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Brookings, Oregon

Popular whale watching events canceled due to COVID

JEREMY C. RUARK

Country Media

The COVID-19 pandemic has again canceled the popular winter Whale Watching Week that attracts people to the Oregon Coast.

"Volunteer support and access to the Whale Watch Center in Depoe Bay have been canceled for both winter and spring whale watches in 2020 and 2021, so the last four opportunities," Oregon State Parks and Recreation Department spokesman Chris Havel said. "We will be back with the volunteer team as soon as it's safe.'

Havel said coast visitors wanting to see the whales under the canceled situation have faced limited opportunities since spring 2020.

"You don't need gear, but wide-view binoculars and spotting scopes can help you zoom in after you spot the puff of water vapor from a blow with your naked eye," he said. "After you see the sign, start tracking south to follow the whale's journey."

Havel said morning viewing is best.

"If it's not totally overcast, so you're not fighting the sun while looking west," he said. "There are plenty of tips online for Oregon whale watching.

A map online at https:// stateparks.oregon.gov/index.cfm?do=things-to-do.

More Whales, Page A3



Courtesy from OPRD A gray whale rises out of the ocean near the Oregon shoreline. The **COVID** pandemic canceled the official whale watching activities, but the whales can still be seen moving down the Oregon coast.

2021 year in review

Debate over feeding homeless splits community

BY DIANA BOSETTI AND DAVID RUPKALVIS

A lot of news took place in 2021 as COVID continued to plague the community, county commissioners fought over almost every issue and Brookings even crowned a state champion.

But one story took hold in Brookings and refused to let go a debate over whether nonprofits and churches should be able to feed the hungry without governmental interference.

Brookings made national news this year when benevolent kitchens run by community churches were told to limit those operations to two days a week and three hours or fewer per day.

The controversy goes back nearly two years to when four churches that served charitable meals resulted in an increase of calls for police service.

A petition citing safety concerns was also signed by 29 residents who live near St. Timothy's Episcopal Church - which was serving meals from its kitchen four days a week.

Fast forward to a June city-sponsored community workshop that was held to address those concerns, and the issue got more complicated when the Oregon Health Authority classified community kitchens as restaurants - a designation prohibited within residential neighborhoods.

On Oct. 25, the council voted to modify the ordinance that prohibited churches from operating charitable kitchens, but those who opposed the move stated the ordinance was on the books but applied to traditional revenue-generating restaurants, and accused the city of placing unconstitutional restrictions on their right to minister and practice their faith.

Nearly all of the Brookings benevolent kitchens have since applied for and obtained a conditional use permit, and the city council followed through on its promise to waive the \$3,012 permitting fee for doing so.

St. Tim's, however, has not applied for the permit and continues to open its kitchen 4 days a week.

Father Bernie Lindley with



A volunteer at St. Timothy's Episcopal Church put together food to feed the hungry during the church's food kitchen, which runs four days a week. Problems surrounding the benevolent kitchens led to the Brookings City Council limiting the times and hours meals can be served. Below, the R.T. Rev. Diana Akiyama receives a COVID shot from Loren Farmer.

St. Tim's has stated that constitutional protections afforded to religion, including ministering to those in need, prohibits municipalities from imposing restrictions on how often they operate.

The ordinance isn't scheduled to be enforced until at least January 26, but if St. Tim's receives a violation notice, benevolent kitchens may continue to be Curry County's top news story going into 2022, as Lindley has stated he is prepared to file a federal complaint in court.

COVID continues to plague community

COVID rates in Curry County trended below most regions of the state in 2021 - with 1,983 reported cases and 40 deaths - but rates failed to decline enough to lift indoor mask requirements.

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What are your new year's plans? Swarm of earthquakes hit off coast

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Top 10

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By the end of 2021, The Centers for Disease Control deemed residents of Curry County as facing a 'substantial risk' of contracting COVID, though surrounding counties fared worse and were designated as 'high risk.' Lincoln County is currently the only other coastline community that matches Curry's risk level.

Moving into 2022, the recent Omicron variant could push risk levels upward, and on Dec. 17, Oregon Gov. Kate Brown urged Oregonians to vaccinate against the virus of what she called "an Omicron-fueled surge of positivity rates."

According to the CDC, 55.4% of Curry County residents are fully vaccinated.

Oregon Health Authority data also shows that between December 23-26, Curry County's average daily rate of COVID-positive cases per 100,000 people was 8.9%, with a 7-day average of two cases of COVID each day.

Available ICU beds in Curry currently sit at 8%, and 13% of non-ICU beds are open.

Moving into the new

year, Oregonians may also face an indefinite indoor mask mandate, which would replace the current 180-day temporary rule that the state has operated under

The rule generally applies to all businesses in Oregon, and the OHA is proposing a civil penalty of \$500 per person per day for non-compliance with the rule.

Controversy continues to follow Court Boice

2021 started very well from Curry County Commissioner Court Boice. During the first meeting of the year, Boice was elected chairman of the board of commissioners.

But despite the start,
Boice continued to struggle
to gain support in many of
the policies he wanted to
enact. On a regular basis,
Boice and Commissioner
Chris Paasch battled publicly over policy disagreements.

While Boice won many of the battles politically, the conflict took a toll. Midway through the year, Boice stepped down as chair after another dispute over parking spots that Boice felt should be opened to the public.

Commissioner John Herzog stepped in as chair while Boice continued to serve as commissioner.

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Curry County commissioners Court Boice, left, and Chris Paasch continued to clash in 2021, although the two did agree on many major issues. Below, the Brookings-Harbor baseball team went 16-0 and won the state champion-ship in the spring.

County hands over public health

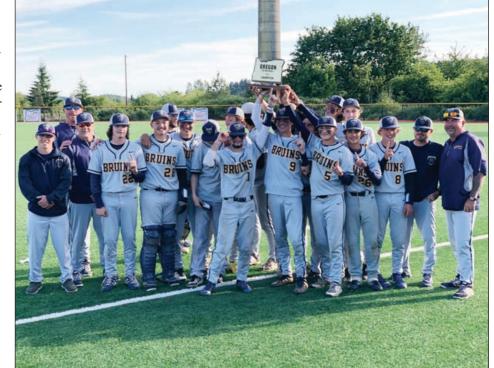
During the middle of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Curry County Board of Commissioners caused a lot of controversy when the board voted to have the Oregon Health Authority take over public health duties in the county.

