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County has two COVID-related deaths

BY ZACK DEMARS The Pilot

Curry County's virus-related death toll has increased to five after two deaths in December were linked to COVID-19, county health officials announced this week.

Both of those deaths were connected to an outbreak at the Sea View Senior Living Community in Brookings. That outbreak has been linked to 28 cases of the virus and two deaths, as of data available Tuesday.

The county's fourth death was of an 89-vear-old man who died Dec. 20 at Curry General Hospital. His

death was reported by the Oregon Health Authority Jan. 13.

The county's fifth death was of a 79-year-old woman who tested positive for the virus Dec. 9 and died in her residence Dec. 18. Her death was reported by OHA Jan. 15.

Both individuals had some kind of underlying conditions, though health officials don't specify what conditions in addition to COVID-19 may have contributed to someone's death.

"Please remember, it is important that we all follow the OHA and CDC guidelines and governor's directives about social distancing, wearing facial coverings in public

buildings and protecting yourselves by staying home to slow the spread and save lives," wrote County Public Health Administrator Sherrié Ward in a press release. "CCPH will continue to keep the public informed with all the information we can in order to keep our citizens safe."

In total, Curry County has seen 324 cases of the virus since the pandemic began, according to OHA data available Tuesday.

Overall, the county's cases have been declining in recent weeks. Last week, the county's case count and positive test rate were low enough to allow it to loosen virus restrictions to the "moderate" level, the lowest level of restrictions in the southwest corner of the state.

Unsurprisingly, the majority of the county's cases have been reported in the Brookings-Harbor ZIP code, which had seen 243 cases as of Jan. 13. The Gold Beach ZIP code reported 36 the same day, and Port Orford reported between 1 and 9, a number too low to be disclosed by state health authorities.

The county has also been continuing to vaccinate residents against COVID-19. Just over 750 people countywide have received their first dose of the vaccine as of Jan. 18, though the state's data typically lags a few days.

Curry Health Network is currently vaccinating individuals in phase 1A, including health care workers and first responders, and is preparing to vaccinate a segment of phase 1B, including educators, child care workers and preschool workers. After that group, the hospital plans to vaccinate individuals 80 years and older.

Those eligible for the next phases of the vaccination, including educators and those over 80, can contact the hospital at 541-247-3119 or covidvaccine@curryhealth. org to be placed on a list for future scheduling. The hospital highly recommends emailing, as phone lines are busy.



David Rupkalvis, The Pilot

John Herzog is getting adjusted to life as a member of the Curry County Board of Commissioners.

New commissioner is learning on the job

BY DAVID RUPKALVIS The Pilot

John Herzog has been thrown into the fire. The newest member of the Curry County Board of Commissioners started the job Jan. 4 and has had four meetings that

ran more than 20 hours combined.

He laughed last week as he thought about his first two weeks on the job.

"It would be easier to go cut a

cord of wood, split it, load it and unload it than these meetings," he said. "I'll relate it to this, 'It's like drinking from a fire hydrant."

Herzog, who had a long career as a UPS driver in Curry County and spent the last six years as the housing manager for the Good Samaritan Society said he was long interested in county government and decided early in 2020 to make his first run for elected office.

"I'm a Christian," he said. "I

asked the Lord if He wanted me to do this. I've always had a little interest. So, I told the Lord, 'I'll try this and if You want me to do

it, I'll know in November." Herzog was one of three people to run for the seat in the nonpartisan election. In the primary, Herzog finished first in a three-person race, but because he did not receive 50 percent of the vote, he was forced to a runoff in Novem-

That race, against incumbent Sue Gold, was not as close as Herzog received 53 percent of the vote

to win the election. In his first two weeks on the job, Herzog has tried to be the peacemaker between board Chair Court Boice and Commissioner Chris Paasch. Herzog said he hopes to unite the board for the benefit of the county.

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Wyden addresses virus, infrastructure in town hall

BY ZACK DEMARS The Pilot

Economic relief, infrastructure

and health care were key points of discussion for Oregon Senator Ron Wyden during a town hall for Coos and Curry counties Jan. 15.

"This is a chance to just listen and learn, and in particular I think what I've learned is especially relevant now is that Oregonians in Coos and Curry County want to be able to control their economic choices

and their destiny," Wyden told the audience, fluctuating between 60 and 80 listeners to the online event.

Through video appearances and live comments, area residents peppered the senator with questions, most relating in one way or another back to improving the region's economic outlook.

In response, Wyden responded by committing to use his power as the incoming chair of the powerful Senate Finance Committee for a variety of initiatives — lambasting

the outgoing Trump administration and praising President Joe Biden along the way.

The town hall started with the news that COVID-19 vaccines the federal government had promised to ship to states wouldn't actually be coming as planned.

"I feel like this is just another deception from the Trump administration," said Joy May, a Port Orford resident who addressed Wyden during the town hall. "Perhaps a deadly deception."

Wyden agreed.

"The last 36 hours are sort of symbolic of how the Trump administration — from playing down the virus on day one, to zigging and zagging even on clarifying what the responsibilities were of the federal government and the states — now on their way out the door, they have given us a unique combination of lies and incompetence," Wyden said.

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Baker is new Curry treasurer

Commissioners pick Port Orford resident from five talented candidates

> BY DAVID RUPKALVIS The Pilot

Curry County has a new treasurer after county commissioners voted 2-1 to offer the job to Douglas Baker, who lives in Port Orford.

Baker was one of five candidates who interviewed with commissioners last week and was one of three initially recommended by commissioners.

Commissioner John Herzog said Baker was his No. 1 choice after the interviews while Commissioner Chris Paasch sided with David Barnes and board Chair Court Boice opted for George Rhodes.

Paasch voted against appointing Baker to the position, but made it clear his opposition was not anything against Baker but rather a clear preference for Barnes.

"We have in my opinion, two very qualified people to be treasurer that are hands down, in my opinion, way overqualified to be county treasurer," Paasch said.

Outgoing Treasurer Debbie Crumley sat in on the interviews and agreed the candidates were very strong.

'We had five candidates that were all really good," Crumley said. "I looked at the persons who were here that we could work with, who could work with the team we have. I have to say David Barnes, he did a great job. He's been a mentor to me. He's positive and I

appreciate that." In an effort to get a consensus on the board, Herzog said he preferred Baker with Barnes as his second choice. Boice said Baker would be his second

choice. "When I say I was impressed with the level of applicants, that was genuine," Boice said. "My second choice would be Mr. Baker. He's from the north county, which needs some repre-

sentation." After speaking, Boice said he would

change his choice to Baker. Herzog then made a motion, which Boice seconded. The 2-1 vote appointed Baker as treasurer. He will serve through the end of 2022. To continue after that, he would need to run for election.

"My hesitancy with Mr. Baker was his understanding of districts and economic development," Paasch said. "Do I think he could get up to speed on it? Yes. I find very little wrong with Mr. Baker, but I just feel Mr. Barnes is my five-star candidate."

After the vote, Barnes addressed the board, thanking them for the opportunity. He also volunteered to work on a budget committee and also said he would be willing to go through training with Baker in case he might be needed in the future.

Baker officially started Jan. 19.

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State alters its vaccination plan

BY MONIQUE MERRILL Country Media

On the heels of learning that Oregon will not be receiving the shipment of vaccines from the federal reserve it had expected, state plans to vaccinate school staff and seniors ages 65 and older have changed.

Instead of opening vaccination eligibility to those groups Jan. 23, school staff will be eligible for vaccinations starting Jan. 25 and only seniors over age 80 on Feb. 8.

On Jan. 12, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Secretary Alex Azar announced the full reserve of vaccines would be released to states and encouraged state leaders to expand vaccine eligibility. Gov. Kate Brown and other state officials learned Jan. 14 that Oregon and other states will not receive increased shipments of vaccine, "because there is no federal reserve of doses," she said

In a press conference Jan. 15, Brown said the discovery that Oregon would not be receiving the expected shipment of vaccine doses from the federal government was shocking and called it "deception on a national scale."

"I am shocked and appalled that the federal government would set an expectation with the American people on which they knew they could not deliver with such grave consequences," Brown said. "While the Trump Administration pulled the rug out from under us like a cruel joke, let me assure you that Oregon's priorities, my priorities, have not changed."

Instead of opening vaccination eligibility up to all residents over the age of 65, the eligibility criteria for seniors will be divided into four waves. The first wave will open up to seniors ages 80 and older starting Feb. 8.; the second wave opens up to people over 75; the third to people over 70; and the fourth phase to people over

Specific dates on when the second, third and fourth phases may begin were not

specified. Part of the reasoning be-

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hind prioritizing teachers and school staff before seniors is due to the size of the two groups and the ongoing push by Brown to resume in-person classes.

"I made the decision to prioritize our educator personnel because I am absolutely committed to getting our children, our students, back into the classroom as quickly as possible," Brown said.

Pat Allen, director of the Oregon Health Authority, estimated there are approximately 100,000 people in Oregon who work in school settings, and an estimated 800,000 people in the state age 65 or older.

"While we want to vaccinate seniors as soon as we can, our ability to immunize this vulnerable population depends on getting enough doses from the federal government," Allen said. "We must have the supplies we've been promised."

Brown said vaccinating school staff is expected to take around two weeks, and Allen said original plans estimated it would take around 12 weeks to vaccinate seniors ages 65 and older with the expected vaccine shipment from the federal government.

While it seems no official dosage numbers were promised by the federal government, Allen said the state was expecting between 135,000-225,000 additional doses of both the Pfizer and Moderna vaccines.

Approximately 2.8% of the state has been vaccinated thus far, Allen said. To reach community immunity, between 70% to 80% of the state needs to be vaccinat-



Zack Demars, The Pilot

The Port Orford Library was one of two in Curry County to receive national recognition recently.

GB, Port Orford libraries honored

Curry County is known beyond its boundaries for its cranberries, its rivers and salmon, its coastline and increasingly it is garnering national attention for its libraries. The most recent recognition for the libraries' successes was the December 2020 "Star Library" designations announced by the leading magazine for libraries, Library Journal.

This year, the libraries in Port Orford and Gold Beach each received stars. The accomplishment is particularly remarkable considering there were only six star libraries named in Oregon, two in Washington and nine in California. Other Oregon libraries earning stars included Multnomah County Library in the Portland area which

serves over 800,000 people, the Eugene Public Library, the Garden Home Community Library (in the Portland metro area), and the Union Carnegie Public Library in Union. Curry County's libraries are in good company. Gold Beach's library director, Jeremy Skinner, said the fact that two county libraries made the star list is evidence that countywide collaboration is reaping great rewards for our library users.

So what do the stars mean and how are they awarded? Star Library ratings are based on data from the federal Institute of Museum and Library Services annual Public Library Survey. In Oregon, the data is collected by the State Library. Because of the amount of time required to

gather and assess the data, each year's star library rating is based on data from two years prior to the year of the rating. So, for this year, the star ratings are based on data from fiscal year 2018.

