

COVID cases surge in Curry County

Omicron leads to 167 new cases; schools work to remain open

By DIANA BOSETTI
The Pilot

It appears the Omicron variant has reached Curry County, resulting in a significant increase of positive COVID-19 cases.

Between January 2-6, the Oregon Health Authority reported 167 new cases in Curry County.

The OHA's website, which

posts results from two days prior, reported a whopping 79 positive cases for Curry County on January 8.

In comparison and for the entire week leading up to Christmas, only 13 cases were reported. The increased cases have not impacted the cumulative death toll, which remains at 40 people in Curry County.

The Omicron-variant was first detected in Oregon on Dec. 13, but quickly accounted for over 64% of the cases in the state by Dec. 19. As of Jan. 10, that variable had not been updated. Though the Omicron variant has not yet been confirmed in Curry County, recent rapid-test results at St. Timothy's Episcopal Church in Brookings - which

has OHA authority to test for COVID-19 - may suggest it's arrived.

"So far in 2022, we have done 199 tests with 46 people coming up positive," said Father Bernie Lindley with St. Tim's on Friday, Jan. 7.

The 23% positivity rate at St. Timothy's was almost double the 13% cumulative rate that

the clinic logged when it tested 5,249 people between July 28 and Dec. 31 of last year.

Lindley also said that 129 people tested at St. Timothy's on Monday, Jan. 10, and 34 people tested positive.

"In December it was relatively quiet, it's not so quiet now,"

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Brookings asks OHA to move COVID clinic

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The Brookings City Council voted to send a letter to the Oregon Health Authority (OHA) to express opposition to medical services being offered at St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, due to the services not being compliant with the area's zoning.

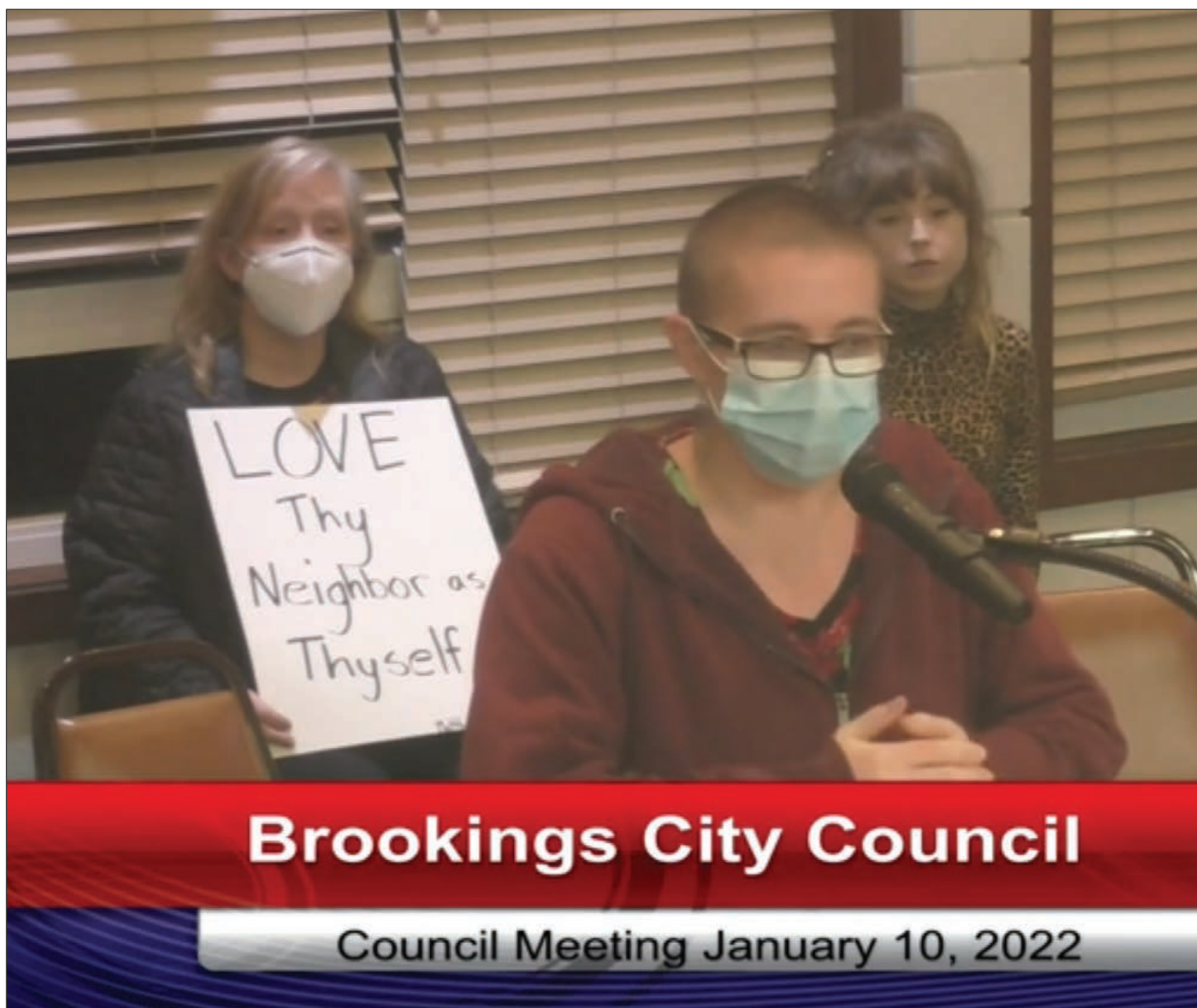
"The vote was unanimous to send a letter to the Oregon Health Authority regarding the funding of the clinic in Brookings," said Mayor Ron Hedenskog. "The Council discussion generalized the importance of the work to alleviate the effects of the pandemic, but other appropriate alternative solutions are available and should not be ignored."

