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On the prowl

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife issues bear advisory

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The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW) is advising coastal residents that with spring comes the emergence of black bears from their dens in search of food.

Bear attacks on humans are rare but the attacks do happen. According to online reports, there have been 82 fatal bear attacks in North America with 66 of those committed by wild black bears. The online reports also state the deadliest months for bear attacks are May through October. "Now is the prime time to look around your property and make sure food sources attractive to bears are secure and inaccessible," The ODFW states in a

release. "If you live along the Oregon Coast or own or manage coastal rental property, consider using bear-resistant trash cans."

According to the ODFW, a bear's strongest sense is smell and everything from trash cans to grill drippings can bring them to your property. Finding your trash spread out across the yard or driveway can certainly ruin your day, but the consequences could be much more severe. If bears become habituated to humans, too comfortable around people, they could pose a serious threat to human safety.

"A bear that loses its wariness of people and becomes conditioned to human-provided sources of food may be humanely killed, the ODFW release states. "This is often the only option to protect humans and ultimately to protect the larger bear population from learning the same behavior."

Bear background

Bears, like all wildlife, have a specialized

diet that coincides with seasonal changes. Access to human-provided food can negatively impact their health, lead to conflict with humans and in many cases have fatal consequences.

Bears have a great memory when it comes to food. Not only will they remember where they have found food before, including trash, but female bears will also pass this knowledge down to their young. Intentionally or unintentionally feeding bears can negatively affect multiple generations of bears.

Most conflict between humans and bears is preventable. Bears don't want to be around humans, but the prospect of an easy meal is often too good to resist. Removing things that attract them to the area is the most important thing you can do to protect people and ensure bears stay wild. The ODFW recommends that residents

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Taxpayers to see \$5.5B kicker

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The Oregon Office of Economic Analysis has issued the latest revenue forecast, projecting an additional \$1.96 billion in state revenue.

The outlook for personal and corporate income taxes has risen by \$1.5 to \$2 billion over the forecast horizon due to the updated model methodology. The 2021-23 personal kicker is now estimated to be \$5.5 billion, and the corporate kicker is now estimated to be \$1.8 billion.

The kicker tax credit goes into effect when the actual state revenue exceeds the forecasted revenue by at least 2%. An amount is then returned to the taxpayers through a credit on their tax returns.

Inflationary economic booms have not traditionally ended well, meaning not without a recession. As such it is easy to be pessimistic about the outlook for the economy, according to the Oregon Revenue Forecast Summary.

"Economic developments like last year's goods recession, and the banking turmoil earlier this year add more fear to the outlook. However, a near-term recession is far from a slam dunk. The reasons include some nascent signs that inflation is cooling and the Federal Reserve



is looking to pause its interest rate increases which limits the potential for overtightening. Furthermore, the economy is showing some signs of renewed strength as housing and manufacturing stabilize, and income growth is again outpacing inflation. All of these indicate a sudden stop in the economy in the short-term is unlikely," the Oregon Economic Forecast Summary states.

The Forecast's Revenue Outlook states:

"Available resources are expected to be up sharply relative to what was assumed in the March 2023 forecast, both in the near term and over the extended horizon. The upward revision in the outlook is based both on a stronger than expected tax filing season, as well as methodological changes made in light of fundamental shifts seen in recent years."

Reaction

Gov. Tina Kotek said the Oregon Legislature must use the incoming revenue to address the

pressing spending needs of the state.

"Oregonians have clear expectations for legislators to address our housing crisis, ensure that our behavioral health system is accessible in every part of the state, and set up our youngest students for success," Kotek said. "The revenue forecast lays the path for bold leadership. We cannot afford to squander this opportunity, and I look forward to a continued partnership with legislative leaders to deliver results for all regions of the state."

The Governor restated her call for focusing on the state's top priorities:

- \$316 million to continue and expand on the state's response to homelessness prevention and unsheltered homelessness, and \$1 billion in bonding to build and preserve more affordable housing.

- \$280 million dollar investment to address the behavioral health crisis playing out across Oregon communities and support a more accessible, better staffed system of care no matter where people live.

- \$120 million to improve early literacy by delivering the science of reading across all 197 school districts in Oregon to help our students learn to read

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Nearly \$1M earmarked for local transportation systems

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Public transportation systems in Curry and Coos Counties are getting a finance boost from state and federal funding.

The Curry County Public Transportation District will receive \$360,000 and Coos County Area Transportation \$633,600 as part of \$28.5 million in projects approved by the Oregon Transportation Commission through the Statewide Transportation

Improvement Fund's discretionary program.

The money is to support bus service, maintain and purchase vehicles, build bus charging stations and much more.

The Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) received 75 applications requesting \$35.5 million. That's approximately \$1.25 in proposals for every available dollar, which reflects high need for public transportation investments compared to funds available, according to a release from ODOT.



Courtesy photo

The Curry County Public Transportation District will receive \$360,000 and Coos County Area Transportation will see \$633,600 in funding support.

In making its recommendations to the state commission, the Public Transportation Advisory Committee considered input from transit districts, public transportation key audiences, Area Commissions on

Transportation, and others.

Funding for the programs comes from federal programs and a .01 of 1 percent state payroll tax.

To see a few examples of how these funds support public transportation and help some

of Oregon's most vulnerable residents, visit the My Oregon News website.

Learn more about ODOT's Public Transportation Division (PDF fact sheet).

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BRIEFLY

Songwriter Showcase coming to Brookings

Stagelights Presents, A Songwriter Showcase, from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, June 3, at the Chetco Grange, 97895 Shopping Center Avenue in Brookings.

Admission to showcase is by donation so give what you can. There will be a Lasagna dinner served from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. The cost is \$10 for Lasagna, salad, garlic bread, and non-alcoholic beverage. Beer and wine will be offered for additional charge.

Come out and support your music community and your favorite artist!

Sponsors include: CTR, Coos Curry Electric, OtterBee’s, Beacon, Himalayan HarmoniousHealing, Kim’s Garden Party, The Music Connection, Honey Bee Bakery, and The Insider of Southern Oregon.

Stagelights is a 501c3 non-profit formed in 2009 to offer music education and enrichment to our coastal community. Visit stagelights.us or the groups Facebook page to find out how to become a sponsor or volunteer.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Submissions for events can be sent by email to: pilotofficemgr@countrymedia.net

Daily: Chetco Activity Center, 550 Chetco Lane
Daily Meal, 11:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

- ‘50s – ‘70s European sports car club membership drive.
- If interested contact Chuck at the Del Norte TriPLICATE 707-460-6726.

Wednesday, May 24

- Chetco Activity Center, T’ai Chi, 9 – 10:30 a.m.
- Line dance lessons, Elks Lodge. Membership not required. \$1 donation.
- Beginner lessons Noon – 1 p.m. Intermediate lessons 1 – 2 p.m.
- The Walking Group, 10 a.m., Azalea Park
- Meet by Capella by the Sea. If raining meet at Brookings Harbor Shopping Center by the barbershop. For information 541-412-8664

Thursday, May 25

- Chetco Activity Center, Bridge, 11:45 a.m.
- Widows and Widowers Coffee Clique, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m., Community Center, Airport Way, Gold Beach
- Friends of the Library

Friday, May 26

- Chetco Activity Center, T’ai Chi, 9 – 10:30 a.m.
- The Walking Group, 10 a.m., Azalea Park
- Meet by Capella by the Sea. If raining meet at Brookings Harbor Shopping Center by the barbershop. For information 541-412-8664
- Friends of the Library Book Sale, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., Chetco Community Public Library, 405 Alder Street.
- Smith River United Methodist Church Three Day Sale, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m at the church

Saturday, May 27

- St. Timothy’s annual pie sale, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m., 401 Fir Street, Brookings.
- Brookings-Harbor Garden Club Annual Plant Sale and Garden Show, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., Botanical Gardens, Highway 101 at North Bank Chetco. Free admission.
- Friends of the Library Book Sale, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., Chetco Community Public Library, 405 Alder Street.

Sunday, May 28

- Brookings-Harbor Garden Club Annual Plant Sale and Garden Show, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., Botanical Gardens, Highway 101 at North Bank Chetco.
- Azalea Quilter’s Guild 38th Annual Quilt Show, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., Kalmiopsis Elementary School, 650 Easy Street. Quilt of Valor presentation at 2 p.m.

Monday, May 29

- Gold Beach VFW Post 4439 Memorial Day Ceremony, 11 a.m., Curry County Veterans Memorial site, Visitor Center, Shirley Lane. For information call John Bell at 541-247-6782.
- Line dance lessons, Elks Lodge. Membership not required. \$1 donation.
- Beginner lessons Noon – 1 p.m. Intermediate lessons 1 – 2 p.m.
- Bridge lessons, 2 p.m., Chetco Activity Center

Tuesday, May 30

- Chetco Activity Center, Bridge, 11:45 a.m.

State pausing Homeowner Assistance Program

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Oregon Housing and Community Services (OHCS) will pause accepting new applications for the Oregon Homeowner Assistance Fund (HAF) program at 4 p.m. May 31.

This pause will allow OHCS to process current applications in its queue and better project the amount of federal HAF funds remaining for homeowners. The state previously paused at the end of 2022 for the same reasons and has been

program will likely reopen once we process additional applications already in the queue. If you are a homeowner falling behind, we encourage you to reach out to a state-approved homeownership center right away.”

Homeowners who are most at risk of foreclosure and housing displacement, socially disadvantaged individuals (as defined by U.S. Treasury), or otherwise meet one of the additional eligibility criteria listed at www.oregon.gov/ohcs/pages/index.aspx.

Oregon jobless rate falls

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Oregon’s unemployment rate dropped to 4.0% in April, down from 4.4% in March, according to the latest report from the Oregon Employment Department.

