

Central Curry announces finalists

Public can meet both
Allen Barber and Eric
Milburn on March 8

BY ZACK DEMARS
The Pilot

The Central Curry School District is one step closer to getting a new superintendent, and community members have a chance to meet the candidates.

On Tuesday, the district’s board

of directors announced it had narrowed down the multi-state superintendent search to two finalists: Allen Barber and Eric Milburn. Both come from administration roles in rural Oregon school districts.

Barber has worked in the Eagle Point School District, outside of Medford, since 2007, according to the CCSD announcement. He’s been a middle and high school principal, as well as the district’s human resources director, a title he’s held for eight years.

In 2006, Barber was named the

Oregon Symphony Music Educator of the Year, according to the district. He holds a master’s degree in music from Western Kentucky University, as well as administrative credentials from Southern Oregon University.

Eric Milburn has been the superintendent of the Perrydale School District, northwest of Salem, since 2014, according to the CCSD announcement. Before that, he was the superintendent and principal in Huntington, Oregon, and the chief academic and administrative leader for the Annex

School District near Ontario.

Milburn expects to finish his doctoral program from Concordia University-Chicago in the spring, and has received his master’s degree in administration and supervision from the University of Phoenix, according to CCSD.

Both finalists will have a day in the district March 8, followed by a “Meet and Greet” event from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. at the high school. At that time, community members will get to meet the candidates, and return comment cards for

school board consideration — with COVID-19 protocols in place, according to the district.

The search for a new top administrator comes after Superintendent Tim Wilson announced in November his plans to retire at the end of the school year. With the announcement, the school board launched a search with the assistance of the Oregon School Boards Association and a screening committee.

The board has set a goal of selecting the new superintendent before spring break in March.

Remembering Roy

Port plans memorial for longtime commissioner who died Feb. 3

BY ZACK DEMARS
The Pilot

The Port of Brookings Harbor is seeking donations and ideas to memorialize Roy Davis, who died Feb. 3 after more than a decade on the port commission.

Davis most recently served as the commission’s chair, and had been a commissioner since 2007, according to the port.

“His heart was in the port, truly into the port,” said Joe Speir, a commissioner and long-time friend of Davis’.

The two met about 25 years ago when they began fishing and running boats together, Speir said. The two kept working together, building, fiberglassing and repairing boats.

“Then he did woodwork on the boats,” Speir said. “He got pretty good at it — he was actually really good at it.”

The two took on other ventures together, too — namely, they ran a shop, and rode motorcycles.

Davis’ work as a shipwright was where the community most felt his impact, Speir said. Davis was supportive of the commercial fishing industry, repairing vessels up and down the coast.

Speir said if someone called Davis during the busy fishing season to ask for assistance with their boat, “He would literally drop what he was doing and help that guy.” That often meant spending time working on boats in Crescent City and elsewhere, too.

His services were sought after across the coast — Speir said Davis was the only marine surveyor across the region.

Davis was the one who encouraged Speir to get involved with the port commission a few years ago, he said.

“He knew everything about (the port). From the financial part to everything that needed to be done,” Speir said. “It’s going to be a big loss for the Port of Brookings.”

At a meeting this month, commissioners authorized a plan to raise funds for a memorial for Davis and solicit feedback about the kind of memorial the community would like to see.

Commissioners agreed the memorial should recognize not only Davis’ work for the port, but also in support of the community.

Davis was a shipwright and marine surveyor for 24 years, according to information from the port, and supported the Brookings Area Council for the Arts as well as port projects and events.

Possible ideas discussed by commissioners include a bench, monument, plaque or public hoist somewhere on the port property.

According to Port Manager Gary Dehlinger, the location and design of a memorial is still up in the air, as commissioners collect donations and consider options over the next few months.

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Port Commissioner Joe Speir

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Contributed Photo

Roy Davis works on repairing a boat, one of his passions.

Oregon Delivers now open in town

BY KNOX KERANEN
The Pilot

Need a burger, but can’t leave the house? Now you can order one directly to your door with Brookings newest, and only, delivery service: Oregon Delivers.

The idea for Oregon Delivers was born when owners, Tim and Tracy DeShon, were talking to a friend who started a delivery service of her own, and they noticed Brookings did not offer a service like that.

“We have quite a few retired people there and the weather is not always nice, people don’t want to go out and do stuff. So, it sounded like a good thing, and we can be helping a lot of people out too,” said Tim DeShon.

Currently, there are nine restaurants available on the Oregon Delivers website for users to choose from. However, more restaurants are continually being added to the site and they plan to expand to grocery deliveries by summer.

DeShon said the restaurant owners he has talked to have been receptive to using their services.

“It’s going to be helping them, too, especially with COVID, never knowing when they are going to shut stuff down again. It would be a way to try to help restaurants stay open when people can’t go eat,” Tim said.

The DeShons have lived in Brookings with their three children for four years now. Tim currently works at the Crescent City Safeway and Tracy worked a job in insurance, which she gave up to focus on the new business full-time.

As of now, Tim and Tracy are delivering the food themselves, but they plan to hire drivers once business picks up. Additionally, they have submitted an Oregon Delivers app for approval and hope it will be available on both the Apple Store and Google Play by summer. Oregon Delivers will deliver to anyone located in the Brookings-Harbor area. Three miles are included in the base charge and an additional 25 cents per mile is tacked on.

Oregon Delivers aims to be a long-term, reliable service for the community of Brookings. They are in the midst of setting up a “round-up” program, which will give customers the option to round-up their purchase to the next dollar with the proceeds going to the South Coast Humane Society.

“I look forward to serving the community. We love Brookings, we’re not going anywhere,” said DeShon.

To place an order, visit <https://www.oregondelivers.com/>

If you would like to contact the business, call: 541-234-5214 or email: oregondelivers1@gmail.com.

Brookings police officer focuses on homeless

BY ZACK DEMARS
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A new position in the Brookings Police Department aims to address the city’s homeless population and help connect individuals in need with social services.

“What I do on a day-to-day basis is go and introduce myself to every homeless person in town,” said Ray Branion, who became the department’s community resource officer

in the fall. “I’m trying to help them get off the street.”

Branion’s work is different than that of a patrol officer: Instead of focusing on law enforcement among the general population of the city’s residents, he’s focused on connecting those experiencing homelessness with resources to help them move along, as well as providing other kinds of community outreach for the department.

His uniform is different, too.

Branion still carries a firearm and other items of police gear, but he’s dressed more casually than the usual dress-shirt-and-badge combo.

“I’m kind of dressed down, in a way,” Branion said. “When they see that, they see I’m more approachable.”

That approachability is key to Branion’s job, he said.

When he meets a person experiencing homelessness in town,

Branion tells them about his job, and asks them a few questions. If they’re willing to talk (and all but one person have been), Branion keeps notes about the individual, like where they’re from, why they live where they do and if they have any loved ones officer should contact in case of an emergency.

“It helps me get to know them,” Branion said.

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Curry bumps back up to moderate risk rating

BY ZACK DEMARS
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After a month in the state’s lowest tier of COVID-19 restrictions, Curry County will again move to the moderate-risk category starting Friday. The change, announced by Oregon Governor Kate Brown on Tuesday, comes as the county continues to see a slow increase in the number of virus cases reported. According to the Oregon Health Authority, Curry County reported 43 new virus cases between Feb. 7 and 20, with a test positivity of 7.5%. Those rates are the highest they’ve been since the county dropped to the low-risk tier. The new restrictions, which take effect Feb. 23, place a few limits on some businesses and other activities, according to the Oregon Health Authority:

- Social gatherings are limited to 10 people outdoors, or eight people from two households indoors.
- Indoor dining capacity is limited to 50% maximum occupancy or 100 people, whichever is smaller, and indoor seating is limited to six per table.
- Outdoor dining is limited to 150 people, with a maximum of eight people per table.
- Bars and restaurants must close at 11 p.m.
- Indoor recreation and fitness establishments are limited to 50% capacity or 100 people, whichever is less.
- Indoor entertainment establishments are limited to 50% capacity or 100 people, and must close at 11 p.m.
- Indoor faith institutions, funeral homes, mortuaries and cemeteries are limited to 50% occupancy or

150 people, and those outdoors are limited to 250 people maximum. Limits on faith institutions are recommended only. • Offices should recommend remote work, if able. • Outdoor recreation and fitness establishments, as well as outdoor entertainment establishments, are limited to 150 people maximum. The state will reconsider virus data March 2 and announce new risk levels March 9, which will take effect the following Friday. To return to the low-risk tier, the county will need to see fewer than 30 COVID-19 cases in the two-week period ending March 6, as well as a test positivity rate below 5%, according to the state framework. A case count over 45 for the period, or a test positivity rate over 8%, will push the county into the high-risk category.

Curry County exceeded 400 total virus cases this week, with 36 new cases between Feb. 16 and 22 bringing its total to 409. Six in the county have died with the virus since the pandemic began. According to Curry County Public Health Administrator Sherrié Ward, four of those cases came from south county, five came from north county and 27 came from central county. Most are related to previously reported cases, Ward said. CCPH is conducting contact tracing to identify possible exposures, Ward said. “Please remember, it is important that we all follow the OHA and CDC guidelines and governor’s directives about social distancing, wearing facial coverings in public buildings and protecting yourselves by staying home to slow the spread

and save lives,” Ward wrote in a press release Monday. Those who think they have been exposed to the virus and develop fever, cough or trouble breathing should stay away from other people, so as not to get them sick, and call their health care provider or clinic right away, according to Ward and OHA guidance. Around 1,000 people in Curry County are fully vaccinated from the virus, and about 1,500 more have received their first of two doses, according to state data. Curry Health Network is leading the county’s vaccination effort, and has opened eligibility to those 70 years and older. Those over 65 are slated to be eligible March 1. Individuals interested in receiving a COVID-19 vaccination can sign up for a CHN waitlist at www.curryhealthnetwork.com/education.

State plans for more equitable vaccine distribution

Those 70-and-older were eligible Monday, those 65 or older March 1

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Oregon is faring better than other states during the COVID-19 pandemic — but not by every measure. During a press conference Feb. 19, state health officials discussed plans to address racial and ethnic disparities in who’s getting the COVID-19 vaccine, as well as other news about the status of the pandemic across the state. “At a minimum, we need to make sure our vaccinations proportionately reflect the faces of our communities,” said Oregon Health Authority Director Patrick Allen. “But we want to do more. Our COVID-19 efforts should be a model for how

we’re eliminating health disparities in Oregon.” Allen pointed to a few statistics which show the inequities in Oregon’s vaccine distribution. He said the state’s Latino population has the most pronounced disparities: While Latinos make up 13% of the population and 26% of the state’s COVID-19 cases, Allen said it only accounts for about 5% of the vaccines administered to date. On the other hand, white people make up 75% of the population and about half of the state’s virus cases, but 74% of the vaccines distributed, Allen said. Allen went on to say that the effects of the pandemic have hit communities of color the hardest, particularly because those communities tend to see higher rates of underlying conditions due to uneven access to care and a history of unfair treatment. “I want to be perfectly clear, health inequities are the product of systemic

racism, toxic stress, the targeted marketing of harmful products like tobacco and sugary beverages, and other factors. This is not about personal choice,” Allen said. “This is about the weight of larger social inequities that cut short lives and opportunity more often for people in communities of color.” In response, Allen said the state would promote a more equitable distribution of COVID-19 doses across the state by prioritizing pharmacies and federally qualified health centers which serve communities disproportionately impacted by the virus. OHA officials also expect those rates to become more equitable as vaccine eligibility expands: Most of the groups already eligible for vaccines skew whiter than the rest of the population yet to be eligible, Allen said. “Just by simple virtue of who’s eligible, we’ll begin to be able to start addressing that,” Allen said.

shared a number of positive data points which suggest Oregon is trending in a better direction in the pandemic than many other states across the country. Governor Kate Brown pointed to the number of schools which have reopened in Oregon as a positive. Over 130,000 students are back in classrooms, more than double the number than eight weeks earlier when Brown directed officials to prioritize school reopenings, the governor said. “Our kids will benefit greatly from these efforts,” Brown said. “It’s my expectation that more schools will bring students back for in-person learning in the coming weeks.” Those classroom returns have largely been driven by significant decreases in the state’s rate of new virus cases, hospitalizations and deaths in the past several weeks. According to State Epidemiologist Dr. Dean Sidelinger, the seven-day rolling average of daily cases is down by two-thirds since

the beginning of the year, and virus hospitalizations have dropped by more than half in the same time. The state’s test positivity rate is down to its lowest point since the state changed how it calculates the figure in mid-November, too, Sidelinger said. “The downward data trends in cases, hospitalizations and percent positivity reflect the shared sacrifice of Oregonians, and the collaborative efforts of Oregonians to protect their families and their communities by wearing masks, limiting indoor gatherings and keeping physical distance,” Sidelinger said. One number is steadily increasing, through: The state’s expected allocation of COVID-19 vaccine doses. Despite delays in doses of the Moderna vaccine due to winter storms across the country, OHA officials said the state remains on track with its vaccination timetables. That means people over 70 were eligible for the vaccine starting Feb. 22, and

those over 65 will be eligible March 1, according to Allen. “I want to ask people who are newly eligible the same thing I’ve asked everyone who’s come before them: Please be patient,” Allen said. “Vaccines remain limited. We’re getting more doses, but we still don’t have enough to vaccinate everyone on demand.” Allen said the state expects to receive about 107,000 total doses per week starting next week, up from around 83,000 the week before (not accounting for weather-delayed shipments). As always, the state officials said there’s still risk of the virus spreading faster across the state with new variants or reduced precautionary measures. Individuals should continue wearing masks, social distancing and staying home when sick, and anyone who escaped power outages or winter storms by sheltering in someone else’s home should be vigilant for virus symptoms and get tested if they appear, Brown said.