On July 1, Curry County turned over its public health services to the OHA, which authorized St. Timothy's to operate as an official clinic. The designation was made possible with an initial \$230,000 grant, which was later bumped up by another \$175,000 due to high demand for COVID tests and vaccines at the church.

On July 12 of last year, St. Timothy's began offering COVID-19 rapid tests through home visits, then shifted its testing to the church's basement two weeks later. St. Timothy's also offers flu and COVID vaccinations - first, second, booster and pediatric.

"With no remaining county representation, OHA leaned on St. Timothy's Episcopal Church to provide services, including

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Brookings community health worker Diana Cooper addresses the Brookings City Council during a hearing about whether to ask the state to remove a COVID clinic from St. Timothy's Episcopal Church.

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Curry County considering a 2% consumption tax

By DIANA BOSETTI
The Pilot

A Curry County two percent consumption tax is being considered for the November ballot. On Jan. 4, Curry County Treasurer David Barnes presented a report before the board of commissioners, and asked for permission to form an ad hoc committee to explore the idea of putting a consumption tax before voters.

"Later on today, you're going to be having a meeting about the lack of revenue and our \$2 million shortfall to protect the road fund," Barnes said. "This is a plan that provides you with that \$2.2 million you need."

Historically, sales tax proposals have overwhelmingly failed when put before Oregon voters.

To make the tax more palatable, Barnes said the measure could include a 35% "kicker" that would rebate \$254 back to a family of four, or \$63.64 per person, annually.

"This would show the people of this county that we're thinking

"Personally, myself, I'm opposed to it. I love going to the store and picking up something that says \$4.99 on it, handing over my \$5 bill then putting the penny in the penny jar. I don't want to take 10 cents out of that jar to pay the tax on it, but this county needs the revenue. There's no other revenue source out there."

David Barnes
County treasurer

of them," Barnes said.

According to Barnes, a yes vote would automatically generate a form that would allow individual voters to determine what to do with their portion of the 35%.

Barnes conceded that a majority of voters would likely want the money back, but if even 7,000 of the 22,000 Del Norte County residents waived the rebate, additional revenue could go to the sheriff's department. Barnes said voters might also have the option to donate their rebate to a local housing agency

or veterans group.

Of the remaining funds, 55% would go to the county's general fund and 10% would go towards administrative costs associated with doling out the rebates.

"This is not going to be easy, nothing worthwhile ever is," Barnes told the commissioners. "This is going to take a lot of work to get this done, but that's why I'm leaving 10% as administrative costs."

Barnes said he turned to two sources when developing the

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Legislature to move virtual for all committee meetings

THE PILOT

Senate President Peter Courtney and House Speaker Tina Kotek announced Monday that all committee meetings during the upcoming 2022 Legislative Session will be conducted virtually. The decision was made based on input from infectious disease doctors from Oregon Health & Science University and public health experts amid the recent surge in COVID-19 cases.

"We are committed to ensuring the legislative process is accessible and safe during the upcoming session," Courtney and Kotek said in a joint statement. "The recent wave of cases and hospitalizations due to the Omicron variant is concerning. After conversations with OHSU infectious disease doctors, we decided to move our committees to a virtual format."

The public will continue to be able to enter the Capitol building during regular business hours. The presiding officers are directing all employees who can work remotely to do so during the session to lower the risk of COVID-19 transmission in the building.

Committee meetings will be livestreamed on the Oregon Legislative Information Site during the upcoming session, which begins February 1. Oregonians are encouraged to make their voices heard on issues they care about by submitting written testimony, or by signing up for video or phone testimony.

All individuals within the building must comply with public health guidance, including wearing a face mask, and are encouraged to follow best practices such as staying home

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A New View: When confidence seems lost

Brookings, things can seem bleak when we see all the kinds of suffering going on in humanity, perhaps even among our own family members or neighbors. But sometimes these very circumstances spur individuals to find new ways to help and heal.

One such example is Phillip Hockley, practitioner of Christian Science healing and international speaker. After sustaining a debilitating injury which was diagnosed as rendering him permanently disabled,

Hockley began investigating ways to improve his situation. Along the course of his search, he attended a lecture on Christian Science.

"During that lecture," he said, "I found something that was indeed life-transforming. Christian Science gave me a new view of God that I'd not had before: a view of God as love itself, divine love that loved me fully. I also discovered that this loving God was not the source of my troubles (which were many)

but the solution to them. My life began to improve quickly and I became a healthy man."

Now Hockley speaks on Christian Science, introducing the core principles to audiences all over the world. Hockley will present his talk, "A new view of God and its effect on

well-being," on Saturday, January 22, at 11 a.m. at christianscience.com on the Lecture tab.

He will draw on concepts from the Bible, especially Christ Jesus life and teachings, as well as explanations from science and health with Key to the Scriptures, the textbook of

Christian Science written by Mary Baker Eddy.

After the difference Christian Science made in his own life, Hockley knew he needed to share it with others dealing with similar mindsets of discouragement.

"From that moment on I knew I had found

something very special and could hardly wait to explain this experience to others - this ability to love and be loved by God," he says.

Now, he maintains a healing ministry and is a member of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship.

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when sick, maintaining six

feet of physical distance, and avoiding large gatherings to reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission.

Due to the ongoing Capitol Accessibility, Maintenance and Safety

project, certain areas in and around the Capitol are under active construction, including the front steps and State Street entrances. Visitors can use the North ADA entrances to enter

the building. Seismic upgrades in the House and Senate wings have been completed and these areas will be open to the public during the February session.

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Guest Opinion

A new predator stalks the West

By **PEPPER TRAIL**

The grizzly bear. The wolf. The cougar. These magnificent creatures, apex predators, how can we not admire them? People cross the world for the opportunity to see one in the wilds of Yellowstone or Alaska.

There, we view them from a distance, free to indulge our awe in safety. It has been a long time since Americans lived in fear of wild beasts.

