wells, Kayla McKinney, Jessica Slone and Tasha Haley.

Cooperatives, Appalachian Regional Commission, Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education, Department for

Local Government, the Kentucky Valley Education Cooperative and the Toyota Foundation.
"This is a signifi-

cant accomplishment for these teachers as well as for the district," said Adkins.
"Their hard work and

dedication just goes to show that we have the best school district in the region."

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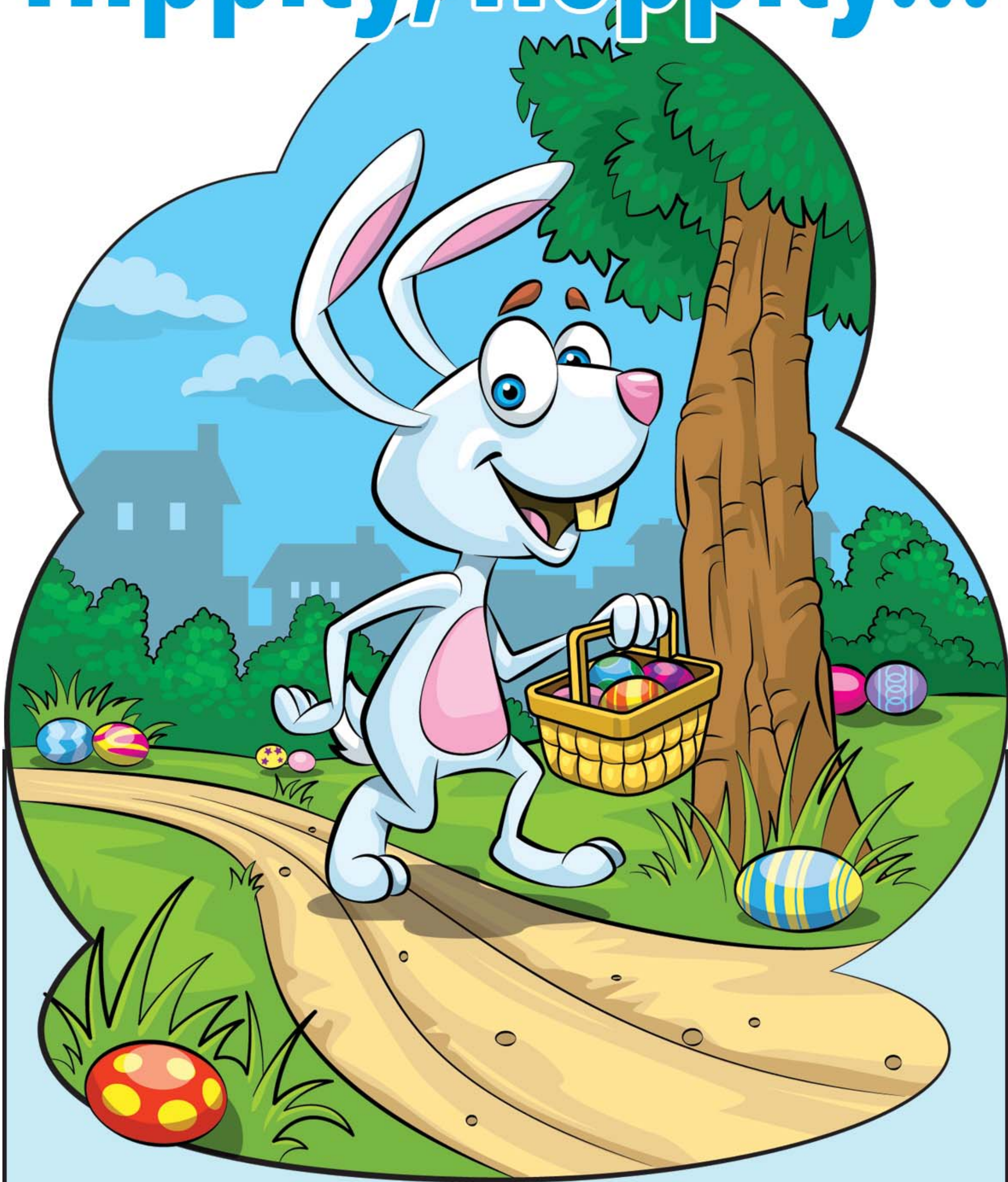
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Prestonsburg sweeps Betsy Layne

Lady Blackcats cruise past Lady Bobcats

By STEVE LEMASTER
SPORTS WRITER

BETSY LAYNE — Prestonsburg dominated in its latest 58th District girls' basketball game, leveling host Betsy Layne 70-33 at Junior Newsome Arena on Friday night.

With the win, Prestonsburg improved to 3-2 in the 58th District.

Betsy Layne dropped to 0-6 in the district with the loss.

Prestonsburg started

strong and led throughout the district matchup. The Lady Blackcats outscored Betsy Layne 24-10 in the opening quarter. Prestonsburg packed a 45-21 lead into halftime and led 59-29 at the conclusion of the third period.