Doses up, cases down
State officials on Friday

Officer

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From there, Branion said he works with a handful of different organizations to connect homeless individuals with the help they need. That might be through the VA, the Curry Homeless Coalition, local food banks or government agencies. The idea of a community resource officer isn’t a new one — the Coos Bay Police Department has had one since May, and other cities across the county have adopted similar models in recent years. Branion said he’s taken a ride-along with Coos Bay’s community resource officer and uses him as a resource. Branion moved to Brookings in 2008 after graduating high school in central California, and has been working in the public safety field ever since. He went to school to become a firefighter — but changed directions slightly when he got his license to become an emergency medical technician. He worked for



Brookings Police Officer Ray Branion

Cal-Ore Life Flight before being hired by the Brookings Police Department in 2019, he said. Last year, the Brookings City Council approved the creation of Branion’s position — the first of its kind in the city, according to Police Chief Kelby McCrae. For Branion, the idea of taking on the community resource officer role hadn’t crossed his mind until the job opened. As a patrol officer, he’d often been asked to respond to medically related calls because of his EMT experience, so he liked the

idea of jumping into another service-oriented position. “I had no idea until it popped up,” Branion said. “I enjoy helping people. As a police officer, it’s not just about writing tickets and arresting people.” He still does some of that — he’s still a police officer, and does enforce the law when he sees it being violated — but now more of his job focuses on building rapport with the city’s homeless population. In the first few months in his new job, Branion said he’s been in contact with 50 differ-

ent homeless individuals. He points to a few of those people as successes: one person who he helped find their way back to Tennessee, and another who returned to Arizona. He distributes some bus passes to people he meets, and is currently helping to find housing for someone who was recently laid off in Crescent City, Branion said. Just a few months into the job, Branion is still figuring out exactly what his role is in responding to the city’s homeless population, he said. He hopes to visit Medford’s Livability Team, a group of city staff members who are specifically designated to respond to homeless issues. Branion said many of the people he meets are travelers, passing through or living temporarily from other parts of the country. Others have been pushed into homelessness in other ways, and a handful tell him they’ve chosen to live the way they do. “There’s a few that were affected by COVID. Not a lot, but some,” Branion said. “I’ve encountered a few individuals that were homeless due to (this summer’s wildfires) as well.” Most of the people Branion works with, though, are just “down on their luck” one way or another, he said. “Some people will perceive transients to be more corrupted individuals. From what I’m seeing, they’re not all corrupted individuals,” Branion said.

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The ninth hole at Bandon Preserve is one of several scenic holes with ocean views on the 13-hole par-3 course at Bandon Dunes Golf Resort.

Resort, SWOCC partner in scholarship event

THE PILOT

Southwestern Oregon Community College and Bandon Dunes Golf Resort are partnering in the Opportunity Links! Scholarship fundraiser.

The golf tournament fundraiser is Thursday, April 8, with a shotgun start at 9 a.m. Check-in is at 8:15 a.m. at the Bandon Trails golf shop.

The first-ever event is a scramble golf tournament on the 13-hole Bandon Preserve golf course. The event is for teams of four, with each team guided by a member of the SWOCC golf team.

Golfers will compete for prizes and a scholarship named after their team.

Oregon Coast Culinary Institute student chefs will provide treats and refreshments throughout the course, and the golfers can enjoy a catered lunch after the tournament, either outdoors at the resort’s practice center or off-resort.

Golfers also can stay and enjoy the 50-acre practice center’s amenities, including practice range, putting green and nine-hole, par-3 Shorty’s practice course.

Four-person scramble events are fun, especially for people without a lot of experience, since all four players hit a shot and the team picks the best of the four, continuing the process until each hole is completed.

Bandon Preserve is a walking-only course designed by Bill Coore and Ben Crenshaw filled with spectacular views of the Pacific Ocean in the distance.

The cost of the tournament is \$200 per person or \$750 for a team and 100 percent of the funds go to support scholarships at SWOCC’s Coos and Curry campuses.

Each team will be asked to follow COVID-19 safety protocols and remain socially distant from other teams.

For details or to participate in the tournament, visit <https://bit.ly/3sh-fUrl> or contact the Southwestern Foundation by phone at 541-888-7209 or 541-888-7211 or by email at foundation@socc.edu.

Coquille Tribal Community Fund offers COVID-related grants

The Coquille Tribal Community Fund is pleased to announce that it will begin accepting applications next week for pandemic-related community grants.

The application period will extend from March 1 through March 31. Grants are for organizations and agencies in Coos, Curry, Douglas, Jackson and Lane counties.

Please note that the process and goals of this special grant cycle differ from the tribal fund’s usual format. Changes include:

- Grants will be awarded for projects and programs specifically related to the COVID-19 pandemic. Each applicant must detail how the organization has been affected by the pandemic and how the proposed grant relates to COVID-19.
- Letters of inquiry, the usual first step in the tribe’s annual grant cycle, will not be part of this special cycle. Instead, an application form will be available on the community fund website starting March 1.
- Organizations planning to apply should register on the fund website. If your group registered previously, please make sure all information is up-to-date.
- Award decisions will be made in mid-April.
- For information, visit the tribal fund website at www.coquilletribalfund.org, or contact Community Fund Administrator Jackie Chambers at jackiechambers@coquilletribe.org or (541) 756-0904, ext. 1201.

The tribe plans to launch its next regular annual grant cycle on Sept. 1, 2021, as usual.

Local Art Scene

Brian Scott Gallery
Brian Scott Gallery, located at 515 Chetco Ave. in Brookings, features Artist of the Month Pete Chasar, who creates acrylic landscapes and abstract paintings represent nature, but are reduced to simplified arrangements of color and elemental shapes. The gallery also shows Chasar’s sculptural pieces of geometric shapes and forms. The gallery’s winter hours are

Wednesday - Saturday, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Call 541-412-8687 or 541-469-1241 for information or to schedule a private showing.

Fog and Fine Art Gallery
Located in Wright’s Custom Framing and Art supply, 810 Chetco Ave. Brookings, the gallery features 36 local artists in a variety of mediums. February’s Featured Artist is David Hernandez with his heart-warming pet portraits. The Main Gallery features the works of painter Jonathan Gaetke, among others. The gallery is open from 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday - Friday, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. on Saturday. For information call 541-469-7900 or visit on Facebook @WrightsCustomFraming.

Manley Art Center and Gallery
Manley Art Center and Gallery is located at 433 Oak St. in Brookings. February’s Artist of the Month is the “modern” quilting group Mod Squad, with a selection of their projects from 2019 - 2020. The gallery is open 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Thursday through Saturday, with COVID-19 related restrictions and protocols in place. Visit their new website at manleyartcenter.com to learn more about the gallery or call 541-469-1807.

For community arts calendar listings, please visit www.dnaca.net. For inclusion in Arts Scene listings, send items to the Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness (DNACA) at office@dnaca.net by Tuesday of each week.

Davis

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For Dehlinger, the time Davis spent in the community is worth remembering.

“I think of him as an individual,” Dehlinger said. “He just helped everybody that came to him.”

Donations are being accepted through a GoFundMe, available online at gofund.me/6de3f107, or at the port office. Ideas about what form the memorial should take are being accepted on the port’s website at www.portofbrookingsharbor.com.

Davis left a vacancy on the port commission, which commissioners decided should be filled through the May 18 Special District Election. Commissioners chose Richard Heap to take over as the board’s chair, according to Dehlinger.

Spir said he’ll remember Davis’ chipper attitude and willingness to help — and that the port will miss his work for a long time.

“He loved the fishing world and the Port of Brookings,” Spir said. “He really did.”

RCC to distribute emergency assistance to students

THE PILOT

Rogue Community College will issue \$425,000 in emergency assistance to students this week to promote student resilience during an extended period of remote learning, and to the students who are persisting in their education to complete their degree or credential.

The emergency assistance is being funded through the Governor’s Education Emergency Relief fund and the CARES Act Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund.

The emergency assistance will be disbursed during the week of Feb. 22 to approximately 3,370 winter term students.

These funds will not be applied to current or future balances; the funds are being distributed directly to students.

Students accepting these funds must confirm they will be used for food, housing, course materials, health care, child care, technology-related expenses, transportation and/or other expenses incurred related to the disruption of campus operations due to COVID-19 pandemic.

During spring term, RCC will issue an additional \$1.26 million of emergency assistance to enrolled students. This emergency assistance is funded through the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act.

SWOCC Honor Roll

Southwestern Oregon Community College fall term honor roll, Curry and Del Norte County residents:

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE (4.0): Melanie Alvarado-Lopez, Crescent City, Calif.; Gracie Brozdounoff, Brookings; Cherish Despain, Brookings; Alexander Edwards, Brookings; Brooke Firestone, Brookings; Danny Hawthorne, Gold Beach; Ezra Johnson, Port Orford; Kristin Kirchesler, Port Orford; Angel Lampke, Gold Beach; Aristotle McCutcheon, Port Orford; Casey Rogers, Brookings; Hope Rush, Port Orford; Karen Schaefer, Port Orford; Sadie Spargur, Brookings; Brandon Usry, Brookings.

HONOR ROLL (3.5-3.99): Christine Brown, Gold Beach; Ethan Carpenter, Gold Beach; Brycen Common, Gold Beach; Rebecca Hall, Brookings; Cara Haman, Gold Beach; Ayembria Lopez, Brookings; Jennifer Risenhoover, Brookings; Jason Vanginderen, Brookings; Amy Vick, Brookings.

DEAN’S LIST (3.0-3.49): Alicia Cavanaugh, Gold Beach; Breanna Danforth, Brookings; Pristine Kuljis, Gold Beach; Brandon Loveless-Smalley, Brookings; Christy Reynolds, Brookings; Daisy Rogers, Brookings; Jamie Tomlinson, Brookings; Veronica Vannorsdel, Brookings.

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Opinion & Letters



Guest Opinion

The West badly needs a restoration economy

BY JONATHAN THOMPSON

Farmington, a city of 45,000 in the northwestern corner of New Mexico, has run on a fossil fuel economy for a century. It is one of the only places on the planet where a 26-kiloton nuclear device was detonated underground to free up natural gas from the rock.

The city’s baseball team was called the Frackers, and a home run hit out of their practice park was likely to land next to a pack of gas wells. The community’s economy and identity are so tied up with fossil fuels that the place should probably try a new name like Car-bonton, Methanedale or Drillsville.

Over the last decade, however, the oil and gas rollercoaster here has shuddered nearly to a halt, and one of two giant coal-fired power plants is about to shut down. The carbon corporations that have been exploiting the local labor and landscape for decades are fleeing, taking thousands of jobs with them. Left behind are gaping coal-mine wounds, rotting infrastructure and well-pad scars oozing methane.

The pattern of abandonment is mirrored in communities from Wyoming to Utah to Western Colorado to the Navajo Nation. Community leaders scramble to find solutions. Some cling to what they know, throwing their weight behind schemes to keep coal viable, such as carbon capture, while others bank on outdoor recreation, tourism and cottage industries.