But now that fear has returned. Fear felt not just in the woods, but also in cities and towns: Paradise, California; Talent, Oregon; and now in suburban Superior and Louisville in Colorado's Boulder County.

The dangerous predator we're facing these days is wildfire, charging even out of grasslands to destroy our very homes. And no one is safe.

As an ecologist, I know that predators are essential to the health of wildlife communities, keeping prey populations in check. They're also a driving force in evolution, favoring the faster or stronger or smarter animals able to escape their attacks. Of course, civilization long ago freed us from the evolutionary pressure exerted by predators. But that freedom has come at a cost.

When populations and ecosystems grow badly out of balance, there must come a correction. Humans and the environments we have created are not immune to this rule, and we must recognize that we have unleashed the fire-predator through our own choices.

What choices? On the global scale, we have released vast amounts of carbon dioxide and other greenhouse gases into the atmosphere. This was done at first in ignorance, but for at least the past 30 years, it truly was a choice made in the face of increasingly desperate warnings.

The resulting greenhouse effect has raised temperatures and decreased rain and snowpack throughout the West, contributing to "fire weather" like the hurricane-force winds that shockingly bore down on the suburbs of Denver in the dead of winter.

We also made land-management choices that strengthened the threat of fire. First, we behaved as if we could banish fire from the landscape, suppressing all wildland fires everywhere, and ending the use of prescribed fire in forests as a management tool. This led to a huge build-up of flammable fuels.

Second, industrial-scale logging eliminated over 90% of fire-resistant old-growth forests and replaced them with highly flammable tree plantations. Finally, we vastly expanded our human footprint, building houses right where the fire-predator likes to roam, at the brink of forests and grasslands.

Reconciling ourselves to the depredations of wildfire requires that we take the long



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view – the really long view. The fuel-choked forests resulting from our (mis)management need to burn, and they will burn. The best we can do is to preserve the old forests that remain and manage younger forests to increase their resilience to moderate-intensity fire. It could be a century or more before a new forestland equilibrium is reached, one with lower fuel loads, better adapted to the high fire-frequency climate we have created.

Meanwhile, what about us? Colorado's Marshall Fire proved that wildfire is the one predator we can't eliminate. Far from any forest, this was pushed through tinder-dry grasslands by howling winter winds and burned more than 1,000 suburban homes in a matter of hours. So, like any prey species, we must adapt as best we can.

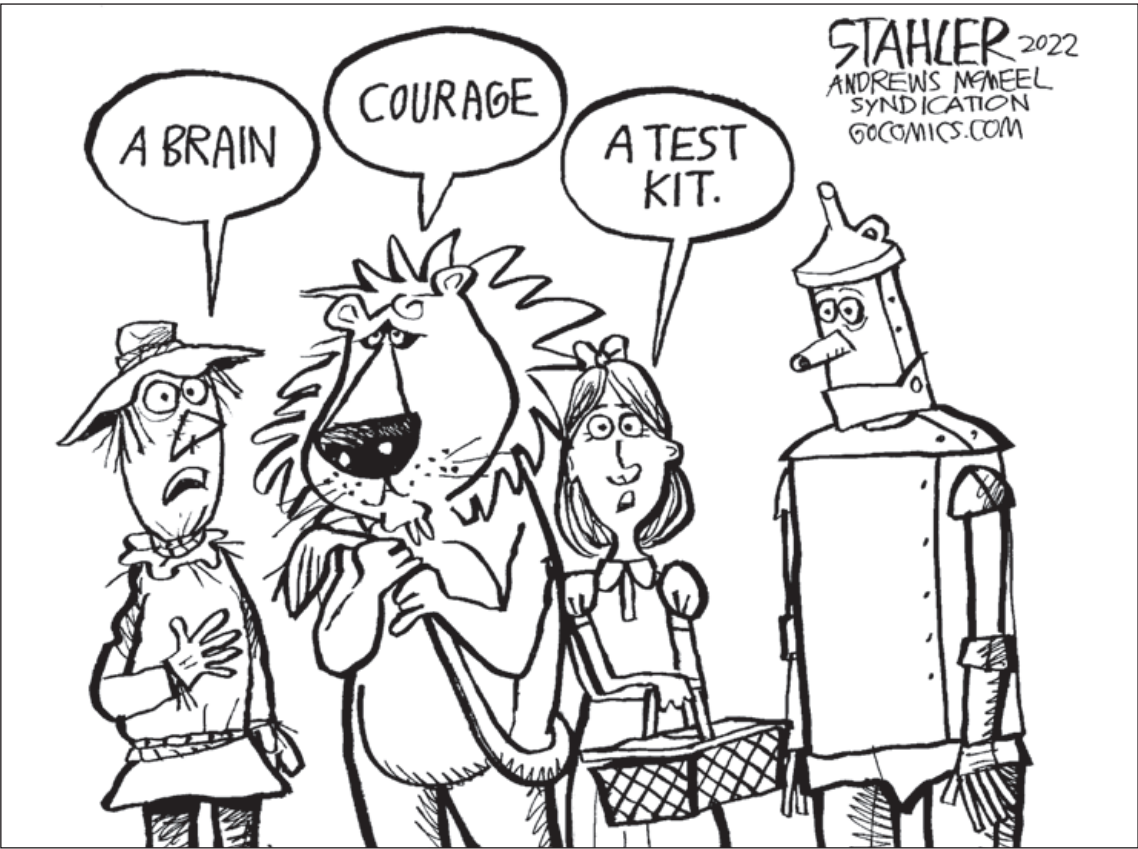
As individuals, we can create defensible space around our homes. We can get skilled at escaping wildfire by having evacuation plans ready.

As a society, we can adopt sensible policies to limit sprawling development in fire-prone areas. Recent events prove that these include not just remote forestlands, but even grasslands near suburbs. Faced with predators, animals try to get into the center of the herd. We need to do the same, avoiding exposure to the fire-predator at the vulnerable edge.