For the past 21 months since August 2021, Oregon’s unemployment rate has remained relatively steady and near historic lows. The unemployment rate averaged 4.2% in that time, while ranging between 3.5% and 4.8%. The U.S. unemployment rate was 3.4% in April and 3.5% in March.

Health care and social assistance continued its recent rapid expansion. It added 11,500 jobs (+4.3%) during the past 12 months, which was the most jobs added of the major industries in that time. Social assistance, at 73,400 jobs in April, expanded rapidly in recent months, adding 7,300 jobs since April 2022. Nursing and residential care facilities also grew rapidly, adding 2,800 jobs in that time.

Both durable goods manufacturing and nondurable goods manufacturing have cut slightly more than 1,000 jobs each in the first four months of the year. Durable goods industries declining in that time include computer and electronic products, wood products, fabricated metal products, and transportation equipment. Within nondurable goods, food manufacturing has cut jobs this year, and is down 1,000 jobs since April 2022.

Gains and losses

In April, Oregon’s seasonally adjusted nonfarm payroll employment rose by 1,600 jobs, following a revised gain of 1,300 jobs in March. In April, gains were largest in other services (+1,700 jobs) and health care and

social assistance (+900). Declines were largest in construction (-1,000 jobs) and manufacturing (-600). Since April 2022, Oregon has added 38,400 nonfarm payroll jobs (+2.0%).

Other services is an industry made up of a variety of service establishments, such as repair, maintenance, laundry, religious organizations, and social advocacy organizations. Employment in this broad industry rose to 66,000 in April, reaching a record high, and for the first time surpassing its prepandemic peak of 65,500 in February 2020. Other services employment has recovered at a fairly steady pace over the past two and a half years.

POLICE BLOTTER

The police blotter is an excerpt of a public record of incidents as reported by law-enforcement agencies. All individuals arrested or charged with a crime are innocent until proven guilty. The information printed is preliminary and subject to change.

Brookings Police

May 8

- A burglary was reported on Sherwood Terrace.
- A non-injury collision was reported on Carpenterville Highway at milepost 357.
- A non-injury collision was reported on Chetco Avenue.

- Someone on Chetco Avenue reported receiving threats.
- A bad check was received by a business on Elk Drive.
- A fight was reported on Fir Street.

May 9

- A fight was reported on Hazel Road.
- A theft was reported from a business on Highway 101.
- Unauthorized use of a vehicle was reported on Gerlach Lane.
- A fire was reported on Second Street.
- A theft was reported on Skunk Run Road.
- A fight was reported on

reported on Easy Street.

- Illegal burning was reported on Chetco Point South.
- Someone on Shopping Center Avenue reported receiving a threat.
- A fire was reported on Ninth Street.
- Illegal camping was reported on North Bank Chetco River Road.
- A fight was reported on Fir Street. May 12

May 12

- A fight was reported on East Hoffeldt Road.
- A hit and run was reported on Shadow Street.
- Illegal camping was reported at Azalea Park. A fight was reported on East

Hoffeldt Road.

- A hit and run was reported on Shadow Street.
- Illegal camping was reported at Azalea Park.
- A fight was reported at Cape Ferrelo.
- A theft was reported on West Benham Street.
- A loud noise was reported on Sunset Strip.
- A traffic hazard was reported on 14th Street.

May 13

- A fight was reported on Lucky Lane.
- Violation of a restraining order was reported on Jackson Street.
- A fight was reported on West Benham Street.
- A fire was reported on

Crown Terrace.

- A loud noise was reported on Fern Avenue.

May 14

- A fight was reported on Highway 101 South.
- A fire was reported on Highway 101 South.
- A fight was reported on Ferry Creek Road.
- A fire was reported on Port Orford Loop.
- A rescue operation was reported at Oceans Marker 185.
- A fire was reported on Fern Ridge.
- A fight was reported on Sandy Lane.
- An intoxicated person was reported on Cypress Street.

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Sun setting along the Oregon Coast. See more Coast Moments at currypilot.com.

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Seabirds enjoy time along the Oregon Coast.



High waves crashing against the shoreline at Cape Arago along the Oregon Coast.

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Coast sunset.



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Sunset at the D River Wayside in Lincoln City.



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A restless ocean along the waterfront in Depoe Bay Sunday, March 5.

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A beach visitor and companions enjoy a quiet moment along the beach.

News & Views

PILOT

VIEW POINT

Smith abandoned his constituents in a recent walkout

Robin McMain
Pilot Guest Column

I voted for Sen. Brock Smith but I will never do so again after his irresponsible actions walking off the job and abandoning his constituents.

There are too many problems facing the south coast for us to have a senator who refuses to take votes on any bills and walks away from his responsibilities. Sen. Brock Smith’s decision to walk off the job is not only a dereliction of duty but also a waste of taxpayer dollars. It is disheartening to witness him deny the will of the voters, who have repeatedly expressed their opposition to costly walkouts.

Instead of engaging in constructive dialogue on issues where he may have disagreements with the other side of the aisle or advocating for the people in his district, Sen. Brock Smith has opted to abandon his post and shut down the legislative process, grinding the legislative session to a halt while his district is facing some serious challenges. This is not what we elected him to do.

I live in a community of 55+ residents and we are having some real problems with skyrocketing rent increases and lack of affordable housing in our community. Our county also has a behavioral health crisis, an opioid use crisis, and many other serious issues.

A recent news report showed that this walkout is also holding hostage bills that are vital for poverty-

stricken schoolchildren and housing for elderly veterans. <https://oregoncapitalchronicle.com/2023/05/17/gop-led-senate-walkout-keeps-dozens-of-bills-hang-in-the-balance/>

This is not the time for game playing. There is too much at stake.

Oregon voters have consistently voiced their disapproval of walkouts. Just last fall, Measure 113 passed with resounding support in 34 of 36 Oregon counties, including those represented by Senate Republicans. This measure made it clear that lawmakers need to show up and fulfill

If elected officials disagree with a bill, they should show up and work to improve it or simply vote against it. They have a responsibility to make their voices heard and engage in the democratic process. Shutting down the government or delaying the work of the people is not an acceptable approach.

Sen. Brock Smith has turned his back on us.

We need senators who are committed to representing our interests, engaging in constructive debate, and fulfilling their obligations. The south coast deserves a senator who will show up, take votes on critical issues, and work tirelessly to improve the lives of Oregonians.

It is time for Sen. Smith to reconsider his actions and prioritize the needs of his constituents over political maneuvering.

Robin McMain is a Curry County resident.

ENDORSEMENTS

Vote for Gold, Wilcox

If you have electricity in Curry County, then you most likely are a member of the Coos Curry Electric CO-OP (CCEC).

The members of CCEC elect a Board of Directors to manage the business of CCEC only. The members of CCEC own CCEC not the Board of Directors. However, the current Board majority has hijacked our CO-OP. This Board majority denies CCEC members from attending the monthly Board meetings where decisions are made. Past Boards allowed member’s oversight at these Board meetings. You can find that truth out for yourself by trying to go to an actual Board meeting where decisions are made; you can’t.

Why has this Board majority been allowed to hijack the CO-OP? It is because most of the members do not participate. This Board majority keeps getting elected by a very small group of CCEC members. There are over 14,000 members of CCEC yet in our Board elections less than 2,000 actually vote. At the yearly annual members’ meeting last year less than 100 members attended. Since members can’t go to Board meetings where decisions are made, members have no oversight. Right now, this Board majority is putting our CO-OP into 10’s of millions of dollars in debt. Where does all of this money go? Is it for high salaries, sweetheart deals to subcontractors, etc.?

When one of the Board members who was not a part of this majority spoke out about how things were looking fishy, she then was stripped of all of her committees to keep her out of the loop. What are they hiding? If you want transparency, then Vote for a Change. Vote for Sue Gold and Gayle Wilcox.

Joe Wilson
Gold Beach

Sheriff endorses Wilcox

I write this letter of support for Gayle Wilcox to be elected to the Board of Directors for Coos Curry Electric Cooperative. I have known Gayle for many years and worked with her when she was part of the Port Orford Ambulance. Gayle is a very trusting, caring, intelligent and honest person and I have no doubt that she would be a tremendous asset as a member of the Board of Directors. Gayle is a businesswoman in the City of Port Orford, running her own business and she has a great amount of respect from all that know her. I am sure that she will carry that with her in whatever she does.

I have no reservations about Gayle’s abilities, and I am quite positive that as a Member of the Board of Directors for Coos Curry Electric Cooperative, not only will she be a good ambassador for the CCEC, she will have the community’s best interest in mind when making decisions on their behalf.

Sheriff John Ward
Curry County



VOICES IN THE COMMUNITY

Be assured that CCEC complies with rules, regulations

The Coos Curry Electric (CCEC) members can be assured that CCEC complies with all cooperative rules and regulations regardless what a few disgruntled members are wanting you to believe.

This is confirmed by the recent year end 2022 audit conducted by an independent audit firm who audits ten cooperatives, seven of which have or are installing fiber to it’s members. This audit confirms the independent accounting between Beacon Broadband (BBI) and CCEC. In the auditors opinion, the consolidated information is fairly stated in all material respects.

There will be clear benefits to CCEC when the BBI project is complete. Especially during outages when the line crews can immediately identify where an outage occurred and not have to go to the field looking for open cutouts and breakers.

There is a claim of a lack of transparency by a small group. No business discloses their business plans to the public or competition and it is not in our members best interest to do so.

The majority of the CCEC Board believes in the four (4) strategic goals to maintain financial integrity, enhance our members lives, provide safe and reliable service and ensure process efficiencies, plus provide the lowest possible rates to our members. You have an experienced board and excellent management team, staff and line crew that believe in the seven (7) cooperative principles.

Any member can come to a board meeting and address the Board. In every case any issues raised by a member are discussed and a response is given to the member after review and confirmation of the facts presented.

Daryl Robison,
CCEC Director

Digital money makes no sense

There has been a lot of talk about inflation, a weakened economy and digital currency.