"What a great performance by this group of girls, the ball pressure and effort was great all night," Prestonsburg coach Brandon Kidd said,

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Prestonsburg's Reesce Endicott and Betsy Layne's Alexandria Jarvis try to track down a loose ball in 58th District action last Friday night. Endicott scored 11 points in the Lady Blackcats' 70-33 win.

Floyd Chronicle and Times photo by Steve LeMaster

Prestonsburg's Grant Justice tries to make a pass as Betsy Layne's Brady Robinson defends on the play. Prestonsburg picked up a 48-42 win in 58th District action last Friday night.



Floyd Chronicle and Times photo by Steve LeMaster

Blackcats top Bobcats in 58th District action

By STEVE LEMASTER
SPORTS WRITER

BETSY LAYNE — Persevering on the road, Prestonsburg topped host Betsy Layne 48-42 in a boys' high school basketball game at Junior Newsome Arena on Friday night.

With the win, Prestonsburg improved to 12-11 overall and 3-2 in the 58th District.

Betsy Layne slipped to 11-11 overall and 3-3 in the district with the

loss. Prestonsburg packed a lead out of each quarter, outscoring Betsy Layne 12-7 in the opening period. The Blackcats led 19-15 at halftime and edged Betsy Layne 10-11 in the third quarter.

Josh Hall led a balanced Prestonsburg offensive effort with a team-best 13 points. Joining Hall in double figures in the Prestonsburg scoring column, Graham Burchett added 10 points.

Barely missing double figures in scoring for the Blackcats, Adam Slone added nine points.

Another Prestonsburg player, Grant Justice, netted eight points.

Rounding out the Blackcats' individual scoring, Blake Slone and Clayton Smith added six points and two points, respectively.

Prestonsburg was seven of 11 from the

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Betsy Layne's Nicholas Howell brings the ball down the court against Prestonsburg's Graham Burchett in action Friday night at Betsy Layne.

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Lady Jaguars pick up pair of wins

By STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS WRITER

Floyd Central picked up big wins over district rival Lawrence County and Perry Central over the weekend.

Floyd Central 58, Lawrence County 34

Host Floyd Central defeated Lawrence County 58-34 on Friday night to remain undefeated in the 58th District girls' basketball standings.

With the win, Floyd Central improved to 21-1 overall and 5-0 in the 58th District.

Lawrence County dropped to 16-9 overall and 3-3 in the district with the loss.

Floyd Central shot 44.7 percent (21 of 47) from the field. The Lady Jaguars were six of 15 (40 percent) from 3-point range.

Floyd Central shot 66.7 percent (10 of 15) from the free-throw line.

Grace Martin led Floyd Central with a game-high 12 points. Kaylee Moore and Brook Stumbo accompanied Martin in double figures in scoring for the Lady Jaguars, netting 10 points apiece.

Narrowly missing double figures in scoring and nearly recording a double-double for the Lady Jaguars, Lauren Preston scored eight points and pulled down nine rebounds.

Katie Moore added seven points, Abby Maggard six points, Kennedy Harvell three points and Natalie

Hollie two points as Floyd Central pulled away to win convincingly.

Lawrence County was forced to play from behind throughout the 58th District girls' basketball match-up. The Lady Bulldogs were limited in each quarter.

Lawrence County shot 25.5 percent (12 of 47) from the field. The Lady Bulldogs finished two of 13 from three-point range.

Lawrence County shot 72.7 percent (eight of 11) from the free-throw line.

Alexis Ratliff led Lawrence County with a team-best eight points. Kyleah Ward (six points), Kaison Ward (five points), Kensley Feltner (five points), Kylie Maynard (four points), Sherree Hay (three points) and Brooke Neal (three points) were Lawrence County's additional scorers.

Ward paced Lawrence County inside, pulling down a team-high eight rebounds.

Both Floyd Central and Lawrence County will compete in the 58th District Girls' Basketball Tournament later in the month. Lawrence County is set to host the 58th District Girls' Basketball Tournament in Louisa.

Floyd Central 61, Perry Central 56

Current 15th Region girls' basketball frontrunner Floyd Central remained in the win column over the weekend, upending host Perry Central 61-56 on Saturday.

With the win, Floyd Central improved to 22-1.

Multi-time 14th Region champion Perry Central slipped to 6-13 with the loss.

Floyd Central shot 46.8 percent (22 of 47) from the field. The Lady Jaguars were three of 15 from three-point range.

Floyd Central shot 68.2 percent (15 of 22) from the free-throw line.

Four Floyd Central players reached double figures in the scoring column. Katie Moore led the Lady Jaguars with 14 points.

Kaylee Moore recorded a double-double for Floyd Central, scoring 12 points and pulling down 12 rebounds.

Lauren Preston netted 11 points while Abby Maggard added 10 points in Floyd Central's victory.

Brook Stumbo and Kennedy Harvell rounded out the Floyd Central individual scoring, chipping in eight points and seven points, respectively.

Producing inside, Preston added seven rebounds for the Lady Jaguars.

Floyd Central entered the week with regular-season games remaining versus Knott County Central, Prestonsburg, Whitley County, Sheldon Clark and Magoffin County. The Lady Jaguars were visiting 14th Region title contender Knott County Central on Tuesday.