The vote came after the Oregon Health Authority sent the county a letter, saying things must improve in public health or the state would move to take over, saying things must improve in public health or the state would move to take over.

When the decision was made in April, Curry County had only one employee working in the public health authority, Sherrie Ward, public health administrator, and the demands of the COVID-19 pandemic made it difficult, if not impossible, to keep up.

The 2-1 vote was met with controversy.

"This is the worst decision this board will make," Commissioner Chris Paasch said after voting no.



Court throws out conviction for low-speed chase

In a critical review of the arresting officers and district court, on June 9 the Oregon Court of Appeals reversed a felony conviction of Jennifer Gayman - a 50-year-old disabled woman who was arrested by Brookings police officers in 2018 for eluding police on a mobility scooter.

In November of 2018, two Brookings police issued a citation to Gayman for driving her scooter on the sidewalk and not wearing a helmet.

Gayman was also told she could not drive her scooter home, as she still did not have a helmet. Gayman took her citation and drove off anyway, and police pursued her in a low-speed chase with sirens and lights and requested backup.

Once Gayman arrived at her home, police arrested her inside her garage.

Two and half years after her arrest, the state court of appeals reversed Gayman's conviction with a June 9 ruling, stating that the scooter was a motor assisted wheelchair and not a motor vehicle. According to the ruling, a person must be operating a motor vehicle in order to be charged with eluding or fleeing a police officer.

On Oct. 19, the Brookings City Council had to reallocate \$25,500 in con-

tingency funds to help pay for a 23 percent insurance cost increase for the 2021-2022 fiscal year due to the court's decision.

Perfection: Brookings-Harbor wins state title

The Brookings-Harbor baseball team achieved something few ever do perfection.

In the shortened spring season, Brookings-Harbor went 16-0 and cruised to the state championship with a, 11-2 victory over Yamhill Carlton.

The state title marked a school-first in baseball, and was only the team's second

More **2021**, Page A9

IF YOU LOVE SCHOOLS, LAYER UP



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whale-watching shows the best headlands where you can catch views of passing whales. The beach isn't a good spot for viewing.

Havel urges beach visitors to take additional precautions along the shoreline due to the winter conditions.

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Despite the pandemic, the whales continue their annual migration.

"In the winter, we get to enjoy seeing nearly 20,000 gray whales from mid-December through mid-January as they travel south to the warm lagoons of Baja Mexico," he said. "After giving birth, there's a north-bound migration in spring."

According to Havel, people are fascinated by large, wild animals for

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Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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Coast visitors are encouraged to find safe locations to watch the whale migration. are naturally attracted to

"People are clever and good at inventing and building ways to survive and thrive, and wildlife like whales do the same thing through sheer awesome power," he said. "There's still some mystery about their lives, and seeing them in action is a thrill. Seeing them in real life is also a reminder of how we affect all marine life, and have a responsibility to eliminate pollution and be careful stewards of the planet's resources."

Hacel adds that people

the whales' beauty, mystery and power. "But we also appre-

ciate being reminded of our place in these natural systems, and it makes us all feel part of the family," he said. While the cancellation

of Whale Watching Week can be an economic impact for coast businesses, Havel said there have been so many other disruptions these last two years, people have adapted.

"Some people may choose not to participate in whale watching if there aren't volunteers available to help them, but many people have always done it solo, and there are also private boat tours available," Havel said. "Folks interested in the guided tour experience should

check with Travel Oregon and the Oregon Coast Visitors Association for more information."

Lean more about the whale migration at https:// stateparks.oregon.gov and following the links.

Death Notices

Gold Beach resident John Dean Bloomingdale passed away at home on December 26, 2021 at the age of 98.

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Sat 4:30 p.m. Spanish Mass 6:30 p.m.

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Kingdom Youth Group......11am

Adrian VanAswegen, Pastor

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Thursday Bible Study

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Sunday School-PreK~12th...9:30am

Adult Bible Study......9:30am

Thursday Evening Bible Study...6:15pm

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Fellowship.....9:30am

Worship.....10am

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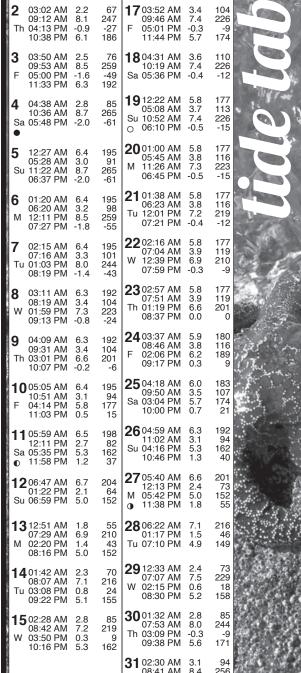
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Guest Opinion

What to expect from wireless technology in 2022

By Laurent "LT" THERIVEL President and CEO of UScellular

2021 was a year of tremendous challenges, but there were also incredible strides made in the world of wireless technology that have changed the way we live, work and play – all for the better.

I have been in the wireless industry for more than 15 years, and as technology evolves, there's always plenty to be excited about. Today, over 300 million people have access to a 5G wireless network, so it's hard to believe this innovation became available only three years ago. 5G has been described as a transformative technology, but most transformations happen steadily - they become "trends" that happen over time. To that end, here are three trends I predict for 2022 that can have a lasting impact on families and businesses across

1. Real Change for Rural **America**

the country.

A recent study by Broadband-Now indicates that more than 40 million people in the United States lack reliable access to high-speed Internet, many of them in rural areas. A primary driver for lack of coverage in these areas is simple economics – at times it can be twice as expensive to build the needed broadband infrastructure in rural areas, and there are far less people to help pay for the service making it costprohibitive for providers and expensive for customers.