My wife and I recently shopped at Costco and saw what appeared to be a strong economy but with inflated prices. The parking lot was so full we could hardly find a spot and most carts were full.

The question in my mind observing that was, “are these shoppers prepping for a crash and hard times or simply buying now before prices go even higher?”

Digital money makes no sense to me. I think it may be a way for the government to monitor what what we spend our hard-earned money on.

Could it be a way to regulate our spending and tax us more? It wouldn’t surprise me. But what is obvious now is that people are concerned about the future of our once great country!

Lou Costa
Brookings

Republican’s are continuing their assault on our democracy

Sadly, the stench of Trump has lingered past his failed presidency and surprisingly appears he could very well be the GOP’s candidate for 2024.

Even after it’s been proven he is a sexual assaulter, serial liar, backer and fan of violent insurrectionists, and unapologetic of his racist birther attack on Barack Obama, his GOP sycophants like Lindsey Graham, Mike Pence, Ted Cruz, Kevin McCarthy, and other feckless cowards, still grovel at his feet for approval by their master. Embarrassing.

On the other side we Dems aren’t helping our own cause much by not being more aggressive about grooming a younger & more energetic presidential candidate for 2024.

I think Joe has done a good job getting us out of the

Trump hole and doing it with a hostile and crazy congress that fights him at every turn with outlandish policies. However, Joe alluded at the beginning of his term, a term he legitimately won btw, he would be a transitional president and then step aside. He apparently isn’t going to do that.

Diane Feinstein’s refusal to resign while obviously impaired because of age, also harms the Dem’s chances of staving off the Republican’s continuing assault on our democracy. Not a pretty picture for the future.

It’s still a long way to the 2024 election and I will fervently back Biden if he’s our candidate, but hoping for some big changes.

Rick McNamer
Smith River

Where did all the grownups go?

We don’t have grownups anymore.

That’s the Real “existential threat”, not white supremacy, not transphobia, not the climate and no, not Donald Trump.

Grownups don’t hate people they don’t even know. Grownups don’t make judgements about things they know little or nothing about. Grownups don’t believe everything they hear. Grownups don’t trust leaders who say they are in a war for the soul of America.

Grownups don’t wear masks on their faces in perpetuity because they are afraid of every little germ that might be in the air. Grownups check the facts, not the self-appointed government sanctioned fact checkers. Grownups would know that something big is happening in America while the puppet masters put on the greatest slight of hand shell game ever promulgated on an uninformed citizenry. Grownups would suspect that we are getting horrifyingly close to the kind of tyranny that America purports to oppose.

Grownups would realize that while we’re being sold the climate crisis and gender identity politics, there’s is something else going on and it is not to further democracy. They conveniently demonized Trump whose policies were actually good for America and try to push him out to sea while marching to the beat of Marxist ideologies that threaten to rip our culture apart.

Do your homework. And while you’re at it, read Robert F. Kennedy Jr.’s book, The Real Anthony Fauci. Don’t simply accept mainstream media’s declaration that RFK Jr. is a crazed “anti-vaxxer” with dangerous ideas. He’s a patriot and we could use some more of those.

There is more going on behind the curtains of this administration than they would like you to know and every good American deserves to know what is really happening to their country.

Avery Freauxbischer
Brookings

Memorial Day is more than a holiday

Memorial Day is a sacred day for all war veterans.

None need to be reminded of the reason why Memorial Day must be recognized.

Far too often our Country as a whole takes for granted the freedoms all Americans enjoy. Those freedoms were paid for with the lives of others few of us actually knew.

The white crosses in the military cemeteries and our local cemeteries represent freedom bought and paid for. Memorial Day is for honoring those who have died serving in uniform during wartime.

As Vietnam veterans our journey has been long, our bonds remain strong. We who remain will remember our brothers and sisters who have been called to their final home. The memory of our own will live on in us. This is what we do-it’s called remembrance; it’s called honor; it’s called family. I am sure that veterans of other wars feel the same way.

Sam Vitale
Brookings

ONLINE POLL

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27.3% Public safety	27.3% Public safety
27.3% Streets	27.3% Streets
18.2% Sewer & water	18.2% Sewer & water
27.3% Parks	27.3% Parks
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On-going ocean monitoring in Oregon’s Marine Reserves is unlocking secrets about temperatures and oxygen levels known to impact groundfish and invertebrate activities, create stresses on ecosystems and even alter sport anglers’ catches.

Some of the data go back two decades at what is now the Cape Perpetua Marine Reserve near Yachats and are buoyed by oceanography monitoring in recent years at the state’s four other marine reserves.

The phenomenon is called hypoxia, and data collected in the reserves is showing an apparent trend in size and length of these episodes, and that they differ throughout the Oregon Coast.

“In some places we’ve never looked until recently, we’re starting to see our first glimpses of it,” Oregon Marine Reserves Program Leader Dr. Lindsay Aylesworth said.

The program’s main oceanography monitoring began this past week with the placement of special moorings in the Cape Falcon Marine Reserve as well as in a nearby comparison area off Cape Meares. The moorings, which were deployed by a commercial boat captain hired by the program, contain sensors that track ocean temperature and oxygen levels through

early fall, when they will be removed.

Similar sensors were affixed to eight Standard Monitoring Units for Recruitment of Fishes, commonly known as SMURFs. They were deployed in late April at the Otter Rock Marine Reserve and the nearby Cape Foulweather Comparison Area near Newport.

Another mooring is set for placement later this week at the Cascade Head Marine Reserve. More SMURFs also are planned for deployment in the Redfish Rocks Marine Reserve, the southernmost reserve near Port Orford.

Data on oxygen and temperature has been collected consistently since 2002 at Cape Perpetua, which helped get these waters designated as a marine reserve in 2014. That monitoring is done by Oregon State University and PISCO, an acronym for Partnership for Interdisciplinary Studies of Coastal Oceans throughout the so-called California Current of sea water that moves deep into Central Oregon.

The Cape Perpetua oceanography monitoring efforts are the longest observed record for dissolved oxygen in near-shore ocean waters on the West Coast.

The moorings allow consistent tracking of temperature and oxygen levels that can’t otherwise be chronicled, according to



Courtesy from the ODFW
ODFW photo: Logan Browning from the F/V Lady Lee sets an oceanographic mooring at the Cape Falcon Marine Reserve’s comparison area at Cape Meares near Garibaldi.

Francis Chan and Oregon State University Associate Professor who is the director of the Cooperative Institute for Marine Ecosystem and Resources Studies.

“Unfortunately, you can’t see oxygen levels from space,” Chan said. “You have to put something in the water.”

Collectively, early data continue to show an apparent relationship between oxygen levels, wind direction and water temperatures. The data have shown that north winds desired for good ocean nutrient conditions routinely coincide with decreases in sea temperatures and periods of low oxygen levels, which occasionally can plunge to hypoxic levels. These zones seem to

disperse with the return of south winds that bring warmer sea temperatures and higher oxygen levels.

The size of these low-oxygen zones come and go and vary across state waters, but they have grown in size and time in recent years, the data suggest. Low oxygen levels, particularly when they plunge to levels of hypoxia, are known to place stress on fish, invertebrates and underwater ecosystems.

The sensors show a pattern that bouts of low oxygen can differ throughout state waters, with South Coast waters usually faring better than those on the Central and North coasts, Chan said.

These sensors, for instance, tracked a period of nearly six months in 2021 when portions of

Oregon’s near-shore waters were below hypoxic levels, Chan said.

Data also show that the Cape Falcon Reserve hit the hypoxia threshold only one day in September during last year’s monitoring season.

“There are a lot of neighborhoods out there,” Chan said.

While Cape Perpetua has been the backbone of oceanographic monitoring, similar data collected at Oregon’s four other near-shore reserves began as early as 2010 and been consistent since 2019.

After various hits and misses on methods, suspending sensors from a crab line weighed down to the sea floor by a large anchor chain and marked by flagged floating buoys was the most reliable and cost-effective way to collect these data, Aylesworth said. Each mooring costs about \$3,500, with the oxygen sensor alone costing about \$1,600.

Also, crab pots containing similar sensors are deployed during hook-and-line fish surveys in reserves and comparison areas, unlocking information about ocean conditions and catch rates.

During days of high levels of dissolved oxygen, catch rates during the marine reserves’ hook-and-line surveys show better catches of groundfish, data show.

Days with low oxygen levels correspond to

relatively poor catch rates among survey volunteers.

“It’s really hard to catch fish when oxygen levels are low,” Aylesworth said.

More years of data are needed before any definitive conclusions can be made on the relationships between water temperatures, winds, ocean oxygen levels and angler success.

“It highlights the value of long-term monitoring,” Aylesworth said.

About the Marine Reserve Program

Enacted by the Oregon Legislature in 2009, the Marine Reserves Program includes five actual marine reserves and nine protected areas that together cover nine percent of Oregon’s near-shore ocean waters.

The reserves, where no plants or animals can be removed and where development is banned, are underwater listening stations tracking ocean changes including fish, invertebrate and algal communities. It is the first long-term nearshore ocean conservation and monitoring program run by the state of Oregon and includes cutting-edge research on the economic, social, and cultural dynamics of the Oregon coast and coastal communities.

The program is funded through state general fund dollars and not sport or commercial fishing fees.

Second sinkhole appears at Cape K

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A second, deeper sinkhole has appeared at the Cape Kiwanda State Natural Area at Pacific City. Along the North Oregon Coast.

Oregon Parks and Recreation Department officials are asking visitors to use caution and to stay away from the area.

The second sinkhole was discovered Monday about 10 inches away from the first, which appeared in January. The new sinkhole measures about 10 feet across and about 30 feet deep and developed within the safety fence of the first sinkhole in the northwest corner of the lower dune.

Park staff learned about the additional sinkhole

late Monday evening, May 8, when a photo was posted on social media. They expanded the safety fence early Tuesday, May 9 around both sinkholes to keep park visitors at a safer distance.