Finally, we can — we must — embark on an urgent global effort to end the burning of fossil fuels within the next few decades. If we do not, the West will face year-round fire weather, and a future at the mercy of fire.

Yet there is reason for hope: the uniquely human capacity for rapid social and cultural evolution. Let's harness that strength, and work toward the day when fire is a predator no more, but our powerful partner in the stewardship of the land.

Pepper Trail is a contributor to Writers on the Range, writersontherange.org, a nonprofit dedicated to spurring lively conversation about the West. He is an ecologist in Ashland, Oregon.



Letters to the Editor

The hawk is back

The hawk is back. I saw it, perched on a fence, overlooking what I call my meadow, basically an empty lot located near Fred Meyers.

Over the last four or five years, I noticed the number of small birds had fallen. I wondered where they were. On a walk out to Harris Beach, I noticed even the sea gulls seemed to be missing, and then I saw a hawk flying over 101 near Ransom Avenue. Mystery solved.

The small birds have recently made a comeback. They love my meadow as much as I do.

I have seen a hawk in my meadow before, and in fact, once had a sparrow suddenly land next to my feet, followed immediately by a hawk that landed on the ground a yard from the sparrow. The hawk seemed to be panting from the chase. The sparrow and I stood absolutely still, then after what seemed like a lifetime, the hawk flew away. I imagined the sparrow had a smile on its face.

Karen Holmes
Brookings

Earn my business

I have lived in Brookings both as a youth, and moved back as an adult 15 years later. Things have certainly changed here. But some things don't.

If I want to shop locally for hardware, that means drive to Crescent City and pay Home Depot and tax over anything in Brookings. Let's be honest, if I can wait, Amazon is always cheaper than Home Depot, Gold beach Lumber or Cascade Home Furnishings.

I shopped locally (Cascade) mostly because I was lazy and procrastinating a job at home so I couldn't wait. The item I purchased wasn't cheap, and turned out to be the incorrect part, so I returned it. They offered a return to my card. I accepted not knowing it would be a week before I would get my money back. A week? That's some 1992 Brookings excuse. Why should I shop locally if your business is going to run like one in the '90s? I called days after the return on Friday and was told it wasn't their fault, it was a "bank issue." I was given their "corporate number" but told they're closed for the weekend.

If you are willing to charge modern prices and then some (which you are) then you should be willing to modernize the handling of your patrons money. I'll shop Amazon then. Who wouldn't? They'll refund you, you'll reorder, and it will deliver to your doorstep before local

businesses even give you your money back to start again.

Derek Ploughs
Carpentersville

COVID is back

Curry County is ending 2021 on a high note. On August 17, 2021, Curry County ranked number 1 in Oregon in daily new cases/100k, 9th in percent of positives and 14th in fully vaccinated citizens.

We've moved to 34th in daily new cases/100k, though this last week transmissions have gone from around 3 per day since November 3rd to over 6.8 per day this last week. It is clear that COVID is zeroing in on the remaining 46% of unvaccinated Curry County citizens.

Curry County data through October of this year show that Curry County is well ahead of Josephine for the top spot for moralities with Douglas County 3rd highest and Coos 4th, representing a pocket in the Southwest corner of Oregon. Of the 40 deaths we have had since the pandemic began, 70% of them have happened since August 13, 2021.

My hope for this new year is that our citizens do what is necessary to stop this virus from mutating to stronger versions so that we can get back to a fairly normal life that will still consider protecting our elderly and vaccinated citizens. (See <https://bit.ly/32CpgGv> for the data relating to all of the above.)

Gordon Clay
Brookings

Does your mask work?

A recent writer to the editor complained they would not remain in stores that did not enforce mask mandates. My question is, if your mask worked so great, why do you care if I

wear a mask. Science tells us cloth masks do not work against the corona viruses.

If someone is smoking, you can smell smoke with a mask on. Smoke is visible, but viruses are measured in nanometers and are not stopped by cloth masks or bandannas. Scientific studies show masks serve no useful medical purpose for healthy people. Masks weaken you by causing hypercapnia and hypoxia. Surgical masks are designed for surgeons to avoid accidentally transmitting bodily fluids into a patient they are operating on. N95 masks, if worn for hours, can reduce blood oxygenation, which can lead to headaches or a loss of consciousness. Hypoxia can inhibit cells used to fight viral infections. Masks encourage the recycling of viruses and bacteria. They can become a hotbed for microbes to develop due to warm and humid conditions.

Requiring the wearing of dehumanizing masks trains people to accept isolation and fear of each other. Forcing people to wear masks, is a mass conditioning process to train people to except totalitarian control. It stops individualism, hides expressions, and turns people into fearful zombies. The degree to which healthy people accept mandatory masks order is directly proportional to their level of misinformation, unfounded fear and willingness to be controlled by a tyrannical police state.

Florida does require people to wear masks. It is interesting that progressives like AOC do not wear masks when they party in Florida. People are leaving blue states and migrating to red states. Anthony Fauci, funded gain of function research. He is a tool of Big Pharma. He promotes expensive vaccines, rather than inexpensive therapeutics.

Steve Johnston
Brookings



Have something important to share with readers of the Curry Coastal Pilot?

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The Del Norte County Behavioral Health Branch will be holding a community stakeholder meeting for our Mental Health Services Act Three Year Plan Annual Update 2022-2023. This meeting is an opportunity for community members to provide feedback on our county's mental health needs, and to discuss the upcoming plan. The meetings will take place online via web conference:

Wednesday, January 19th, 5:30-6:30 PM
The meeting can be reached by using the following online address:
<https://dnco.zoom.us/j/-4124801206?pwd=-dGtwKzhEUm8zdXBkVElvdH-NQOU15dz09>
Call in number: 1-669-900-6833
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Thursday, February 10th, 12:00-1:00 pm
The meeting can be reached by using the following online address:
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Tuesday, February 22nd, 5:30-6:30 pm
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After the community meeting takes place, the Three Year Plan Annual Update will be drafted and made available for public viewing and comment.