But there are encouraging signs that this will be changing. The recent infrastructure bill allocated more than \$65 billion for broadband and provides an unprecedented opportunity for the expansion of highspeed connectivity to underserved areas, as well as increased affordability for consumers. And government leaders I've spoken to are eager to put this money to work for their constituents

Additionally, revolutionary new wireless technology – 5G fixed wireless - can provide connectivity to homes and businesses at very high speeds, delivering reliable broadband access in rural areas quickly and cost-effectively. At UScellular, we've achieved world-record speeds in trials of our fixed wireless solution, and we look forward to rolling the service out to more customers in

Our investments in fixed wireless serve a dual benefit of also enabling enhanced 5G mobile broadband for consumers, allowing them to connect both at home and on the go.

I predict 2022 will be the year that we begin the path towards significant progress in connecting rural America and bridging everyone to the digital economy.

2. Internet of Things Goes Mainstream

You may have heard this one before. The Internet of Things – or IoT – has been touted for years, and while there have been significant strides towards the ultimate promise of a connected world, the hype has so far outweighed the results. However, business leaders I've met with have shared concrete examples that demonstrate IoT technology is starting to deliver on its potential, mainly due to the ubiquity of 5G networks that provide the consistent, fast connection that IoT devices require.

Hospitals are reducing costs and improving patient care by tracking the location of thousands of assets, such as beds, medical equipment, and specialized instruments, as well as monitoring temperaturesensitive medications. Precision agriculture allows farmers to automate their irrigation systems and monitor soil quality, minimizing money and resources spent by only putting water and fertilizer when and where they are needed. For consumers, the expectation that everything can be trackable and connected is becoming a reality with security cameras, smart watches and low-cost item tracking like AirTags.

According to CTIA, there are more than 190 million IoT devices in the U.S., representing over 40% of all estimated wireless devices. I predict that 2022 will be the year that IoT truly starts to emerge and deliver on the promise of a world where anything can be connected.

3. Connecting for Togetherness

Perhaps the most impactful change that I see for 2022 is reversing the trend of technology that divides us online, and instead helps us connect in real life. And the indications are

Connectivity has always been used to bring people together phone calls, text messaging, video calls, and even social networks initially brought us together, helping us connect with old friends and share important life moments. But much of the online social discourse these days is divisive, poisonous, and at times even life-threatening. When people can hide behind digital disguises and speak to anonymous and faceless recipients, every online conversation can quickly escalate into an "us vs. them" division.

Encouragingly, at UScellular, we are seeing a steady uptick in personal communication. One-on-one text messaging is on the rise, and after previously declining year over year, phone calls per user increased on our network in 2021 – signs that people are connecting directly with each other, not around each other via social networks.

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Letters to the Editor

Take some action

I read with interest your story on speeding in Brookings and traveling to Brookings every day, I can verify speeding is a problem.

The chart shown in the paper was illegible and worthless. Typical DOT, taking a very simple problem and devising a chart so complicated it can't be easily understood.

There are several factors involved, one is, there are five changes in the limit from one end of town to the other. These are hard to see as there is so much advertising displayed, blocking the signs. Two, people just refuse to go the speed limit anywhere. Three, there is little to no enforcement. Most stops result in a verbal warning which in most cases does no good at all.

There is, in my opinion simple answers. Establish one speed limit through town, 25 or 30 mph seems reasonable, make sure it's clearly marked. It works in Gold Beach, Port Orford and Bandon. Second, enforce the limits. Most of the speeders are locals who do whatever they feel like. Cite violators until speeding is under control. Three, eliminate parking in the two outside lanes of Chetco Avenue from the theater to DQ. There is adequate parking nearby and a very unsafe condition for cars traveling in the lanes and people trying to safely exit their cars is eliminated.

Take some action don't keep kicking the can down the road.

> Nelson Sprague **Brookings**

Thank you

I would like to thank the Brookings Fred Meyer pharmacy. I am one of those affected by the Bi Mart pharmacy closure. I will NOT drive to Crescent City for my prescriptions.

It is my understanding that no

one at either pharmacy was given a heads up prior to early November of the closure. I immediately went to FM pharmacy to begin the process to change my prescriptions over. Everyone at FMP has been helpful, courteous, knowledgeable and efficient. They show grace under pressure, in a situation they didn't ask for. All this coming during the holidays, and with the never ending COVID restrictions, plus staffing shortages.

Yes, I had to wait in line once. but FMP had three checkers/ clerks going, and were doing their best to help their customers. This has been a difficult time for FMP, and they are slammed with new customers they didn't expect. I want to personally thank each and every one of them. Lets extend them some kindness and courtesy, during this Christmas season, and in the new year.

> Joy Burnett Gold Beach

Amused by bridges

I was intrigued, amused and then amazed by the article on the bridges of Curry county. There were some interesting facts about several of the Curry County bridges.

Then amused by the literary freedom stating that "the Thomas creek bridge sits over the ocean." We have passed over it many times during our 20 plus years living in Brookings and when I look down below the bridge, I see tress and brush. I was amazed at the lack of math of the writer who several times mentioned nine bridges in Curry County and no mention or counting of the bridges at Pistol, Chetco and

Winchuck rivers. I hope the Pilot will cover the construction of these bridges when they happen and include them in future counting of Curry County bridges. This list also

does not include the various bridges crossing the creeks along the north bank road of the Chetco River.

> J.M. Benson **Brookings**

Common Decency

They used to call it common decency because it was considered common. Now it would be more aptly called uncommon decency because it's so infrequent.

Everyone is so impatient, so intolerant, so out of touch with what used to be thought of as good manners or social etiquette, that we just don't have time for or see the need for being courteous or decent when dealing with others. I've finally come to realize that my needs, my sensibilities, my priorities are just not as important as the next person who bumps into me without saying excuse me or cuts in front of me in line or cuts me off on the road or tailgates me. So having a better understanding of my place in society, I just move out of their way and I'd like to publicly apologize to anyone whose progress I might have impeded by being the obstacle in their path and I promise to do better in the future.