“We ask that visitors respect this barrier and all park safety barriers and that they keep pets on leashes and children away from the edges,” OPRD Park Ranger Supervisor Travis Korbe said.

The second sinkhole appeared sometime between 10 a.m. when a park ranger checked on the safety fencing and 7:30 p.m. when a photo of the second sinkhole was posted on social media.

OPRD is working with a geologist to help determine

the best location for a permanent safety fence to keep visitors away from the sinkholes. The soil appears to be falling into large, unstable voids beneath the cliff caused by strong ocean waves. The first sinkhole measures about 25 feet across and 15 feet deep.

Cape Kiwanda is a sandstone outcropping, which is naturally much weaker and prone to sudden changes compared with harder rock like basalt. While any natural area carries risk, enjoying Cape Kiwanda safely requires visitors to pay special attention.

Even though the spot is marked with barriers, the sinkholes could change at any moment, and others could appear.

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Child Care access increasing in Oregon, OSU Study finds

MOLLY ROSBACH
Pilot Guest Article

Available child care slots for young children in Oregon grew by almost 5% from March 2020 to December 2022, thanks in part to increased public funding for child care, a new report from Oregon State University found.

In total, OSU researchers tallied 71,153 child care slots for ages 0-5 in 2022, up from 67,981 in 2020. But there is still work to pursue to increase child care throughout the state, state officials said.

The increase lifted several counties out of “child care desert” status. A child care desert is an area where at least three children exist for every child care slot available. Severe deserts are defined as having at most one slot for every 10 children. For this report, researchers focused on regulated child care for infants and toddlers (ages 0-2) and preschool-aged children (ages 3-5).

Since March 2020, eight of Oregon’s 36 counties have moved out of desert status for preschool-aged kids, and another eight became less severe deserts for infants and toddlers.

Though all Oregon counties except Gilliam County remain child care deserts for infants and toddlers, the number of publicly funded slots for this age group increased by 49%.

“We’re seeing a lot of those counties coming out of desert status because of the additional supply being developed from public funding,” said Michaela Sektan, co-author on the report and senior faculty research assistant in OSU’s College of Public Health and Human Sciences. “Without that public funding, all except three counties would be child care deserts.”

Most of the public funding for child care in Oregon comes from the Early Learning Account created by the Student Success Act of 2019. One-time child care stabilization grants disbursed as part of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 helped private child care programs during the pandemic.

Between 2020 and 2022, available child care in Oregon increased by 1,789 infant-toddler child care slots and 1,383 preschool slots. In the same time frame, the number of publicly funded

slots throughout the state increased by 4,214, split between 831 infant-toddler slots and 3,383 preschool slots. The public funds came primarily through Oregon Prenatal to Kindergarten, Preschool Promise and Baby Promise, which are state-administered programs that receive both state and federal dollars.

“The increased availability of child care slots since 2020 demonstrates the effectiveness of public investments and federal relief. It’s a good sign, but we can’t lose momentum,” said Alyssa Chatterjee, Early Learning System director at the state Early Learning Division. “We need to continue these investments in early learning and child care and communities agree.”

A recent survey conducted by Oregon Values and Beliefs Center, a nonpartisan opinion research group, and the Children’s Institute, a family policy advocacy organization, found that 80% of Oregonians support increasing state funding to support child care needs, regardless of whether the respondents had children themselves.

Results also showed that 60% of Oregonians with young children spend 20% of their monthly income on child care, and 54% of Oregon employers say child care access is a challenge in hiring and retention.

“We see this as our call to action for the state to continue investing in early learning and child care

programs,” Chatterjee said. Public funding is currently making a bigger difference in rural counties than in more metropolitan counties, the report found. Overall, 52% of slots for children ages 0-5 in non-metropolitan counties are publicly funded, compared with 20% of slots in metropolitan counties. Only Deschutes, Multnomah and Washington counties would continue to not be deserts without publicly funded slots.

Researchers were pleasantly surprised to find that Oregon’s child care availability is actually in a better place now than pre-pandemic, Sektan said.

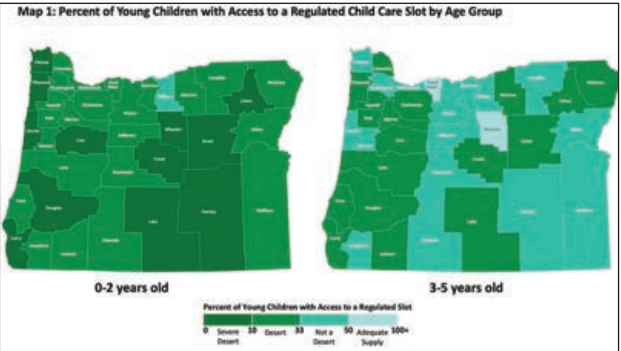
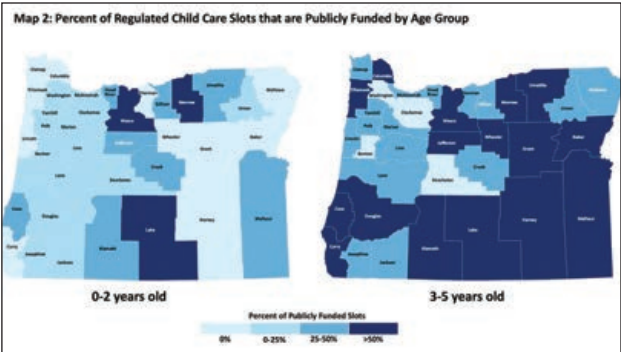
“We know Oregon’s child care supply was not adequate before 2020, and the pandemic really highlighted that,” she said. “The current numbers speak to the efforts to restabilize and rebuild child care, but there is still important work to do.”

The report did not look at the specific factors affecting access to child care beyond general availability. Cost, schedules, transportation distances, culture and disability accommodations all affect whether families can actually benefit from the child care available in their area, Sektan said.

The Early Learning Division, which will soon become the Department of Early Learning and Care, is currently working to increase availability and improve access by reducing licensing barriers, aligning program administration and reporting requirements, coordinating enrollment



Metro Creative Connection
The increase lifted several counties out of “child care desert” status. A child care desert is an area where at least three children exist for every child care slot available.



and making sure families are aware of the services available to them, Chatterjee said.

The report drew its data from multiple programs administered by the state’s Early Learning Division, including Oregon Prenatal to Kindergarten, Preschool Promise and Baby Promise. Researchers also included numbers from federal Head Start/Early Head Start, tribal Head

Start, and Migrant and Seasonal Head Start programs. On the private side, data came from Find Child Care Oregon, which is administered by Child Care Resource and Referral agencies.

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and write.

In addition, the forecast provides the opportunity to address a range of other urgent issues that are impacting Oregonian’s daily lives. The figures below are in addition to those originally proposed in the Governor’s Recommended Budget:

\$64 million to address urgent water quality and infrastructure issues in communities, particularly those that are small and

rural, across the state.

\$207 million to continue advancements in the state’s wildfire protection system.

\$6.3 million to open more training slots so more officers can move through the academy at the Department of Public Safety Standard and Training.

\$6.7 million to address the backlog at the Oregon Board of Parole for updating the state’s sex offender registry.

Senate President Rob Wagner (D-Lake Oswego) released the following statement:

“We have an incredible opportunity this session to fund access to health care, stronger public schools, job training and behavioral health treatment that will improve the lives of people all across Oregon. It is critical all 30 state senators are here to have a say and vote on how we invest this money to the maximum

benefit of Oregonians.”

Oregon House Speaker Dan Rayfield (D-Corvallis) issued the following statement after the release of a healthy revenue forecast:

“We were elected to address the top issues Oregonians care about most: homelessness, behavioral health, education, community safety, and access to healthcare. Today’s revenue forecast affirms our plan to move a responsive, sustainable budget that prioritizes these key issues. “Despite today’s forecast, we know that working families are still struggling with the lingering effects of inflation. It’s more critical than ever that we use state dollars wisely and in a way that leads to real outcomes. “We have to stay focused on a budget that maintains existing services, and invests in housing, healthcare, good-paying

Background

The Oregon Economic Forecast provides information to planners and policy makers in state agencies and private organizations for use in their decision-making processes.

The Oregon Revenue Forecast opens the revenue forecasting process to public review. It is the basis for much of the budgeting in state government. The forecast reports are issued four times a year: March, June, September, and December.

Read the full Oregon Revenue Forecast May 2023 with this story at currypilot.com.

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by Linda Thistle

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Work Schedule: Part-time Monday-Friday 7:00am-3:30pm.

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Employment Opps

Experience: High school diploma or general education degree (GED); or two years related experience and/or training; or equivalent combination of education and experience. **Required Qualifications:** Pass the Harbor District pre-employment physical examination. Ability to meet the requirements of a drug-free workplace. Successfully pass a criminal background check. Must provide a DMV printout of driving record and be insurable by the district's underwriter. **Desired Qualifications:** Demonstrate knowledge and/or documented experience of: General custodial practices. Lawn and plant care. General landscaping techniques. Small boat safety and maintenance. Basic techniques of maintenance, construction and repair related to harbor facilities. Operational characteristics of mechanical equipment and tools used in the assigned area of responsibility. Safe work practices. **Demonstrable ability and/or documented experience to:** Easily follow both written and oral direction given in English. Communicate clearly and concisely both in writing and orally in English. Work independently in the absence of supervision. Work outdoors in cold and wet conditions and during hours of daylight and darkness. Possess sufficient strength and stamina to lift and carry objects weighing up to 70 pounds and perform sustained heavy physical labor. Perform custodial duties and semi-skilled maintenance work on harbor facilities and equipment. Operate a variety of vehicular and stationary mechanical equipment in a safe and effective manner. Use and operate hand tools, mechanical equipment, and power tools and all equipment required for performance of duties in a safe and efficient manner. Perform heavy manual labor for extended periods of time. **Other Skills and Abilities:** Ability to swim. **Rate of Pay:** \$ 15.00 **To Apply:** If you meet the qualifications of this position, please submit your resume and cover letter to khanks@ccharbor.com.