Yet one solution to the woes rarely comes up in these conversations: Restoration as economic development.

Why not put unemployed miners and drillers back to work reclaiming closed coal mines and plugging up idled or low-producing oil and gas wells?

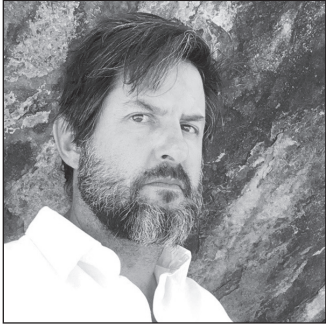
The EPA estimates that there are some 2 million unplugged abandoned wells nationwide, many of them leaking methane, the greenhouse gas with 86 times the warming potential of carbon dioxide, along with health-harming volatile organic compounds and even deadly hydrogen sulfide.

Hundreds of thousands of additional wells are still active, yet have been idled or are marginal producers, and they will also need plugging and reclaiming.

Oilfield service companies and their employees have the skills and equipment needed and could go back to work immediately. A 2020 report from the Columbia Center on Global Energy Policy found that a nationwide well-plugging program could employ more than 100,000 high-wage workers.

Massive coal mines are also

shutting down and will need to be reclaimed. Northern Arizona’s Kayenta Mine, owned by coal-giant Peabody, shut down in late 2019, along with the Navajo Generating Station, resulting in the loss of nearly 300 jobs. The Western



Organization of Resource Councils estimated that proper reclamation of the mine could keep most of those miners employed for an additional two to three years. Peabody, however, still has not begun to meet its

reclamation obligations. This is a failure not only on Peabody’s part but also of the federal mining regulators who should be holding the company’s feet to the fire. Who will pay for all of this? Mining and drilling companies are required to put up financial bonds in order to get development permits, and they’re forfeited if the companies fail to properly reclaim the well or mine. Unfortunately, these bonds are almost always inadequate.

A Government Accountability Office report found that the Bureau of Land Management held about \$2,000 in bonds, on average, for each well on federal land. Yet the cost to plug and reclaim each well ranges from \$20,000 to \$145,000. An example: In New Mexico, a company can put up as little as \$2,500 per well that costs at least \$35,000 to plug.

Colorado Democratic Sen. Michael Bennet tried to remedy this last year by crafting a bill that would increase bonds and create a fund for plugging abandoned wells. Republicans kept the bill from progressing, but with an administration that touted reclamation of mines and abandoned wells in a climate-related executive order, and a new Senate in place, the bill stands a good chance of going forward.

Economic development focusing on restoring the land once miners leave is a natural fit for beleaguered towns suffering the latest bust. Plus, by patching up the torn landscape these communities will help clear the path for other types of economic development, such as tourism or recreation.

“Restoration work is not fixing beautiful machinery ... It is accepting an abandoned responsibility,” wrote Barry Lopez, the renowned nature writer who died recently. “It is a humble and often joyful mending of biological ties, with a hope clearly recognized that working from this foundation we might, too, begin to mend human society.”

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Fondly remembering Rush Limbaugh

Rush Limbaugh — in my heart he was my adopted younger brother.

My first vote for a president was J.F.K. I liked John and his brother Bobby very much and then along came Ted, a younger opposite of his brothers. After Ted borked Robert Bork and killed a young girl driving off a bridge going home and not reporting it until the next day, I saw the hidden truth that the press would not report (maybe because his brothers were assassinated). I moved away from the Democrats and was getting extremely upset with the media moving left. Along came Rush. His words picked me up, and I never stopped listening until his death. The one thing he lacked was being conservative on what caused his death, smoking cigars.

I am now concerned about Oregon. I moved from Chico, California 20 years ago and have accepted mail-in voting until this last election. Tampering with the votes was a proven fact and Trump was beaten, but we are not sure Biden could win without some help from the polls. We have no proof yet that anything big enough turned the election around. It is time however that we Oregonians move in the right direction, whether you are a Democrat or Republican, discover a method to count votes without any cheating by anyone. There are many good Democrats who want a true count like me. Let’s get it done.

Clay Dalrymple
Gold Beach

Kudos to the airport authority for keeping flights to Oakland

Government takes a lot of justifiable heat for being unresponsive to its constituents. So, when local politicians disprove that thesis, it’s worth appreciating.

Applause, therefore, to the Border Coast Regional Airport Authority commissioners for their unanimous vote against Contour Airlines’ bid to change its Crescent City flight destination from Oakland International to Sacramento.

Contour had applied for the change to take advantage of a new partnership with American Airlines that will allow their passengers to “book through” on American to other U.S. destinations. One problem: American flies through Sacramento, not Oakland.

The change would have made it slightly more convenient for travelers to reach LA, Phoenix or Chicago, but it would have severed or seriously damaged our precious air link to the Bay Area — flying there via Sacramento would have tripled the time required, and at least doubled the airfare.

So, at the BCRAA’s virtual board meeting Feb. 18, the community made itself heard — local business investor Adam Goldstein popped in with a detailed presentation on the fare, business and convenience implications of the change, and about 15 area residents provided letters/emails/comments. The sentiment was overwhelmingly in favor of Oakland.

And the commissioners responded. Even those who had originally supported the Sacramento proposal changed their minds in light of what they were hearing.

So, cheers to Gerry Hemmingsen, Gary Millman, John Herzog, Chris Howard, Dale Miller, Alex Campbell and Jeri Thompson for listening to your constituents and preserving the Bay Area air connection we were so happy to have Contour restore in 2018. When I take my regular seat next month for the excep-

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tionally comfortable flight from CEC to OAK, I’ll be celebrating your commitment to public service.

Mike Gaynes
Brookings

Democratic office vandalism was attack on freedom

On February 12, the Curry County Democrats office in Brookings experienced a violent form of vandalism. One of the front windows was destroyed. This act of vandalism occurred in broad daylight, with no responsibility taken. Many questions are being asked. Was this a form of violent protest targeting Democrats in Curry County? Was this a racist reaction to a sign that celebrated Black History Month that was prominently displayed in that window? Was this simply a “fun” thing to do on a Saturday afternoon in Brookings?

Perhaps the important question to ask is how this could happen in a community that we all call home. Perhaps we need to look deeper into our own values as we weather these stormy times. Are we a community that believes that destroying property is an acceptable form of protest? Do we believe any action is justified if we disagree with another’s opinion? Is that the type of community any of us want to live in, raise our families in and make our home?

I believe that the Brookings community and Curry County itself are better than that. I believe that these actions will be called out for what they are — a direct assault on the rights and freedoms that every Oregonian holds dear, no matter their personal beliefs. I believe this community that we all love can and will move forward, standing strong in mutual respect.

It is hard work to create a community that flourishes for all its citizens but the support that has already flowed in from up and down Curry County has shown that we are up to the task. I look forward to the future of the place I love to call home.

Joy May
Port Orford

Gun nuts are those wanting to infringe on our rights

This letter is in response to Brian Sexton’s op ed concerning gun nuts.

The right of the people to keep and bear arms is a God-given constitutional right and anyone or even a government that wants to infringe those rights are the nuts.

For Brian’s information black guns matter.

Joe Wilson
Gold Beach

Violent Thugs: right here in Brookings.

A couple of years ago a fellow I know (let’s just say his name is Tom) made the statement that he did not understand why Democrats were so violent. But Democrats did not storm the U.S. Capital. Democrats did not shatter the windows of the Democratic Office in Brookings this past weekend, for the sixth time since 2012. Tom is wrong. The violent ones come from the far right fringe: white supremacists, the people who believe that our forest fires are being set by Jewish space lasers and that the shootings at Parkland,

Sandy Hook and Las Vegas were faked.

Sure, the mainstream news has its biases, but it’s still the best lens to reality that we have. When the big emergency hits, you will not find safety on fakebook. Tom needs to get his news from the tried and true mass media. That’s why the First Amendment guarantees the right of a free press. Those who think it is the enemy of the people are the ones who should be suspect. We now live with domestic terrorism right here in Brookings. Isn’t that special, Tom?

Roger Sherman
Brookings

We are headed in the wrong direction with new leaders

Walls don’t work. That’s the motto of the progressives. If they don’t work, why are there walls/fences/barbed wire/gates/guard stations to check identities around our nation’s capitol?

Kids can’t go to school but the borders are open to people who aren’t tested, vetted or screened. You can eat in a dining room but can’t attend school due to the teacher’s union.

Guess it really doesn’t matter to me because John Kerry says the world will end in nine years any way!

We aren’t going to “Hell in a hand basket. We are going to Hell in a government issued solar powered car.”

Allan Stewart
Brookings

The big issue with annexation is avoiding sprawl

Regarding any annexation proposal, Oregon land use law has criteria for the approval of land use proposals or what are called “planning actions.” In the case of annexations, applicants must prove that at current “building out rates” or growth rates there is not a 20-year supply of a given type of land that is being requested to be annexed to a city. If there is a 20-year supply or more, the annexation request must be denied.

And if no land inventory exists for the type of land being requested for annexation, the applicant cannot prove there is a deficiency in a given zoning type. Thus, the request must be denied. In any land inventory, not just purely vacant parcels should be counted, but also under-developed parcels should be included.

For example, if there is several acre parcel with one building on it where the underlying zoning allows for further partitioning or development, the acreage that can be further developed should be included in the land inventory.

The purpose of annexation requirements is to retard sprawl. Sprawl is the continual use of more land than necessary to achieve development goals. As most know, sprawl results in the loss of wildlife habitat, open space, farm land and forest land,. Sprawl results in exponential traffic increases and great increases in municipal costs as city services are spread out. Any city is best off accommodating growth with infill rather than adding people on city fringes. Sprawl is too environmentally damaging and expensive.

Brent Thompson
Gold Beach

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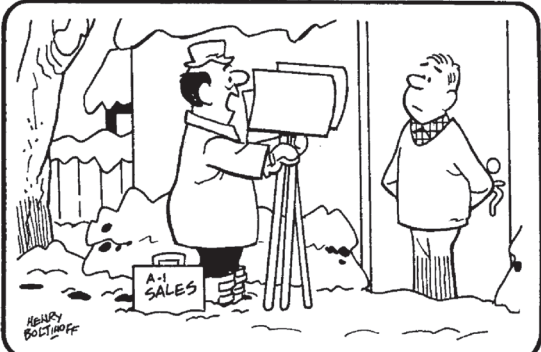
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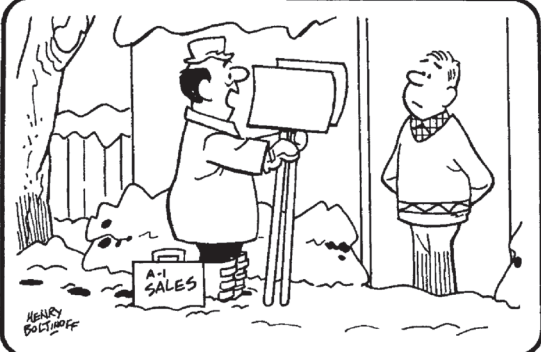
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINGOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Sweater has decoration. 2. Lookno is missing. 3. Boots are taller. 4. One shovel is gone. 5. Fence is higher. 6. House is missing.

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Significant slide activity continues to hamper Last Chance Grade

BY ZACK DEMARS
The Pilot

U.S. Highway 101 was open to one-lane travel Tuesday night after another week of landslide activity blocked the road at Last Chance Grade south of Crescent City.

Crews have been working on the road since last week, when precipitation caused the hillside above the highway to crumble down, blocking both lanes for extended periods of time.

As of Tuesday evening, crews warned motorists of possible 30-minute delays overnight, as well as three-hour delays scheduled between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. to allow for removal and prevention work.

“We will continue constant monitoring of the slide and will provide updates here as we receive them,” Caltrans District 1 officials wrote in Facebook updates Tuesday. “Thank you very much to our crews, our slide catchment and those motorists maintaining patience and attentiveness for keeping the slide area safe.”

According to CalTrans, the only recommended alternate route between Crescent City and Eureka takes drivers on U.S. Highway 199 to Grants Pass, then south on Interstate 5 to Redding and east on State Route 299 to Eureka.

California Highway Patrol reminded drivers this week that alternate routes, like the G-O Road and other Forest Roads were also impassible due to winter weather.