So, the next time somebody knocks you down like a bowling pin because in their mind, you're in their way and they just don't have the time for you, do what I do, step aside, say you're sorry and let them pass. Their life must be so much more important than yours and whatever they are doing, it has got to be more significant than your little meaningless in their way existence.

I just hope that by reading this, it did not interrupt your prior plans which I'm sure were much more important than reading my meaningless drivel.

> Avery Freauxbischer **Brookings**

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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.

Wednesday 12/15:

- At 7:52 a.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Pacific and Fern. The driver was given a verbal warning for failing to obey traffic control devices.
- At 8:42 a.m., the police conducted a welfare check at the 1200 block of Moore Street.
- At 11:40 a.m., the police responded to the 1300 block of Homestead Road after a caller reported theft. A male paid a moving company who didn't show up, as contracted.
- At 1:44 p.m., the police conducted a welfare check at the 500 block of Fern Avenue.
- At 3:14 p.m., the police responded to the 1200 block of Moore Street after a caller reported illegal camping. Occupants of a motor home camped in city limits were given an hour to move the vehicle.
- At 7:33 p.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of 5th Street and Chetco Avenue. The driver was given a verbal warning for driving without lights when required.
- At 8:54 p.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and 5th

Street. The driver was given a verbal warning for driving without lights when required.

• At 9:41 p.m., the police responded to the 300 block of Spruce drive after a caller reported loud

Thursday 12/16:

- At 1:10 a.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and Oak Street. The driver was given a verbal warning for speeding.
- At 11:44 a.m., the police responded to the 500 block of Pacific after a caller reported a dispute.
- At 12:11 p.m., the police responded to the intersection of Willow and Chetco after a caller reported a traffic crash with no iniury.
- At 7:12 p.m., the police responded to Mill Beach Road after a caller reported an animal complaint.
- At 7:51 p.m., the police responded to the 300 block of Alder Street after a caller reported suspicious conditions. Report of a male subject carrying a brand new chainsaw after previously being seen walking empty handed. Turned out he had just purchased the chainsaw from someone and was walking back home with it.
- At 9:38 p.m., the police responded to the 900 block of 3rd Street after a caller reported that someone had just been in their backyard attempting to steal something.
- At 9:56 p.m., a female brindle and a white pit bull were found near South

Coast Lumber. They were brought to the police department.

• At 10:54 p.m., the police responded to the Harris Beach rest area after a caller reported a male subject flashing his knife at people who walked by

Friday 12/17:

- At 2:23 a.m., the police responded to the intersection of 5th Street and railroad Street after a caller reported disorderly conduct. A report of a male subject throwing items at a vehicle passing by.
- At 8:01 a.m., the police responded to the 1100 block of Chetco Avenue after a caller reported a hit and run.
- At 10:11 a.m., the police conducted a welfare check at the 400 block of Fir Street.
- At 1:39 p.m., the police responded to Alder Street after a caller reported a driving complaint. • At 7:50 p.m., the po-
- lice responded to the 1100 block of Chetco Avenue after a caller reported a dispute. An unwanted female subject forced her way into his room and was refusing to leave. • At 7:58 p.m., the
- police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and Bridge Street.
- At 9:54 p.m., the police conducted a warrant service at the intersection of Fifield and Arnold
- At 10:29 p.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and

Parkview.

Saturday 12/18:

- At 12:46 a.m., the police responded to the 400 block of Fir Street after a caller reported criminal trespass. Several subjects were issued a trespass warning.
- At 5:18 a.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and Parkview.
- At 11:31 a.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and Oak.
- At 12:14 p.m., the police responded to Otter Terrace after a caller reported an animal complaint. • At 2:12 p.m., the po-

lice responded to the 600

block of Chetco Avenue after a caller reported theft. • At 5:15 p.m., the police responded to Passley after a caller reported a driving complaint. There was a report of ongoing

issues with a neighbor rev-

ving their truck every time

they leave their house. • At 6:59 p.m., the police responded to the 800 block of Railroad Street after a caller reported an animal complaint.

Sunday 12/19: • At 12:05 a.m., the

- police conducted a welfare check at the Harbor Port.
- At 9:41 a.m., the police responded to the 16000 block of Boat Basin after a caller reported a
- At 10:52 a.m., the police responded to the 800 block of Chetco Avenue after a caller reported an animal complaint.

• At 12:17 p.m., the police conducted a traffic stop next to Napa Auto. The driver was cited for going 58 mph in a 35 mph area, and also received a verbal warning for careless driving.

• At 12:26 p.m., the police conducted a welfare check on Chetco Avenue.

- At 3:50 p.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of 5th Street and Ransom. The driver was given a verbal warning for failing to obey traffic control devices.
- At 5:20 p.m., the police responded to the 300 block of 5th Street after a caller reported theft. A male was arrested for theft 2 after stealing a large amount of merchandise. He was released with a citation due to continued jail lodging restrictions.
- At 6:13 p.m., the police responded to the 1300 block of Easy Street after a caller reported theft.
- At 6:45 p.m., the police responded to the 16400 block of Lower Harbor Road after a caller reported a fight.
- At 7:25 p.m., the police conducted a welfare check at the 98800 block of Pleasant Hill Drive.
- At 9:48 p.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Railroad and Pacific. The driver was given a verbal warning for driving without lights when required, expired OR license and failing to register vehicle.
- At 10:25 p.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and 5th Street. The driver was

given a verbal warning for reckless driving.

Monday 12/20:

- At 2:15 a.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and Fern. The driver received a verbal warning for speeding.
- At 10:57 a.m., the police responded to Highway 101 after a caller reported a traffic crash with injury.
- At 11:58 a.m., the police responded to Borax property after a caller reported a criminal trespass. Adults parked and camping were formally trespassed from location and advised to move along.
- At 12:14 p.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the Harris Beach Rest Area. The driver was given a verbal warning for failing to maintain the lane of travel in a work zone.
- At 1:07 p.m., the police conducted a welfare check at the 500 block of Willow Street.
- At 3:06 p.m., the police conducted a warrant service at the 300 block of 5th Street. An adult male was arrested on a Coos County warrant and was released with a citation.
- At 3:54 p.m., the police responded to the 800 block of Chetco Avenue after a caller reported suspicious conditions. A customer reported threats from another customer.
- At 9:58 p.m., the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and Bridge Street. The driver was given a verbal warning for driving without lights when required.