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Real Estate/Trade

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Employment Opps

McLennan Excavation / Da-Tone Rock is hiring for a part time experienced accountant. Hours flexible, pay negotiable, email lily@pipeandrock.com or stop in the office at 98109 N. Bank Chetco River Road in Brookings.

Now Hiring cooks, prep cooks and servers. Apply in person. Top pay to qualified individuals. Good Harvest Cafe. 575 Hwy 101 S.

The Curry Pilot is now hiring a customer service and sales associate for Brookings. Come join our expanding team to serve Curry County. Full benefits package available, training, flexible hours, part or full time with additional earnings potential. Email resume to: Shawn Hedgecorth at pilotoffice-mgr@countrymedia.net EOE

Tidewater Contractors Established Construction company seeking Truck Drivers.

Responsibilities: Perform pre-trip and post-trip vehicle safety inspection & check fluid levels daily Report maintenance issues to shop mechanic Receive delivery instructions from Dispatch Manager, pick up and deliver cargo accordingly Keep a clean cab Maintain Driver's Daily Reports (mileage, fuel, etc.) Other duties as instructed by Dispatch Manager **Qualifications Required for the Job:** Ability to understand oral and written instructions relating to products Excellent defensive driving skills 1 year experience as a commercial driver license holder 3 years experience as a lowboy truck driver preferred Effectively lift various objects weighing up to 80 pounds Compensation will be based on experience We are an equal opportunity employer. Women, minorities, veterans, and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply. Must have valid CDL/ ODL & be able to pass a Pre-Employment DOT Drug Screening. Benefits included after probationary period including 401K w/ Potential Profit Share. Apply in person: 16156 US-101 Brookings OR, or send resume and cover letter to: info@twcontractors.com or call 541-469-5341

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Employment Opps

In-Home Caregiver - Brookings. \$25/hr, will train. no heavy lifting. 619-203-7800

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Boats & Motors

Wanted!! Approx. 28 ft Long X 10 ft wide boat trailer. In Brookings. 702-275-6041 or kenfreeman66@gmail.com. Prefers phone call

604

Recreational Vehicles

2006 Monaco Monarch SE 30PDD Ford Chassis V10 Triton. 31-foot Motorhome with 2 Slide-outs. 35,000 miles. 7-foot ceilings. Single Windshield. Cummins Onan 4000 Gas Generator. 14-foot Main Slide-out (needs couch or couch/table combo) Bedroom Slide-out has new mattress. Kitchen has everything and it all works. CB Radio, In-Motion Satellite, New Tires, Fresh Oil Change, Air Filter, New Furnace Electrical Board and Fan Motor, New Inverter, Knife Blades for both tanks, Toilet replaced, Electrical Receptacles Replaced. \$27,000 OBO Call 707.460.0207 Thank you!

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Campers & Trailers

MO-29.5 2009 Arctic Fox 5th wheel Silver Fox edition Newer tires, Lots of addons, 1 owner. \$17900 obo. 541-661-5300

2018 Keystone Cougar 40ft 5th wheel for sale. Excellent condition. No animals or smoking. 58K obo. 541-415-4842

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SUVs

2003 Red Ford Excursion 4X4 converted to mini RV, Auto, 6.8L V-10, 44 gal gas tank, flush-toilet, microwave. 169K miles. \$16000. In Brookings. 509-489-8948

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541-251-2152

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541-254-0134

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712
Furniture

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Food & Produce

ENJOY 100% guaranteed, delivered-to-the-door Omaha Steaks! Get 8 FREE Omaha Steaks Burgers! Order The All-Time Grilling Faves! ONLY \$99.99. Call 1-844-517-2592 and mention code 73375STH or visit www.omahasteaks.com/GrillFaves5226. (ONPA)

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810
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820
Mobile/Manuf. Homes

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860
Storage

Inside 12X30 Storage. \$150/mo. Not suitable for household items. 541-661-1570

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:

RICHARD AIKIN CASE NO. CVPB-2023-7017

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of RICHARD AIKIN. A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by NICHOLAS AIKIN in the Superior Court of California, County of Del Norte. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that NICHOLAS AIKIN 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: 06/09/23 at 10:00AM in Dept. 2 located at 450 H STREET, ROOM 209, 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 DAVID J. LEE, ESQ. - SBN 273738, SWEENEY MASON LLP 983 UNIVERSITY AVE., SUITE 104C LOS GATOS CA 95032-7637 **CNS-3699065#** Published: May 17, 24, and 31, 2023. Triplicate T363609

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/ are doing business as:

Affordable Home & Rental Repair, www.crescentcitytimes.com 937 J Street Crescent City, CA 95531

This filing is a refil of previous file #20170093 due to publication requirement not met on previous filing. This Business is conducted by: **a married couple**

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **8/30/2017** 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:/s/ **Douglas B Westfall, /s/ Donna Westfall**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **4/20/2023** Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder Claire Landay, Deputy **File No. 20230041** Published: May 3, 10, 17, and 24, 2023 DN Triplicate T362694

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: **Martin Bruce Gruver Case Number: CVPB-2023-7020**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of **Martin Bruce Gruver** A Petition for Probate has been filed by: **Evy Gruver**, in the Superior Court of California, County of: Del Norte.

The petition for probate requests that: **Evy Gruver** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: Date: **May 26, 2023** 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 de Solenni 384 G Street Crescent City, CA 95531 (707) 464-6181** Published: May 10, 17, and 24, 2023. Triplicate T363361

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF DEL NORTE 450 H Street

Crescent City, CA 95531 Petition of: **Micheal Antonio Lundback** CASE NO. CVPT-2023-1113 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

To all interested persons: Petitioner: **Micheal Antonio Lundback** filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name: **Micheal Antonio Lundback** to Proposed name: **Tony Michael Lundback** THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing. **NOTICE OF HEARING** Date: **June 9, 2023** Time: **10:00 am** Dept.: **1** The address of the court is same as noted above. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Del Norte Triplicate Date: April 27, 2023 /s/ Darren McElfresh Judge of the Superior Court Published: May 10, 17, 24, and 31, 2023. Triplicate T363336

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Del Norte Triplicate Date: March 28, 2023 /s/ Darren McElfresh Judge of the Superior Court Published: May 10, 17, 24, and 31, 2023 Del Norte Triplicate T362724

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/ are doing business as:

Noel's Custom D. I. Y, 1950 Northcrest Drive #9 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: **4/24/2023** 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:/s/ **Noel Alocco** This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **4/25/2023** Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy **File No. 20230042** Published: Maay 10, 17, 24, and 31, 2023 Del Norte Triplicate T363242

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/ are doing business as:

Williams Repair & Construction 271 Westbrook Lane Smith River, CA 95567

This Business is conducted by: **an individual** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **7/28/2022** 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:/s/ **Michael Williams** This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **4/26/2023** Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy **File No. 20230043** Published: May 10, 17, 24, and 31, 2023. Triplicate T362932

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/ are doing business as:

Subway #35446 900 E Washington Blvd Crescent City, CA 95531

This Business is conducted by: **a limited liability company** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **4/5/2023** 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:/s/ **Aaron Badavinac, Owner** This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **4/11/2023** Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy **File No. 20230034** Published: May 10, 17, 24, and 31, 2023. Triplicate T363154

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF DEL NORTE 450 H Street

Crescent City, CA 95531 Petition of: **Chevy Angel Patton-Smith and Novalee Nation Patton-Smith** CASE NO. CVPT-2023-1088 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

To all interested persons: Petitioner: **Chevy Angel Patton-Smith and Novalee Nation Patton-Smith** filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name: **Chevy Angel Patton-Smith and Novalee Nation Patton-Smith** to Proposed name: **Chevy Angel Patton and Novalee Nation Patton** THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing. **NOTICE OF HEARING** Date: **June 2, 2023** Time: **10:00 am** Dept.: **1** The address of the court is same as noted above. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Del Norte Triplicate Date: March 28, 2023 /s/ Darren McElfresh Judge of the Superior Court Published: May 10, 17, 24, and 31, 2023 Del Norte Triplicate T362724

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NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS PROBATE NO.: 23PB03998

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, Kenneth A. Burns, have been appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Yvonne Corrine Sharp by the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Curry County, and all persons having claims against said estate are required to present them to me at the law office of my attorney, Michael P. Vanderhoff, 780 S. Front St., Ste. 150, Central Point, Oregon 97502, within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or they may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by this proceeding are advised that additional information may be obtained from the court records, the undersigned, or my attorney. DATED AND FIRST PUBLISHED this 17th day of May, 2023. Kenneth A. Burns, Personal Representative Published: May 17, 24, and 31, 2023. Pilot & ONPA P363628

City of Crescent City Notice of Public Hearing and Summary Ordinance No. 836: Confirming Approval of a Military Equipment Use Policy

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Monday, June 5, 2023 at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, in the Board Chambers at 981 H Street, Crescent City, California, the City Council of the City of Crescent City will hold a public hearing on the adoption of Ordinance No. 836, Confirming Approval of the Police Department's Military Equipment Use Policy. The policy identifies that equipment identified by AB 481 as "military equipment" that is currently used or proposed to be purchase by the Police Department in the coming year as well as the quantity, cost, lifespan, purpose, authorized uses and required training for each type of equipment. The proposed policy is posted on the Crescent City Police Department's webpage <https://www.crescentcity.org/departments/Police> and also available by contacting Robin Altman, City Clerk, during normal business hours, Monday – Thursday, 7:30am to 5:30pm (707) 464-7483 ext. 223. All interested persons will be given an opportunity to comment on the policy at the public hearing. In addition, written comment may be submitted to the City Council prior to the hearing via email to publiccomment@cityofcrescentcity.org or via U.S. Mail to the attention of the City Clerk, City of Crescent City, 377 J Street, Crescent City, CA 95531. Please reference the hearing title and hearing date in any correspondence. /s/ Robin Altman, City Clerk Published: May 24, 2023. Triplicate T363389