Stars for the rankings were assigned by taking seven key per capita metrics and comparing libraries with similar budgets. The metrics that were measured include: physical circulation; e-material circulation; library visits; program attendance; public computer use; wifi sessions; and electronic retrievals.

The data for the Gold Beach library painted a picture of a library that is well used and vital to its community. For example, Gold Beach circulated 14.57

physical items per person and community members visited the library on average 16.77 visits per year. Free wifi service at the library continues to be a crucial community service. In Gold beach, the public use the wifi on average 2.38 times per year.

Overall, for libraries with annual expenditures between \$200,000 and \$400,000 per year, Port Orford was the 12th highest ranked library in the United States, and Gold Beach was the 27th highest ranked library. Port Orford Library Director Denise Willms said she is proud of the achievements of the Port Orford Library and that the past year has pointed out how crucial library services are to people in Curry County.

HIV Alliance continues serving Oregonians

BY DAVID RUPKALVIS The Pilot

With COVID-19 raging around the world, many have forgotten about another illness that just 20 years ago

was seemingly as dangerous. But for 12,000 people in Oregon and a small group of people trying to help people with it, HIV is still a very big

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with the HIV Alliance set up at the Curry County Health Department as he does every month to assist people with HIV and hepatitis C.

"Anybody that's living with HIV is living with us," Zahner said. "We connect them to care, connect them to doctors."

Iwenty years ago, HIV was looked at as a death sentence to anyone who tested positive for it. Thanks to medical breakthroughs, those with the virus can live productive, healthy lives.

Zahner said his organization, which helps people from Salem south to the border, has two primary missions. First, prevent people from getting HIV and hepatitis C. Second, if they do test positive, get them the

help they need. "HIV is pretty preventable," Zahner said. "We are getting a lot of new infections. That's concerning. They could be sexual transfers, they could be shared equipment transfers. We want to make sure they're safe. The biggest factor is never use the same equipment twice."

"No judgement whatsoever. That really is a key point to it. **Building that** rapport and trust is huge."

Dane Zahner, HIV Alliance

To keep people safe, the HIV Alliance has a needle transfer program where people, often drug users, can turn in used needles and get new ones for free. With a goal of keeping people safe, the HIV Alliance does not question a person's lifestyle.

"We don't judge anybody," Zahner said.

In 2020, the HIV Alliance gave out 1.4 million new needles around the state to keep people for sharing and re-using needles.

The alliance also offers HIV and hepatitis C tests, and if a person tests positive, the organization steps in as case manager to get help.

Between 40 and 45 percent of their clients are homeless, but Zahner said there is still ways to help.

The HIV Alliance helps people get insurance, housing and medical care.

One of the biggest ventures is getting Naloxone into people's hands to save lives. The Naloxyne drug is used to reverse overdoses

before a person dies. In Coos and Curry counties, the HIV Alliance works with police to make sure officers are carrying Naloxyne and know how to use it. They also train those on the streets, users themselves, and give them Naloxyne kits.

"We educate our clients," Zahner said. "We tell them, you need to call 911. You're not going to get arrested, you're not going to get in trouble. I think it's good police are carrying Naloxyne. It shows a lot of compassion."

Zahner said the HIV Alliance knows the Naloxyne kits it hands out saved 600 lives last year and possibly

Right now, the HIV Alliance also has another way to help. Thanks to a grant from the Southwest Oregon United Way, the alliance is giving out food bags and Fred Myers gift cards to people who come for help.

"All we want to do is safeguard people," Zahner said. "We're out and about every day. We try to connect with people."

In Curry County, the HIV Alliance is at the Curry

County Health Department every third Thursday from 1-4 p.m. Every fourth Wednesday, they are in Brookings at St. Timothy's.

The alliance does testing in Coos County and will be starting a syringe exchange program in February.

"No judgement whatsoever," Zahner said. "That really is a key point to it. Building that rapport and trust is huge. Everything we offer as an agency is absolutely free. There's no charge.'

The HIV Alliance has been working in Oregon since 1984 and is funded through grants and donations.

Zahner admitted that few people think of HIV these days unless it impacts them personally, but he said that should change.

"It should still be on their minds," he said. "There's a high prevalence of HIV and hep c in Oregon. We want to find care for them because it's treatable. There's more risk going on because people do not stop having sex, they don't stop doing drugs."

For information, visit hivalliance.org or email Zahner at dzahner@allianceor.org.

Death Notices

Brookings resident David W. Lakey passed away January 12, 2021 at the age of 90. He was born January 19, 1930 at Drain, Oregon. Redwood Memorial Chapel is assisting the

Gold Beach resident Martha L. Officer, age 89, passed away on January 12, 2021. She was born March 10, 1949 in Gold Beach. Services are planned for a later date. Submitted by Redwood Memorial Chapel.







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Salmon Run Golf Course will be managed by CourseCo in a new agreement with the city of Brookings.

CourseCo to manage Salmon Run

The city of Brookings recently announced a new partnership has been formed with CourseCo to manage the daily operations at Salmon Run Golf Course. CourseCo currently manages 39 golf courses in six states including Oregon, Washington, California and

CourseCo has a strong track record of successfully managing municipal golf courses. CourseCo president and CEO Michael Sharp said, "We are extremely excited to be selected to partner with the city of Brookings to operate and manage Salmon Run Golf Course. The course and facilities are important community assets that we believe have tremendous opportunity as a place to



The entry road to Salmon Run offers a hint of the scenic nature of the golf course.

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both golfers and non-golfers. With the increased demand for golf and the recent ad-

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honored to manage Salmon Run Golf Course.' **Brookings City Council** President John McKinney said "In my opinion, Early

dition of the Occasion Hall,

Salmon Run Golf Course is

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Management Team did a great job getting the course on the right track, and now we are excited to pass that torch to CourseCo. CourseCo has an incredible reputation, coupled with their vast resources we expect great things coming in Salmon Run's future. I would also like to thank former Councilor Brent Hodges for his time,

knowledge and dedication. Brent was vital in assisting in the selection process."

Wyden said.

In all, Wyden reminded attendees he seeks their perspective on issues faced by South Coast residents. Members of his staff can assist residents in navigating federal COVID-19 relief programs, too.

"I want folks to know our doors are open," Wyden said. "As far as I'm concerned, the discussion with Coos and Curry County is going to be in the 'to be continued' department."

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Wyden

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In response, he pointed to Biden's COVID-19 response plan which he said includes a national strategy for expanding production and administration of vaccines, as well as additional economic relief.

That relief was a key topic Friday, too, as people asked what options were still available for financial assistance, grants and funding. Wyden said he's hopeful Biden's plan for additional \$2,000 relief checks will pass a soon-to-be-Democratically controlled Congress swiftly.

"We're hoping to get that passed very quickly, in a matter of weeks, and I think the systems are now set up to get it out very quickly again weeks after a decision is made," Wyden said. "For a lot of Oregonians, it's really a lifeline.'

Support for local public health departments was another area of Biden's virus relief plan Wyden highlight-

Renee Menkens, a member of the board of Coos County Friends of Public Health, told Wyden about the need.

"I've seen how budgets have changed in supporting our health department," Menkens said. "But one of the issues with our public health services is funding, and as staff are being realigned to do more contact tracing and vaccine distribution and

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screenings, some of the other mandated services are not being able to be met as much as they would like to."

Wyden responded by saying the revenue lost from tax cuts for high-paid executives should have been used to support public health departments instead.

"I think those folks have a size-seven halo over their heads," Wyden said. "The question now are we going to write budgets that put our gratitude into the kinds of tools they need to do their job for vulnerable people?"

Infrastructure was also a key focus of questions posed to the senator.

"I think we've all learned during this pandemic how critical broadband is for so many things," Coos County Commissioner Melissa Cribbins told Wyden. "The coast really struggles, as do many other rural areas, with adequate broadband."

In response, Wyden noted a benefit included in the latest COVID-19 relief package that will provide funds for broadband expenses for low-income households once that program launches in the next several months.

But he also said expanding rural access to internet will be a priority while he's in charge of the Senate Finance Committee.

"I want folks on the coast to know that every single time the word infrastructure comes up in Washington DC," Wyden said, "I'm going to insist that broadband, es-

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(541) 251-1615 Upholstery & Hard Floor Cleaning desidential & Commercial pecially rural broadband, be part of the equations."

Other infrastructure questions focused on the water. "My question is very lo-

cal," said Bill Divens of Gold Beach.

He went on to tell the senator the challenges his fishing business faced since the Rogue River hadn't been dredged this year, and asked what Wyden could do to help. Wyden again pointed to certain tax cuts, saying instead that revenue could be spent on local infrastructure projects.

"What this is really all about, it's a question of priorities," Wyden said.

Several attendees also asked Wyden about several environmental issues, including the possible expansion of the Smith River National Recreation Area into Southern Oregon, Wyden's proposed conservation public works program for unemployed workers and the rollback of some environmental protections by the Trump administration.

In response, he said Congress should consider ways to protect the environment in ways which support the local economy and community. Increasing natural recreational opportunities could support the South Coast's economy, Wyden said.

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Budget Committee members are responsible for reviewing the proposed, annual county budget and making budget decisions pending final approval by the Board

of Commissioners prior to the start of the 2021 -2022 fiscal year on July 1. The Budget Committee meets in the spring for several daytime meetings.

Applications can be found at the Curry County website: www.co.curry.or.us. Or a paper application can be attained by calling 541-247-

The Curry County Board of Commissioners will appoint the Budget Committee members at a public meeting in February. Applications are due not later than February 12.

Herzog

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"I just want to serve and bring some continuity and some unity to the board," he said. "I grew up here and married my high school sweetheart here."

Herzog, who jokes he didn't even know where the courthouse bathrooms were when he was sworn in. admits he has a lot to learn about Curry County government. But he said he is eager to get the knowledge and benefit the community he loves.

While this is his first foray into politics and government, he has served on boards before and understands the role he is filling. He said it is important for commissioners to move on as soon as votes are made, even when they are on the losing side of a vote.

"One thing we have to do as a board of commissioners is show that solidarity, even if you vote against something," he said. "If you're outnumbered, still at the end of the day you support the decision of the board. That's key."

Hertzog said he has heard some say he is partial to Boice, but he disagrees. While Boice did support him during his election, he said he votes how he feels on each issue.

"I will vote my heart, and my decisions will be made according to what I feel is the best way to go at that time," he said.

One big controversy Herzog stepped into was a discussion about removing the position of director of operations. Herzog said he ran

with that goal in mind, but now he is slowing down.

"I'm not saying I won't vote for change, but right now I want to keep the status quo while I learn," he said.