Stronger safeguards needed for popular money saving apps

STAFF REPORT

Oregon Attorney General Ellen Rosenblum co-led a bipartisan letter from 33 Attorneys General to Rohit Chopra, Director of the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB) calling for stronger consumer safeguards for money sharing platforms and apps.

Popular payment apps include Apple Pay, Venmo, Square, Zelle, and others. The Attorneys General highlight a rise in consumer complaints related to these payment platforms, especially complaints from consumers about difficulties reaching customer service representatives, inability to retrieve funds, and fraudulent money transfers by third party scammers. These payment platforms are sometimes marketed as a solution for consumers without access to traditional banks, even though these apps are not considered a bank.

"Especially during the pandemic, consumers have depended on payment apps as a virtual and safe way to send money quickly, Rosenblum said. "But as these platforms explode in popularity, so does the chance of being scammed and defrauded. As our letter urges, it is particularly important these platforms employ safeguards to protect consumers from fraud and provide better customer service when things go wrong."

The letter addresses three major issues: customer service, account access, and third-party scams.

Highlights from the letter include:

Issue 1: Customer Service

Complainants say that they can't contact customer service representatives, and, when they do, they face long hold times or never reach a human representative. A customer service email address or chat function is often difficult to find or requires navigating multiple layers to access. Speaking directly with a customer service representative is an important feature that is still desired by many, and one that should not be overlooked even with advances in technology.

Issue 2: Account Access

Other complaints focus on consumers' inability to access or transfer money, including funds directly deposited into their accounts by their employer or the government, e.g., paychecks, unemployment benefits, and CARES Act funds. Such issues prevent consumers from using their own funds, and these problems are exacerbated by not being able to connect with customer service. Consumers may be locked out of their accounts without warning or explanation, or because the consumer has a problem with their email address or phone number.

Issue 3: Third-Party Scams

Many consumers have been scammed out of hundreds or thousands of dollars by other users of these payment platforms. Scammers are attracted to real-time payment platforms, in large part,

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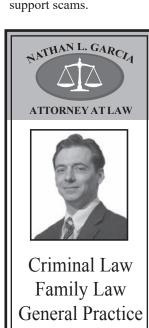


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Popular payment apps include Apple Pay, Venmo, Square, Zelle, and others.

because they do not need to reveal their true identity to set up an account. The complaints describe a wide range of scams. In some, third parties contacted consumers through social media offering investment opportunities or prize entries in exchange for

payment. In others, scammers pose as family members and request money from unsuspecting consumers. In some cases, fraudsters take advantage of the platforms' limited customer support systems. Because it may be difficult to find contact information for customer service, many consumers resort to trying to find a phone number through an internet search. This leads to consumers encountering fake customer service phone numbers, which direct consumers to scammers who engage in tech



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The perpetrators of such scams offer to assist consumers for a fee or convince the consumer to allow them access to their device or their account, allowing the perpetrator to quickly drain the account. Next steps

If you believe you have fallen victim to a payment app scam, report the fraudulent transaction to the

company behind the money transfer app and ask if they can reverse the payment.

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> TEAM TEACHER, **Infant Toddler Center**

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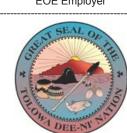
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office facility and equipment, managing the Commissions' assessment programs, payable and receivable bookkeeping, financial reporting, budget preparation as well as meeting planning, writing minutes, administrative rule writing noticing and filing, maintaining databases and websites, preparing contracts and understanding state statutes, administrative rules, policies and procedures. The contractor will maintain communications and good working relationships with the Commissions' volunteer boards. The full Request For Proposal is available January 3, 2022 at www.oregonalbacore.org and www.oregonsalmon.org and posted with OregonBuys eProcurement System https://oregonbuys.gov/bso/ . All proposals are due February 4, 2022 by 5:00 pm PST. Request additional information by email: nancy@oregonsalmon. org Include OAC/OSC RFP in email subject line.

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

Crescent City, CA 95531 Petition of: Fran gi Sanders CASE NO. CVPT-2021- 1319

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

To all interested persons: Petitioner: Fran gi Sanders filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name: Fran gi Sanders to Proposed name: Fran gi Danielle Sanders

THE COURT ORDERS that all

persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING Date: February 4, 2022 Time: 10:00 am Dept.: 1

The address of the court is same as noted above.

A copy of this Order to Show published shall be at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper general circulation, printed in this

Date: December 14, 2021 /s/ Darren McElfresh Judge of the Superior Court Published: December 31st. 2021 and January 7th, 14th and 21st 2022

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Time: 12:00-1:00 pm

The Local Behavioral Health Board will be conducting a public meeting. Public Meeting Information: Monday, January 3rd, 2022 at

12:00 pm

The meeting will be held in person at 880 Northcrest Dr.. multipurpose room 1&2 and via a video conference. The meeting can be reached by using the following online

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Call in number: 1-669-900-6833 Meeting ID: 984 0278 1625 Password: 978076

If you would like the login information emailed to you, or you need an accommodation to call in, please contact the staff person listed below.

Please direct questions to: Marcus Padilla Del Norte County Behavioral Health Branch 455 K St., Crescent City, CA 95531 Phone: (707) 464-7224 Fax: (707) 465-4272 Email: mpadilla@co.del-norte.

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SUMMARY OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL **SECTIONS 20, 21, 22, 23,**

24 & 25 OF CHAPTER 4 OF TITLE TWO OF THE **DEL NORTE COUNTY CODE RELATING TO** SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS

At the regularly scheduled meeting of the Del Norte County Board of Supervisors on Tuesday, January 11, 2022, the Board of Supervisors will vote on an ordinance to repeal outdated local supervisorial district lines.