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TRUSTEE’S NOTICE OF SALE
NOTICE is hereby given that the obligation secured by the Trust Deed described below is in default, and that the Beneficiary has elected to foreclose the Trust Deed pursuant to ORS 86.705 to 86.795. No action is now pending to recover any part of the debt secured by the Trust Deed. The Beneficiary Exemption Affidavit is on file with the Oregon Foreclosure Avoidance Program. Information required by ORS 86.771 is as follows: 1. Grantors: Allen G. Hethcock and Tammy L. Streeter, as tenants by the entirety, Trustee: Curry County Title, Successor Trustee: Joseph E. Kellerman, 14 N. Central Ave., Suite 104, Medford, OR 97501, Beneficiary: Rogue Credit Union. 2. Property covered by the Trust Deed: A portion of the Southeast Quarter (SE1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE1/4) of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Thirty-two (32) South, Range Fifteen (15) West, Willamette Meridian, Curry County, Oregon, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the North line of the William Tichenor D.L.C. which is 888.9 feet West of the Section line between Sections 32 and 33 of Township 32 South, Range 15 West, Willamette Meridian; Thence South 1405.4 feet and East 371.6 feet to the True Point of Beginning; Thence East 50.0 feet; Thence North 100.0 feet; Thence West 50.0 feet; Thence South 100.0 feet to the True Point of Beginning. 3. Trust Deed was recorded on May 16, 2017 as instrument no. 2017-02079 of the official records of Curry County, Oregon. 4. Default for which foreclosure is made is failure of the Grantor to make required payments under the terms of the Promissory Note and Trust Deed pledged as security therefore, and failure to keep the property insured. 5. The sums owing on the obligation secured by the Trust Deed is \$123,458.59 as of the 9th day of March, 2023, plus interest accruing on the unpaid principal portion thereof at the rate of 4.625% per annum, recoverable late fees, trustee’s and attorney’s costs and fees incurred, plus such other sums as Beneficiary may advance for the benefit of Grantor – i.e., real property taxes and insurance premiums. 6. The Beneficiary has and does elect to sell the property to satisfy the obligation. 7. The property will be sold in the manner prescribed by law on the 27th day of July, 2023, at 4:00 p.m. standard time as established by ORS 187.110, outside of the public entrance to the Curry County Courthouse, 29821 Ellensburg Avenue, Gold Beach, Oregon, 97444, Curry County, Oregon. 8. Interested persons are notified of the right under ORS 86.778 to have this proceeding dismissed and the Trust Deed reinstated by payment of the entire amount then due, other than such portion as would not then be due had no default occurred, together with costs, trustee, and attorney’s fees, and by curing any other default complained of in this Notice, at any time prior to five days before the date last set for sale. 9. Without limiting the trustee’s disclaimer of representations or warranties, Oregon law requires the trustee to state in this notice that some residential property sold at a trustee’s sale may have been used in manufacturing methamphetamines, the chemical components of which are known to be toxic. Prospective purchasers of residential property should be aware of this potential danger before deciding to place a bid for this property at the trustee’s sale. 10. In construing this notice and whenever the context hereof so requires, the

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singular includes the plural, the word “grantor” includes any successor in interest to the grantor as well as any other person owing an obligation, the performance of which is secured by said Trust Deed, and their successors in interest, the word “trustee” includes any successor trustee and the word “beneficiary” includes any successor in interest of the beneficiary named in the Trust Deed, and any collateral beneficiary, and their successors in interest. DATED this 10th day of March, 2023. HORNECKER COWLING LLP By: /s/ Joseph E. Kellerman, Successor Trustee Published: May 24, 31, June 7 and 14, 2023. Pilot & ONPA P363771

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: Jo-Ann Wisenhunt Case Number: CVPB-2023-7022 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Jo-Ann Wisenhunt A Petition for Probate has been filed by: April Mouser, in the Superior Court of California, County of: Del Norte. The petition for probate requests that: April Mouser 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: June 9, 2023 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. Petitioner: April Mouser 603 S Junction Ave Cave Junction, OR, 97523 (707) 218-7734 Published: May 24, 31, and June 7, 2023. Triplicate T364162

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T.S. No. 109534-CAAPN: 118-424-005-000 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 4/7/2004. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER On 7/11/2023 at 11:00 AM, CLEAR RECON CORP, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 6/15/2004 as Instrument No. 20044148 of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Del Norte County, State of CALIFORNIA executed by: LORETTA M UPTON, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER’S CHECK DRAWN ON A STATE OR NATIONAL BANK, A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, OR SAVINGS BANK SPECIFIED IN SECTION 5102 OF THE FINANCIAL CODE AND AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THIS STATE; OUTSIDE ON THE STEPS OF THE SOUTHWEST ENTRANCE TO THE FLYNN ADMINISTRATION BLDG. LOCATED AT 981 H STREET, CRESCENT CITY, CA 95531 all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: MORE ACCURATELY DESCRIBED IN SAID DEED OF TRUST. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1333 OREGON ST, CRESCENT CITY, CA 95531 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition, or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$12,110.63 If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder’s sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned or its predecessor caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also

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be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder’s office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (844) 477-7869 or visit this Internet Web site WWW.STOXPOSTING.COM, using the file number assigned to this case 109534-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. NOTICE TO TENANT: Effective January 1, 2021, you may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an “eligible tenant buyer,” you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an “eligible bidder,” you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call (855) 313-3319, or visit this internet website www.clearreconcorp.com, using the file number assigned to this case 109534-CA to find the date on which the trustee’s sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee’s sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee’s sale. If you think you may qualify as an “eligible tenant buyer” or “eligible bidder,” you

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should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. FOR SALES INFORMATION: (844) 477-7869 CLEAR RECON CORP 8880 Rio San Diego Drive, Suite 725 San Diego, California 92108 Published: May 24, 31, and June 7, 2023. Triplicate T364024

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS

The Curry County Weed Advisory Board is holding an **informational workshop from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 30.** Topics include an overview of the existing Noxious Weed Control program, a presentation by ODA on biocontrols, and discussion of program needs. **The Curry County Soil & Water Conservation District’s regular monthly meeting will follow at 7:00 p.m.** In addition to routine business, the board will consider adjustments to the 2022-23 budget, consider switching from accrual to cash basis reporting of the annual financial statements, and review the draft 2023-24 annual work plan. Other matters may be discussed. Both events will be held at the Curry Watersheds Partnership office located at 29286 Ellensburg Ave., Gold Beach. The location is accessible to persons with disabilities. An electronic option to join is also available. To access the events electronically, please contact Tammy Wills at tammy.wills@currywatersheds.org or (541) 247-2755 ext 6. To request an interpreter for the hearing impaired or for other accommodations for persons with disabilities, please contact Tammy Wills at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. Published: May 24, 2023 (online May 12 – 24, 2023). Pilot & ONPA P364021

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/ are doing business as: **Misty Forest Farm 1560 Boulder Avenue 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: **4/1/2023** 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: **/s/ Rebekah Wilson** This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **4/14/2023** Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy **File No. 20230038** Published: May 10, 17, 24, and 31, 2023. Triplicate T363283

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING DEL NORTE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the COUNTY OF DEL NORTE will hold a public hearing to consider the requests listed below. ALL PERSONS ARE INVITED TO APPEAR AND BE HEARD. Comments may be submitted in writing at, or prior to, the hearing. Those wishing to be notified of the final action must submit a written request. Appeals must be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors by June 19, 2023. If you challenge the decision of the Planning Commission, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing. DATE OF HEARING: June 7, 2023 TIME OF HEARING: 6:00 p.m. PLACE OF HEARING: 981 H Street, Suite 100, Crescent City, CA 95531, and VIA Zoom and media.del-norte.ca.us *** Use Permit for Multi-Family in C-2 Light Commercial Zone District on E. Madison Ave, Crescent City, CA 95531. KCLC3 Properties, LLC has applied for a Use Permit for multiple dwellings and dwelling groups of a density and subject to requirements specified for R-3 (High Density Multiple Family Residence) zone districts. The one-acre parcel is currently developed with a small mobile home park and multiple single-family homes. APN 116-780-001 located at 300 blk of E. Madison Ave, Crescent City, CA 95531. Please contact the County Planning Division at (707) 464-7254 with any questions. DATE: May 15, 2023 Del Norte County Planning Division Community Development Department Published: May 24, 2023. Triplicate T364155

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/ are doing business as: **Subway #12239 850 Hwy 101 Crescent City, CA 95531** This Business is conducted by: **a limited liability company** The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **4/5/2023** 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: **/s/ Aaron Badavinac, Owner** This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **4/11/2023** Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy **File No. 20230033** Published: May 10, 17, 24, and 31, 2023. Triplicate T363153