Despite some of the controversy, Herzog said he is happy to be on the board. He said he hopes to be available to the people and to find ways to improve their lives.

"County government is one of the purest forms of government," he said. "People can come in and make public comment on any issue."

As Curry County moves ahead, Herzog said the biggest issue is overcoming COVID-19. And he knows from personal experience.

Late last year, Herzog and his wife both were diagnosed with COVID. While his symptoms were minor, he watched his wife struggle for a month. He also wants to focus

on the budget and just get to know the departments he helps oversee.

"I want to familiarize myself with my liaison appointments and those folks," he said. "We're on lots of different advisory committees and stuff throughout the county."

He said being a commissioner is his only job, and he plans to work full-time to help Curry County excel. Right now, that means working with Boice and Paasch and coming in every day ready to cooperate.

"I love them both," he said of his fellow commissioners. "They are both professing Christians, so that's part of it. We don't have to agree on everything all the time, but



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Wild steelhead angling all should be catch-and-release

BY KYLE SMITH
Trout Unlimited

William Ruckelshaus, the first administrator for the Environmental Protection Agency, famously said, "Nature provides a free lunch, but only if we control our appetites." This wisdom is relevant to the Rogue South Coast Conservation Plan for salmon and steelhead, which aims to ensure southern coastal Oregon populations of these fish remain robust and continue to provide angling and harvest opportunities into the future.

Leonard Krug (letter, Jan. 4) reminds us of the value of steelhead fisheries to Oregon coastal communities. These iconic fish are critical to the culture and economy of our state and support a robust industry during winter months in which tourism is at low ebb. However, as wild steelhead stocks continue to decline in many watersheds in the Pacific Northwest and remain at-risk everywhere due to a variety of factors (including climate change-driven changes in precipitation and in marine conditions), we should emphasize angling opportunity over harvest in managing coastal steelhead fisheries - especially of currently viable wild steelhead stocks.

As a lifelong angler, I have worked with Mr. Krug and others to develop or refine management solutions for South Coast salmon and steelhead through this conservation plan. In Oregon, harvest of wild winter steelhead is unique to the South Coast (and two rivers on the mid-coast). But due to a woeful lack of population monitoring, we don't have a good idea of how many wild fish return to South Coast rivers from year to year, nor how many fish are harvested each year.

Wild steelhead are a precious, vulnerable resource and are the cheapest and most ecologically sustainable way to provide steelhead angling opportunity. But if we don't know how many there are in southern Oregon coastal streams,

or how many are harvested by anglers, managing them sustainably is impossible. Much like you wouldn't continue spending from your bank account if you didn't know your income or your account balance, we must be conservative about harvesting wild steelhead on the South Coast until we know with more accuracy how many return each year.

Ultimately, it's the opportunity to catch wild steelhead - not kill them - that will keep bringing anglers back to the South Coast. The argument that angler participation is low on steelhead streams with catch and release only regulations is simply not true. One need only look to the Umpqua River, where, since 2014, all wild steelhead caught must be released, to find one of the most popular (and crowded) winter steelhead rivers in the country. A change to catch and release only for wild steelhead on the Umpqua was championed by fishing guides, who have documented more and larger wild steelhead brought to hand since then. I, for one, hope we can continue wild steelhead harvest on the South Coast, but we need more data to ensure wild harvest doesn't put the future of these fish at risk.

In the 1990s, NOAA Fisheries conducted a status review of steelhead in the Klamath Mountain Province, the region that includes the South Coast. The report concludes "[t]he Klamath Mountains Province steelhead ESU [Evolutionary Significant Unit] is not now at risk of extinction, but if present trends continue, it is likely to become so in the foreseeable future... Conserving existing diversity within this ESU should be a key component of recovery planning." Ensuring enough wild steelhead reach their spawning grounds is crucial to preserving genetic diversity - much better monitoring of both adult return numbers and overall harvest of wild fish will be required to achieve this goal. Until we have this data, we need to proceed cautiously and control our

Letters to the Editor

Stop censorship

Censorship in my humble opinion, is the biggest threat to the USA. Censorship and the cancel culture are a dangerous and slippery slope to our way of life.

Today it's "only" Trump and his conservative supporters, but what will be next? Christians? Jews? Muslims? Blue eyes or brown? Rural or city dwellers? You may scoff, but censorship is a ravenous beast, needing more and more to consume!

Will it stop down the street with

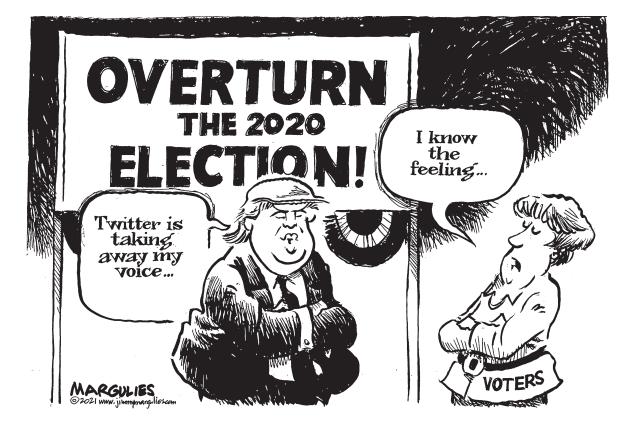
your neighbors? What will happen when it comes for you? Who will be here to defend you? We have created this monster and have no way to stop it. I am a Christian, and I know who holds my future and where it will be, but I am still concerned enough to write this letter, hoping someone way smarter than me, will find a way to solve this extremely dangerous direction that our country is heading.

ir country is heading Thank You.

> Joy Burnett Gold Beach

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

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Letters to the editor

Track congressional votes

How to track congressional votes: For all those who care to know how your legislators vote and/or what bills they bring before Congress, please go to the following website for details. You can also receive a daily or weekly email on their activity. Let's keep track of these guys at the very core of representation.

website: GovTrack.us

PJ Estlund

Gold Beach

Stand up against Heard

In a recent letter, I recounted how our State Senator Dallas Heard (R-Roseburg) openly encouraged a mob of some 300 heavily armed right-wing thugs to invade the State Capitol in Salem during a special session last month. They attacked state troopers with bear spray and smashed glass doors in what turned out to be a preview of the seditious Jan. 6 insurrection in Washington, D.C., in which a police officer was murdered.

Unconcerned about similarly endangering the lives of Oregon officers (and his own colleagues), Heard promptly dove even deeper into far-right radicalism. He helped launch a group called Citizens Against Tyranny that encourages local business owners to defy state COVID-19 restrictions, including mask

mandates. In Heard's own colorful words, residents who file complaints about non-compliant businesses are "extremists," "bullies," "cowards" and "rats." Two Douglas County women were publicly fingered as "filthy traitors" on Heard's group's website - their names splattered with red, signifying blood. (One had reported employees not wearing masks at the Reedsport Safeway, hardly a locally-owned business. The other denied reporting anyone.)

These are Heard's own taxpaying constituents he's so viciously attacking – in fact, the November election results indicate there's a 68.8% chance they voted for him. Now

his group has deliberately exposed them to harassment and potential violence. That's fine with Heard: "Their faces and their names and what they did must be known."

Heard plans to raffle off his sports car to fund the vigilante group and is demanding that every Douglas County officeholder sign on to their cause. County Sheriff John Hanlin calls that "threatening" and "coercion" and rejects Heard's fanaticism.

So should we here in Curry. Heard was not elected to endanger private citizens, cops, legislators or seniors who stand for compliance with the law. His behavior disgraces his oath of office.

Mike Gaynes Brookings

Postal Patience

One of the unfortunate byproducts of the pandemic has landed squarely on the backs of our local postal workers.

You likely remember their adopted motto: "Neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds"

But on closer inspection, Amazon was nowhere to be found in

that promise.

If you are like me, your mail likely has been arriving late into the evenings. I have to admit I bristled when enduring the long line that consumes most of a lunch hour when a package too large for my box means a trip to the post office to pick it up. I used to get an attitude about all of that until someone wised me up to what is transpiring behind

the scenes.

Due to folks avoiding brick and mortar stores due to the China virus and ordering online to keep safe, our folks in blue have been for a good long while stretched to beyond capacity. Working late, working consecutive shifts, with vehicles that are in shabby condition

are in shabby condition.
In larger cities, Amazon has fleets of trucks helping to make those deliveries but in rural towns like Gold Beach the postal service has to make those runs.

This means our hard working mail deliverers are working overtime, correction - FREE time - often several hours after their scheduled shifts in order to get all these parcels to your door.

It amounts to slave labor and it is not right.

Their mighty union is of no use on this matter and due to budgetary constraints at the USPS there is no monies available beyond straight pay.

Just know this if you are getting your mail at 8 p.m. these folks started at 7 a.m. and aren't getting home to their families until later than that and again, with no financial compensation whatsoever.

So when you see your mail courier it might make their day if instead of a growl you offered them a smile and a "thank you

Randy R. Robbins Gold Beach

Helping so many

The Curry County Suicide Awareness and Prevention Council held our first meeting of 2021 recently. During the Veterans Task Group report, Media Council member Kelly Schellong mentioned that there was an opportunity to assist with providing coats for local kids through the annual Bicoastal Media's "Coats For Kids" drive!

And WOW — what a surprise — Linda Valerio and veteran Mark St. James connected with Miss Kelly and transported dozens of coats to Brookings!

Port Orford's Holiday Cheer leaders/Veterans Task Group members (DAV's local commander), David Lawhon and veteran Sindy Flores have been facilitating a clothing exchange since late fall, with goal that this will remain a longterm effort. Along with the Elk's Lodge's Shoe Bank donations and the newly formed clothing exchange, the Bicoastal Media "Coats for Kids" coats other clothing and shoes are currently being distributed in Port Orford, Gold Beach and Brookings. On Fridays, Buddy Checks are accompanied

by lunches provided by St. Tim's!

Gold Beach Veterans Task Group members and Holiday Cheer Leaders are Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Tirado; Brookings coat distribution helpers are Mr. and Mrs. Skip Hunter.

Thank you ALL and especially the Curry County Suicide Awareness and Prevention Council's members and its media and Veterans Task Groups for helping over 25 kids (so far!) and 20 adults by spreading good cheer, providing coats, clothing comfort and holiday joy! Plus, members donated \$630 to help homeless folks, some who are veterans.

Our Veterans Task

Group still is asking folks who want to help homeless veterans to consider sending a cash donation in support of Curry County Veterans Service Officer Tony Voudy's annual effort to provide Winter Weather Cold Kits (survival gear) for our unhoused veterans. To send in a donation, please make checks out to Curry County. Please designate your contribution by noting CVSO Homeless Veterans Support and mail (or drop off) to 94235 Moore St. #122, Gold Beach, OR 97444. Wild Rivers Community Foundation's holiday partnership grant and private contributions has brought us to half of CVSO Voudy's \$5,000 goal.