During the closures, those across the county felt the impacts.

The Del Norte County Sheriff’s Office said it has received assistance from the Humboldt County Sherriff’s Office, Cal-Ore Life Flight, CHP and the Yurok Tribal Police to ensure the Klamath area saw law enforcement coverage even during the closure.

“With support from HSO, CHP, Cal Ore Life Flight and the YTP we were able to keep law enforcement service to Klamath,” Sheriff Erik Apperson wrote in a statement Tuesday. “They all stepped up immediately and in a major way. I hardly had

time to even ask for their help before they were on the way. I am truly grateful for their service and commitment to our region.”

Helicopter footage from the sheriff’s office posted Sunday showed the dramatic extent of the slide, with mounts of rock and downed trees covering the hillside and the highway below.

Students and families also faced the impacts of the slide: Bus service from Klamath was canceled for those south of Last Chance Grade for the week, forcing those students to attend classes online.

“Even though Last Chance Grade is open for one-way traffic, due to safety concerns and the frequency of slides, we have determined that students living south of Last Chance Grade will not attend in-person schooling for the remainder of the week,” Del Norte Unified School District



Contributed Photo

Crews work to clear debris from the slide at the Last Chance Grade.

Superintendent Jeff Harris wrote in an update Monday. The status of the road is constantly evolving. Caltrans is continuing to post updates to its Facebook page at www.facebook.com/CaltransD1/, and officials recommend limiting travel through the area to essential trips.

The highway’s latest status is available online at quick-map.dot.ca.gov/.

Wild Rivers Coast
Worship Directory

Brookings

Christian Community Church
15138 McVay Lane, Harbor
Non-denominational
Sunday Morning Worship...10:30 a.m.
Sunday Fellowship...Noon
Thursday Eve. Bible Study...7 p.m.
Pastor Carl Smith
541-659-9352
Facebook: christiancommunity-church-harbor

Brookings-Harbor Christian Church
777 Fifth Street, Brookings
Sunday Service.....10 a.m.
Weekly Communion
Small Group Ministries
Celebrate Recovery...6 p.m. Sunday
541-469-2531
Pastor Lance Knauss

Brookings Presbyterian Church
Pacific Ave. at Oak St.
Worship and Sunday School...10 a.m.
Fellowship Hour after Sunday Worship
541-469-3725
brookingspres.com
facebook.com/brookingspres

Trinity Lutheran Church
1200 Easy St., PO Box 1199
Brookings
Sunday Bible School
All Ages.....9 a.m. (Sept.-May)
Sunday Worship Service...10 a.m.
Nursery Available
Pastor Matt Steendahl
541-469-3411
tlcbrookings.org

Christian Science Church
429 Pine St. at Redwood Spur, Brookings
Sunday Service.....11 a.m.
Sunday School.....11 a.m.
Wednesday Testimony Mtg. 6 p.m.
Reading Room:
Monday & Wednesday, 1-3 p.m.
or by appointment
www.cscbrookings.com
541-469-2398 or 469-3333

Brookings Church of the Nazarene
1600 Chetco Ave. (Hwy 101 N)
Saturday Night **Thrive** Service.....6 p.m.
Sunday School.....9:00 and 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services...9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Jr./Sr. High Youth Group...Wed. 6:30-8 p.m.
Women's Bible Study...Wed. 10:00 a.m.
Celebrate Recovery...Tues. 6:00 p.m.
brookingsnaz.org 541-469-2571

St. Timothy's Episcopal Church
Fir St. at Old County Rd, Brookings
Sunday Adult Classes.....9 a.m.
Sunday Service.....10 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study....11 a.m.
Wednesday Holy Eucharist with Healing Service.....12 noon
The Reverend Bernie Lindley
541-469-3314
sttimothyepiscopal.org

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Justus Alaeto, Pastor
820 Old County Rd., Brookings
541-469-2313
Tuesday Mass.....5:15 p.m.
Wednesday Mass.....5:15 p.m.
Friday Mass.....5:15 p.m.
Sat 4:30 p.m. Spanish Mass 6:30 p.m.
Sunday Mass.....8:30 a.m.
First Friday every month Adoration 4 p.m. & Mass 5:15 p.m.
First Saturday every month Mass 9 a.m.
<https://staroftheseastcharles.org/>

First Baptist Community Church
607 Pacific Ave., Brookings
Sunday School-PreK-12th...9:30 a.m.
Adult Bible Study.....9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship.....10:45a.m.
Thursday Evening Bible Study...6:15 p.m.
Awana Clubs.....Wed. 6 p.m.
(Sept.-May) Grades Pre-K-8th
Youth Group.....Sun. 6:30-8:30 p.m.
Dr. Ken Whitted 541-469-2014

Faith Baptist Church
Fundamental Independent
409 Hillside Ave. Unit C, Brookings
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Thurs. Bible Study.....7:00 p.m.
www.calvaryheritage.org

Lighthouse Assembly of God
15803 Hwy. 101 S., Harbor
Sunday School.....9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship.....10:30 a.m.
Below: Call for Locations
Monday Youth Group.....6:00 p.m.
Wed Lighthouse Kids.....6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Adult Small Group Studies.....6:00 p.m.
James Schultz, Pastor
541-469-3458

Church of Christ
17222 Passley Rd., Brookings
Sunday Morning Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship Assembly...11:20 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Class.....7 p.m.
Evangelist: Michael Wilk
541-469-6453 or 541-469-0191

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Crescent City

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Saturday Eve. 6PM
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Wed. Study LIVE on Facebook and YouTube
www.solidrockcrescentcity.com

Grace Lutheran Church (LCMS)
Beginning in October, our services will be held at 10:00 am.
Masks Required
188 E Cooper, Crescent City
GraceLutheranCC.com

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9th & "E" St. • 464-6312
Mark Wittenmyer, Minister
Sunday
Bible School for all ages.....9:30 a.m.
Communion & Preaching...10:45 a.m.
Junior Church Service Ages 3 thru 11
Evening Service6:30 p.m.
Wednesday
Bible Study & Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Del Norte Church of Christ
501 Childs • 464-1088
(Corner of Childs & Del Norte)
Sunday Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Worship & Communion 10:30 a.m.
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Smith River

Calvary Chapel of the Redwoods
3180 South Fred D. Haight Dr. Corner of Hwy. 101 and South Fred D. Haight Dr.
Smith River, CA • 707-487-2051
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(LIVE on Facebook @FortDickBibleChurch)
Sunday School - 9:30am
Mid-Week Bible Study - Wed, 6:00pm
Phone (707) 458-4030

Smith River Baptist Church
340 Highland Avenue, Smith River
Just off Hwy. 101
(707) 487-5275
Pastor Steve Alexander
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Sunday
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Sunday Worship ... 10:30 a.m.
Children's Church (during Church Worship)
Nursery Care
Sr. High Youth Group 4:30-7:00 p.m.
160 Blueberry Lane (Off Blackwell)
Email - office@pbechurch.com

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OSAA: No championships for traditional fall sports

BY JERRY ULMER
OSAAtoday

The Oregon School Activities Association has opted to forgo conducting state championships for Season 2, returning control of the sixth week of the season — or culminating week — to the schools.

The OSAA Executive Board, which reviewed the issue in a work session last Wednesday, reached a consensus to return the week to the schools “to coordinate and execute local/regional culminating events at their discretion.”

Season 2, which includes traditional fall sports football, soccer, volleyball and cross country, begins with contests March 1 and ends with the culminating week April 5-11. Contingency groups from those sports provided input to the board.

“The board has spent a lot of time on this over the last couple months,” OSAA executive director Peter Weber said. “The realities of trying to conduct large events, given where things stand right now, didn’t seem advisable in their minds. A lot of different issues come into play.”

Organizing state championship events during the COVID-19 crisis is riddled

with complications.

In a release, the board cited issues such as establishing equitable qualifying procedures, district-adopted travel restrictions, county gathering-size restrictions, and impacts from schools forming regional pods as key factors.

The board also noted that some schools will not be able to start their seasons on time, and others may have their seasons fragmented or shifted due to outbreaks.

The board said that it did not want to “put any undue pressure” on schools to compete in a state championship event that could have health risks for their students and community.

It cited recommendations from the Oregon Health Authority that advise against unnecessary travel between counties, especially those at different risk levels. The potential for overnight stays also was a concern.

“Criss-crossing the state

at this point, or bringing a large group of people to one venue, just wasn’t something that they were supportive of at this point,” Weber said.

Weber said the board considered the different dynamic of a championship event for cross country, an individual sport, and the other team sports, which require more time for play-off rounds. But overriding factors remained.

“Part of it goes back to where things are in the state right now,” Weber said. “The idea of schools staying local and regional for their regular season, then to turn around in the sixth week and say, ‘OK, now we’re going to put that aside and bring kids from all over the state to one location,’ if we could even find a location to do that, just didn’t make sense to the board at this point.”

Considering the season already has been shortened, the board views returning the sixth week to the schools as an opportunity for additional participation.

“That would include subvarsity, etc. They would

be able to participate that week,” Weber said.

The football contingency group has considered creating a “bowl week” of sorts since its early discussions. For example, the sixth week could include crossover “bowl” games between nearby leagues.

Whatever the schools decide, the OSAA has pledged its support.

“Our staff is going to support schools as much as we can as they try to organize those things,” Weber said. “We certainly want to help promote. But ultimately, that will be the local decision as to what they do.”

The decision on Season 2 has no bearing on championship plans for Seasons 3, which includes the traditional spring sports, and 4, which has the winter sports. The OSAA will review options for those seasons in the coming months.

The board reaffirmed its support for conducting virtual events for cheerleading, dance/drill, solo music, band, orchestra, choir and speech. Those events will take place as scheduled on the OSAA calendar.

Jerry Ulmer writes high school sports for the Oregon School Activities Association on its OSAAtoday platform. Read more stories at www.osaa.org.

Curry County Sports Schedules

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Boys Soccer	March 3 @ Coquille March 6 @ North Bend March 11 vs. Sutherlin March 20 vs. North Bend
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Cross Country	March 5 HDN Championship at Eureka March 12 Bandon Fugate Farms XC Challenge March 20 Brookings Cross Country Small School Invitational April 1 District 4 Championships at Rogue River April 10 Class 3A-2A-1A Championship Meet

GOLD BEACH HIGH SCHOOL	
Football	March 5 @ Myrtle Point March 12 @ Mapleton March 19 vs. Days Creek March 26 @ Glendale April 2 vs. Riddle April 10 vs. Lost River (At Hidden Valley High School)
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Earthquake alert system rollout planned in state

Starting March 11, 2021, ShakeAlert-powered earthquake early warning alerts will be available for delivery directly to wireless devices in Oregon.

In May 2021, Washington state will follow suit and complete the ShakeAlert public alerting rollout across the entire West Coast. California enabled ShakeAlert-powered alerts in October 2019.

As massive slabs of Earth squish into and grind past each other off the coast of the Pacific Northwest, many people may wonder when they will feel ensuing earthquakes, according to the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS).

Although the USGS cannot predict where and when future earthquakes will occur, the bureau, along with a team of organizations, helped create a system that can provide vital seconds of warning that an earthquake is happening and shaking is imminent.

How it works

The ShakeAlert Earthquake Early Warning system is a network of sensors that collects and shares real-time information about the magnitude, location and expected shaking from earthquakes on the West Coast to distribution partners who then deliver alerts via cell phones and the internet. Partners can also initiate automatic protective actions such as stopping trains to prevent derailments and closing water valves to protect infrastructure.

ShakeAlert can save lives and reduce injuries by giving people time to take protective actions, such as moving away from hazardous areas and making sure to drop, cover and hold on, according to the USGS. ShakeAlert complements existing products from the Advanced National Seismic System that contribute to earthquake risk reduction.

For the first time, ShakeAlert-powered alerts will be delivered directly to wireless devices in Oregon starting on March 11, 2021. Oregon will be the second state to “go live,” following California on Oct. 17, 2019. Washington state will join Oregon and California in May 2021, which will complete the wireless alert delivery rollout across the entire continental West Coast.

For more than two years, a growing number of ShakeAlert technical partners in all three states have been using the ShakeAlert system for triggering automated actions to support public safety. Although ShakeAlert is operational in all three states, the USGS and its university and state partners are working to finish building the seismic network to support prompt earthquake detection. The network is now 70% complete for the West Coast, with 1,132 out of 1,675 seismic stations installed as of Jan. 31, 2021.