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at 5:30 PM, on Thursday, June 09, 2023, the Crescent City Planning Commission will be holding a Public Hearing, during the regular scheduled meeting, located at the Wastewater Treatment Plant Conference Room (210 Battery St, Crescent City, CA) on the following applications:
AGENDA ITEM #2: CDP23-01/AR23-01 – LNL Design & Construction
LNL Design & Construction has submitted a Coastal Development Permit (CDP) and a Site Plan / Architectural Design Review Application (CDP23-01/AR23-01) for the proposed Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU). The ADU is proposed on an existing residential lot within CZ-R1 (Coastal Zone – Low Density Residential District) located at 258 W 4th Street (APN 118-040-001). The proposed project is determined to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §15303 (New Construction) and §15332 (In-Fill Development Projects). AGENDA ITEM #3: AR23-06 – Tsunami Lanes
Tsunami Lanes & FEC Inc. submitted a Site Plan / Architectural Design Review Application (AR23-06) for a proposed Phase 3 expansion (outdoor entertainment) on a vacant lot in an existing commercial complex within the C-2 Zoning (General Commercial District) located at 736 L Street (APN 118-250-010). The proposed project is determined to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §15303 (New Construction) and §15332 (In-Fill Development Projects). AGENDA ITEM #4: UP23-04 & AR23-07 – LNL Design & Construction
LNL Design & Construction submitted a Conditional Use Permit & Site Plan / Architectural Design Review Application (UP23-04/AR23-07) for a proposed mixed-use development (residential 29-unit and commercial-laundry mat) on a 0.5-acre vacant parcel within the C-W Zone (Waterfront Commercial District) located at the southwestern corner of 3rd & F Streets (APN 118-060-022). The proposed project is determined to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §15303 (New Construction) and §15332 (In-Fill Development Projects). AGENDA ITEM #5: REVISE Signs Ordinance (CCMC Chapter 17.39)

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The proposed revisions to the Signs Ordinance (Chapter 17.39) include expanding definitions, extending the temporary sign permit timeframes, and adding allowable sign types City-wide. The proposed revisions are determined to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §15060(c) (1) (The activity does not involve discretionary powers), PUBLIC PARTICIPATION is invited by the following methods: 1) In-Person: 3-minute public comment at the podium will be allowed; 2) Virtually: via Zoom, additional information and instructions will be posted the City's website: www.crescentcity.org. However, the City does not guarantee that there will not be technological issues/interruptions, in which case the meeting will continue in person; 3) In-Writing: prior to 12:00 PM the day of the meeting, via publiccomment@crescentcity.org or by filing with the City Clerk at 377 J Street, Crescent City, CA, 95531. Written public comments will be forwarded to the Planning Commission, posted on the website, and will not be read aloud during the meeting. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION including general questions regarding the Planning Commission, the permit process, submission of materials, and other information not specific to this project may be directed to the City's Planning Consultant (elawton@shn-engr.com/707-633-9031).
Published: May 24, 2023.
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THE CURRY COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Curry County Planning Commission will hold a public meeting and hearing, Thursday, **June 15th, 2023, at 5:30 p.m.** in the Board of Commissioners Hearing Room, County Annex, 94235 Moore Street, Gold Beach, Oregon.
AND GoToMeeting: https://meet.goto.com/curry-boc/planning-commission
Or by phone dial in: 1 (646) 749-3122
Access Code: 466-931-829
(NOTE: GoToMeeting or phone dial in may not be available for this meeting due to County-wide ransom attack.)
If connection instructions are needed, please contact Curry County Community Development – Planning Division at (541) 247-3304 – Penny Hudgens, Office Manager.
AD-2308 – Request for Conditional Use Approval for aggregate mining, processing, and concurrent restoration of impacted grazing lands. Property owner is Wahl Ranches and Company LLC. Property is described as T32S, R15W, Section 18, Tax Lot 1801, and is located about 3 miles north of Port Orford.
CP/GE-2301 – Request for a Comprehensive Plan change and Goal 18 Exception (Beaches and Dunes) to place structural protection on the beach to rebuild Highway 101 at MP 304.05 (slide area between Gold Beach and Port Orford). Applicant is the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT).
The above project application is available online via the Curry County Planning Commission web site https://www.co.curry.or.us/government/planning_commission or can be viewed at the Curry County Planning Department. Staff reports will be posted online at least 10 days prior to the hearing. Contact Becky Crockett, Planning Director if you have questions regarding these applications. Email: currycommdev@gmail.com or Phone: (541) 247-3228. You may speak on the above applications either by attending the meeting or through the GoToMeeting identified above. You may also submit written testimony on these applications to the Planning Department up to the time of the Planning Commission Hearing. Published: May 24, 2023. Pilot & ONPA 364176

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING DEL NORTE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the County of Del Norte will hold a public hearing to consider the requests listed below. All persons are invited to appear and be heard. Comments may be submitted in writing at, or prior to, the hearing. Those wishing to be notified of the final action must submit a written request. Appeals must be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors by June 19th, 2023. If you challenge the decision of the Planning Commission in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing. The following project(s) are located within the California Coastal Zone: DATE OF HEARING: June 7, 2023 TIME OF HEARING: 6:00 p.m. PLACE OF HEARING: 981 H Street, Suite 100, Crescent City, CA 95531 and VIA Zoom and media.del-norte.ca.us *** Use Permit for Temporary Invalid Care Unit on Beckett Ln, Crescent City, CA. The applicant proposes to place an 11'x32' temporary unit for invalid family care on a 1.9-acre parcel currently developed with a residence and accessory structures appurtenant to residential use. All utilities will be integrated into those that serve the primary residence. The unit will be removed no later than 90 days after the need for the unit expires. The use permit is subject to yearly review and extension by the Planning Commission. APN 112-040-035 located at 201 Beckett Ln, Crescent City, CA 95531. *** Coastal Development Permit for new residence at 16700 N. Highway 101, Smith River, CA 95567. The applicant proposes to replace an older mobile home at the site (which will be demolished) with a new residence. The footprint of the new residence is consistent with the footprint of the older mobile home that is to be demolished. The new proposed residence will be of a similar height as the mobile home. A garage that served the mobile home will remain to serve the new residence if approved. APN 101-070-021 located at 16700 N. Highway 101, Smith River, CA 95567. Please contact the County Planning Division at (707) 464-7254 with any questions. DATE: May 15, 2023 Del Norte County Planning Division Community Development Dept. Published: May 24, 2023. Triplicate T364154

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: Theresa M. Gruden, Deceased Case Number: CVPB-2023-7024
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: **Theresa M. Gruden, Theresa Marie Gruden, Terri Gruden, Theresa M. Barry**
A Petition for Probate has been filed by: **Richard M. Gruden**, in the Superior Court of California, County of: Del Norte.
The petition for probate requests that: **Richard M. Gruden** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, to 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: **June 16, 2023**
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

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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: **Chris Doehe PO Box 1321 Crescent City, CA 95531 (707) 465-1388**
Published: May 24, 31, and June 7, 2023 Del Norte Triplicate T364169

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF CRESCENT CITY FY 23-24 BUDGET

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing on the proposed Fiscal Year 2023-24 Budget for the City of Crescent City, California, which is now under consideration by the City Council, will be held on Monday, June 5, 2023, at 6:00 PM, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, at which time any and all persons may appear and be heard regarding said Budget. Written public comments may be submitted to the City Clerk at 377 J Street, Crescent City, California 95531, prior to the hour of 12:00 p.m. on Monday, June 5, 2023. Copies of the proposed Budget are on file in the office of the City Clerk for public inspection. If you require special accommodation, please contact City Clerk Robin Altman at 464-7483 ext. 223. /s/ Robin Altman, City Clerk Published: May 24, 2023. Triplicate T364025

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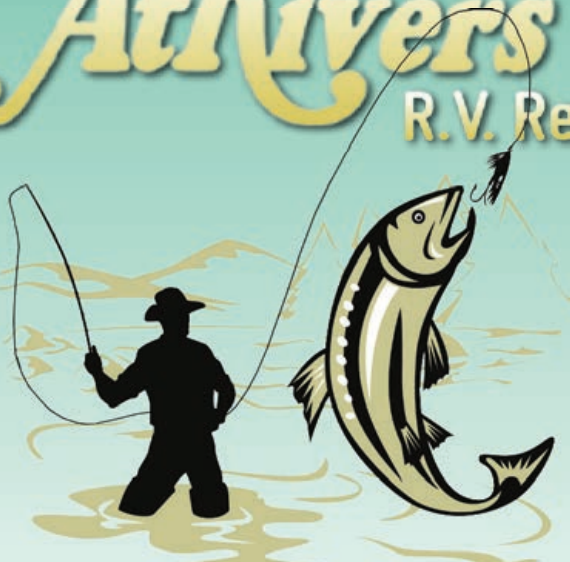
we have planned on the beautiful coast of Brookings, Oregon.