Other Holiday Cheer Leaders included Robert Barker and St. Tim's Community Kitchen Team and Homeless Task Force's Community Healthcare team Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Slattery; father and son team Jason and veteran Loren Farmer; and veterans Paul Hoynacki, Max Rusk, Calvin Casey and Daniel Moses. Watch for more good news and encouragement for our veterans most in need in the coming months!

With much love and gratitude we salute all of you!

Connie Hunter Veterans Task Group Facilitator

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by Linda Thistle

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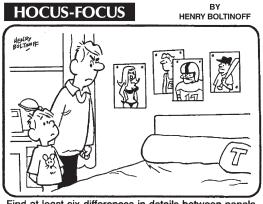
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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆

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The answer to the Sudoku puzzle is on Page A12



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



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Jordan Cove project dealt setback

BY ZACK DEMARS The Pilot

NORTH BEND — The Jordan Cove project has hit another roadblock.

On Tuesday, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission declined to allow the project to proceed without the blessing of Oregon's Department of Environmental Quality.

"The order finds that Jordan Cove and Pacific Connector never requested certification with respect to the Commission authorizations for the Jordan Cove Energy Project and that the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality could not have waived its authority to issue certification for a request it never received," FERC staff wrote in a summary of the order.

That means Pembina, the company behind the project which proposes to build the West Coast's first liquefied natural gas terminal, will have to continue seeking water quality certification from state regulators before the project can be built and operated on Coos Bay.

In March, the same federal commission gave the project

a controversial green light to advance — but only on the condition that the company succeeded in acquiring several state and local permits first.

Some of those permits including the water quality permit in question — had already been denied.

Before Tuesday's meeting, Pembina asked the commission to rule the state had waived its authority to certify the project's water quality compliance, one of the conditions of FERC's March approval. But the FERC's five members, made up of three Republicans and two Democrats, unanimously declined to do so.

The decision comes on the heels of several other setbacks for the project.

Earlier this month, the state's Land Use Board of Appeals invalidated a permit issued by the City of North Bend, ruling the city erred in how it classified the company's plans to drill beneath the Coos Bay Estuary.

In December, the same board found permits issued by Coos County didn't properly take into account the project's proposed wastewater facility and the use of the bay's public navigation channel.

Both of those decisions, unless appealed in court by the company, mean the permit applications must return to city and county leaders for further review.

Reaction from a handful of community leaders, residents and environmental activists was supportive of the commission's decision, which was originally expected later in the month but came instead on the last full day of the Trump Administration.

"Today's unanimous FERC decision shows that when our communities come together and speak out, we win! Thousands of southern Oregonians have raised their voices to stop this project for years and will continue to until the threat of Jordan Cove LNG is gone for good," wrote Hannah Sohl, executive director of Rogue Climate, in a press release. "Now we must focus on creating good, local jobs in clean energy and energy efficiency in Oregon."

The terminal, if eventually constructed, would be the end point for about 230 miles of pipeline across the state, starting in Malin on the state's southern border. That plan has faced the objections of

landowners and tribes along the pipeline's planned path.

"The FERC decision is very encouraging. It is certainly our hope that Pembina will give up on this devastating project once and for all," said Don Gentry chairman of the Klamath, Modoc, and

Yahooskin Tribes. Oregon Senator Ron Wyden expressed his support for the commission's decision in a press release Tuesday.

"Today marks a big win for protecting the South Coast because it reinforces our state's environmental laws and reflects local community input," Wyden wrote in a press release. "From Day One with this project, I have insisted that Oregonians receive a fair, open, fact-based, and non-political process while FERC determines whether LNG projects are necessary and in the public's best interest — including strict adherence to the Clean Water Act. Today's unanimous decision by FERC is good news and the logical conclusion of that process."

Representatives for Pembina did not respond to a request for comment in time for publication.

Wild Rivers Coast Worship Directory

Brookings

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15138 McVay Lane, Harbor Non-denominational
Sunday Morning Worship...10:30 a.m.
Sunday Fellowship.......Noon
Thursday Eve. Bible Study....7 p.m. Pastor Carl Smith **541-659-9352**

Facebook: christiancommunity-church-harbor

Christian Church 777 Fifth Street, Brookings Sunday Service......10 a.m.

Brookings-Harbor

Weekly Communion Small Group Ministries Celebrate Recovery...6 p.m. Sunday

541-469-2531 **Pastor Lance Knauss**



Pacific Ave. at Oak St. Worship and Sunday School..10 a.m.

Fellowship Hour after Sunday Worship 541-469-3725 brookingspres.com facebook.com/brookingspres

Trinity Lutheran

1200 Easy St., PO Box 1199 **Brookings** All Ages......9 a.m. (Sept.-May) Sunday Worship Service...10 a.m. Nursery Available Pastor Matt Steendahl

541-469-3411

tlcbrookings.org

1600 Chetco Ave. (Hwy 101 N)

Saturday Night Thrive Service.....6 p.m.

Sunday School.....9:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Worship Services...9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Jr/Sr. High Youth Group...Wed. 6:30-8 p.m.

Women's Bible Study...Wed. 10:00 a.m.

Celebrate Recovery...Tues. 6:00 p.m.

brookingsnaz.org 541-469-2571

Christian Science Brookings Church of Church the Nazarene

429 Pine St. at Redwood Spur, Brookings Sunday Service.. Sunday School...... Wednesday Testimony Mtg..6 p.m. Reading Room:

Monday & Wednesday..1-3 p.m. or by appointment www.cscbrookings.com 541-469-2398 or 469-3333

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a puny form when within thee the universe is folded?" ~ Baha'u'llah

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Star of the Sea **Catholic Church** 820 Old County Rd., Brookings 541-469-2313

..4:30 p.m. Saturdav Mass..... Spanish Mass......6:30 p.m. Sunday Mass......8:30 a.m.

https://staroftheseastcharles.org/

Community Church 607 Pacific Ave., Brookings Sunday School-PreK~12th...9:30 a.m.

First Baptist

Adult Bible Study......9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship......10:45a.m. Thursday Evening Bible Study....6:15 p.m. Awana Clubs......Wed. 6 p.m. (Sept -May) Grades Pre-K-8th Youth Group......Sun. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Dr. Ken Whitted 541-469-2014

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:26 "and as it was in the days of Noe, so shall it be also in the days of the SON of man. :27 "...the flood came and destroyed them all.:

:28 "Likewise also as it was in the days of Lot;...." :29 "But the same day that Lot went out of Sodom it rained fire and brimstone from heaven, and

destroyed them all."
:30 "Even thus shall it be in the day when the SON of man is revealed. (Luke 17: KJV)

Crescent City

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Junior Church Service Ages 3 thru 11 ...6:30 p.m. Evening Service. Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer Meeting

6:30 p.m.

Fort Dick Bible Church "Grace Alone.

through Christ Alone, for God's Glory Alone" 6725 Lake Earl Dr. Sunday Service - 10:45am

(LIVE on Facebook @FortDickBibleChurch) Sunday School - 9:30am Mid-Week Bible Study - Wed, 6:00pm Phone (707) 458-4030

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Worship) Nursery Care

Sr. High Youth Group 4:30-7:00 p.m. 160 Blueberry Lane (Off Blackwell) Email - office@pbefchurch.com

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Curry County artist showcased in Newport

The Oregon Coast Council for the Arts presents "A Segment of Art" exhibit from Jan. 16 through March 20 in the Coastal Oregon Visual Artists Showcase (COVAS) at the Newport Visual Arts Center. "A Segment of Art" will feature award-winning wood sculptures by Brookings-based artists Dan Gray. The COVAS Showcase features artists from the Oregon coast, rotating through the coast's seven coastal counties, and Gray will be representing Curry County. The COVAS Showcase will be open on Wednesdays and Saturdays, noon to 4 p.m., COVID-19 safety guidelines permitting, as well as online at www.coastarts.org.

Gray's turned wood artworks, which he describes as "segmented sculptures," have won multiple awards and have been displayed in numerous galleries on the West Coast. Many of his sculptures are inspired by his proximity to the Pacific Ocean as well as his love of travel. One of his signature pieces, "Nautilus, Station 5," was featured in Wood Magazine. Gray's wood sculptures have been described as amazing in their intricate detail. Working with oak, alder, mahogany, purple heart and myrtle woods, his sculptures contain anywhere from several hundred to several thousand individual wood pieces.

Gray is a proudly self-proclaimed self-taught artist.

"In truth, I never knew I was an artist until late in my life. That fact that I was always creating, I simply took that for granted as part of who I was," Gray said. "My creativity was out of necessity. To repair something that was broken. To build something needed."

Though Gray has always worked with wood, he did not always realize wood as an art medium. Fifteen years ago, on a whim, Gray purchased a wood lathe.

"From that first moment, when I turned a small piece of wood into a bowl, I was lost," he said. "Nothing has ever captured me before in the way of that first small

Gray has displayed his art in galleries in Vancouver, Wash., and in Brookings, and he is currently displaying in Juniper Sky Fine Art Gallery at the Kayenta Art Villiage in





Ivins, Utah, and well as The Turquoise Turtle Gallery at the artist colony in Tubac, Ariz. In addition to creating his segmented wood sculptures, Gray is also a writer and has published two novels and a collection of short stories.

Three samples of the work of Brookings-based sculptor **Dan Gray.** Contributed Photos



Curry County artist receives grant

One Curry County artist received a grant last week as part of the Artist Relief Program created by the Oregon Arts Commission in partnership with Oregon Community Foundation and the James F. and Marion L. Miller Foundation.

The Curry County winner was part of 646 artists statewide who received grants ranging from \$1,000 to \$5,000.

"Artists are the creative core of our communities and help define who we are. They inspire us to innovate, to learn and grow," said Brian Rogers, executive director

of the Oregon Arts Commission. "We are thankful to be able to provide support as our artists continue to suffer great losses due to the pandemic. While the requests far exceeded available funds, we hope the awards will help artists sustain their practice until better times arrive. We are extremely grateful to our partners at Oregon Community Foundation and the Miller Foundation for making this program possible."

Nina Ventra of Port Orford, who specializes in multidisciplinary art, was awarded \$1,000.

"The relief applications

submitted by working artists across Oregon demonstrated both the deep need and courageous resilience in our arts communities," said Jerry Tischleder, Oregon Community Foundation's program officer for arts and culture. "It's crushing to recognize all that has been lost and I'm humbled that OCF could play a role in mending a portion of the damages. I applaud the review panels across the state who dug in to direct how funds would be allocated – it was hard work that couldn't have been done without broad community input."