Please direct questions to: Marcus Padilla
Del Norte County Behavioral Health Branch
855 K St.
Crescent City, CA 95531
(707) 464-7224
mpadilla@co.del-norte.ca.us
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY

In the Matter of the Estate of: **CALVIN LEROY HAMMERLY, JR.,** Deceased.
Case No. **21PB10915**
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS

Notice is hereby given that Danny Ray Hammerly 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 Danny Ray Hammerly 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: January 14th, 2022. /s/ Paul Pierson
Paul Pierson, OSB #88288
Attorney for Personal Representative
P334262

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: John Henry Wilson
Case Number: **CVPB2021-7040**

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To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of **John Henry Wilson** A Petition for Probate has been filed by: **Tina Wilson**, in the Superior Court of California, County of: Del Norte. The petition for probate requests that: **Tina Wilson** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This Authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: Date: **February 18, 2022** Time: **10:00am** Dept.: **2**

Address of the Court: 450 H Street Crescent City, CA 95531
If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Petitioner: Tina Wilson
16145 Gustafson Ln, Space 12 Brookings, OR 97415 (541) 661-3146
Publish: January 14th, 21st, and 28th, 2022 Del Norte Triplicate T334184

CITY OF CRESCENT CITY PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given that a public hearing on the below items will be held during a specially scheduled Crescent City Planning Commission meeting on January 20th, 2022, at 5:30 p.m. to consider the following projects:

A) Recommend Approving Use Permit (UP21-04) for Hong Wang.

Description: The Planning Commission will review the applicant's request for a Use Permit to allow a mixed use, with the first floor being commercial and the second floor being residential and is located on an existing (C-1) commercial parcel at 343 G Street (APN 118-130-028).

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

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

Due to the current public health emergency resulting from a virus, the public may access and participate in the public hearing using one or more of the following three methods: (1) participate online via Zoom (details on joining the meeting will be listed on the agenda for the meeting); (2) watch the meeting via livestream on YouTube (Channel: City of Crescent City, California) and submit comments via publiccomment@crescentcity.org; or submit a written protest or comment by filing it with the City Clerk at 377 J Street, Crescent City, California 95531, prior to the hour of 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 20th, 2022. Copies of the said application and staff report are available on the City's website www.crescentcity.org.

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

Date: January 4, 2022
Published: January 14, 2022
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In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Curry Probate Department Case No.: 21PB07988 NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS

In the Matter of the Estate of Michael George Huck, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Maria Jessa Deada Huck has been appointed as personal representative of the above estate. All persons have claims against the estate are required to present them to the undersigned attorney for the personal representative at 111 SW 5th Avenue, Suite 3800 Portland OR 97204 with 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 these proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or the attorney for the personal representative. Dated and first published on January 14, 2022. Maria Jessa Deada Huck, Personal Representative
Anastasia Yu Meisner OSB# 981222
SAMUELS YOELIN KANTOR LLP
Attorney for Personal Representative
111 SW 5th Avenue, Suite 3800 Portland, Oregon 97204- 3642 Telephone (503)226-2966 Email: Ameisner@SamuelsLaw.com
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PUBLIC NOTICE PORT OF BROOKINGS HARBOR IS SEEKING CANDIDATES FOR BUDGET COMMITTEE MEMBERS

The Port of Brookings Harbor is seeking interested individuals to fill vacancies on the Budget Committee. The term can last up to 3 years. Application requesting appointment can be picked up at the Port Office or located on Port website. Applications can be mailed to Port of Brookings Harbor, P.O. Box 848. Brookings, OR 97415 or delivered to Port Office 16330 Lower Harbor Road. Requests for appointment will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on March 7, 2022. Published: January 14th, 21st, 28th, February 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th, and March 4th, 2022
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Sealed bids for the construction of the Dodge, Alder, and Memory Water Line Improvements for the City of Brookings (Owner) will be submitted by electronic means only and must be received by 2:00 p.m. PDT February 2, 2022. The City of Brookings will receive and accept bids ONLY through QuestCDN.com via their electronic VirtuBid™ online bid service. A virtual bid opening will be held at the day and time of the bid closing utilizing GoToMeeting™. Bids received after this time will not be accepted. All interested parties are invited to attend.

The project must be substantially complete 120 days after issuance of Notice to Proceed. The estimated construction cost range for Schedule A, Schedule B, and Schedule C combined is between \$970,000 and \$1,190,000. The estimated construction cost range for Additive Alternate 1 and Additive Alternate 2 combined is between \$275,000 to \$335,000. A detailed summary of the project is listed on questcdn.com. The project consists of the following major items of construction:

1. Basic Bid a. Schedule A - Dodge Avenue Water Line Improvements 1. Construct new water line improvements along Dodge Avenue from the intersection of Dodge Avenue and Parkview Drive to approximately 1.250 feet South.
 - b. Schedule B - Alder Street Water Line Improvements 1. Construct new water line improvements along Alder Street from Memory Lane to Railroad Street.
 - c. Schedule C - Memory Lane Water Line Improvements 1. Construct new water line improvements along Memory Lane from Cove Road to Alder Street.
 2. Additive Alternates a. Additive Alternate 1 - Alder Street Inlay 1. Construct new asphalt concrete pavement inlay along Alder Street from Memory Lane to Railroad Street.
 - b. Additive Alternate 2 - Memory Lane Inlay 1. Construct new asphalt concrete pavement inlay along Memory Lane from Cove Road to Alder Street.
- Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a unit price basis as indicated in the Bid Form. No Bid will be considered unless fully completed in the manner provided in the Instructions to Bidders, and accompanied by a Bid Security executed in favor of the Owner in the amount of not less than 10% of the total amount of the Bid. Per ORS 279C.385 (2), Bid Security is to be forfeited as fixed and liquidated damages should the Bidder neglect or refuse to enter into a Contract and provide suitable insurance certificates, bonds, and other required documents for the faithful performance of the work in the event the Bidder is awarded the Contract. The Issuing Office for the Bid-