“The rollout of public alerting for ShakeAlert in the Pacific Northwest is a major milestone in the evolution of this critical system and has the potential to provide users with life-saving warnings seconds before they experience damaging shaking in future earthquakes,” Gavin Hayes, USGS senior science advisor for earthquake and geologic hazards, said. “This represents a major achievement for the USGS, the ANSS and for our state and regional partners.”

Upcoming events

To help residents of the Pacific Northwest learn how to use ShakeAlert, a team of organizations is rolling out various events and resources over the next few months.

- March 11: ShakeAlert-powered alert delivery to wireless devices goes live in Oregon
- May: ShakeAlert-powered alert delivery to wireless devices goes live in Washington

ShakeAlert-powered alert delivery in Oregon

Leading up to March 11, Oregon, in collaboration with USGS and other partners, will use various methods to

announce the availability of alerts powered by the ShakeAlert Earthquake Early Warning system to be delivered to wireless devices. On March 11, ShakeAlert will be activated to deliver alerts directly to wireless devices in Oregon when earthquakes strike.

The delivery date coincides with the 10th anniversary of the magnitude-9.1 Great Tohoku earthquake in Japan, which took about 20,000 peoples’ lives. This quake was the strongest in Japan’s history and struck below the North Pacific Ocean, 81 miles (130 km) east of Sendai, the largest city in the Tohoku region. The quake caused a tsunami that produced waves up to 132 feet (40 m) high and caused the meltdown of three nuclear reactors at the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Plant.

After traveling across the Pacific, the tsunami rose to more than 26 feet (5 m) in Hawaii and more than 6.5 feet (2 m) in California and Oregon, causing debris to wash up on the Oregon coastline. A task force made up of state and federal agencies, along with non-governmental organizations, worked together for three years to coordinate nearly 900 clean-up events during which an estimated 40,000 volunteers picked up more than 446,000 pounds of debris on the Oregon coast.

Alert delivery using the WEA system will go live on March 11, with a WEA demonstration for educational purposes planned for July 2021 to allow time for Oregon, USGS and partners to broadly promote the system and effectively train the public on how to opt into the test and participate in a statewide alert experiment.

“Oregon is one of the most earthquake-prone areas in the continental United States, and over the years, we have had many earthquakes – large and small,” said Althea Rizzo, geologic hazards program coordinator for Oregon’s Office of Emergency Management. “Warning resources such as ShakeAlert can help to mitigate loss of lives, severe injury and devastating damage to infrastructure.”

ShakeAlert on social media

Various organizations’ social media accounts will be sharing the latest updates and news about ShakeAlert in the Pacific Northwest using #ORShakeAlert and #WAShakeAlert. Visit these accounts to learn more:

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Earthquakes in the Pacific Northwest

Japan and the Pacific Northwest have almost mirror-image tectonic settings. Both are susceptible to quakes as one tectonic plate slides under another in a subduction zone.

The Pacific Northwest is susceptible to three main types of earthquakes as its underlying tectonic plates build up stress on faults: deep intraslab tremors that occur within a

tectonic plate, shallow crustal quakes, and large megathrust earthquakes on the Cascadia Subduction Zone. The area can also experience episodic tremor and slip events, which can release energy equivalent to at least a M7 earthquake.

As the Juan de Fuca Plate spreads away from the Pacific Plate and plunges beneath the North American Plate, it’s strained as it’s bent and pulled by gravity into the Earth’s mantle. When the strain builds to a breaking point, earthquakes as deep as 25 to 43 miles (40 to 70 km) can occur within the Juan de Fuca Plate roughly every few decades; these quakes tend to happen beneath western Washington state.

There have been three deep intraslab quakes with magnitudes greater than M6.5 to hit the region since 1949: the M6.8 Nisqually quake on February 28, 2001, the M6.5 Puget Sound quake in 1965 and the M7.1 Olympia quake in 1949.

Shallow crustal earthquakes tend to occur less frequently than deeper intraslab quakes in the Pacific Northwest, but when they do happen they can be more damaging because of their shallow depths and proximity to densely populated cities. Some quakes are so shallow that they can break or deform the ground surface while others are up to 22 miles (35 km) deep and may not be connected to faults that we see at the surface.

The M6.8 to 7.5 Entiat earthquake in 1872 in central Washington and the approximately M7.5 Seattle Fault earthquake 900-930 A.D. are two examples of crustal earthquakes in the Pacific Northwest.

Lastly, the Cascadia Subduction Zone is a 600-mile (1,000 km) long megathrust fault with a history of large M8 to M9 earthquakes. It stretches from Northern Vancouver Island to Cape Mendocino, California, and separates the Juan de Fuca and North American plates.

Subduction zone earthquakes are the largest earthquakes in the world and reach magnitudes greater than 8.5. The last known megathrust earthquake in the Pacific Northwest was in January 1700 and was estimated to be M9. Looking at geological evidence, scientists estimate that these great earthquakes have occurred at least seven times in the last 3,500 years, which make them likely to happen on average every 400 to 600 years.

Earthquake early warning for the Pacific Northwest

In 2012, the Pacific Northwest Seismic Network, which is an Advanced National Seismic System regional network operated by the USGS, the University of Washington and the University of Oregon, joined the earthquake early warning efforts that began in California in 2006.

Incorporation of the PNSN into ShakeAlert extended the USGS ShakeAlert Earthquake Early Warning System across the entire U.S. mainland Pacific Coast, which grew to include support from the Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation, the City of Los Angeles and the state governments of California, Oregon and Washington.



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NOTICE INVITING BIDS
1. Notice is hereby given that the Governing Board of the DEL NORTE COUNTY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (“District”), of the County of DEL NORTE, State of California, will receive sealed bids for the SUNSET HIGH SCHOOL FIRE ALARM RE-PLACEMENT PROJECT (“Project”) up to, but not later than, 1:00 p.m., on Wednesday, March 31, 2021, and will thereafter publicly open and read aloud the bids. All bids shall be received at the office of the DEL NORTE COUNTY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, 301 WEST WASHINGTON BLVD, CRESCENT CITY, CA, 95531, California.
2. Each bid shall be completed on the Bid Proposal Form included in the Contract Documents, and must conform and be fully responsive to this invitation, the plans and specifications and all other Contract Documents. Copies of the Contract Documents are available for examination at the following exchanges and copies may be purchased through them:
- Federation of CA BX: 530-343-1994
- Humboldt Builders Exchange: 707-442-3708
- Medford Builders Exchange : 541-773-5327
- Shasta Builders Exchange: 530-221-5556
The Contract Documents were prepared by SISKIYOU DESIGN GROUP INC. (GUY FRYER ARCHITECT), 303 BRUCE STREET, County of SISKIYOU, California 96097.
3. Each bid shall be accompanied by cash, a cashier's or certified check, or a bidder's bond executed by a surety licensed to do business in the State of California as a surety, made payable to the District, in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the maximum amount of the bid. The check or bid bond shall be given as a guarantee that the bidder to whom the contract is awarded will execute the Contract Documents and will provide the required payment and performance bonds and insurance certificates within ten (10) days after the notification of the award of the contract.
4. The successful bidder shall comply with the provisions of the Labor Code pertaining to payment of the generally prevailing rate of wages and apprenticeships or other training programs. The Department of Industrial Relations has made available the general prevailing rate of per diem wages in the locality in which the work is to be performed for each craft, classification or type of worker needed to execute the contract, including employer payments for health and welfare, pension, vacation, apprenticeship and similar purposes. Copies of these prevailing rates are available to any interested party upon request and are online at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR>. The Contractor and all Subcontractors shall pay not less than the specified rates to all workers employed by them in the execution of the Contract. It is the Contractor's responsibility to determine any rate change.
5. The schedule of per diem wages is based upon a working day of eight hours. The rate for holiday and overtime work shall be at least time and one half.
6. The substitution of appropri-

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ate securities in lieu of retention amounts from progress payments in accordance with Public Contract Code §22300 is permitted.
7. Pursuant to Public Contract Code §4104, each bid shall include the name and location of the place of business of each subcontractor who shall perform work or service or fabricate or install work for the contractor in excess of one-half of one percent (1/2 of 1%) of the bid price. The bid shall describe the type of the work to be performed by each listed subcontractor.
8. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the date set for the opening for bids except as provided by Public Contract Code §55100 et seq. The District reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bidding.
9. Minority, women, and disabled veteran contractors are encouraged to submit bids. This bid is subject to Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise requirements.
10. This project is subject to prevailing wage requirements and bidder and its subcontractors are required to pay all workers employed for the performance of this project no less than the applicable prevailing wage rate for each such worker. If this project is for a public works project over \$25,000 or for a maintenance project over \$15,000, bidder acknowledges that the project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the California Department of Industrial Relations in accordance with California Labor Code sections 1725.5 and 1770 et seq.
11. Each bidder shall possess at the time the bid is awarded the following classification(s) of California State Contractor's license: ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR.
12. [Optional] Not applicable.
13. X Bidders' Conference. A mandatory bidders' conference will be held at SUNSET HIGH SCHOOL CAMPUS, 2500 ELK VALLEY ROAD, CRESCENT CITY CA 95531 on Wednesday, March 17, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. for the purpose of acquainting all prospective bidders with the Contract Documents and the Project site. Failure to attend the conference will result in the disqualification of the bid of the non-attending bidder.
_____ No Bidders' Conference.
DELNORTE COUNTY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
By: JEFF HARRIS, DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT
DATED: February 19, 2021
Publication Dates: 1) February 26, 2021 2) March 5, 2021
Del Norte Triplicate T309530
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY Probate Department Case No.: 21 PB 01069
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS
In the Matter of the Estate of Dorothy Elaine Pommarane, Deceased
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that John E. Kay has been duly appointed as personal representative. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them to the undersigned attorney for the personal representative at 530 Center Street NE, Suite 730, Salem, OR 97301, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or the attorney for the personal representative.
Dated and first published on February 26, 2021.
John E. Kay
Personal Representative
715 O.C. Brown Road
Roseburg, OR 97470
Maria C. Schmidkofer, OSB No. 075169
Schwabe, Williamson, & Wyatt, PC
Attorneys for the Personal Representative
530 Center Street NE, Suite 730

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Salem, OR 97301
Published: Feb. 26, March 5 and 12, 2021
Curry Coastal Pilot P309303
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
King of the Grind Boxing Club
The following person/s is/are doing business as:
King of the Grind Boxing Club
1545 California Street
Crescent City, CA 95531
This Business is conducted by: **an individual**
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **10/23/2019**
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
Signed: **Richard Ybarra**
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **1/29/2021**
Alissia D. Northrup
County Clerk-Recorder
Damon Fletcher, Deputy
File No. 20210016
Publish: Feb. 26, March 5, 12, 19, 2021
Del Norte Triplicate T309006
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the County of Del Norte will conduct a public hearing by the Board of Supervisors on Tuesday, March 09, 2021 at 10:30 A.M. online VIA Zoom at media.co.del-norte.ca.us, regarding the below described topic.
Local Coastal Program Amendment to Adopt Crescent City Harbor Land Use Plan and Zoning - The Crescent City Harbor District has petitioned the County to amend its certified Local Coastal Program (LCP) to include a new Harbor Land Use Plan and harbor-specific zoning. The current Harbor Land Use Plan was certified in 1987 and has not since been amended. As a document that formalizes a long-term vision for the physical evolution of the harbor area, the Land Use Plan is important to guide the future development of the Crescent City Harbor. Zoning in and around the Harbor would be updated and amended accordingly. The Land Use Plan and zoning update together would encompass an LCP amendment that, if adopted by the Board of Supervisors, would then have to be certified by the California Coastal Commission to go into effect.
R1805C/GPA1802C - APN 117-020-016, 117-170-011, 117-180-011, 117-180-013, 115-020-042, 115-020-029 located at and around the Crescent City Harbor.
If you are unable to participate in the public hearing, you may direct written questions to the County of Del Norte Board of Supervisors, 981 H Street, Suite 200, Crescent City, CA 95531 or you may telephone (707) 464-7204. In addition, information may be obtained at the above address on weekdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
Kylie Goughnour
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Del Norte
State of California
DATED: February 19, 2021
PUBLISH: February 26, 2021
Del Norte Triplicate T309577
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS - The County of Del Norte is requesting proposals for Professional Services for volunteer and donations management annex plan development.
Proposal packages may be obtained from the Del Norte County Office of Administration, 981 H Street, Suite 210, Crescent City, California, or from the County's website at co.del-norte.ca.us under Bid Opportunities.
For additional information, contact Kymmie Scott at (707) 464-7214. Proposal process opened February 23, 2021 and closes March 26, 2021 at 3:00 PM.
Publish: Feb. 26 and Mar. 5, 2021
Del Norte Triplicate T309997
NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: Mansel Basil Johnson Case Number: CVPB-2021-7004