A full copy of the ordinance is City, CA during normal business 2022.

Dated: December 27, 2021

Board

of Supervisors, County of Del Norte T333300

Notice of Public Meeting

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The Winchuck Rural Fire Protection District will hold its next Board of Director's meeting on Wed. January 12, 2022 at 6:00 P.M., at the Winchuck Fire Hall, 363 Winchuck River Road.

- 1. Call to Order and Roll Call
- 2. Reading of the Minutes
- 3. Chief's Report
- 4 Treasurer's Report 5. Old Business
- 6. Adjourn Meeting Respectfully Submitted Jan Loren, Secretary P333267

Del Norte LAFCo Public Hearing Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Monday January 24, 2022 at 4 p.m. Del Norte LAFCo will hold public hearings on the following items:

· Municipal Service Reviews and Sphere of Influence Updates for Klamath Area Community Services Districts

Application from Hunter Valley Community Services District to activate park and recreation powers within District boundaries.

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 issues, the Governor of the State of California has issued Executive Order N-29- 20 and Order N-25-20 establishing distancing measures and suspending provisions of the Brown Act. For this reason, the meeting will be held via ZOOM videoconference; public access and participation will available telephonically and electronically; instructions to participate remotely will be provided in the meeting agenda that will posted on the Del Norte LAFCo website at least 72 hours prior to the meeting (https://- www.delnortelafco. org/- agendas-meetings-2022

PLEASE SUBMIT ANY PUBLIC COMMENTS AHEAD TIME IF AT ALL POSSIBLE Please send comments to eo@delnortelafco.org. limit your comment to 3000 characters. Your comment will be read aloud during the public comment period. Please submit only one comment per agenda item and only one general public comment. Comments may also be mailed to Del Norte LAFCo, 1125 16th Street Suite, 202 Arcata, CA 95521, Written of Supervisors office at 981 comments must be received H Street, Suite 200, Crescent by 2 p.m. Monday January 24,

Please visit delnortelafco.org to review the meeting agenda Publication Date: December 31. prior to the meeting. For more information email eo@ Kylie Goughnour, Clerk of the <u>delnortelafco.org</u> or call (707) 825-9301.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Notice is hereby given that ORDINANCE

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a public meeting will

the South conducted by West Area Commission on **Transportation** comprising of Coos, Douglas, and Curry Counties on January 14, 2022 from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm via teleconference. The following positions are currently vacant: Douglas County Stakeholders Alternate Representative and Coos County Stakeholders Alternate Representative and Curry County Stakeholders Primary Representative. Interested parties should contact Sarah Thompson at 541-957-3687 for an application teleconference information before the meeting date. Agenda items be considered include: Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act update. Safe Routes to School program update, and Connect Oregon application review. All interested persons may appear and be heard. A request for accommodations for persons with disabilities should be made at least 48 hours before the meeting by contacting Sarah Thompson. this 22nd December, 2021. WEST SOUTH **AREA** COMMISSION

DEL NORTE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TRANSPORTATION

P333030

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE AN ORDINANCE OF THE **DEL NORTE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ADDING SECTION 16.04.42** TO DEL NORTE COUNTY **CODE RELATED TO** THE CORRECTION AND **MODIFICATION OF A**

RECORDED SUBDIVISION

At the regularly scheduled meeting of the Del Norte County Board of Supervisors on Tuesday, January 11, 2022, the Board of Supervisors will vote on an ordinance adding a process to amend previously recorded subdivisions, as required by the Subdivision Map Act.

A full copy of the ordinance is available for review in the Board of Supervisors office at 981 Street, Suite 200, Crescent City, CA during normal business

Dated: December 21, 2021 Publish: December 31, 2021

Kylie Goughnour. Clerk of the Board Of Supervisors, County of Del Norte T333012

DEL NORTE COUNTY **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS** SUMMARY OF PROPOSED **Public Notices**

ORDINANCE ADDING **CHAPTER 16 RELATED TO** PROVIDING AN EXPEDITED STREAMLINED **PROCESS** FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLE **CHARGING STATIONS AND** CHAPTER 17 RELATED TO **EXPEDITED** PERMITTING FOR SMALL RESIDENTIAL ROOFTOP SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEMS TO TITLE 14 OF THE DEL NORTE COUNTY

CODE

At the regularly scheduled meeting of the Del Norte County Board of Supervisors on Tuesday, January 11, 2022, the Board of Supervisors will vote on an ordinance adding streamlined. administrative permit procedures to the County Code for rooftop solar panels and electric vehicle charging stations. These procedures are required by state law, and will allow applicants a streamlined process to obtain building permits for these uses without special review by the Planning Commission.

A full copy of the ordinance is available for review in the Board of Supervisors office at 981 H Street, Suite 200, Crescent City, CA during normal business

Dated: December 21, 2021 Publish: December 31, 2021

Kylie Goughnour. Clerk of the Board Of Supervisors, County of Del Norte T333009

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE Benner Mini Storage 1600 Breen Street Crescent City, CA 95531

Notice of Lien Sale on the following listed Units:

Household & Misc. Items Unit No. 017 Patrick Carson 1085 U.S. Hwy 101 N. #209 Crescent City, CA 95531

Household & Misc. Items Unit

No. 126 Michelle Blakely 2234

Harmony Lane Crescent City,

CA 95531 Household & Misc. Items Unit No. 395 Kristin Scott 1783

Gainard Street Crescent City,

Household & Misc. Items Unit No. 752 Robert Thiessen 149 E Street, A10 Crescent City, CA

CA 95531

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Lien sale will be held: Date: January 8, 2022 Time: 9:30 AM Location: Benner Mini Storage 1600 Breen Street Crescent City, CA 95531 Publish 12/24/21, 12/31/21, 1/7/22

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/are doing business as: F/V Christina Maria

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125 Deer Meadow Way Crescent City, CA 95531