2023 Schedule of Events

Thursday, May 25 Annual Chetco Library Book Sale 10am - 4pm Chetco Community Library, 405 Alder St Nothing beats a GREAT BOOK SALE! Stop by and check out the all the bargains. Sale runs Thursday-Sunday (SUNDAY HOURS noon-3pm)	Saturday, May 27 “Catch A Whopper” Kid’s Fish Ponds 8am-10:30am Grocery Outlet Parking Lot, Hwy 101 & 5th Street Kids can cast their line to catch a 12” Rainbow Trout from the Elk River Hatchery in one of the ponds. It’s free and a great way to hook your child on fishing. Presented by the Oregon South Coast Fishermen.	that thrive in our Oregon Coastal region. Purchase a few local grown plants for you own collection. Flower show, raffle and plant sale (by donation) beginning Saturday May 27 at 10am to 5pm, and Sunday May 28 from 10am to 4pm. We ask the public to bring single flowers or arrangements they’ve made of their garden grown flowers to the Botanical Garden on Friday May 26th between 3pm and 5pm, or Saturday morning after 9:15. Grand Marshall, Azalea Princess and her entourage will come to judge the flowers and arrangements. Their selections will win prizes valued around \$25.00. We are also holding a raffle for a women’s basket of items, men’s basket of items, and a crystal vase of flowers. There will be gift certificates in these baskets, so some lucky winners will go away with high winnings! Hosted by the Brookings Harbor Garden Club.	Azalea Quilt Guild 38th Annual Quilt Show 10am-5pm Kalmiopsis Elementary School - 650 Easy St A Festival favorite with quilted items for sale, demonstrations and raffle drawing. Azalea Festival Art Show & Sale 11am-5pm Azalea Middle School - 505 Pacific Hosted by the Manley Art Center this two-day art show and sale at Azalea Middle School is a 60 year tradition. Local artists from novices to professionals participate with a wide range of featured art including a silent auction! Rock the Park Noon-6pm at Azalea Park We invite you to ROCK the PARK from noon-6pm! Enjoy the Brookings Elk’s mouth-watering pulled pork BBQ and some great classic rock. This is a family friendly event.	Pioneer Citizen Reception 4pm-6pm 15461 Museum Rd, Hwy 101 South Hosted by the Chetco Valley Museum. Pool Party Movie Night 7pm, Doors open at 6pm-9:30pm City Pool, 1130 Ransom Suit up and kick off the summer with our first pool party movie night. Family friendly. \$5 with popcorn or free with a pool pass purchase. For more information call Chaylene, pool mgr at 541.469.4711 and click here for details. Weather dependent in case of severe bad weather!	and rusty junk to beautiful handmade foods, amazing gifts and festive trinkets. Local non-profits and service organizations will join the mix. Food and beverages available.
Friday, May 26 HONORING OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN 6pm-6:30pm City Hall Flag Pole Courtyard VVA Chapter 757 invites you to join them in the reading of names honoring those that have served our country.	84th Annual Azalea Festival Parade 10am-Noon Hwy 101 from Easy Street to Oak Street Marching bands, floats, vintage cars and more. KURY 95.3 FM will be broadcasting the parade starting at 9:45am in front of the Central Building located at Hwy 101 and Center Streets.				Airport Day 10am-4pm at the Brookings Airport - Parkview Dr No reservations required. Airplane rides \$40 adults, \$30 under 12 Helicopter rides \$85 adults, \$75 under 12. Purchase tickets in person on the day of the event, starting at 10am, tickets are sold on a first-come, first-serve basis, arrive early to secure a spot. BBQ and static displays throughout the day.
Friday Night Dance Party 7pm - 10pm at Azalea Park Hosted by the Brookings Harbor Chamber of Commerce-Dance to all your favorites under the stars with DJ Scott and Wild Rivers Sound. Free family friendly event. Food and Beverages available.	Flower Show and Plant Sale 10am-4pm at the Botanical Gardens - Hwy 101 & North Bank Rd Discover the diverse plants				Azalea Festival Art Show & Sale 10am-4pm Azalea Middle School - 505 Pacific Art Show continues. See Saturday at 11am for more information.

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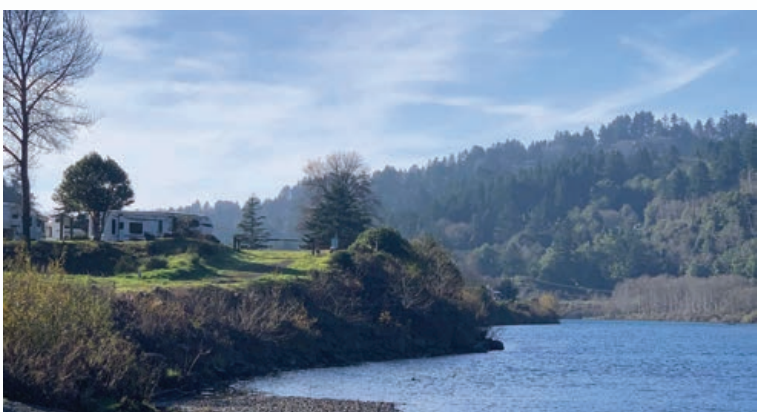
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Azalea Festival Awards Ceremory

1:45pm-2:15pm
Azalea Park Band Shell
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All Call Class Reunion

2pm at the KidTown Play Area - Azalea Park
Meet up with old friends! Open to all BHHS past students.

29th Annual Curry County Cruiser Benefit Car Show

9am-3pm at the Port of Brookings Harbor
Classic Cars, hot rods, motorcycles compete for awards and prizes. Registration starts at 7:30am. Prizes awarded at 3pm

Street Fair

10am-4pm
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Azalea Quilt Guild 38th Annual Quilt Show

10am-4pm
Kalmiopsis Elementary School - 605 Easy St
Quilt Show continues.

Family Fun Day!

11:30am-4:30pm at Azalea Park
It’s going to get wild at Azalea Park with Wild Rivers Conservatory of Dance, a Wild Animal Educational program, Operation Magic by Scott Anderson and FFA-Future Farmers of America with a traditional Hotdog BBQ fundraiser.

Monday, May 29

Pancake Breakfast

8am-1pm
Masonic Lodge - 416 Azalea Park Rd
Didn’t get enough pancakes yesterday? Fuel up for the day at the All-You-Can-Eat pancake breakfast! See Sunday at 8am for more information.

Veterans Memorial Day Ceremony

11am at Port of Brookings Harbor Boardwalk
Take time to honor our veterans. Free, open to the public. Contact Georgia Blank 541-469-5625,

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Listen to KURY 95.3 FM Saturday morning from 9:45-11:45 as they broadcast the Parade from the Central Building sponsored by the Brookings Harbor Chamber of Commerce. Dianne Rettke has been named Grand Marshal for the 2023 Azalea Festival. She has been spearheading the Azalea Festival Parade for the past 13 years. As a resident of Brookings since 1988, Dianne has also spent many hours volunteering with Nature's Coastal Holiday, and with the First Baptist Church AWANA and youth programs. Congratulations Dianne!

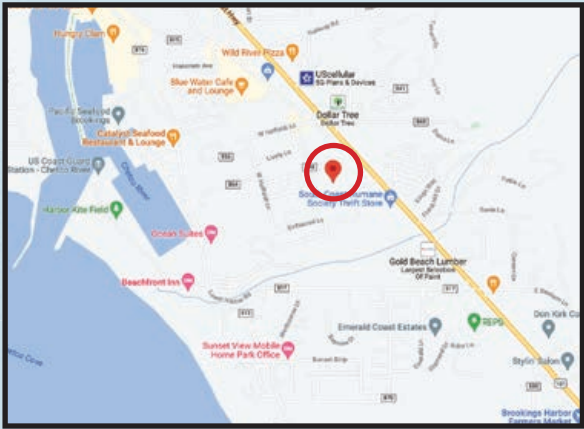
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State to honor veterans at Memorial Day event

STAFF REPORT
Country Media, Inc.

The Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs will host Oregon's annual Statewide Memorial Day Ceremony in person. The event is scheduled for 11 a.m., Monday, May 29, at the Oregon World War II Memorial located on the grounds of the Oregon State Capitol in Salem. The event will honor the nation's fallen service members and include remarks from ODVA Deputy Director Dr. Nakeia Council Daniels, veteran leaders, and state dignitaries, along with a color guard ceremony, performance of the national anthem, and the laying of a wreath followed by the playing of "Taps."

"On Memorial Day, we remember and honor the service members of all branches and eras of service who paid the ultimate price to preserve and defend the freedoms of this nation," ODVA Director Kelly Fitzpatrick said. "This year's event will also include guest speakers who served during Operation Iraqi Freedom in remembrance of 111 fallen soldiers, sailors, airmen, airwomen, and marines who did not return home to Oregon, as this year observes the 20th anniversary of the start of the Iraq War."

The statewide event will be emceed by ODVA LGBTQ+ Veterans Coordinator and Iraq War Marine veteran Ian Michael. Director Kelly Fitzpatrick will honor fallen service members at Memorial Day events in Brookings and Gold Beach in southern Oregon. The Oregon WWII Memorial is located on the corner of Church and Court Street Northeast in



Courtesy photo from the ODVA

Salem. Limited seating will be available. Attendees are encouraged to dress appropriately for the weather. For those unable to attend in-person, the event will also be livestreamed beginning at 11 a.m. on ODVA's Facebook page.

Friends of the Curry Public Library hosts Books and Baked Goods Sale Memorial Weekend

SUBMITTED

Start your Summer off right with plenty of books to read. The Friends of Curry Public Library's Annual Book and Bake Sale returns to the Curry Public Library, 94341 3rd Street in Gold Beach, over the Memorial Day weekend, May 26 through the 29. It begins on Friday the 26 from 4 to 6:30 p.m. for Friends members only. You can join on the

spot as a new member for half price of \$5. Saturday hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sunday from 12 p.m. to 4 p.m. and finish Monday with a Bag Sale, \$2 per paper grocery sack from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.. Hundreds of children's books are available for \$.50 each, in addition to diverse offerings of fiction and non-fiction books, audiobooks, DVDs, CDs, and puzzles. Prices include hardback and large

paperbacks books for \$1 along with recent and popular authors, regular paperbacks for \$.50, and audiobooks, DVDs, and CDs at \$2. This year participants can pay by credit card (over \$10) as well as by cash or check. Homemade baked goodies also will be on sale all four days of the event. So get there early to grab something delicious to take home with you.

Art exhibit and sale at the Manley Art Center

SUBMITTED

Manley Art Center announces the Azalea Festival Art Show and Sale held Memorial Day weekend in conjunction with the Brookings-Harbor Azalea Festival. The show will be on display from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 27, and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, May 28 at the Azalea Middle School gym, 505 Pacific Ave, Brookings.

The Azalea Festival Art Show and Sale is a community art event with artists of all ages and skill levels participating. The show and art sale includes painting, collage, pottery, sculpture, drawing, jewelry, photography, digital art, and more. Manley Art Center, home of Pelican Bay Arts Association, has sponsored an art show in conjunction with the Azalea Festival since 1956. This year's event will include literary and performing arts

highlighting the importance of supporting all of the arts. There will be art demonstrations, a writers' table featuring local writers and their books, and live music. Visitors will also have an opportunity to buy raffle tickets for a chance to win one of several beautiful paintings and Manley's Mudslingers will hold a silent auction for hand-built ceramic totems. For more information, visit the Art center's website at manleyartcenter.com.

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Sunday Service.....10 a.m.
Weekly Communion
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Trinity Lutheran Church
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