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To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Mansel Basil Johnson
A Petition for Probate has been filed by: **Michael Lawrence Johnson aka Larry Johnson**, in the Superior Court of California, County of: **Del Norte**. The petition for probate requests that: **Michael Lawrence Johnson aka Larry Johnson** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This Authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. **A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:**
Date: March 19, 2021 Time: 10:00am Dept.: 2
Address of the Court: 450 H Street Crescent City, CA 95531
If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) **60 days** from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Attorney for petitioner:
Gino deSolenni
384 G Street
Crescent City, CA 95531
(707) 464-6181
Publish: Feb. 26, Mar. 5, and 12, 2021
Del Norte Triplicate T309844
PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN **THAT THE Curry County Board of Commissioners' Office is opening a public comment period pursuant to the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self Determination Act, (SRS) 114-10 Title III Sec. 302. The 45 day comment period commenced with the Sheriff Press Release of February 1, 2021. The 45 day comment period is to allow public review and written comments on proposed Title III projects that may be funded under the SRS Act. To date, the Board has received applications from the Curry County Sheriff's Office, Cape Ferrello Firewise Project Sponsored by Coos Forest Protective Association, and the Harbor Rural Fire District Fire Hazard Reduction Project Sponsored by Harbor Rural Fire Protection District. A list of the projects and the applications are available at the Curry County Board of Commissioners Office, Curry County Office Building, 94235 Moore Street, Suite 122, Gold Beach, Oregon 97444 or phone number is (541) 247-3296. All comments must be in writing and received on or before 5:00P.M. Friday, March 18, 2021**
Published: Feb 26, 2020

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Curry Coastal Pilot P309951
CITY OF CRESCENT CITY PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE is hereby given that a public hearing on the below items will be held during the regularly scheduled Crescent City Planning Commission meeting on March 11th, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. to consider the following project:

A) Recommend Approving Conditional Use Permit (CAN 21-01) for The Flower Shop, LLC (Vincent James Patterson).

Description: **The Planning Commission will review the applicant's request for a Conditional Use Permit to allow a cannabis microbusiness that would include a medical and adult-use dispensary (storefront retail) with delivery service, distribution, and non-volatile manufacturing. The name of the business would be “The Flower Shop” and all of the proposed cannabis activities would occur on the same premises in an existing building at 1182 8th Street (APN 118-250-007).**

Environmental Determination: **The proposed use is determined to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15332 (In-Fill Development Projects) of the CEQA Guidelines.**

At the meeting, the discussion of the proposed Conditional Use Permit will be subject to the following procedure: 1) the Planning Department will provide a staff report; 2) the Planning Commission will receive public comment; and 3) the Planning Commission will discuss the Conditional Use Permit application and may approve, and issue, a Conditional Use Permit for the proposed cannabis microbusiness.

Due to the current public health emergency resulting from a virus, the public may access and participate in the public hearing using one or more of the following three methods: (1) participate online via Zoom (details on joining the meeting will be listed on the agenda for the meeting); (2) watch the meeting via livestream on YouTube (Channel: City of Crescent City, California) and submit comments via publiccomment@crescentcity.org; or submit a written protest or comment by filing it with the City Clerk at 377 J Street, Crescent City, California 95531, prior to the hour of 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 11, 2021. Copies of the said application and staff report are available on the City's website www.crescentcity.org.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Jon Olson, City Engineer, at City Hall, 377 J Street, 707-464-9506.

Date: **February 22nd, 2021** Published: **February 26, 2021**
Del Norte Triplicate T309940
NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, based on a “preliminary analysis”, the acting lead agency intends to adopt a negative declaration for the project(s) listed on this notice.

A copy of the proposed Negative Declaration is available for public review by appointment only due to the public closures of County offices. The Community Development Department, Planning Division is located at 981 H Street, Suite 110, Crescent City, CA, 95531. Scheduling a review of the document can be completed by contacting the Department at (707) 464-7254.

The public review period for proposed negative declarations is 30 days from the date of this notice. This proposed negative declaration is intended for adoption by the Del Norte County Planning Commission as “lead agency”. The Commission will consider the project(s) listed at the following hearing:

DATE OF HEARING: April 7, 2021
TIME OF HEARING: 6:00 p.m.
PLACE OF HEARING: **VIA Zoom (media.del-norte.ca.us)**

ITEM(S) TO BE CONSIDERED:

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*** Use Permit Amendment for a Planned Community - The applicant proposes to increase the permitted density of its 9.95-acre planned community single-family residential subdivision to allow for multiple-family dwelling units. The current planned community entitlement is comprised of 56 single-family residential lots, with six of them currently developed with single-family units. The currently permitted density of the subdivision is 5.63 units per acre. The proposed project includes 44 new duplex units, 5 new three-plex units, and the existing 6 single-family units, creating a total gross density of 10.95 units per acre. The project also includes a small recreation center for tenants on one of the lots. Other standards normally established in a planned community, such as setbacks, lot coverage, building height, etc. are not proposed to change significantly. Residences would not be constructed above 35 feet in total height. The property is served by a private sewer system that connects to the County Service Area #1 (CSA). City water service is provided. Surface drainage is accounted for in the project proposal. UP2112A - APN 116-310-etc. located at Summer Lane, Crescent City.

*** Rezone to Planned Community and Use Permit for a Planned Community - The applicant proposes to amend the zoning of a parcel zoned Forest and Recreation/Commercial Recreation to Planned Community. The application also includes a use permit to implement the Planned Community as required in County Code. The project would consist of constructing five residences as a dwelling group on a parcel owned by the Yurok Indian Housing Authority. The Planned Community would consist of the long-term, low-income tribal housing as well as an access road, shared sewage disposal area and a well for water. R2102 and UP2110 - APN 127-070-017 located at 15580 US Highway 101, Klamath.

*** Rezone to Neighborhood Commercial and Use Permit for Storage Units in a C-1 Zone - The applicant proposes to amend the zoning of a parcel currently zoned Single Family Residential - 6,000 sq ft minimum lot size. The property currently contains legal but non-conforming commercial use, as does the entire block. The application also includes a use permit to permit the use of the property for commercial storage activity. The project would consist of constructing a new 2,400 square-foot warehouse that will rented by contractors or others for storage. The building is proposed to consist of four separate bays that would be accessed off Macken Avenue. The project would be served by public water and sewer service. R2101 and UP2003 - APN 120-280-018 located at 205 Meridian Street, Crescent City.

*** Rezone from Timber Preserve to Rural Residential, 3 acre minimum and General Plan Amendment from Timberland to Rural Residential, 1 dwelling unit per 3 acres - The applicant proposes to amend the zoning and land use designation of approximately 212 acres of a property used as commercial timberland to a property that could support rural residential use in the future. The rezone is proposed as a "ten-year rollout" meaning the redesignation of land use from timber harvest to residential use would not take place until ten years after the Board of Supervisors approves the project. The Planning Commission is first required to review and make a recommendation to the Board of Supervisors. The project does not include a subdivision to create legal lots, but rather sets up the land use and zoning for such an action in the future. The land is not served by public water or sewer and would rely on on-site systems. The application includes many special studies to support the environmental review. R2001/ GPA2001 - APN 106-021-074 and 076 located at Wonder Stump Road at intersection with US Highway 101, Crescent City.

Any questions should be directed to the Del Norte County Planning Division at (707) 464-7254.

Del Norte County Planning Division
 Community Development Dept.
 DATE: February 22, 2021
 PUBLISH: February 26, 2021
 Del Norte Triplicate T309938

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
Napa Auto Parts Crescent City

The following person/s is/are do-

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ing business as:
Napa Auto Parts Crescent City 425 L street Crescent City, CA 95531
 This Business is conducted by: **a corporation**
 The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **not applicable**

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
 Signed: **GDMI Enterprises, Inc. David E. Marcus, President**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **2/18/2021**
 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder
 B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy
File No. 20210025
 Publish: Feb. 26, March 5, 12, and 19, 2021
Del Norte Triplicate T309858

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON
 FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY
 [Probate Department]

In the Matter of the Estate of: **BRUCE ALLEN ADAMS**, deceased. Date of Death: January 23, 2021.
Case No. 21PB01215
 NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Brandon Adams has been appointed personal representative. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to the undersigned personal representative at Southwest Portland Law Group, LLC, 8455 SW Beaverton Hillsdale Hwy, Portland, Oregon 97225 within four (4) months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims will be barred:
 All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or Southwest Portland Law Group, LLC, the lawyers for the personal representative.
 DATED AND FIRST PUBLISHED ON FEBRUARY 26, 2021.

/s/ Mark D. Ropp
MARK D. ROPP
 Attorney for Personal Representative
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE: Brandon Adams 18408 SW Elderberry Lane Sherwood, Oregon 97140 Tel: 503.756.9146 Brandon.adams79@gmail.com ATTORNEY FOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE: Mark D. Ropp, OSB NO. 124386 Southwest Portland Law Group, LLC 8455 SW Beaverton-Hillsdale Hwy Portland, Oregon 97225 Tel: 503.206.6401 Fax: 503.214.8962

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON
 FOR CURRY COUNTY
 In the Matter of the Estate of: STAN CRAIG HOBBS, Deceased.
 Case No. 21PB00749
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed and has qualified as the personal representative of the above entitled estate. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby required to present their claims, with proper vouchers attached, to the undersigned personal representative at the personal representative's attorney, JOHN C. BABIN, BabinLaw, P.C., P O Box 1600, Brookings, OR 97415, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred.
 All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or the lawyer for the personal representative.
 Dated and first published on February 19, 2021.

GREGORY ALAN HOBBS
 Personal Representative

By: John C. Babin OSB #800114
 Lawyer for Personal Representative

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON
 FOR CURRY COUNTY
 Juvenile Department
 In the Matter of MAISE RUTH ROOK, IZIE MACHA ROOK, ARI JEAN ROOK, ARTHUR THOMAS ROOK. Children.
 Case No. 20JU04636 Case No. 20JU04638 Case No. 20JU04640 Case No. 20JU04642 PUBLISHED SUMMONS

TO: Arthur Robert Rook
 IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON:
 A petition has been filed asking the court to terminate your parental rights to the above-named children for the purpose of placing the children for adoption. YOU ARE REQUIRED TO PERSONALLY APPEAR BEFORE the Curry County Court at 29821 Ellensburg Ave., Gold Beach, Oregon 97444, on the 15th day of March, 2021 at 2:30 p.m. to admit or deny the allegations of the petition and to personally appear at any subsequent court-ordered hearing. YOU MUST APPEAR PERSONALLY IN THE COURTROOM ON THE DATE AND AT THE TIME LISTED ABOVE. AN ATTORNEY MAY NOT ATTEND THE HEARING IN YOUR PLACE. THEREFORE, YOU MUST APPEAR EVEN IF YOUR ATTORNEY ALSO APPEARS. This summons is published pursuant to the order of the circuit court judge of the above-entitled court, dated January 27, 2021. The order directs that this summons be published once each week for three consecutive weeks, making three publications in all, in a published newspaper of general circulation in Josephine County, OR and Curry County, OR.
 Date of first publication: February 19, 2021
 Date of last publication: March 5, 2021
 NOTICE
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IF YOU DO NOT APPEAR PERSONALLY BEFORE THE COURT OR DO NOT APPEAR AT ANY SUBSEQUENT COURT-ORDERED HEARING, the court may proceed in your absence without further notice and TERMINATE YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS to the above-named children either ON THE DATE SPECIFIED IN THIS SUMMONS OR ON A FUTURE DATE, and may make such orders and take such action as authorized by law. RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS
 (1) YOU HAVE A RIGHT TO BE REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY IN THIS MATTER. If you are currently represented by an attorney, CONTACT YOUR ATTORNEY IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIVING THIS NOTICE. Your previous attorney may not be representing you in this matter. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE AN ATTORNEY and you meet the state's financial guidelines, you are entitled to have an attorney appointed for you at state expense. TO REQUEST APPOINTMENT OF AN ATTORNEY TO REPRESENT YOU AT STATE EXPENSE, YOU MUST IMMEDIATELY CONTACT the Curry Juvenile Department at Curry County Court House, 29821 Ellensburg Ave., Gold

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Beach, OR, 97444, phone number (541) 247-4511, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. for further information.
 IF YOU WISH TO HIRE AN ATTORNEY, please retain one as soon as possible and have the attorney present at the above hearing. If you need help finding an attorney, you may call the Oregon State Bar's Lawyer Referral Service at (503) 684-3763 or toll free in Oregon at (800) 452-7636.
 IF YOU ARE REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH YOUR ATTORNEY AND TO KEEP YOUR ATTORNEY ADVISED OF YOUR WHEREABOUTS.
 (2) If you contest the petition, the court will schedule a hearing on the allegations of the petition and order you to appear personally and may schedule other hearings related to the petition and order you to appear personally. IF YOU ARE ORDERED TO APPEAR, YOU MUST APPEAR PERSONALLY IN THE COURTROOM, UNLESS THE COURT HAS GRANTED YOU AN EXCEPTION IN ADVANCE UNDER ORS 419B.918 TO APPEAR BY OTHER MEANS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, TELEPHONIC OR OTHER ELECTRONIC MEANS. AN ATTORNEY MAY NOT ATTEND THE HEARING(S) IN YOUR PLACE.

PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY
Chris L. Martinez
Assistant Attorney General
Department of Justice
975 Oak Street, Suite 200
Eugene, OR 97401
Phone: (541) 686-7973

ISSUED this 16th day of February, 2021.

Issued by: /s/ Chris L. Martinez
Chris L. Martinez #175566
Assistant Attorney General
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
Revive Salon

The following person/s is/are doing business as:
Revive Salon
1335 Northcrest Drive Crescent City, CA 95531
 This Business is conducted by: **an individual**
 The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **not applicable**

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
 Signed: **Matt Alvarado**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **2/11/2021**
 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder
 Claire Landay, Deputy
File No. 20210021
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PUBLIC LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON
 FOR CURRY COUNTY
 Case No. 21CV04635 NOTICE AND SERVICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION In the matter of: Judicial Examination Proceed-

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ing to Determine the Regularity and Legality of Order No. 21000, Establishing Accurate Hazard Level and Affirmative Defenses to Enforcement of Coronavirus Laws for Curry County.

TO: CURRY COUNTY, BEACH-FRONT BISTRO, BFBR INC., George Rhodes, Curry County and All Electors, Freeholders, Taxpayers and Other Interested Persons of Curry County, a Political Subdivision of the State of Oregon a General Law County under ORS Ch. 203.

Notice: Pursuant to ORS 33.710, et seq., the Curry County Board of Commissioners acting in its role as the governing body of Curry County has commenced the above described Judicial Examination proceeding in the Curry County Circuit Court to determine the validity of Order No. 21000 Establishing Accurate Hazard Levels and Affirmative Defenses to Enforcement of Coronavirus Laws. Curry County Board of Commissioners seeks a judgment of the Court pursuant to ORS 33.710 and 33.720 validating Order No. 21000. The Petition for Judicial Examination is available for review in the office of the Clerk of the Court or from the undersigned at the address shown below.

SUMMONS: NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS: READ THESE PAPERS CAREFULLY! If you believe you are either affected or interested in this determination, you must "appear" in this case to contest the validity of such proceedings or of any of the acts or things therein enumerated. To "appear" you must file with the court a legal paper called a "Motion" or "Answer" which must be given to the court clerk or administrator by March 9, 2021, which is the next business day 10 days after the last date of publication. The "Motion" or "Answer" must be accompanied by the required filing fee. It must be in proper form, have proof of service on the County's attorney, or if the County does not have an attorney, proof of service on the petitioner. If you have any questions, you should see an attorney immediately. If you need help finding an attorney, you may call the Oregon State Bar's Lawyer Referral Service at (503) 684-3763 or tollfree in Oregon at (800) 452-7636.

NOTICE PUBLICATION DATES

Curry Coastal Pilot Friday February 12, 2021. Friday, February 19, 2021. Friday February 26, 2021.

Curry County Reporter Wednesday, February 10, 2021. Wednesday, February 17, 2021. Wednesday, February 24, 2021

DATED this 8th day of February 2021. By John Huttli, Curry County Counsel, OSB #953086, Email: huttli@co.curry.or.us; Address: 94235 Moore Street, Suite 123, Gold Beach, Oregon 97444; Telephone: (541) 247-3218; Attorney for Curry County, Oregon.
 Curry Coastal Pilot P308801

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON,
 FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY
 PROBATE DEPARTMENT

In the Matter of the Estate of: JOHN C. CARROLL, Deceased.
 Case No. 14PR076
 NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that KEVIN C. CARROLL has been

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appointed Personal Representative in the referenced matter. All persons having claims against the Estate are required to present them, including proper vouchers, within four (4) months after the date of first publication of this Notice. Any/all claims should be provided to the Personal Representative, care of FRANK C. ROTE, III, Attorney at Law, 1692 NE Lynda Lane, Suite C, Grants Pass, Oregon 97526, 541-497-2678, or such claims may be barred.
 All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court or from FRANK C. ROTE, III, attorney for the Personal Representative.

/s/ FRANK C. ROTE, III
 Frank C. Rote, III, OSBN 893898
 1692 NE Lynda Lane, Suite C
 Grants Pass, OR 97526
 Phone: (541) 479-2678
 Fax: (541) 479-7485
 frank.rote@southernoregonlawyer.com
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
Celestial La Madrina/The God-mother

The following person/s is/are doing business as:
Celestial La Madrina/The God-mother
3460 Cunningham Lane Crescent City, CA 95531
 This Business is conducted by: **an individual**
 The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **not applicable**

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
 Signed: **Guadalupe Star Montes**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **1/27/2021**
 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder
 Claire Landay, Deputy
File No. 20210013
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 202110010
 The following person(s) is doing business as:
California Timber Operations, 169 Main St., Scotia, CA 95565.
 County of Del Norte.
 Mailing Address: 7000 W. 206th St., Bucyrus, KS 66013
 Kansas Asphalt, Inc., 7000 W. 206th St., Bucyrus, KS 66013
 Articles of Incorporation #: 3525094; State: KS
 This business is conducted by a Corporation.
 The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on n/a
 /s/ Candi Eckert, Chief Financial Officer
 Kansas Asphalt, Inc.
 This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on January 25, 2021.
 Alissia Northrup, County Clerk/Recorder
 By: B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
Log Cabin Diner

The following person/s is/are doing business as:
Log Cabin Diner
301 HWY 169
Klamath, CA 95548
This Business is conducted by:
co-partners
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **01/01/2011**

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
Signed: **Edward Salsedo and Sherry Scott**

This statement was filed with the

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County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **2/3/2021**
Alissia D. Northrup
County Clerk-Recorder
Damon Fletcher, Deputy
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
Art and the Divine

The following person/s is/are doing business as:
Art and the Divine
2554 Howland Hill Rd.
Crescent City, CA 95531
This Business is conducted by:
an individual
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **April 25, 2021**

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to

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this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
Signed: **Diveena Marcus**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **1/27/2021**
Alissia D. Northrup
County Clerk-Recorder
B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy
File No. 20210014
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
North Coast Family Counseling

The following person/s is/are doing business as:
North Coast Family Counseling
508 H Street, Suite 9
Crescent City, CA 95531
This Business is conducted by:
an individual
The registrant commenced to

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transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **06/08/2017**

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
Signed: **Bernadette Johnson**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **1/28/2021**
Alissia D. Northrup
County Clerk-Recorder
Claire Landay, Deputy
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Coffee

Desserts

Dinner

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Lounge

Lunch

Mexican

Outdoor Dining

Pizza

Sandwiches

Seafood

Vegan/Vegetarian

People—Best At What They Do

Include first and last names of individuals and place of business

Bartender

Boss

Dentist

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Business—Best Local Place For

A Fun Time

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Cars & Trucks

Customer Service

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Brookings Police Blotter

Wednesday, Feb. 17

- At 9:02 a.m., a caller reported finding medical supplies in the 400 block of Alder Street.
- At 10:23 a.m., deputies responded to Railroad and 5th and warned a transient woman for being disorderly.
- At 1:57 p.m., a hit-and-run accident was reported in Brookings.
- At 2:35 p.m., a caller reported suspicious conditions at Gavin and Tuttle.
- At 3:07 p.m., a case a criminal trespass was reported in the 100 block of Park Avenue.
- At 6:19 p.m., police responded to the 800 block of Pioneer Road after a caller reported a known person stole a PS4, cell phone and prescription medications.
- At 7:43 p.m., a dispute was reported in the 17600 block of Brown Deer Lane.
- At 9:35 p.m., officers conducted a welfare check in the 97900 block of Hall Way.

Thursday, Feb. 18

- At 12:50 a.m., officers responded to the 600 block of Chetco Avenue after a caller reported a physical altercation between two people.
- At 5:23 a.m., a caller reported a group of juveniles in the street on 4th Street near Ransom.
- At 5:51 a.m., a caller reported a verbal dispute in the 1100 block of Chetco Avenue.
- At 8:50 a.m., a traffic accident was reported on Lone Ranch Parkway.
- At 9:08 a.m., officers responded to the 600 block of Old County Road after a caller reported a verbal dispute. Officers asked several transients to leave the area.
- At 9:48 a.m., police conducted a welfare check in the 700 block of Chetco Avenue.
- At 12:37 p.m., police responded to the 500 block of Spruce Street after a caller reported being harassed. While at the scene, a man was cited and released on an outstanding warrant.
- At 1:01 p.m., a traffic accident was reported in the 800 block of Railroad Street.
- At 4:48 p.m., officers conducted a welfare check in the 900 block of Midland Way.
- At 6:22 p.m., a traffic accident was reported in the 800 block of Chetco.
- At 9:01 p.m., a caller reported their phone was stolen. With help from police, the person was able to get their phone back.

Friday, Feb. 19

- At 1:18 a.m., officers stopped and conducted a welfare check on a main the 500 block of Chetco Avenue. Officers escorted the man back to his hotel room.
- At 5:52 a.m., a caller reported a vehicle driving erratically on Highway 101 near Pedrioli.
- At 7:41 a.m., police formally trespassed transient men from the 900 block of Chetco Avenue.
- At 9:54 a.m., a caller reported a verbal dispute in the 300 block of Pacific.
- At 11:30 a.m., officers conducted a welfare check in the 1200 block of Moore Street. Officers determined the person in question had been transported to the hospital.
- At 11:36 a.m., officers conducted a traffic stop in the 700 block of Chetco Avenue. Officers asked the female driver to get another licensed driver after determining the woman should not be driving due to a medical condition.
- At 1:09 p.m., a transient man was cited and released for criminal trespass in the 400 block of Fir Street.
- At 1:48 p.m., a fight was reported in the 99000 block of Mount Emily Road.
- At 9:33 p.m., police responded to the 300 block of 5th Street after a caller reported seeing a vehicle hit another and leave the scene. Officers located the vehicle several blocks away and cited the driver.
- At 10:02 p.m., a fight was reported in the 13800 block of Highway 101.

Saturday, Feb. 20

- At 2:24 a.m., an assault was reported in the 1100 block of Fifield Street.
- At 10:42 a.m., a criminal trespass complaint was received in the 97900 block of Shopping Center.
- At 2:21 p.m., officers conducted a welfare check at the Botanical Gardens.
- At 2:28 p.m., a theft was reported in the 1600 block of Highway 101.
- At 3:32 p.m., a caller reported a fire in the 500 block of Arnold Lane.
- At 3:53 p.m., police conducted a welfare check at Julie and Ransom.
- At 6:19 p.m., a theft was reported in the 18100 block of Dusty Road.
- Between 8:35 and 9:07 p.m., officers conducted four traffic stops on Chetco Avenue.