Local Art Scene

Curry County

Brian Scott Gallery

Brian Scott Gallery, located at 515 Chetco Ave. in Brookings, has extended its "Brookings: Home of Winter Flowers" exhibit through January. This exhibit highlights 32 artists displaying their work on the "Features" wall. The gallery's winter hours are Wednesday - Saturday, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Call 541-412-8687 or 541-469-1241 for information or to schedule a private showing. Masks are required in the gallery.

Fog and Fine Art Gallery

Located in Wright's Custom Framing and Art Supply at 810 Chetco Ave. in Brookings, the Fog and Fine Art Gallery displays many local artists showing a variety of media including jewelry, pottery, painting and more. The gallery also has a dedicated classroom that inspires new and seasoned artists with workshops. The gallery is open from 10 a.m.- 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Saturday. For information on class listings, painting demonstrations and featured artists, call 541-469-7900 or visit them on Facebook @WrightsCustomFraming.

Manley Art Center and Gallery

Manley Art Center and Gallery is located at 433 Oak St. in Brookings. January's Artist of the Month is painter Christina Olsen, who paints with acrylics and watercolors on fabric, canvas, wood, glass and pottery. At the Art Center, the classroom is open to art groups, with COVID-19 related restrictions and new protocols in place. Visit pelicanbayartsassociation.org to learn more about the gallery or call 541-469-1807.

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

King Tides provide impressive wave action on South Coast

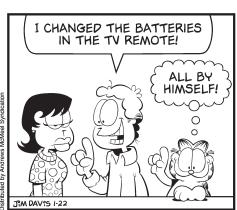


As the king tides rolled into Curry County last week, high water and heavy waves pounded the rocks near Arch Rock between Gold Beach and Brookings.

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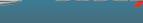


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Rigorous management improves groundfish stocks

A new paper published in Nature Sustainability, "Identifying Management Actions that Promote Sustainable Fisheries," demonstrates that rigorous management practices have helped rebuild depleted fish stocks worldwide and underscores the fact that greater investment in fisheries management generally leads to better outcomes for fish populations and the fisheries they support.

The Pacific Fishery Management Council, which manages commercial and recreational ocean fisheries on the West Coast, was one of two dozen international management and research entities collaborating on this study.

The study was led by Michael Melnychuk, research scientist at the School of Aquatic and Fishery Sciences at the University of Washington. Management practices and outcomes adopted by the Pacific Council to rebuild West Coast groundfish stocks contributed to the study.

"Rebuilding these overfished stocks was a painful process for West Coast fishermen," said Pacific Council **Executive Director Chuck** Tracy. "This study shows that their short-term sacrifices paid off in the long run, leading to more sustainable fisheries for future generations."

"Rebuilding these stocks required collaboration between a lot of different people, from fishermen to scientists to environmentalists," said Pacific Council Chair Marc Gorelnik. "It was a tough process, but in rebuilding these stocks, we also built long-lasting, valuable relationships. Responsible fisheries management requires sacrifices, but it pays off. This is a really hopeful story."

Nine of ten West Coast groundfish stocks have successfully rebuilt since the stocks were declared overfished or depleted in 1999. Most recently, the stock of cowcod south of 40°10' N lat. was declared rebuilt in 2019, decades ahead of the expected date. Only one stock, yelloweye rockfish, is under a rebuilding plan, and yelloweye are rebuilding faster than expected, according to the 2017 rebuilding analysis.

Beginning in 2000, the Pacific Council adopted stringent management measures to achieve stock rebuilding success, including large area

closures; low annual catch limits, quotas and harvest guidelines; gear modifications; retention prohibitions or limitations; and adaptive management practices responsive to closely monitored fishery impacts and stock fluctuations. Such management practices are key to promote sustainable fisheries, according to the University of Washington study.

According to Melnychuk, the study confirmed what many researchers already expected. "In general, we found that

more management attention devoted to fisheries is leading to better outcomes for fish and shellfish populations," he said. "While this wasn't surprising, the novelty of this work was in assembling the data required and then using statistical tools to demonstrate what everyone has always taken for granted to be true."

The research team used an international database that is the go-to scientific resource on the status of more than 600 individual fish populations, or stocks. They chose to analyze 288 stocks that generally are of value economically and represent a diversity of species and regions. They then looked over time at each fish population's health and management practices and were able to draw these conclusions:

- Where fish and shellfish populations are well studied, overall fisheries management intensity has steadily increased over the past half century.
- As fisheries management measures are put in place, fishing pressure is usually reduced back toward sustainable levels, and stock abundance is usually allowed to increase.
- If fish stocks become depleted as a result of overfishing, a rebuilding plan may be put in place. These plans tend to immediately decrease fishing pressure and allow stocks to recover.
- If fisheries management systems are strong enough, then overfishing can be avoided and large, sustainable catches can be harvested annually, rendering emergency measures like rebuilding plans unnecessary. The study builds on

previous work that found, by using the same database, that nearly half of the fish

caught worldwide are from stocks that are scientifically monitored and, on average, are increasing in abundance. The new paper takes a closer look at specific management actions and how they have impacted fishing pressure and the abundance of each stock examined, Melnychuk explained.

The international research team looked at a spectrum of fish stocks, such as hakes in South Africa and Europe, orange roughy in New Zealand, tuna species on the high seas, anchovies in South America and scallops off the Atlantic coast of North America. Most of the stocks they examined had a history of being depleted at some point, usually due to historical overfishing.

On the West Coast, for example, a Pacific Council rebuilding plan for canary rockfish specifying very low annual catch limits was put in place in 2000. The plan affected every West Coast fishing sector that targeted groundfish stocks, and all West Coast fishing communities that were dependent on

groundfish fishing. In order to reduce fishing pressure on canary rockfish, the Council prohibited or limited fishermen's ability to retain groundfish, required gear modifications and created Rockfish Conservation Areas that stretched the length of the entire West Coast. In these areas, fishing at certain depths and using certain gear types was prohibited.

The Council also made constant adjustments to management measures to manage the catch of canary rockfish. These actions significantly reduced the harvest rate of canary rockfish, leading to a full recovery of the stock by 2015, which was decades ahead of the original rebuilding target.

Currently, the canary rockfish stock is estimated to be as large as it was in the 1960s when the stock was lightly exploited.

The University of Washington study omits fisheries that lack scientific estimates of stock status, even though these account for a large amount of the world's catch, including most fish stocks in South Asia and Southeast Asia.

This research was funded by The Nature Conservancy, The Wildlife Conservation Society, the Walton Family Foundation and a consortium of Seattle fishing companies.

Brookings Police Blotter

The police blotter is 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. The Brookings Police Department provides emergency dispatch services for the City of Brookings as well as Southern Curry County 9-1-1 calls, dispatching for state, county, and local law enforcement, five fire departments, and Cal-Ore ambulance. Excerpts from the BPD call logs:

Wednesday, Jan. 13

- * At 5:57 a.m., officers responded to the 1100 block of Ransom to a report of a fight in progress. A man and a woman at the residence were arguing. The woman claimed she was pushed down but declined medical assistance and had no apparent injuries. The man gathered his belongings
- * At 6:57 a.m., police conducted a traffic stop and a man was arrested for DUII. The man was released after processing.
- * At 8:51 a.m., police responded to the 600 block of Hemlock to a report of threats. An adult male was trespassed from the location.
- * At 9:35 a.m., police trespassed a transient man from Fred Meyer.
- * At 10:26 a.m., police conducted a welfare check in the 15500 block of Highway
- * At 10:48 a.m., police responded to a traffic accident at Chetco and 5th.
- * At 4:25 a.m., police

conducted a traffic stop at Hillside and Chetco and gave a verbal warning to the driver.

- * At 5:36 p.m., a missing person was reported in the 16300 block of Highway
- * At 6:49 p.m., police conducted a traffic stop at Azalea Park. The driver was cited for driving with a suspended license. The vehicle was parked until a licensed driver could move it.
- * At 10:15 p.m., officers investigated a complaint of criminal trespass in the 200 block of Cedar Street.
- * At 11:22 p.m., police received a complaint of disorderly conduct in the 800 block of Chetco.

Thursday, Jan. 14

- * At 12:03 a.m., officers conducted a welfare check in the 500 block of Fern
- * At 5:39 a.m., police responded to the 1100 block of Chetco Avenue to a report of a fight in progress.
- * At 6:37 a.m., police conducted a traffic stop on Highway 101 and cited the driver for driving on a suspended license and no proof of insurance.
- * At 7:30 a.m., police trespassed a transient female in the 400 block of Alder.
- * At 7:32 a.m., officers responded to the bottom of Parkview Drive after a caller said a vehicle parked there had been running all night.
- * At 8:12 a.m., police trespassed a man from the VA Clinic.
- * At 9:06 a.m., officers responded to Cove Road after a caller said a suspicious man

was knocking on doors.

- * At 10:28 a.m., officers responded to the 300 block of 5th Street and warned two transient men for disorderly conduct.
- * At 10:59 a.m., a caller reported two dogs running loose on his property on Spruce Street.
- * At 1:37 p.m., police cited a transient man for criminal trespass at St. Timothy's.
- * At 2:18 p.m., police reported to the 600 block of Hemlock after a caller reported a man was painting on a building.
- * At 2:28 p.m., a caller reported an RV has been parked in front of his home for several days.
- * At 2:51 p.m., police arrested a man on an outstanding warrant in the 1100 block of Chetco Avenue.
- * At 5:12 p.m., police responded to the 900 block of 7th Street after a woman said signs were stolen from her yard.
- * At 6:15 p.m., a caller reported vehicles were chasing each other on Railroad.
- * At 6:41 p.m., a backpack found on Old County Road contained drug paraphernalia.
- * At 10:32 p.m., a traffic stop was conducted on Mill Street.

Friday, Jan. 15

- * At 2:07 a.m., police responded to the 1000 block of Chetco Avenue to a report of two people in a verbal dispute.
- * At 9:53 a.m., police responded to Parkview and Highway 101 after receiving a report of vehicles coming and going from the location.
 - * At 10:26 a.m., a police

officer was flagged down at Brookings Inn regarding a dispute.

- * At 1:05 p.m., officers responded to the 1600 block of Old County Road after a caller said transients were camping against a building.
- * At 2:16 p.m., officers trespassed a transient man from a home in the 400 block of Fir Street and arrested a woman on an outstanding
- * At 3:38 p.m., police received a report of a driver speeding and losing control at Chetco and Bridge.
- * At 5:46 p.m., officers conducted a traffic stop at Chetco and Easy and cited the driver for driving on a suspended license.
- * At 9:15 p.m., a caller reported suspicious activity in the 500 block of Chetco Avenue.
- * At 10:14 p.m., police received a complaint of rabbits running in the street in the 400 block of Pine Street.
- * At 11:39 p.m., police found an intoxicated man lying on the ground on Chetco Avenue and helped get a taxi

Saturday, Jan. 16

- * At 12:06 a.m., officers responded to the 1100 block of Chetco and intervened during a verbal dispute.
- * Between 3:13 a.m. and 3:29 a.m., officers conducted three traffic stops on Highway 101.
- * At 9:25 a.m., police received a call saying someone was carrying a firearm. The caller was advised of open carry laws. * At 11:22 a.m., officers
- found two vehicles on Moore

- Street with parking violations. * At 11:39 a.m., police tagged three vehicles to be towed due to parking viola-
- tions at Chetco and Parkview. * At 1:44 p.m., police conducted a traffic stop in the 300 block of Chetco and cited the driver for outstanding warrants and driving with
- a suspended license. * At 4:41 p.m., police conducted a welfare check in the 1100 block of Chetco Avenue.
- * Between 7:53 p.m. and 8:27 p.m., police conducted three traffic stops on Chetco
- * At 8:37 p.m., officers contacted a man at Chetco and Oak for causing a verbal disturbance.