Results from the Floyd Central-Knott County Central girls' basketball game were unavailable at press time.

Endicott reaches 1,500, Prestonsburg wins

By STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS WRITER

BUCKHORN — The Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats continued to win over the weekend. Reesce Endicott scored her 1,500th career point as Prestonsburg doubled up host Buckhorn 62-31 in the Scott Blank Classic on Saturday.

With the win, Prestonsburg improved to 18-8.

Buckhorn stumbled to with the loss.

"We are 18-8 overall and 15-3 in our last 18 games," Prestons-

burg coach Brandon Kidd confided, following his team's victory. "Reesce (Endicott) surpasses the 1,500 point total for her career. She's such a great kid."

Endicott led Prestonsburg with a game-high 25 points. Following Endicott in scoring and nearly logging a double-double for the Lady Blackcats, Kaitlyn Keathley added 19 points and nine rebounds.

Caroline Ariaz, one of 15th Region's most underrated girls' basketball players, posted 12 points in Prestonsburg's victory.

Prestonsburg shot 44.2 percent (19 of 43) from the field. The Lady Blackcats were eight of 22 (from three-point range).

Prestonsburg shot 66.7 percent (16 of 24) from the free-throw line.

Alison Campbell (three points), Alivia Slone (two points) and Alexis Beatty (one point) rounded out the Lady Blackcats' scoring.

Prestonsburg entered the week with regular-season games remaining versus Floyd Central, Piarist School and Perry Central.



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Prestonsburg's Reesce Endicott passes the ball to teammate Kaitlyn Keathley Friday night against Betsy Layne.

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following his team's convincing district win. "We are playing at a high level right now and that makes us a fun team to watch."

Prestonsburg shot 46.3 percent (25 of 54) from the field. The Lady Blackcats were nine of 27 (33.3 percent) from three-point range.

Prestonsburg shot 61.9 percent (13 of 21) from the free-throw line.

Kaitlyn Keathley poured in a game-high 26 points and pulled down six rebounds to lead the Lady Blackcats to the victory. Keathley connected on five 3-point field goals in Prestonsburg's winning effort.

Alivia Slone added 14 points and Reesce Endicott netted 11 points for

the Lady Blackcats.

Nearly reaching double figures in scoring and leading the Lady Blackcats inside, Caroline Ariaz added nine points and a team-best seven rebounds.

Faith Lazar (six points), Alison Campbell (four points) and Makayla Ousley (two points) rounded out Prestonsburg's individual scoring.



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Betsy Layne's Lauren Watkins is guarded by Prestonsburg's Kaitlyn Keathley last Friday night at Betsy Layne. Keathley scored a game-high 26 points in Prestonsburg's 70-33 win over Betsy Layne.

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Jags knock off Tigers

By STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS WRITER

EASTERN — Floyd Central returned to the win column over the weekend, defeating visiting 15th Region rival Paintsville 59-54 to end a 16-game losing skid.

The previous night, the Jaguars fell to district rival Lawrence County at home 53-50.

With the win, Floyd Central improved to 3-20.

Paintsville dropped to 14-5 with the loss.

The Jaguars shot 47.4 percent (18 of 38) from the field. Floyd Central was five of 13 (38.5 percent) from three-point range.

The Jaguars, under the direction of head coach Shawn Hager, shot 66.7 percent (18 of 27) from the free-throw line.

Senior Brady Conn led Floyd Central with a double-double, scoring 20 points and pulling down 12 rebounds.

Delivering a double-double of his own, Ethan Smith-Mills added 17 points and 11 rebounds for Floyd Central in the emotional victory.

Caleb Hager narrowly missed reaching double figures for the Jaguars, netting nine points.

Hayden Hall (five points), Dalton Boyd (five points), Marcus Thacker (two points) and Brandon Little (one point) provided the remainder of Floyd Central's scoring in the victory.

The Jaguars entered the week with regular-season games remaining versus 58th District rival Prestonsburg, Boyd County, Pikeville, Johnson Central and Belfry. Floyd Central is slated to host Prestonsburg in a 58th District boys' basketball regular-season finale on Friday, Feb. 8. Tip-off for the Floyd Central-Prestonsburg boys' basketball matchup is set for 7:30 p.m.

Lawrence County 53, Floyd Central 50

Floyd Central showed improvement, but fell short in the end as visiting Lawrence

County held on to win 53-50 in a 58th District boys' basketball game on Friday night.

Determined Lawrence County returned to the win column following a loss to 16th Region member Russell earlier in the week.

With the loss, Floyd Central dropped to 0-5 in the 58th District.

Lawrence County improved to 5-1 in the district with the win.

The Bulldogs and Jaguars swapped leads during the 58th District boys' basketball matchup.

Lawrence County shot 43.5 percent (20 of 46) from the field. The Bulldogs were four of 13 (30.8 percent) from three-point range.

Lawrence County shot 56.2 percent (nine of 16) from the free-throw line.

Cody Maynard led Lawrence County with a game-high 22 points. A pair of players accounted for over half of Lawrence County's scoring as Tyler Maynard added 11 points.