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

CALVARY CHAPEL, GOLD BEACH AKA Case No. 21CV42869
CALVARY CHAPEL, GOLD BEACH, OREGON
Plaintiff,
vs.
HILLCREST BAPTIST CHURCH OF GOLD BEACH, OR, JAMES C. LEITH and Hazel I. LEITH, Husband and Wife, LEITH, Inc., And its stockholders, A Dissolved Oregon Corporation, RILEY CREEK FELLOWSHIP, an Unregistered Religious Organization, SIXTH STREET BAPTIST CHURCH OF GOLD BEACH, An Unregistered Religious, Organization and FIRST SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH OF GOLD BEACH, an Unregistered Religious Organization, Defendants.

To:
HILLCREST BAPTIST CHURCH OF GOLD BEACH, OR, JAMES C. LEITH and HAZEL I. LEITH, Husband and Wife, LEITH, Inc. And its stockholders, A Dissolved Oregon Corporation, RILEY CREEK FELLOWSHIP, An Unregistered Religious Organization, SIXTH STREET BAPTIST CHURCH OF GOLD BEACH, An Unregistered Religious Organization and FIRST SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH OF GOLD BEACH, an Unregistered Religious Organization, the above named Defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and defend the Complaint filed in the above entitled court on or before the expiration of 30 days from the date of the first publication of this summons; if you fail to so appear and answer, Plaintiff will apply to the above entitled court for the relief prayed for in the Complaint, to wit:

1. Requiring each Defendant for himself, other third parties, or any entities he or she represents and all persons claiming under Defendant HILLCREST, to set forth specifically the nature of their claims, if any, to the real property of Plaintiff described in Exhibit A including any claims to the building.
 2. Determining all adverse claims, if any, of Defendant HILLCREST on behalf of itself, other third parties, or any and all entities who they represent and all persons claiming under Defendant HILLCREST, defendant LEITH, INC., Defendants JAMES C. LEITH, and HAZEL I. LEITH, Husband and Wife, Defendant RILEY CREEK FELLOWSHIP, Defendant SIXTH STREET BAPTIST CHURCH OF GOLD BEACH, Defendant FIRST SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH OF GOLD BEACH; and any and all of their executors, personal representatives, devisees, successors, assigns or any other person acting under them as to the real property in Exhibit A.
 3. Declaring Plaintiff to be entitled to the immediate possession and full ownership of all the real property described in Exhibit A.
 4. Declaring Plaintiff to be the sole owner of all legal and equitable title to the real property described in Exhibit A free from any claim, estate, title, lien or interest of defendant HILLCREST on behalf of itself, and other of the Defendants named herein, other third parties, and any entities it represents and all persons or Defendants claiming under or through Defendant HILLCREST and further, quieting title in the real property described in Exhibit A to Plaintiff and against Defendant HILLCREST and any other Defendants named herein, third parties or entities claiming under Defendant HILLCREST.
 5. Enjoining all the Defendants named herein, any third parties or entities claiming under Defendant HILLCREST or any of the Defendants herein, from asserting any title, interest, possession or rights or liens in any manner on the real property described in Exhibit A or any part thereof.
 6. Awarding Plaintiff judgment against Defendant HILLCREST and/or any of the other Defendants named herein for its costs and disbursements pursuant to Oregon Statutes if this matter is contested by Defendant HILLCREST or any of the Defendants herein or any other third party in any manner.
 7. Granting other equitable relief.
- This summons is published by order of the Honorable Cynthia L. Beaman, Circuit Judge of the above entitled court made and entered on the 17th day of December, 2021, directing publication of this summons once each week for four consecutive weeks in the Curry Coastal Pilot, a newspaper circulating in Curry County, Oregon.
- Date of first publication: January 7, 2022
Date of last publication: January 28, 2022

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT; READ THESE PAPERS CAREFULLY

You must "appear" in this case or the other side will win automatically. To "appear" you must file with the court a legal paper called a "motion" or "answer" (or "reply") must be given to the court clerk or administrator within 30 days of the date of first publication specified herein along with the required filing fee. It must be in proper form and have proof of service on the plaintiff's attorney or, if the plaintiff does not have an attorney, proof of service on the plaintiff.

If you have any questions, you should see an attorney immediately. If you need help in finding an attorney, you may call the Oregon State Bar's Lawyer Referral Service at (503) 684-3763 or toll-free in Oregon at (800) 452-7636.

Dated this 3rd day of January, 2022.

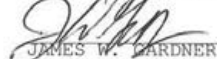

Attorney for Plaintiff • 29692 Ellensburg Ave, Ste 11 • P.O. Box 1286
Gold Beach, OR 97444 • (541) 247-6615 • Email: jim@goldbeachlaw.com

Exhibit A
That certain tract of land lying in Government Lot Four (4), Section Six (6), Township Thirty-seven (37) South, Range Fourteen (14) West, Willamette Meridian, Curry County, Oregon, described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pipe driven at a point 57.4 feet South and 41.6 feet East of the Northwest corner of said section 6;

- Thence South 87° 06' East 196.0 feet to an iron pipe;
- Thence South 15° 45' East 120.1 feet to an iron pipe;
- Thence South 74° 15' West 160.6 feet to a tack;
- Thence South 89° 31' West 39.4 feet to a tack driven in the pavement over the approximate center of the channel of Riley Creek;
- Thence Northwesterly following the center of the channel of said Riley Creek to a point that bears due South from the point of beginning;
- Thence Due North 43 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

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ding Documents is: The Dyer Partnership, 1330 Teakwood Avenue, Coos Bay, OR 97420, (541) 269-0732. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office or online at www.questcdn.com.