Sunday, Jan. 17

- * At 12:47 a.m., police conducted a traffic stop at Chetco and Harris Beach.
- * At 8:42 a.m., a burglary was reported on Ross Road.
- * At 9:48 a.m., officers responded to the 1600 block of Highway 101 after receiving a criminal mischief complaint.
- * At 2:47 p.m., police responded to the 16300 block of Grootendorst after receiving a criminal mischief complaint.
- * At 2:56 p.m., an illegal burn was reported in the 96900 block of Hampton
- * At 4:20 p.m., officers conducted a traffic stop at 5th and Chetco.
- * At 4:56 p.m., police received a complaint of suspicious conditions near the ocean. * At 8:41 p.m., officers
- conducted a traffic stop at

Brookings Police Department found items

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- Chetco and Pacific.
- * At 9:07 p.m., a fire was reported on Sporthaven Beach near Beachfront Lane.
- * At 11:55 p.m., officers conducted a traffic stop on North Bank Chetco.

Monday, Jan. 18

- * Between 4:12 and 5:01 a.m., police conducted four traffic stops on Chetco Avenue.
- * At 5:05 a.m., police responded to the 95700 block of Johns Place after a report of a fight in progress.
- * Between 5:13 and 5:44 a.m., police conducted five traffic stops along Chetco Avenue.
- * At 7:56 a.m., an animal complaint was received on Chetco Avenue.
- * At 8:22 a.m., a dispute in progress was reported in the 19300 block of Carpen-

terville.

- * At 9:07 a.m., police responded to the 400 block of Azalea Park Road after receiving a report of stalking.
- * At 11:59 a.m., police responded to the 17300 block of Matot Street after receiving a report of stalking.
- * At 2:56 p.m., officers received an animal complaint in the 200 block of Marine Drive.
- * At 6:23 p.m., officers responded to the 97800 block of Court Street after receiving a report of disorderly conduct.
- * At 8:32 p.m., police responded to the 500 block of Pacific Aevnue after receiving a report of disorderly conduct.
- * At 11:17 p.m., officers were involved in a rescue operation in the Pacific Ocean.

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Gold Beach Police Blotter

Friday, Jan. 8

- At 9:13 a.m., a report of trespassing was received in the area of Moore Street.
- At 2:33 p.m., officers conducted a welfare check in the area of the Curry County Fairgrounds.
- At 3:58 p.m., officers received a report of a hit-andrun accident on Port Drive. A 73-year-old man received multiple citations.
- 4:44 p.m., a report of espassing was received in
- the area of Colvin Street. Saturday, Jan. 9
- At 8:54 a.m., police conducted a welfare check in the
- area of Airport Way. • At 9:24 a.m., officers conducted a welfare check in
- the area of Chase Lane. • At 11:28 a.m., a report of illegal camping in the area of the Curry County Fair
- At 11:54 a.m., a report of a disturbance was received in the area of Colvin Street.

Grounds.

- At 1:45 p.m., a report of trespassing in the area of 29300 block of Ellensburg Avenue.
- At 4 p.m., police received a report of trespassing in the area of Moore Street.
- At 5:59 p.m., a hit and run was reported in the area of Mckay's Market.
- At 8:26 p.m., police received a report of illegal camping in the area of Hunter Creek Road.

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Incumbent supports the fiscal department in the specialized area of general ledger, accounts payable and receivable. FT \$15.88-\$22.00

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Coordinate grants management and other grant related duties with a high degree of independence and initiative. FT \$17.85-\$27.68

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Social Worker is a professional position responsible for providing a wide range of case management and supportive services to Indian families. They assist clients in understanding the causes of their problems and work with them to modify and change attitudes and behavior. FT \$19.88 - \$31.01

Contact: HR@tolowa.com

FT \$19.88-\$31.01

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CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: S equals T

ZMJK QVIJ UJBC UFREFWRJ HSJI AJSQ QMFSSJBJO, H SFPJ HS CVE'O MFUJ WBJFPHKA KJZQ.

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690 Wanted Autos

WANTED! Old Porsche 356/911/912 for restoration by hobbyist 1948-1973 Only. Any condition, top \$ paid! PLEASE LEAVE MESSAGE 1-707-339-5994. Email: porscherestoration@yahoo.com (CalSCAN)

700 Bargain Corner

1998 Vintage Calendar with beautiful picture, still in wrapper. Car, bycycle, motorcycle, & train. \$10 each 707-464-6427

Crescent City Everlast punching bag and speed bag w/ stand. Excellent condition.

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New bathroom faucet, single handle, Delta. Paid \$99, asking \$60. (541) 469-6962

Set of 1 coffee table 60"x30" and 2 end tables 30"x20" ea. Teakwood, danish modern, glass tops. Good condition. \$60. 707-464-4862

Snow shoes, aluminum, excellent cond. \$30.00 541-469-4948

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702 Garage Sales

Brookings, 17970 Rainbow Rock Rd. Saturday 1/23 9am-5pm. Moving Sale: household, kitchen appliances, barstools, etc.

Submit your Garage Sale Advertisement in time to print in the weekly paper! The Classified Ad deadline is Tuesday 5:00 P.M. More listings may be viewed at: www.triplicate.com/classifieds/ sale & www.currypilot.com/classifieds/sale

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800 Rentals

2 RV Spaces for Rent. Park model welcomed in Madrone Court Park in beautiful Hiouchi. \$450/mo Call for details 707-954-

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For rent 3 bedroom 2 bath duplex \$1400 a month \$1400 cleaning deposit 707-218-7603 leave message.

Quite 1 bed 1 bath cover deck w/ laundry room nonsmoking \$800.00-month 1000.00 deposit 707-951-2372

> 902 Homes for Sale

800 Rentals

Room for rent in Crescent City: senior preferred, no smoking/ drugs. \$550/mo + 1/3 utility. Centrally located & walk to all. Call before 6pm 661-333-3062 or 661-529-5596

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900 Real Estate/Trade

Ocean View! 98003 Crown Terrace Rd TOP of the world Panoramic Pacific Ocean, River/Harbor and City

views abound from this gorgeous, custom built home that's "easy on the eyes." LOTS of perks: 3-bay garage, ample parking area and a 44' RV garage. Dual Living areas with easy access

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RMLS# 20316888 \$889,000 Marie Curtis, Owner/Broker **RE/MAX Coast & Country** 541-661-3056 703 Chetco Ave., Brookings www.coastaloregon.com

OCEANVIEW HOME! 6876 Pacific Terrace Drive NEW CONSTRUCTION OCEAN-VIEW HOME scheduled to be complete in 2021. Located in prestigious Pacific Terrace gated subdivision. High end finishes including polished pearl white Quartz countertops, tumbled marble backsplash, soft close drawers, Propane SS appliances. 2042 sq ft., 3 bedroom/2.1 baths. Slider off the Master bedroom deck for sunrise and sunset VIEWS!

RMLS# 20024771 \$679,000 Marie Curtis, Owner/Broker **RE/MAX Coast & Country** 541-661-3056 703 Chetco Ave., Brookings

www.coastaloregon.com OCEANVIEW HOME! **Harbor Hills** WOW! Top of the world 19 acres of OCEANVIEW living on the

Southern Oregon Coast! Utilities, a new septic system, a geological study, and a survey map is available! Short distance to Crissey Field BEACH State Park, Chetco River, or take a stroll at the Port of Brookings Harbor Boardwalk. Build your dream home on this special slice of paradise. RMLS# 20222554 \$399,000 Marie Curtis, Owner/Broker

RE/MAX Coast & Country 541-661-3056 703 Chetco Ave., Brookings www.coastaloregon.com

PARK MODEL OCEANVIEW 15577 Hwy 101S Sp C6 This park model located in Harbor boasts ocean views from living area and deck overlooking a grassy common area. Besides the one bedroom there is an enclosed garage with a workshop in back. The deck is perfect for watching evening sunsets. Below

park adding to the privacy. Sale includes all appliances including microwave. Thank you! -Denise Fugere-

the deck is a common area of the

Homes for Sale

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900 Real Estate/Trade

Thomas MLS# 20608363 \$72,000 Denise Fugere-Thomas, Broker **Century 21 Agate Realty** PO Box 1077 Brookings, OR 97415 (541) 469-2143 Ext. 112

Cell: (541) 661-1724

Fax: (541) 469-5438

Licensed in Oregon SECLUDED RUSTIC HOME 98026 Crown Terrace Rd NEW CONSTRUCTION Pacific Northwest design with warm rustic notes which blends well with the woodsy private setting. Located in desirable area, tucked away from neighbors. Vaulted ceilings, open floor plan concept in kitchen living and dining area. Oversize covered deck with massive wood beams and cable deck railing combines natural and modern features. Inquire about

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The California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Public Safety Communications in cooperation with the State of California, Department of Forestry and Fire Protection is proposing to construct a 190-foot lattice tower on Alder Conservation Camp 20, 41-29-56.2 N Latitude, 124-03-35.7 W Longitude.

The State of California Governor's Office of Emergency Services seeks comments from all interested persons on any potential significant impact the proposed action could have on the quality of the human environment pursuant to Code of Federal Regulations 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1307, including potential impacts to historic or cultural resources that are listed or eligible

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for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.

Interested persons may review the project application pending with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) at www.fcc. gov/asr/applications by entering Form 854 File No. A1173032. Interested persons may comment or raise environmental impact concerns about the proposed action by filing a Request for Environmental Review with the FCC. The FCC strongly encourages all interested parties to make such filings online, following the instructions found at www.fcc. gov/asr/environmentalrequest. Paper filings can be sent to: **FCC** Requests for Environmental Review, Attn: Ramon Williams, 445 12th Street SW, Washington, DC 20554. The Request must also be sent to the State of California, Governor's Office of Emergency Services, by emailing a copy to radiolicensing@caloes. ca.gov or mailing a copy to: State of California, Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Public Safetv Communications 601 Seguoia Pacific Blvd. Sacramento, CA 95811-0231 ATTN: FCC Division. Requests or comments should be limited to environmental and historic/cultural resource impact concerns, and must be received on or before February 22, 2021. This invitation to comment is separate from any local planning/ zoning process that may apply to

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT **OMEGA REALTY**

Published: Jan. 22, 2021

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this project.