Chase Sartin netted eight points for the Bulldogs while Noah Fairchild, Corbin Fairchild and Baden Gillespie chipped in four points apiece.

Floyd Central shot 39.5 percent (17 of 43) from the field. The Jaguars were four of eight from three-point range.

Floyd Central shot 57.1 percent (four of seven) from the free-throw line.

The Jaguars owned an advantage inside, outrebounding Lawrence County 27-16.

Conn led Floyd Central with a double-double, scoring 14 points and pulling down a game-high 10 rebounds.

Smith-Mills accompanied Conn in double figures in scoring for the Jaguars, tossing in 12 points.

Hager added eight points for the Jaguars, connecting on a pair of three-point field goals.

Boyd and Little rounded out the Floyd Central individual scoring, chipping in five points and three points, respectively.



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Prestonsburg's Josh Hall looks to pass the ball as Betsy Layne's Grant Orsborn defends him on the play.

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free-throw line in the victory.

Limited offensively, Betsy Layne shot only 30.4 percent (14 of 46) from the field. The Bobcats were one of 13

from three-point range.

Jordan Frazier led Betsy Layne with a game-high 14 points. Frazier was the only Betsy Layne player to reach double figures in the scoring column.

Chase Mims narrowly missed reaching

double figures for the Bobcats, finishing with nine points.

Brady Robinson (six points), Zack Bentley (six points), Lukas Manns (three points), Nathaniel Mims (two points) and Grant Orsborn (two points) ac-

counted for the rest of Betsy Layne's individual scoring.

Betsy Layne was 13 of 20 from the free-throw line in the setback.

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ow area acres in Pike and Floyd Counties. The proposed operation is approximately 1.0 miles southwest from Island Creek road's junction with Ray Branch County Road and located 0.1 miles west of Island Creek. The proposed facility is located on the U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 121 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, 300 Sower Boulevard, Fort, Kentucky 40601.

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II CIVIL ACTION NO. 17-CI-663 FIRST COMMONWEALTH BANK OF PRESTONSBURG, INC. PLAINTIFF

JEREMY WHEELER and LISA WHEELER; ARNOLD WHEELER and UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF ARNOLD WHEELER; BROCK-McVEY CO. INC.; FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY; and CITY OF PRESTONSBURG 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 \$111,998.00, 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

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sale to the highest and best bidder during a public auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 14th day of February, 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 DESCRIPTION:** Being the same property conveyed to the Defendants (Jeremy Wheeler and Lisa Wheeler) from Garnett Fairchild by deed dated November 9, 2015 and appearing of record in Deed Book 618, Page 51, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk and being more particularly bounded and described as follows: A certain tract or parcel of land located and lying on Arnold Avenue in the City of Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake on Arnold Avenue at the corner of the property of Woodrow Allen; thence with his line N 65 00 E 121 feet to a stake in the westerly right of way line of a 14 foot alley; thence with the right of way line of said alley S 25 00 E 75 feet to a stake at the corner of the property of the Church of Christ; thence with the property line of said Church S 85 00 W 121 feet to a stake in the easterly line of Arnold Avenue with the right of way line of said Avenue N 25 00 W 75 feet to a stake on the corner on the property Woodrow Allen; the place of beginning. 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

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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 judgment 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

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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 1st day of February, 2019. Gregory A. Isaac
Floyd County Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II CIVIL ACTION NO. 15-CI-00108

FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION (Fannie Mae), a corporation organized and existing Under the laws of the United States of America PLAINTIFF
V.
OTIS H. COOLEY, JR. aka OTIS HANSEL COOLEY, JR., et al DEFENDANTS NOTICE

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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 \$29,271.64, 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 14th day of February, 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:** 36 Dickerson Street, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 **MAP NUMBER:** 045-20-01-027.01 **SOURCE OF TITLE:** Deed Book 359, Page 132, of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office. **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** There is a mobile home/manufactured home located on the subject tract which shall be sold together with the real property being 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

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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 6.875% 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

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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 1st day of February, 2019. Gregory A. Isaac
Floyd County Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II CIVIL ACTION NO. 16-CI-00550

U.S. BANK TRUST, N.A., as Trustee For LSF9 Master Participation Trust PLAINTIFF
V.
RONNIE COMBS

APPLICATIONS BEING ACCEPTED for 1,2,3 & 4 Bedroom Apartments

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SHARON COMBS 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 \$123,610.72, 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 14th day of February, 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:** 246 Airport Lane, Estill, KY 41666 **MAP NUMBER:** 029-40-13-019.0 **SOURCE OF TITLE:** Being the same property conveyed to Ronnie Combs and Sharon Combs, husband and wife, by deed dated July 11, 1975, recorded in Deed Book 222, Page 360, Floyd County Clerk's Office. See also property to Ronnie Combs and Sharon Combs, husband and wife, by deed dated May 9, 1978, recorded in Deed Book 234, Page 287, recorded in the Floyd County Clerk's Office. There is excluded that deed from Ronnie & Sharon Combs to Nationstar Mortgage, LLC, dated November 19, 2009, recorded in Deed Book 563, Page 528, 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 3.625% 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. **NOTICE OF SALE**