Complete digital project Bidding Documents are available at www.questcdn.com. To be considered a Planholder for bids, you may download the digital documents for \$30.00 by selecting Requests at the top of the QuestCDN search page and inputting the **QuestCDN Project No. 8104735**. A Contractor must register with QuestCDN.com and download the request documents in digital form. Registering as a Planholder is recommended as Planholder's will receive automatic notice of addenda and other updates via QuestCDN. Contact QuestCDN Customer Support at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in membership registration, downloading digital request information and vBid online bid submittal questions. To access the electronic bid form, download the request documents and click on the on-line bid button at the top of the bid advertisement page. For this project, prospective bidders must be on the Planholder list through QuestCDN for bids to be accepted. Bids will ONLY be received and accepted via the online electronic bid service through QuestCDN.com. A Pre-Bid Conference will not be held.

All Bidders must be "equal opportunity employers" and comply with the appropriate provisions of state and federal law. In addition, all Bidders are required to comply with ORS 656.017 regarding Workers' Compensation. Bidder, Contractor, and subcontractors are required to be registered with Construction Contractors Board. Pursuant to ORS 279C.505(2), all Bidders must certify with their Bids that they have an employee drug testing program in place. If awarded a Contract, Bidder must provide proof of such drug testing program when executed Agreements are returned to Owner. Bidders must prequalify with Owner as specified in the Instructions to Bidders, five (5) days prior to Bid opening. Each Bidder must submit a First-Tier Subcontractor Disclosure Form to the Owner within two working hours of the time for receipt of Bids in accordance with ORS 279C.370. Each Bidder must also submit Evidence of Authority to Sign Bid and Evidence to do Business in the State within two working hours of the time for receipt of the Bid. This Contract is for a public works project subject to the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts (40 U.S.C. 3141 et seq.). If state prevailing rate of wage is higher than the federal prevailing rate of wage, the Contractor and every subcontractor on the project shall pay at least the state prevailing rate of wage as determined under ORS 279C.815. ORS 279C.800 to 279C.870 will be administered and enforced

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in a manner that is consistent with federal law and regulations adopted or guidelines issued in accordance with the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts.

No Bid will be received or considered by the Owner unless the Bid contains: 1) a statement that Bidder will comply with the provisions of 40 USC 276a and ORS 279C.840 and 2) a statement as to whether the Bidder is a resident Bidder as defined in ORS 279A.120. Bid evaluation will not include a percent increase added to the Bid submitted from out-of-state Bidders from states which give preference to in-state Bidders, pursuant to federal requirements.

Work under this Contract is funded by the Safe Drinking Water Revolving Loan Fund No. S22005 administered by Business Oregon. This funding requires the Contractor to comply with buying American Iron and Steel (AIS) as spelled out in the 2014 Consolidated Appropriations Act.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, to waive all informalities, and to accept such Bids that in the opinion of the Owner are in the best interest of the Owner. No Bidder may withdraw or modify this Bid after the hour set for the receipt of Bids, and thereafter until the lapse of 70 days from the Bid opening. Dated this 7th day of January 2022.

Owner: City of Brookings
By: Janell Howard
Title: City Manager
Published January 14th and 21st, 2022
Curry Coastal Pilot P334212

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: Ellen May Hawken Case Number: CVPB 2022-7001

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

The petition for probate requests that: **Tara Animashaun** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This Authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:
Date: February 4, 2022 Time: 10:00am Dept.: 2
Address of the Court: 450 H Street Crescent City, CA 95531
If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for petitioner: Gino V. deSolenni
384 G Street
Crescent City, CA 95531
(707) 464-6181
Published: January 14th, 21st, 28th, 2022
Del Norte Triplicate T333964

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF DEL NORTE

450 H Street
Crescent City, CA 95531
Petition of: **Richard Collins Jr.**
CASE NO. **CVPT-2019-1115**
**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

To all interested persons:
Petitioner: Richard Collins Jr.
filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name: **Richard Collins Jr.**
to Proposed name: **Rik O'Cou-**

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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 18, 2022** Time: **10:00 am** Dept.: **1**
The address of the court is same as noted above.
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Del Norte Triplicate
Date: December 29, 2021
/s/ Darren McElfresh
Judge of the Superior Court
Published: January 14, 21, 28 and February 4, 2022
Del Norte Triplicate T334246

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The Curry County Soil & Water Conservation District will hold its regular monthly meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 25. In addition to routine business, agenda topics include a Monitoring Program update and discussing funding for additional administrative staff. Other matters may be discussed. The meeting will be held electronically. Interested parties should contact Liesl Coleman for access information. The meeting will also be broadcast via speakerphone at the Curry Watersheds Partnership office located at 29692 Ellensburg Ave., Gold Beach. The location is accessible to persons with disabilities. A request for an interpreter for the hearing impaired or for other accommodations for persons with disabilities should be made to Liesl Coleman at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. liesl.coleman@currywatersheds.org (541) 247-2755 ext 0
Pilot P334290

Notice of Public Meeting
The Port of Brookings Harbor Board of Director's will hold a Regular Meeting Wednesday January 19, 2022 at 2:00 P.M. For meeting agenda and packet please visit Port website: www.portofbrookings-sharbor.com P333881

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE CRESCENT CITY SELF STORAGE

320 Arnett St.
707-464-1727
January 15, 2022
10:00 AM
Misc & Household

Christina L Boucher
10 Blackwell Ln.
Crescent City, CA 95531
Unit 74

Melissa Beck
716 6th Ave.
Lewiston, ID 83501
Unit 77 T333737

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: David Kaylor Case Number: CVPB- 2021-7064

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of **David Kaylor**. A Petition for Probate has been filed by: **Colleen Kay Kaylor and Diane Johnson**, in the Superior Court of California, County of Del Norte.