This Business is conducted by: a married couple

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: n/a

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

Signed: Leland Starkey, **Justene Starkey**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 12/15/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder Damon Fletcher File No. 20210161

Published: December 24, 31, 2021, January 7 and 14, 2022 Del Norte Triplicate T332667

Notice of Lien Sale Wilson OW Storage

Lien Sale will be held: Date: January 8, 2022 Time: Walk by at 11:30 am, Sale at 12:00 noon at Wilson OW Storage, 98121 W Benham Ln, Brookings, OR 97415 Unit #44, Charles Simpson,

PO Box 6841, Brookings, OR 97415 Published: 12/17, 12/24, 12/-31/21 and 1/7/22 P331986

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

"2 Friends Earring Co." The following person(s) is/are doing business as: 2 Friends Earring Co. 920 C 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: n/a

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars

Signed: Keith Rigby This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 12/6/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski File No. 20210159

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Published: December 10th, 17th, 24th and 31st, 2021 Del Norte Triplicate T332037

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT "Del Norte Security"

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

Del Norte Security 1431 Gainard Street

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: November 29.

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: Austin Galea, Devin Demuth

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 11/29/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski File No. 20210156 Published: December 10th, 17th, 24th and 31st, 2021 Del Norte Triplicate T332004

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

"Seaside Vacation Rentals" The following person(s) is/are doing business as: Seaside Vacation Rentals 1193 2nd Street Crescent City, CA 95531

This Business is conducted by: a limited liability company The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: n/a

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

Signed: Shelly Gomez, Chief **Executive Member**

(\$1.000)

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 10/6/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder Damon Fletcher File No. 20210135

Published: December 10th 17th, 24th and 31st, 2021 Del Norte Triplicate 331761

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Summons (Citacion Judicial)

Notice to defendant (Aviso al Demandado): MARY LENOS, an Individual, and DOES 1-20,

You are being sued by plaintiff (Lo Esta Demandado el Demandante): IDA OSBURNE

CASE NUMBER (Numero del Caso): CVUJ-2021-1289

NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information

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 if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo. ca.gov/- selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filling fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

legal There are other 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 you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services website (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 of \$10,000 or more in a

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civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case.

AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 dias, la cortee puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su version. Lea la informacion a continuacion.

Tiene 30 DIAS DE CALENDARIO despues de que le entreguen esta citacion para papelas legales presentar une respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue une copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefonica no lo protegen. SU respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en fornato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es possible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puedo encontrat estos formularios de la corte y mas informacion en el centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www. sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leves de su condado o en la corte que le quede mas cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentacion, pida al secretario de la corte que le de un formulario de exencion de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta

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podra quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin mas advertencia. Hav otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado immediatamente. Si no conoce a un abrogado, puede llamar a unservicio de remision a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es possible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener legales gartuitos 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. sucorte.ca.gov) o poniendose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVISO; Per ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y

los costos exentos por imponer

un gravamen sobre cualquier

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recuperacion de \$10,000 o mas de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o une concesion de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corte antes de que la corte pueda desechar el caso.

The name and address of the court is:

(El nombre y direccion de la corte es):

Del Norte County Superior Court

450 H Street, Room 209 Crescent City, California, 95531

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Eureka, CA 95503 Date (Fecha): October 25.

Esperanze Esparza, Clerk, by (Secretario) H. Fleshman. Deputy (Adjunto) Triplicate T332868

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/are doing business as: **Sea Mist Apartment Homes**

505 Pacific Avenue Crescent City, CA 95531 This Business is conducted by:

an individual The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or

names listed on: 11/1/2021 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 quilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1.000).

Signed: Paul Maguire This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 11/18/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder

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B. McCune-Sokoloski File No. 20210154 Published: December 17th, 24th and 31st, 2021 and January 7, 2022

Del Norte Triplicate T332364

NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS ESTATE OF JOSEPH HARRY FRANCISCO CURRY COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

CASE NO. 21PB10598 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that LYNDA J. RENNE has been appointed personal representative. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with written evidence thereof attached, to the personal representative. c/o Mark Mark M. Williams, Attorney at Law, 180 West Sixth Avenue. Junction City. Oregon 97448. All persons having claims

against the estate are required to present them within four months after the date of first publication of this notice to the Personal Representative at the address stated above for the presentation of claims or such claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by these proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court or the Personal Representative, named above. Dated and first published December 17, 2021 Personal

Representative: LYNDA J. RENNE c/o Mark M. Williams, OSB#821404 Attorney at Law 180 West Sixth Avenue Junction City, Oregon 97448 Published: December 17, 24 and 31, 2021 Curry Coastal

NAME STATEMENT The following person(s) is/are doing business as: Little Rays Tackle Box

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

Pilot P332379

an individual

380 Terwer Riffle Road Klamath, CA 95548 This Business is conducted by:

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or **Public Notices**

names listed on: 7/1/2011

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

Signed: Thomas Chew

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 12/3/2021 Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder B. McCune-Sokoloski File No. 20210158

Published: December 17th, 24th and 31st, 2021 and January 7, 2022 Del Norte Triplicate T332431

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF **CURRY**

In the Matter of the Estate of: **EDWIN DARRELL GOODELL,** Deceased Case No. 21PB10126

NOTICE TO INTERESTED **PERSONS**

Notice is hereby given that Paul Joseph Goodell has been appointed and has qualified as the personal representative of the estate. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby required to present them, with proper vouchers, to Paul Joseph Goodell c/o Paul Pierson, 16210 E. Hoffeldt Lane #6, Brookings, OR 97415 within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred.