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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. 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 1st day of February, 2019. **Gregory A. Isaac**
Floyd County Master Commissioner

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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 \$119,878.77, 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 14th day of February, 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:** 1352 Route 1086, Wayland, KY 41666 **MAP NUMBER:** 042-30-01-006.00 **SOURCE OF TITLE:** Being the same property conveyed to Ishmael T. Slone and Robin Slone, husband and wife, from Pauline Turner, a single person, by Deed dated December 10, 2009 and recorded at Deed Book 564, Page 418 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 3.625% 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

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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. 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 1st day of February, 2019. **Gregory A. Isaac**
Floyd County Master Commissioner

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10:00 a.m., on the 14th day of February, 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: **MAP NUMBER:** 108-10-01-005.00 **DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:** Beginning with the Mel Sturgill line on the county road, thence with county road down to the barn, thence running with barn in a line to creek joining the said Herman and John McKinney line property, thence running up with Toler Creek and its meanders to the Mel Sturgills line on creek bank, thence up to county road with Mel Sturgill line to the point of beginning. Also 1 lot being in conveyance to the second part which joins same property described. **SOURCE OF TITLE:** Being the same property conveyed to Hobert Howell and Larthene Howell by deed dated November 27, 1959, recorded in Deed Book 173, Page 87, Floyd County Clerk's Office. For further source of title reference is made to the Will of Larthene Howell recorded in Will Book AA, Page 17, and the Affidavit of Descent of Hobert Howell, recorded in Deed Book 620, Page 53, 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 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

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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. 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 1st day of February, 2019. **Gregory A. Isaac**
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and best bidder during a public auction to be held at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 14th day of February, 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:** 1813 Abbott Creek Rd, Prestonsburg, KY **MAP NUMBER:** 022-10-03-009.00 **SOURCE OF TITLE:** Being part of the same property conveyed to Terry E. Fields, single, from T. Bruce Belcher and Edith M. Belcher, his wife, by Deed dated August 31, 2005, and recorded at Deed Book 516, Page 583 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 pay 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 3.875% 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. 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 1st day of February, 2019. **Gregory A. Isaac**
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TLE: This being the same property conveyed to Justin Dye and Jessica Dye, for their joint lives, with remainder in fee simple to the survivor, dated 6/6/2013 and recorded on 6/12/2013 in Book 598, Page 89, in the Floyd County Recorders 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 4.875% 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. 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 1st day of February, 2019. **Gregory A. Isaac**
Floyd County Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION I CIVIL ACTION NO. 18-CI-477 COMMUNITY TRUST BANK, INC. PLAINTIFF V. JUSTIN DYE and JESSICA DYE 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 \$72,535.88, 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 14th day of February, 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:** 475 Potts Branch, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 **MAP NUMBER:** 022-00-00-004.03 **SOURCE OF TITLE:**

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II CIVIL ACTION NO. 17-CI-00073 ROSA THOMPSON, ET AL PLAINTIFF V. SHANNON HALBERT AND ANGELA BLACKBURN, 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 \$55,300.00, 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

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tion 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 1st day of February, 2019.

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

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 860-5265, Renewal

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Mason Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 474, Salyersville, KY 41465 has applied for a renewal of an existing underground coal mining operation located 0.7 miles southeast of Hollybush in Knott County. The operation disturbs 7.58 acres of surface area and underlies an additional 910.0 acres, for a total of 917.58 acres.

The operation is approximately 0.6 miles southeast from the junction of Hollybush County Road and KY 3393 and located 0.8 miles east of Hollybush Creek. The operation is located on the Kite 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map.

The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Tech Energy, Inc. The operation will underlie land owned by Gay Ellis and Pearl Maggard, Orville and Brenda Collins, Francis Owens, Consolidation Coal, Ben and Nevada Hall, Richard and Alverta Huff, Bobby and Ruth Hall, R. Ellsworth Bair, Troy Hall, R. Campbell and C. Perkins, O.W. Smith, Diamond Waddles, Albroy King, Griggs King, Ralph and Clara Slone, Frank Thornsberry, Earl Thornsberry, Stanley Thornsberry, Otis and Hilda Smith, General Lee Slone, East Kentucky Energy, and Ottis Jr. and Regina Slone.

The renewal application has been filed for public inspection at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, KY 40601.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-0440, Major Revision 5

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Revelation Energy, LLC, PO Box 189, Lackey, Kentucky 41643, has applied for a Major Revision to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 2.2 miles northeast of West Garrett in Floyd County. The major revision will not add any surface disturbance acreage to the permit area. The total area within the revised permit boundary will remain 202.07 acres.

The proposed major revision is approximately approximately 0.1 miles northwest from Route 2029's junction with KY Route 7 and located on an unnamed tributary of Racoon Branch.

The operation is located on the Wayland, Handshoe and David U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps.