The following person/s is/are doing business as: **OMEGA REALTY** 217 West 8th Street Crescent City, CA 95531 This Business is conducted by:

an individual The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: 02/01/2016

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: Daniel Liu

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 1/13/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy File No. 20210005 Publish: Jan. 22, 29, Feb. 5, &

12, 2021 Del Norte Triplicate T306952

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT **Pacific Vision Medical Center**

The following person/s is/are doing business as: **Pacific Vision Medical Center** 515 E. Washington Blvd. Crescent City, CA 95531 This Business is conducted by: co-partners

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: 2/23/1996

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: Larry A. Eninger MD & David E. Cink MD

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 1/12/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy File No. 20210003 Publish: Jan. 22, 29, Feb. 5, & 12, 2021

PUBLIC LEGAL NOTICE

Del Norte Triplicate T306960

On Wednesday, February 3, 2020, starting at 10:00 A.M. in the Commissioner's Hearing Room. Courthouse Annex, 94235 Moore St., Gold Beach, Oregon, the Board of Curry County Commissioners will hold a Hearing to consider increasing County solid waste septic fees beginning February 3, 2021. The public is welcome to attend and to comment at the Hearing. Proposed fee changes will be available for review in the Packet which will be

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sent out and posted to the Web Site on Friday, January 29, 2021.

For further information on the proposed fee changes, please contact the Board of Commissioners' Office at (541) 247-3296.

PUBLISH DATES: Jan. 22, 2021 Curry Coastal Pilot P307210

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE PROPERTY DESCRIPTION:

- 1 Hydraulic Pump
- 1 Truck Trailer
- 1 Trailer
- 1 Boat Lever Control
- 2 Tote Aireators
- 1 Anchor 2 Shrimp Traps
- 2 Mesh Nets
- 10 Cod Traps 16 Crab Pots

OWNER: Damon Jones 2232 Kiln Street Klamth Falls, OR 97601-1422

Damon Jones 845 Garfield Coos Bay, OR

AMOUNT DUE ON LIEN: \$494.39

TIME, DATE AND LOCATION OF The items will be available to

view before the sale at the Port of Brookings Harbor, 16330 Lower Harbor Road, Brookings, OR

These items will be put up for sale per sealed bids on February 15, 2021 at 9:00am. Sealed bids to be opened at the Port of Brookings Harbor, 16330 Lower Harbor Road, Brookings, OR 97415 on February 26, 2021 at 3:00pm. Minimum bid accepted for entire property is the **AMOUNT DUE** ON LIEN: \$494.39

NAME OF PERSON OR BUSI-NESS FORECLOSING THE

Port of Brookings Harbor PO Box 848 Brookings, OR 97415 Published: Jan. 22 & 29, 2021 Curry Coastal Pilot P306982

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE 320 Arnett St Crescent City, CA 95531

January 23, 2021 10:00AM Household & Misc items Unit 6 C Downard 334 Elk Valley Rd Crescent City, CA 95531

Household & Misc items Unit 51 G Miranda 2814 E Collage Visalia, CA 93292

Published: Jan. 15 and 22, 2021 Del Norte Triplicate T306340

> IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF DEL NORTE 450 H Street Crescent City, CA 95531

Petition of: Phantipha Hall CASE NO. CVPT-21-1003

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR **CHANGE OF NAME**

To all interested persons: Petitioner: Phantipha Hall filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: Phantipha Hall

to Proposed name: Phantipha Koommoeng

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appea 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: FEB 26 2021 Time: 10:00 AM Dept.: ONE

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

Dated: Jan 11, 2021 /s/ Darren McElfresh Judge of the Superior Court Published: Jan. 15, 22, 29, & Feb. 5, 2021 Del Norte Triplicate T306777

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT Alta's Burger Bar

The following person/s is/are doing business as: Alta's Burger Bar 109 South Fred Haight Drive 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: 01/01/1998

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: Vanda Reichlin

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 12/31/2020 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy File No. 20200155 Publish: Jan. 15, 22, 29, & Feb. 5, 2021

Del Norte Triplicate T306336

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS The County of Del Norte is requesting proposals for Professional Services to prepare a Debris Annex to the Emergency Operations Plan (EOP).

Proposal packages may be obtained from the Del Norte County Office of Administration, 981 H Street, Suite 210, Crescent City, California, or from the County's website at co.del-norte.ca.us under Bid Opportunities.

For additional information, contact Kymmie Scott at (707) 464-7214. Proposal process opened January 12, 2021 and closes February 11, 2021 at 3:00 PM. Published: Jan. 15 and 22, 2021 Del Norte Triplicate T306775

APN: 112-040-020 TS No: CA05000933-19-1 TO No: 191190678-CA-VOI NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'SSALE (The above statement is made pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(1). The Summary will be provided to Trustor(s) and/or vested owner(s) only, pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(2).) YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED October 11, 2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE, IF YOU NEED AN EXPLA-NATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT ALAWYER. On February 10, 2021 at 11:00 AM, on the steps of the Southwest entrance of the County Administration Building, 981 H Street, Crescent City CA 95531, MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps, as the duly Ap-

pointed Trustee, under and pursu-

California, County of Del Norte.

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Public Notices ant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust recorded on October 22, 2007 as Instrument No. 20076340, of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Del Norte County, California, executed by INEZ G CASTOR AN UNMARRIED PERSON, as Trustor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, as nominee for INDYMAC BANK, F.S.B., A FEDERALLY CHARTERED SAV-INGS BANK as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, that certain property situated in said County, California describing the land therein as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN SAID DEED OF TRUST The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1450 HEA-COCK LN, 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 made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the Note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said Note(s), advances if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligations secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee's Sale is estimated to be \$95,413.60 (Estimated). However, prepayment premiums, accrued interest and advances will increase this figure prior to sale. Beneficiary's bid at said sale may include all or part of said amount. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a 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 California Financial Code and authorized to do business in California, or other such funds as may be acceptable to the Trustee. In the event tender other than cash is accepted, the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed Upon Sale until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. The property offered for sale excludes all funds held on account by the property receiver, if applicable. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any

reason, the successful bidder's

be the return of monies paid to

the Trustee and the success-

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF

Josephine Jenni Roberts

CVPB-2021-7000

persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of:

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Debi Long, in the Superior Court of

The petition for probate requests that Debi Long be appointed as personal

The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Indepen-

dent 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:

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.

file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative

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

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as

a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in

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

Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for

appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the

If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must

Address of the Court: 450 H Street Crescent City, CA 95531

February 5, 2021 Time: 10:00am Dept.: 2

California Probate Code.

Attorney for petitioner:

Telephone: 707.464.6181

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384 G Street, Crescent City, CA 95531

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California law.

probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and

representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

sole and exclusive remedy shall

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ful bidder shall have no further recourse. 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 be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a iunior 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 In Source Logic at 702-659-7766 for information regarding the Trustee's Sale or visit the Internet Web site address listed below for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case, CA05000933-19-1. 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 scheduledsale. Notice to Tenant NOTICE TO TENANT FOR FORECLOSURES AFTER JANUARY 1, 2021 You mayhave 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 exercis-

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sale, you can call 702-659-7766, or visit this internet website www. insourcelogic.com, using the file number assigned to this case CA05000933-19-1 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 should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. Date: 1/6/2021 MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps TS No. CA05000933-19-1 17100 Gillette Ave Irvine, CA 92614 Phone: 949-252-8300 TDD: 866-660-4288 Jody Glass, Authorized Signatory SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ON LINE AT www. insourcelogic.com FOR AUTO-MATED SALES INFORMATION PLEASECALL: In Source Logic AT 702-659-7766 Trustee Corps may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained may be used for that purpose.Order Number 73561. Pub Dates: 01/15/2021. 01/22/2021, 01/29/2021, DEL NORTE TRIPLICATE T306364 **FICTITIOUS BUSINESS** NAME STATEMENT Float-tastic The following person/s is/are do-

ing business as: Float-tastic 255 Butte St. Crescent City, CA 95531 This Business is conducted by:

married couple

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: 01/18/21

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: Cecilia M Patton, Darren T Patton This statement was filed with the

County Clerk of Del Norte County

on: 1/7/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder Claire Landay, Deputy File No. 20210002 Publish: Jan. 15, 22, 29, & Feb.

5, 2021 **Del Norte Triplicate T306418**

SUMMONS - AMENDED (CITACION JUDICIAL)
Case Number: (Número del Caso): CVUJ-2020-1267

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: (AVISO AL DEMANDADO):

ing this right of purchase. First, 48

hours after the date of the trustee

YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: (LO ESTÁ DEMANDANDO EL DEMAN-DANTE):
Del Norte County, a political subdivision of the State of California

NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below.
You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form

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There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If yo cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal carniot allord an activities, you hay be engilled for the legal services from a floripfort legal services services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www. lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www. courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss

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/ papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su ueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.

Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado

imediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web de California Legal Services. (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.sucort ca.gov) o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVISO: Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y los costos exentos por imponer un grava-men sobre cualquier recuperación de \$10,000 ó más de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesión de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la orte antes de que la corte pueda desechar el caso

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The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney is: (El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es): Autum E. Luna, Assistant County Counsel, 981 H Street, Suite 220, Crescent City CA 95531 (707) 464-7208

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SON-IN-LAW'S DISTRACTION MAY BE MORE THAN **FORGETFULNESS**

DEAR ABBY: I'm responding to the letter from "Open-and-Shut Case in Virginia" (Oct. 20), who complained her son-in-law was "disrespectful" because he didn't close cupboard doors, cereal boxes, etc. My guess is that "Kirk" is displaying classic symptoms of Adult Attention Deficit Disorder (AADD). Multistep tasks may be difficult for him to complete because he is easily distracted.

My husband has this. (It was not diagnosed until he was in his 50s, and I had nearly torn all my hair out.) He still occasionally leaves cabinet doors and drawers open. I tease him that he can't remember to walk from one side of the room to another if he forgets to take his medication.



I strongly recommend that Kirk be evaluated by a behavioral psychologist for AADD. Treatment may save the relationship between Kirk and his in-laws. -- WIFE OF A MAN WITH A.A.D.D.

DEAR WIFE: Thank you for your letter. I received a deluge of responses about the letter from "Open-and-Shut Case in Virginia," and the vast majority of the writers mentioned ADD, ADHD and AADD. Many of them recommended patience on the part of the in-laws and volunteered that Kirk may be able to manage the disorder if he is diagnosed.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 73-year-old retired woman who still maintains contact with a number of old and new friends for movies, dinner, museum visits, etc. Until the COVID virus, we did things often. Now, not so much.