All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings in this estate may obtain additional information from the records of the court, the personal representative or the attorney for the personal representative, Paul Pierson. DATED and first published: December 17th, 2021. /s/ Paul Pierson Paul Pierson, OSB #88288 Attorney for Personal Representative P332328

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF DEL NORTE

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450 H Street Crescent City, CA 95531

Petition of: Calvester Houston Stewart

CASE NO. CVPT-2021-1302

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

To all interested persons: Petitioner: Calvester Houston Stewart

filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: CALVESTER

HOUSTON STEWART to Proposed name: TA SETI

THE COURT ORDERS that all

persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Date: January 14, 2022 Time: 10:00 am Dept.: 1

NOTICE OF HEARING

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 circulation, printed in this county: Del Norte Triplicate

Date: November 18, 2021 /s/ D. McElfresh Judge of the Superior Court Published: December 17th, 24th, 31st, 2021 and January 7 2022

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Wreaths Across America honors Curry County vets

At the National Day of Wreaths Across America Day, December 18, Daughters of the American Revolution, Cape Sebastian Chapter and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4439 celebrated the first wreath laying at Rogue River Cemetery where over 100 volunteers joined together to lay 310 remembrance wreaths on the graves of United States veterans.

Each volunteer was encouraged to say the veteran's name aloud and to take a moment to thank them for their service to our country. The wreaths that were laid were not done to decorate graves, but to remember the veteran's lives. Each wreath is a



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Gold Beach volunteers laid wreaths are gravesites of veterans during the Wreaths Across America event.

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For next year's wreath laying, Wreaths Across America is matching every wreath sponsored from now through Friday, January 14, for placement next December. Go to www.wreathsacrossamerica.org/OR0067.

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overall appearance in a

state final game — the first was in 1995

Brookings mayor steps down

In April, Brookings Mayor Jake Pieper went on Facebook to announce he was stepping down as mayor.

Pieper's decision came after the city council criticized him for writing a letter in support of Project Turnkey.

In his resignation announcement, Pieper said he could not continue as mayor after losing the support of the council.

Former Mayor Ron Hedenskog was appointed mayor a few days later.

Housing continues to be a major problem

A lack of inventory in the housing market impacted real estate prices, people's ability to accept jobs, and municipal approaches to dealing with the crisis.

According to Multiple Listing Service numbers in October, sale prices of Curry County homes increased 5.2% in October compared to the year prior, in large part because verv few homes are listed each month.

In July, the Curry County Board of Commissioners began accepting

> Saturday, January 1st 12pm - 3pm



Jake Pieper

applications for accessory dwelling units to increase year-round rental opportunities.

In Brookings, the planning commission also changed its zoning language regarding workforce housing to clear existing restrictions for ADU development in residential zones, and approved two subdivisions: A 20-lot subdivision known as Seacrest Estates in the East Harris Heights neighborhood; a four-lot subdivision called Tide Pool Estates in the Dawson Tract area.

KCIW moves tower after dispute with Brookings

One day after its lease with the City of Brookings expired, Radio Station KCIW went dark on Nov. 1, then returned to the airwaves Dec. 5.

KCIW went off the air

after the Brookings City Council struck down a request for a 90-day extension to the radio group to use a city-owned radio communications tower.

KCIW had installed and maintained a radio broadcast antenna on the city's tower since 2014, but in 2019 that arrangement became conditional as city officials expressed disappointment with KCIW's emergency broadcasting capabilities, as well as interest in working with another company that could bring in more revenue.

KCIW broadcasts on FM 100.7.

Treasurer a concern in **Curry County**

At the beginning of the year, finding a county treasurer seemed like a difficult task.

The problems began when Terry Hanscam, who won election to the seat, announced he would not take the seat. By the end of January, the board of commissioners appointed Douglas Baker to the job, but he also resigned with a few days.

A few days later, commissioners voted to hire David Barnes as treasurer. Barnes has kept the role since, but has not indicated if he intends to run for election.





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Stranded family rescued after being stuck in snow

A Christmas weekend excursion almost turned tragic for a local family.

Sheriff John Ward reported Curry County dispatch received a 9-1-1 call at 6:04 p.m. December 26. The phone number belonged to Kody Rosenstiel, but there was no voice contact due to poor service location, but dispatch was able to determine that the call was from the Bear

Camp Road area above Agness.

Dispatch was not able to reconnect at that time. About 30 minutes later, dispatch received another 9-1-1 call from the same number and was able to determine that twenty-twoyear-old Kody Rosenstiel of Broadbent, 23-year-old Miranda Davis of Gold Beach, two children ages 2 and 3 and three dogs were

stuck in the snow about six miles up Bear Camp Road from Agness.

Rosenstiel told dispatch he had to walk about an hour downhill in the snow towards Agness to get cell service to call. Rosenstiel told dispatch that they were in a Ford F-350 and did not have any supplies besides some food and water. Rosenstiel was told to return to his vehicle and that

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Photos courtesy of the Curry County Sheriff's Office

Miranda Davis and her children are all smiles as they warm up in a Sno-Cat after the Curry County Sheriff's Office Search and Rescue team found the family that was stranded in the snow.

search and rescue would find them.

The Curry County Sheriffs' Search and Rescue Snow team was called to respond with the Sno-Cat. SAR coordinator, Deputy Walter Scherbarth, led the SAR team of Steve DiCicco, Ryan McGinnis, Will Tucker, Craig Rasbury, Jennifer Stansell, Mike Merica and Jesse Fletcher to the Agness area and deployed the Sno-Cat, a

tracked ATV and a couple four-wheel drives.

On their way to Agness, the SAR team had to navigate around a slide on the Agness Road to continue the mission. Once deployed on Bear Camp Road, Tucker with the tracked ATV went ahead and had to cut trees that were in the roadway and the Sno-Cat operated by McGinnis and DiCicco pushed the trees out of the roadway to continue up hill in heavy falling snow.

At about 10:25 p.m., the SAR team located the subjects and their stuck vehicle, and after winching the vehicle out with an hour to get them back

road. The Sno-Cat, which was purchased with a federal grant, has proven to be a very valuable asset, making it easier and safer for the SAR team to search larger areas in less time.

"The Curry County Sheriffs' SAR team did an amazing job with all the obstacles they had to deal with to get the stranded family back to safety," Ward said.

"This is another example of people putting themselves in harms way and SAR saving lives. Kudo's for our dispatch for a general area where the 9-1-1 call came from and getting the resources out to rescue the stranded



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