The surface area to be affected by the major revision is owned by Kentucky Fuels, LLC, Betty Reed, Delphia M. Hale and Carol S. Wireman, Virgil Shepherd, Heirs: (Sheldon Shepherd, Gorman Shepherd & Lendon Shepherd), Eugene Shepherd, Carl D. Whitaker, Gorman Shepherd, Dallas Sparkman, Marigold Warrix, Clayton Ramey, Craig Hicks, Revelation Energy, LLC, Bobby & Lenore Slone, R i c k e y Handshoe, Homer Ratliff, David Compton, D. Allen, Linda Prater, Gary Francis, Edward & Dora Handshoe.

The major revision is to address the right of entry. The major revision application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, 300 Sower Blvd., Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Liberty Management, LLC, P.O. Box 100, Ary, Kentucky 41712 has applied for Phase I Bond Release on Incremental No. 1 Phase I and II Bond Release on Increment No. 5, Phase II and III on Increment No.'s 3, 4 and 9 and Phase III Bond Release on 2 and 6 of **Permit Number 836-0454**, which was last issued on September 8, 2016. Increment No. 1 covers an area approximate-

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ly 4.04 acres. Increment No. 2 covers an area approximately 4.15 acres, Increment No. 3 covers an area approximately 16.74 acres, Increment No. 4 covers an area approximately 8.02 acres, Increment No. 5 covers an area approximately 21.95 acres, Increment No. 6 covers an area approximately 15.82 acres and Increment No. 9 covers an area approximately 16.92 acres located 2.5 miles northwest of Minnie in Floyd County.

The permit is approximately 1.7 miles southeast of KY 80's junction with KY 680 and located 0.1 mile south of Gosling Branch. The operation is located on the Wayland U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The latitude is 37° 29' 08". The longitude is 82° 47' 37".

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 1 is a Surety Bond in the amount of five thousand eight hundred dollars (\$5,800.00), which sixty percent (60%) of the bond at five thousand eight hundred dollars (\$5,800.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 1 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 2 is a Surety Bond in the amount of one thousand six hundred dollars (\$1,600.00). The remaining bond of one thousand six hundred dollars (\$1,600.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 2 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 3 is a Surety Bond in the amount of fifty-five thousand six hundred dollars (\$55,600.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 3 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 4 is a Surety Bond in the amount of forty-eight thousand dollars (\$48,000.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 4 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 5 is a Surety Bond in the amount of eighty-one thousand nine hundred dollars (\$81,900.00),

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which eighty-five percent (85%) of the bond at eighty-one thousand nine hundred dollars (\$81,900.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 5 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 6 is a Surety Bond in the amount of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00). The remaining bond of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 6 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 9 is a Surety Bond in the amount of twenty-one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$21,800.00). The remaining bond at twenty-one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$21,800.00) is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 9 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, 300 Sower Blvd., 2nd Floor, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by March 15, 2019.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for March 18, 2019 at 9:30 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 121 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, KY 41501. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by March 15, 2019.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Liberty Management, LLC, P.O. Box 100, Ary, Kentucky 41712 has applied for Phase I and II Bond Release on Increment No.'s 33 and Phase I Bond Release on Increment No.'s 1 and 39, Phase I, II and III Bond Release on Increment No. 5, Phase II Bond Release on Increment No.'s 29, Phase II and III Bond Release on Increment No.'s 14 and 37 and Phase III Bond Release on Increment No.'s 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, 19, 22, 23, 24, 26, 28, 31, 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38 of **Permit Number 836-0459** which was last issued on August 2,

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2017. Increment No. 1 covers an area approximately 91.15 acres, Increment No. 2 covers an area approximately 21.69 acres, Increment No. 3 covers an area approximately 16.44 acres, Increment No. 4 covers an area approximately 18.90 acres, Increment No. 5 covers an area approximately 29.92 acres, Increment No. 6 covers an area approximately 11.34 acres, Increment No. 7 covers an area approximately 11.57 acres, Increment No. 8 covers an area approximately 11.03 acres, Increment No. 9 covers an area approximately 10.24 acres, Increment No. 12 covers an area approximately 11.85 acres, Increment No. 13 covers an area approximately 7.92 acres, Increment No. 14 covers an area approximately 19.19 acres, Increment No. 15 covers an area approximately 30.34 acres, Increment No. 16 covers an area approximately 11.10 acres, Increment No.19 covers an area approximately 10.13 acres, Increment No. 22 covers an area approximately 7.53 acres, Increment No. 23 covers an area approximately 1.31 acres, Increment No. 24 covers an area approximately 9.78 acres, Increment No. 26 covers an area approximately 19.02 acres, Increment No. 28 covers an area approximately 3.43 acres, Increment No. 29 covers an area approximately 36.52 acres, Increment No. 31 covers an area approximately 24.66 acres, Increment No. 33 covers an area approximately 16.66 acres, Increment No. 34 covers an area approximately 7.98 acres, Increment No. 35 covers an area approximately 9.18 acres, Increment No. 36 covers an area approximately 10.28 acres, Increment No. 37 covers an area approximately 23.95 acres, Increment No. 38 covers an area approximately 24.67 acres and Increment No. 39 covers an area approximately 39.69 acres and located near Craynor in Floyd County.