Someone in this group told me that on a couple of occasions, a few of them were not very nice when my name came up. ("Why doesn't she see her grandkids more often?" "She goes out more than most, yet doesn't want to eat in certain restaurants.") My husband and I have a good marriage, but many of these ladies are widowed or divorced. How do you handle backstabbing at this age? -- MYSTIFIED IN NEW YORK

DEAR MYSTIFIED: Try not to take it personally. Obviously, these gossips have less to occupy their minds than one would hope. You might also consider seeing these particular individuals even less often than you already do in the age of COVID. If you do, it may give them less ammunition concerning what you do (or don't do) with your time.

DEAR ABBY: I began using a wheelchair two years ago. Since then a dear friend of roughly 30 years has become fixated on my disability. While we once shared a deep, close "BFF" relationship, she now speaks to me in baby talk and only shows an interest in my physical limitations. I feel objectified, hurt and disappointed.

I have mentioned to her that I prefer to focus on other things in life, and she responds with platitudes like, "The body is just a shell," and "All that matters is the heart," but her actions tell me otherwise. I hate to end this friendship, but I am at the end of my rope. Any advice? -- PATRONIZED IN **ARIZONA**

DEAR PATRONIZED: If you haven't done it already, tell this person that you no longer wish to discuss your disability and you prefer she stop raising the subject and treating you differently. Period. If she continues to pursue the subject after that, make your visits less frequent, if they happen at all.

Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Contact Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA

Curry County Sheriff's Blotter

Sunday, Jan. 10

- At 1:13 a.m., deputies responded to the 96000 block of Coverdell to a report of intoxicated subjects.
- At 10:40 a.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 32800 block of Nesika.
- At 11:52 a.m., deputies received a noise complaint from the 93300 block of Vershall.
- At 1:18 p.m., deputies responded to the 16700 block of Salmonberry after receiving a harassment complaint.
- At 2:58 p.m., deputies conducted a traffic stop at Highway 101 and Grassyknob and warned the driver for unlawful stopping.
- At 9:29 p.m., deputies responded to the 94000 block of Wedderburn Loop after receiving a complaint of criminal mischief.

Monday, Jan. 11

- At 11:55 a.m., deputies received a complaint of illegal dumping on North Bank Chetco.
- At 11:59 a.m., deputies responded to the 15500 block of Pedrioli after receiving a complaint regarding criminal mischief.
- At 12:12 p.m., deputies received a theft complaint in the 14300 block of Highway 101.
- At 1:05 p.m., deputies received a disorderly conduct complaint and responded to the Beachfront parking lot.
- At 2:51 p.m., deputies conducted a traffic stop on the Patterson Bridge and warned the driver for speeding.
- At 8:56 p.m., deputies responded to the area of Highway 101 and Hoffedlt after a caller said there was a disabled vehicle in the road.
- At 11:39 p.m., deputies responded to the 19900 block of Whaleshead Lane after receiving a complaint of suspicious conditions.

Tuesday, Jan. 12

- At 1 p.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 45000 block of Highway 101.
- At 2:09 p.m., deputies received a fraud complaint in the 98800 block of Pleasant Hill.

- At 2:33 p.m., a traffic accident was reported in the 16200 block of Highway 101.
- At 2:45 p.m., deputies responded to the 84700 block of South Bank Pistol River after receiving a theft complaint.
- At 2:58 p.m., a disabled vehicle was reported on the Chetco Bridge.
- At 3:27 p.m., deputies conducted a welfare check north of
- At 9:16 p.m., deputies conducted a traffic stop at Sunshine
- At 9:35 p.m., deputies responded to the 16000 block of Boat Basin after receiving a complaint of a dispute in progress.
- At 10:17 p.m., deputies received a complaint of an assault in progress and responded to the 45700 block of Highway 101. One person was arrested.

Wednesday, Jan. 13

- At 3:05 a.m., a traffic accident was reported at Cape Ferrelo and Sundown.
- At 6:05 a.m., deputies responded to the 94500 block of Shadow Lane after a caller reported a criminal trespass. • At 7:34 a.m., deputies received
- a complaint of suspicious conditions and responded to the 14800 block of Ocean View.
- At 10:47 a.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 15500 block of Highway 101.
- At 11:11 a.m., deputies received a theft complaint in the 19200 block of Carpenterville. · At 11:32 a.m., a traffic accident
- was reported at Highway 101 and Myers Creek. • At 2:36 p.m., deputies re-
- sponded to the 97900 block of Shopping Center after receiving a complaint of criminal mischief.
- At 7:26 p.m., deputies received a noise complaint at Rite Aid. • At 11:55 p.m., a complaint of suspicious conditions was reported
- on Camilia Drive. Thursday, Jan. 14

- At 12:06 a.m., deputies responded to the 97800 block of Court Street after receiving a complaint of suspicious conditions.
- At 8:30 a.m., deputies received a theft complaint in the 96400 block of Alder Ridge Road.
- At 1:11 p.m., a caller reported a violation of a protective order in the 95400 block of North Bank Rogue River Road.
- At 1:51 p.m., deputies received a report of harassment in the 97100 block of Dodge Avenue.
- At 3:59 p.m., deputies conducted a traffic stop at Alder and Spruce and warned the driver for failing to obey a traffic control device, failure to carry proof of insurance and failure to carry proof of registration.
- At 6:45 p.m., a disabled vehicle was reported on Ophir Road.
- At 8:17 p.m., deputies responded to the 98000 block of West Benham to investigate a complaint of elderly abuse.

Friday, Jan. 15

- At 6:14 a.m., deputies received a noise complaint in the 97700 block of North Bank Chetco River.
- At 7:35 a.m., deputies conducted a traffic stop on Winchuck River and cited the driver for driving with a suspended license and not having insurance.
- At noon, a report of suspicious conditions was called in from the area of Highway 101 and Court Street.

• Between 6:11 and 6:36 p.m.,

- a deputy made two traffic stops on North Bank Rogue and warned both drivers. • At 6:37 p.m., deputies responded to the 33100 block of Nesika
- regarding suspicious conditions. • At 7:11 p.m., deputies responded to the 32800 block of Nesika Road after receiving a complaint

Road after receiving a complaint

• At 7:29 p.m., deputies responded to the 47700 block of Haga after a caller reported a dispute in progress.

regarding threats.

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Saturday, Jan. 16

- At 10:28 a.m., deputies responded to Coos County and arrested a 35-year-old man on an outstanding warrant.
- At 8:16 p.m., deputies responded to the 95800 block of McKinnon after receiving a complaint regarding threats.
- At 8:54 p.m., deputies received a noise complaint in the 17400 block of Ross.
- At 9:19 p.m., a traffic accident was reported on Highway 101. One driver was cited for driving with a suspended license and driving without insurance.

Sunday, Jan. 17 • At 8:52 a.m., deputies were

- asked for increased patrols in the 96400 block of Cape Ferrelo.
- At 11:27 a.m., deputies received a report of suspicious conditions in the 16300 block of Lower Harbor.
- At 2 p.m., deputies conducted a traffic stop at the Myrtle Wood parking lot. A driver was warned for speeding and unsafe passing.
- At 2:48 p.m., deputies responded to the 16300 block of Grootendorst after a caller reported criminal mischief.
- At 3:33 p.m., a disturbance was reported at Cosmic Grind.
- At 3:56 p.m., deputies received a complaint of suspicious conditions and reported to the 9800 block of Gerlach.
- At 4:11 p.m., a resident in the 16200 block of Lower Harbor called and complained of receiving thefts.
- At 5:30 p.m., deputies conducted a traffic stop on Highway
- At 7:55 p.m., deputies responded to the 96300 block of Wildwood after reciving a complint regarding suspicious conditions.
- At 8:11 p.m., deputies responded to the 42800 block of Myrtle after receiving a report of theft.
- At 9:03 p.m., a report of suspicious conditions in the 15600 block of Ocean View.

Gold Beach

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• At 9:36 p.m., officers received a report of a deceased subject in the area of Fourth Street. Monday, Jan. 10

- At 9:56 a.m., officers conducted a welfare check in the area of Airport
- At 5:51 p.m., a report of a driving complaint in the area of Jerry's Flat Road. • At 11:30 p.m., policed investigated
- a report of harassment in the area of Lavin Street.

Tuesday, Jan. 11 • At 1:25 p.m., officers conducted

- a welfare check in the area of Second • At 2:55 p.m., a report of a suspi-
- cious vehicle in the area of Shirley • At 4:44 p.m., a report of illegal
- camping was received in the area of 29500 block of Ellensburg Avenue. Wednesday, Jan. 12

• At 4:13 a.m., a report of trespassing was received in the area of Oregon

- Trail Lodge. • At 7:03 a.m., police conducted a welfare check in the area of Moore
- At 10:59 a.m., a report of a hazard
- in the area of Fourth Street. • At 1:59 p.m., police received a report of child neglect in the area of
- 4:42 p.m., officers conducted a
- welfare check in the area of 29300 block of Ellensburg Avenue. • At 5:09 p.m., a report of a distur-
- bance in the area of Strahan Street. • At 5:50 p.m., a welfare check was requested in the area of Colvin Street.
- At 8:11 p.m., officers received a report of a hazard in the area of Hound
- At 8:50 p.m., a report of trespassing in the area of the Laundry Mat.
- At 9:26 p.m., officers conducted a welfare check in the area of Hillcrest

Thursday, Jan. 13

- At 2:43 a.m., police conducted a welfare check in the area of Fourth
- At 10:38 a.m., a welfare check was requested in the area of Fifth Place.

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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: Carl Wakefield

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 12/29/2020 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF DEL NORTE

Crescent City, CA 95531 Petition of: Anthony Joseph Arroyo CASE NO. CVPT-2020-1309

450 H Street Room 209

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME To all interested persons: Petitioner: Anthony Joseph Arroyo filed a petition with this court

for a decree changing names as

follows: Present name: Anthony Joseph Arroyo

to Proposed name: Antonio Bommarito

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 objec-tion 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

NOTICE OF HEARING Date: 1/29/2021 Time: 10:00 am Dept.: ONE The address of the court is same as noted above

the petition without a hearing

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four succes-sive 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

Dated: Dec. 18, 2020 /s/ Darren McElfresh Judge of the Superior Court Published: Jan. 1, 8, 15, & 22, Del Norte Triplicate T305595

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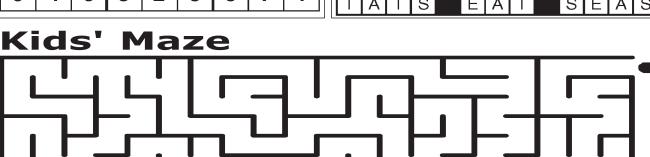
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