Sunday, Feb. 21

- Between midnight and 12:11 a.m., officers conducted three traffic stops on Chetco Avenue.
- At 12:32 a.m., an animal complaint was received in the area of Chetco and Fern.
- At 4:24 a.m., a caller reported suspicious conditions in the 16000 block of Lower Harbor Road.
- At 9:04 a.m., a case of criminal mischief was reported in the 600 block of Railroad Avenue.
- At 12:40 p.m., police arrested a transient man on a misdemeanor warrant on Wharf Street and released the man with a citation.
- At 1:36 p.m., officers conducted a welfare check on House Rock Road.
- At 3:35 p.m., officers responded to the 900 block of Chetco to a report of criminal mischief. Officers contacted a transient man who was looking for cans and advised him to clean up his mess and move along.
- At 6:44 p.m., police responded to the 96300 block of South Drive after a caller reported suspicious conditions. After contacting the three occupants of a car, police asked them to move along.

Monday, Feb. 22

- At 8:15 a.m., police located a suspect in a vehicle

theft in the 1100 block of Chetco. The person was arrested and taken to jail.

- At 11:05 a.m., a caller reported suspicious conditions on Pleasant Hill Drive.
- At 2:07 p.m., police responded to the area of North Bank and Highway 101 to a report of disorderly conduct. A transient man was warned after being observed launching a skateboard into traffic several times.
- At 2:12 p.m., a caller reported finding a white rooster in the 400 block of Smith Drive.
- At 3:13 p.m., a traffic accident was reported in the 700 block of Chetco Avenue.
- At 3:57 p.m., officers cited a man for disorderly conduct near the Chetco bridge.
- At 4:54 p.m., a caller reported finding a knife on North Bank Chetco River Road.
- At 9:14 p.m., police responded to the 1200 block of Hub Street after a caller reported a dispute. Police separated the parties where in a dispute over alcohol consumption. A report was forwarded to one man's probation officer.

The Solution to the Crossword puzzle is on Page A10

Friday, Feb. 12

- At 7:11 a.m., a report of suspicious conditions was received in the area of Airport Way. Officers responded and arrested a 63-year-old man for a Curry County warrant.
- At 12:21 p.m., a report of an abandoned vehicle was received in the 29400 block of Ellensburg Avenue.
- At 3:26 p.m., a report of lost property was received in the area of McKay's Market.
- At 9 p.m., an animal complaint was received in the area of June Street.

Saturday, Feb. 13

- At 12:56 p.m., a welfare check was conducted on Eighth Street.
- At 2:25 p.m., a report of criminal mischief was received in the area of Hillcrest Street. Officers responded and cited a 26-year-old for criminal mischief.
- Sunday, Feb. 14
 - At 8:55 a.m., a caller reported a disabled vehicle in the area of the South Jetty.

King Crossword

ACROSS

1 June honoree
4 Say it's so
8 Pretzel topper
12 Past
13 Travel permit
14 Done with
15 Brock of baseball
16 Alaskan city
18 Heron's kin
20 Army address
21 Dalai —
24 Slow, in music
28 Right to vote
32 Cash advance
33 201, in old Rome
34 Heat to near boiling
36 GOP org.
37 Priestly vestments
39 Cheap ride section
41 "Yum!"
43 Novelist Hunter
44 Steal from
46 Cowboy's workplace
50 Spur on
55 Tic-tac-toe win
56 Nerd's kin
57 Hostels
58 Hooting bird
59 Big wind

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60 Track tipster
61 Carrier to Amsterdam
10 Table support
11 Three, in Rome
17 Texas tea
19 Sprite
22 PC alternatives
23 Marble type
25 Asta's feeder
26 Tart flavor
27 As soon as
28 "Shool"
29 Bruins' sch.
30 Little lies
31 Mountain ht.

DOWN

1 Valley
2 Awestruck
3 Gloomy
4 Online images
5 Sportscaster Scully
6 Computer key
7 Stadium cheers
8 Reddish-brown horse
9 "Selma"

35 Most loved
38 Painter's motion
40 Genetic letters
42 Thee
45 Telly watcher
47 Cranny
48 Batman's hood
49 Actress Celeste
50 Early bird?
51 PBS funder
52 Cartoon frame
53 Yucatan year
54 Wildebeest

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Gold Beach Police Blotter

- At 1:39 p.m., a report of a hazard was received in the area of Fourth Street.
- At 2:37 p.m., a report of a dispute was received in the area of Hunter Creek Heights.
- **Monday, Feb. 15**
 - At 12:15 a.m., a report of a dispute was received in the area of the Inn at the Beach Comber.
 - At 8:45 a.m., a report of threats was received in the area of McKay's Market.
 - At 3:10 p.m., a report of theft was received in the area of Moore Street.
- **Tuesday, Feb. 16**
 - At 2:15 p.m., a report of tres-

passing was received in the area of Airport Way.

- At 7:37 p.m., a noise complaint in the area of Caughell Street.
- Wednesday, Feb. 17
 - At 12:34 p.m., a report of trespassing was received in the area of the Smoke Hut.
 - At 4:32 p.m., a report of a suspicious subject was received in the area of the Port of Gold Beach.
 - At 7:55 p.m., a report of a suspicious vehicle was received in the area of the Gold Beach Visitors Center.
 - At 10:04 p.m., a report of a suspicious subject was received in the area of Fourth Street.

Thursday, Feb. 18

- At 5 a.m., a caller reported an out-of-control patient in the area of Curry General Hospital.
- At 8:07 a.m., a report of illegal parking was received in the area of Shorepine Lane.
- At 9:03 a.m., officers conducted a welfare check on Strahan Street.
- At 9:19 a.m., a non-injury accident was reported in the area of Moore Street.
- At 9:42 a.m., a caller reported trespassing in the area of McKay's Market.
- At 11:06 a.m., a report of a disorderly subject was received in the area of Fourth Street.



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MOM'S LIFE HAS LESS STRESS AFTER MAN LEAVES FOR PRISON


DEAR ABBY: I recently had a child with a man who is now incarcerated. I was widowed when I met him, and although he brought me happiness, it has come at a steep price.

I pay for literally everything. I love him very much, but his entitlement was an issue even before he had legal issues. Now he has become very nasty and minimizes everything I do.

If I send \$100, he's upset that I didn't send \$200. If I have a day off from work that I don't spend communicating with a lawyer and the courts, I'm "not taking initiative." He has even gone so far as to

DEAR ABBY

Abigail Van Buren



say it was my fault he got in trouble because I was on his case so often that he "had to go out to get some peace." His only redeeming quality is his wonderful relationship with the kids, who see none of our fights and regard him as a father figure.

He is now even more negative and derogatory than when he was at home. I manage a busy restaurant and a household of five children.

Since he has been away, I'm ashamed to say life has actually been less stressful.

I think my loneliness when I met him made it easier to ignore red flags. In every other aspect of my life, I am an independent woman who has the respect of my peers. Is it too late to set boundaries with him? — GROWING IN FLORIDA

DEAR GROWING: This emotionally abusive individual is milking you like you are a Guernsey cow. His ingratitude is boundless. You are not the reason he got himself in trouble with the law, and it isn't your responsibility to get him out or support him financially.

It is way too late to set boundaries with this manipulative ingrate. He won't change. What you must do now — for your own sake and for

your children's — is tell him you are finished and cut ties with him.

DEAR ABBY: I live in Kansas and my boyfriend lives in another state. We talk online all the time, but I haven't heard from him in three days and I don't know what to think. My friends say I'm being paranoid, but I can't help but think that he might be seeing another girl. I've had problems like this before and ended up getting hurt because I didn't listen when my friends told me that a guy was cheating. What should I do? — LONG-DISTANCE LOVE

DEAR L.D.L.: Recognize that as much as two people might care about each other, long-distance romances don't always have fairy-tale endings. I don't know if your

boyfriend is cheating. Neither do you and neither do your friends.

It's time for you to have a calm conversation with your boyfriend. Tell him you were worried by his three-day silence because it was unusual. Let him respond. If you are satisfied with his answer, change the subject. However, if you aren't, ASK him if he has met someone closer to home and tell him to level with you. It takes courage to do this, but it will save you a lot of pain in the long run.

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Curry County Sheriff's Blotter

- Monday, Feb. 15**

 - At 11:18 a.m., deputies responded to the 15700 block of Ocean View after a caller reported being a victim of fraud.
 - At 11:56 a.m., a caller reported a theft in the 32700 block of Nesika Road.
 - At 12:23 p.m., a caller reported a disturbance in the 16000 block of Boat Basin.
 - At 1:37 p.m., a disturbance was reported in the 98000 block of Gerlach.
 - At 2:07 p.m., a caller reported a disturbance in the 16000 block of Highway 101. Deputies responded and arrested a 55-year-old man.
- Tuesday, Feb. 16**

 - At 5:21 p.m., a caller reported suspicious conditions in the 97900 block of Shopping Center.
 - At 6:41 p.m., a disturbance was reported in the 22900 block of Carpenterville.

Wednesday, Feb. 17

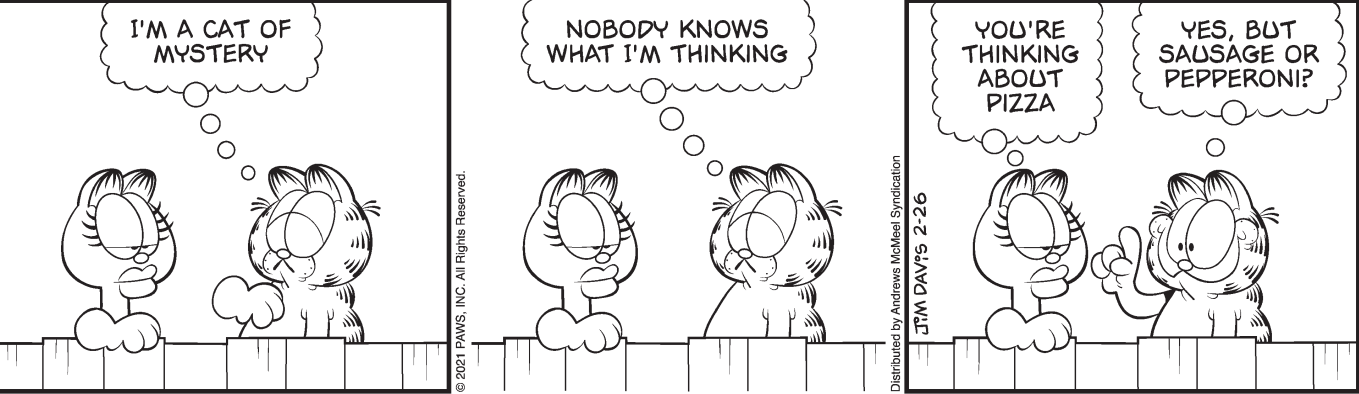
 - At 1:30 a.m., a report of suspicious conditions was received in the 15900
- Thursday, Feb. 18**

 - At 8:51 a.m., an auto accident was reported on Nesika Road.
 - At 1:29 p.m., deputies responded to the 97000 block of Apple Blossom after a caller reported a burglary in progress.
 - At 5:31 p.m., a caller reported suspicious conditions in the 34000 block of Ophir.
 - At 8:24 p.m., a hazard was reported on Highway 101.
- Friday, Feb. 19**


 - At 10:23 a.m., deputies received an animal complaint in the 18700 block of Carpenterville.
 - At 11:10 a.m., a hit-and-run accident was reported in the Fat Irish Pub parking lot.
 - At 11:58 a.m., deputies conducted a traffic stop on Sunset and cited the driver for failure to have a minor child in a seatbelt.
 - At 12:11 p.m., a burglary was reported on Winchuck River.
 - At 1:49 p.m., a disturbance was
- Saturday, Feb. 20**

 - At 10:05 a.m., a hazard was reported on Old Coast Road.
 - At 10:50 a.m., a caller reported a theft in the 97800 block of Harbor View.
 - At 12:24 p.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 95700 block of Jerry's Flat.
 - At 12:48 p.m., a caller reported a theft in the 17000 block of Mountain Drive.
 - At 1:06 p.m., a traffic accident was reported on Northbound Chetco.
 - At 2:46 p.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 94300 block of Wedderburn Loop.
 - At 3:39 p.m., a caller reported suspicious conditions in the 15800 block of Napa Lane.
 - At 6:25 p.m., a theft was reported in the 18100 block of Dusty Road.
 - At 9:42 p.m., deputies received an animal complaint on Brown Deer Lane.
 - At 10:20 p.m., a caller reported a criminal trespass in the 16200 block of Highway 101.

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