The permit is approximately 0.5 miles south of KY 979' junction with Dry Branch Road and is located within Dry Branch of Mud Creek, Mink Branch of Mud Creek, and at the head of Gap Fork of Neds Fork of Frasure Creek. The operation is located on the M c D o w e l l U.S.G.S. 7 _ minute quadrangle map. The latitude is 37° 25' 56". The longitude is 82° 39' 7".

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 1 is a Surety Bond in the amount of two hundred sixty-four thousand one hundred dollars (\$264,100.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 1 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 2 is a Surety Bond in the amount of eleven thousand three hundred d o l l a r s (\$11,300.00). The remaining bond of eleven thousand three hundred d o l l a r s (\$11,300.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 2 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 3 is a Surety Bond in the amount of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00). The remaining bond of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 3 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 4 is a Surety Bond in the amount of nine thousand eight hundred d o l l a r s (\$9,800.00). The remaining bond of nine thousand eight hundred dollars (\$9,800.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 4 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 5 is a Surety Bond in the amount of one hundred four thousand eight hundred dollars (\$104,800.00). The remaining bond of one hundred four thousand eight hundred dollars (\$104,800.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 5 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 6 is a Surety Bond in the amount of five thousand nine hundred dollars (\$5,900.00). The remaining bond of five thousand nine hundred dollars (\$5,900.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No. 1 covers an area approximately 91.15 acres, Increment No. 2 covers an area approximately 21.69 acres, Increment No. 3 covers an area approximately 16.44 acres, Increment No. 4 covers an area approximately 18.90 acres, Increment No. 5 covers an area approximately 29.92 acres, Increment No. 6 covers an area approximately 11.34 acres, Increment No. 7 covers an area approximately 11.57 acres, Increment No. 8 covers an area approximately 11.03 acres, Increment No. 9 covers an area approximately 10.24 acres, Increment No. 12 covers an area approximately 11.85 acres, Increment No. 13 covers an area approximately 7.92 acres, Increment No. 14 covers an area approximately 19.19 acres, Increment No. 15 covers an area approximately 30.34 acres, Increment No. 16 covers an area approximately 11.10 acres, Increment No.19 covers an area approximately 10.13 acres, Increment No. 22 covers an area approximately 7.53 acres, Increment No. 23 covers an area approximately 1.31 acres, Increment No. 24 covers an area approximately 9.78 acres, Increment No. 26 covers an area approximately 19.02 acres, Increment No. 28 covers an area approximately 3.43 acres, Increment No. 29 covers an area approximately 36.52 acres, Increment No. 31 covers an area approximately 24.66 acres, Increment No. 33 covers an area approximately 16.66 acres, Increment No. 34 covers an area approximately 7.98 acres, Increment No. 35 covers an area approximately 9.18 acres, Increment No. 36 covers an area approximately 10.28 acres, Increment No. 37 covers an area approximately 23.95 acres, Increment No. 38 covers an area approximately 24.67 acres and located near Craynor in Floyd County.

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cent (60%) of the bond at two hundred sixty-four thousand one hundred dollars (\$264,100.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 1 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 2 is a Surety Bond in the amount of eleven thousand three hundred d o l l a r s (\$11,300.00). The remaining bond of eleven thousand three hundred d o l l a r s (\$11,300.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 2 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 3 is a Surety Bond in the amount of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00). The remaining bond of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 3 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 4 is a Surety Bond in the amount of nine thousand eight hundred d o l l a r s (\$9,800.00). The remaining bond of nine thousand eight hundred dollars (\$9,800.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 4 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 5 is a Surety Bond in the amount of one hundred four thousand eight hundred dollars (\$104,800.00). The remaining bond of one hundred four thousand eight hundred dollars (\$104,800.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 5 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 6 is a Surety Bond in the amount of five thousand nine hundred dollars (\$5,900.00). The remaining bond of five thousand nine hundred dollars (\$5,900.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 6 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 7 is a Surety Bond in the amount of four thousand two hundred dollars (\$4,200.00). The remaining bond of four thousand two hundred dollars (\$4,200.00), is being requested for release.

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crement No.'s 6 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 7 is a Surety Bond in the amount of four thousand two hundred dollars (\$4,200.00). The remaining bond of four thousand two hundred dollars (\$4,200.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 7 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 8 is a Surety Bond in the amount of four thousand two hundred dollars (\$4,200.00). The remaining bond of four thousand two hundred dollars (\$4,200.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 8 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 9 is a Surety Bond in the amount of four thousand eight hundred d o l l a r s (\$4,800.00). The remaining bond of four thousand eight hundred dollars (\$4,800.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 9 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 12 is a Surety Bond in the amount of two thousand seven hundred dollars (\$2,700.00). The remaining bond of two thousand seven hundred dollars (\$2,700.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 12 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 13 is a Surety Bond in the amount of one thousand six hundred dollars (\$1,600.00). The remaining bond of one thousand six hundred dollars (\$1,600.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 13 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 14 is a Surety Bond in the amount of twenty-seven hundred dollars (\$27,100.00). The remaining bond of twenty-seven hundred dollars (\$27,100.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 14 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 15 is a Surety Bond in the amount of seven thousand six hundred dollars (\$7,600.00), is being requested for release.

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(\$27,100.00). The remaining bond of twenty-seven hundred dollars (\$27,100.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 14 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 15 is a Surety Bond in the amount of fifteen thousand one hundred dollars (\$15,100.00). The remaining bond of fifteen thousand one hundred dollars (\$15,100.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 15 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 16 is a Surety Bond in the amount of five thousand four hundred dollars (\$5,400.00). The remaining bond of five thousand four hundred dollars (\$5,400.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 16 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 28 is a Surety Bond in the amount of one thousand eight hundred d o l l a r s (\$1,800.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 28 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 19 is a Surety Bond in the amount of two thousand two hundred dollars (\$2,200.00). The remaining bond of two thousand two hundred dollars (\$2,200.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 19 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 29 is a Surety Bond in the amount of fifty-four thousand one hundred dollars (\$54,100.00), which eighty-five percent (85%) of the bond at fifty-four thousand one hundred dollars (\$54,100.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 29 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 31 is a Surety Bond in the amount of seventeen thousand eight hundred d o l l a r s (\$17,800.00). The remaining bond of seventeen thousand eight hundred dollars (\$17,800.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 31 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

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2010. The bond now in effect for Increment No. 24 is a Surety Bond in the amount of two thousand two hundred dollars (\$2,200.00). The remaining bond of two thousand two hundred dollars (\$2,200.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 24 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 26 is a Surety Bond in the amount of seven thousand six hundred dollars (\$7,600.00). The remaining bond of seven thousand six hundred dollars (\$7,600.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 26 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 28 is a Surety Bond in the amount of one thousand eight hundred d o l l a r s (\$1,800.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 28 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 29 is a Surety Bond in the amount of fifty-four thousand one hundred dollars (\$54,100.00), which eighty-five percent (85%) of the bond at fifty-four thousand one hundred dollars (\$54,100.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 29 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 31 is a Surety Bond in the amount of seventeen thousand eight hundred d o l l a r s (\$17,800.00). The remaining bond of seventeen thousand eight hundred dollars (\$17,800.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 31 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 33 is a Surety Bond in the amount of fifty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$57,500.00), which eighty-five percent (85%) of the bond at fifty-seven thousand

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five hundred dollars (\$57,500.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 33 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 34 is a Surety Bond in the amount of two thousand seven hundred dollars (\$2,700.00). The remaining bond of two thousand seven hundred dollars (\$2,700.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 34 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 35 is a Surety Bond in the amount of one thousand seven hundred dollars (\$1,700.00). The remaining bond of one thousand seven hundred dollars (\$1,700.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 35 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 36 is a Surety Bond in the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00). The remaining bond of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 36 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 37 is a Surety Bond in the amount of thirty-six thousand three hundred dollars (\$36,300.00). The remaining bond of thirty-six thousand three hundred dollars (\$36,300.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 37 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 38 is a Surety Bond in the amount of fourteen thousand four hundred dollars (\$14,400.00). The remaining bond of fourteen thousand four hundred dollars (\$14,400.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 38 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 39 is a Surety Bond in

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the amount of thirty-nine thousand seven hundred dollars (\$39,700.00), which sixty percent (60%) of the bond at thirty-nine thousand seven hundred dollars (\$39,700.00), is being requested for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No.'s 39 include: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching and planting of trees completed in Fall 2010.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, 300 Sower Blvd., 2nd Floor, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by March 22, 2019.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for March 25, 2019 at 10:00 at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch Road, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by March 22, 2019.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-7012

Renewal No. 2
In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Matt/Co, Inc., 439 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a permit for a surface coal mining and reclamation operation located approximately 0.7 miles east of Big Branch in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 72.28 surface acres within the permit boundary.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.52 miles southeast from KY 302's junction with KY 1428 and located along Big Branch.

The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the haul road only method of surface mining. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Frank and Judith Adams, Tri-Star Development, Inc., and Alma Land Company.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources' Pikeville Regional Office, 121 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501-9331. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Mine Permits, 300 Sower Boulevard,

the amount of thirty-nine thousand seven hundred dollars (\$39,700.00), which sixty percent (60%) of the bond at thirty-nine thousand seven hundred dollars (\$39,700.00), is being requested for release.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-8086, Renewal

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given SNR Rail Ops, LLC., Rt.4, Box 104E, Catlettsburg, KY 41129, has filed an application for a renewal of a surface coal mining operation located 0.25 miles east of Ivel in Floyd County. The operation affects a total permit acreage of 11.95 acres.

The operation is located on the Harold USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37° 35' 22" and longitude 82° 39' 53", at the community of Ivel, KY. The operation is approximately 0.25 miles southeast from US 23's junction with Ivel road and is located 0.25 miles southeast of Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by SNR Rail Ops, LLC. The minerals are owned by Appalachian Land Company, 750 Town Mountain Road, Pikeville, KY 41501. The operation will not involve re-location or closure of either of the public roads.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, KY 40601. **This is the final advertisement of this application;** all comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be received within 30 days of this date.

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