The petition for probate requests that: **Diane Johnson** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This Authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows:
Date: **February 4, 2022** Time: Dept.: **2**
Address of the Court: **450 H Street Crescent City, CA 95531**

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the

date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Attorney for Petitioner: Henry T. Rau
1880 Willamette Falls Drive, Suite 250
West Linn, OR 97068
Phone: (503) 222-3434 Fax: (971) 319-0013
Publish: January 7th, 14th and 21st 2022 Del Norte Triplicate T333625

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

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

Seaside Vacation Rental
176 W 3rd 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: **7/20/2020**

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

Signed: **/s/ Bobbie Bower**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **12/29/2021**

Alissia D. Northrup
County Clerk-Recorder
Claire Landay, Deputy
File No. 20210164

Published: January 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th, 2022
Del Norte Triplicate T333594

NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS ESTATE OF MARKWOOD SCOTT HULL CURRY COUNTY CIR- CUIT COURT CASE NO. 21PB11094

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Michelle Gallino has been appointed personal representative of the Estate of Markwood Scott Hull, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with written evidence thereof attached, to the personal representative c/o Patrick M. Terry, PO Box 630, Coos Bay, OR 97420. 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 the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court or the personal representative named above.
Dated and first published on January 7, 2022
Attorney for Personal Representative:
Patrick M. Terry, OSB #025730
PO Box 630
Coos Bay, OR 97420
(541) 756-2056
P333592

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

PROBATE DEPARTMENT
In the Matter of the Estate of:
LINDY L. DENTON, Deceased.

Case No. 21PB09978
**NOTICE TO INTERESTED
PERSONS**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Dustin Denton has been appointed personal representative. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to the personal representative at c/o K.R. Olin, Attorney at Law, PO Box 7530, Brookings, OR 97415, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the court, the personal representative, or the attorney for the personal representative, K.R. Olin, PO Box 7530, Brookings, OR 97415.

DATED AND FIRST PUBLISHED this 7th day of January, 2022.

/s/ K.R. Olin
K.R. Olin: OSB #903547
Attorney for Personal Representative
PO Box 7530, Brookings, OR 97415
(541)469-2669
www.wavelaw.com - P333418

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF OREGON

FOR CURRY COUNTY
In the Matter of the Estate of:
TOMMY BIGGS, Deceased.

Case No. 21PB11126
**NOTICE TO INTERESTED
PERSONS**

Notice is hereby given that Linda Leonard has been appointed and has qualified as Personal Representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby required to present the claim, with proper documentation, within four months after the date of first publication of this Notice, as stated below, to the Personal Representative at the office of GOULD LAW FIRM, P.C., 243 W. Commercial, P.O. Box 29, Coos Bay, Oregon, 97420, or the claim 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, 94235 Moore Street, Suite 200, Gold

Beach, Oregon 97444, the Personal Representative or the attorney for the Personal Representative.

DATED and first published: January 7th, 2022.
/s/ Linda Leonard
Personal Representative
P.O. Box 206
Gold Beach, OR 97444
(541) 247-7250
P333747

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that on January 22 2022 at the hour of 10:00am at Oceanview Self Storage, at 15272 Hwy. 101 South, Harbor, OR 97415, will sell at public sale the entire contents **Unit A32 owned by Mark Hewlett**. These goods will be sold under self-service storage facility lien pursuant to ORS 87.687 and are to be sold to foreclose liens. These goods will be sold under self-service storage facility lien pursuant to ORS 87.687 and are to be sold to foreclose liens. The contents will be known when the lock is removed on the day of the sale. The goods will be sold as a unit to the highest bidder during the sale. Viewing at 9:45am on the date of sale. The right to reject any/all bids is reserved. Oceanview Self Storage - P.O. Box 2156, Harbor, OR 97415. Published January 7 & 14, 2022 P333738

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/are doing business as:
Emerald Ridge Construction
101 Purdy Ln
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: 2/1/2022

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

Signed: **/s/ Russ Olson**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 1/4/2022
Alissia D. Northrup
County Clerk-Recorder
B. McCune-Sokoloski
File No. 20220001

Published: January 14th, 21st and 28th, and February 4th, 2022 Del Norte Triplicate T333825

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/are doing business as:
PNW Co.
2445 Morehead Road
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: 1/4/2022

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

Signed: **/s/ Kristynn Bertolini**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 1/4/2022

Alissia D. Northrup
County Clerk-Recorder
B. McCune-Sokoloski
File No. 20220002

Published: January 14th, 21st and 28th, and February 4th, 2022 Del Norte Triplicate T333828

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 Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Del Norte Triplicate

Date: December 14, 2021
/s/ Darren McElfresh
Judge of the Superior Court
Published: December 31st, 2021 and January 7th, 14th and 21st 2022
Del Norte Triplicate T333080

King Crossword

Answers

Solution time: 22 mins.

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS CURRY COUNTY ROAD DEPARTMENT DON CAMERON BRIDGE SCOUR REPAIR

Sealed bids for the construction of the Don Cameron Bridge Scour Repair for the Curry County Road Department (Owner) will be **submitted by electronic means only** and must be received by **2:00 p.m. PDT January 27, 2022**. The Curry County Road Department will receive and accept bids ONLY through QuestCDN.com via their electronic VirtuBid™ online bid service. A virtual bid opening will be held at the day and time of the bid closing utilizing GoToMeeting™. Bids received after this time will not be accepted. All interested parties are invited to attend.

The project duration is July 15, 2022 to September 30, 2022 and must be substantially complete with all in water work complete September 30, 2022. Estimated construction cost for the Basic Bid is between \$80,000 and \$110,000. The project consists of the following major items of construction:

1. Basic Bid

a. Repair of bridge footing scour damage by area isolation, removal of existing loose material, and placement of pumped concrete into footing forms.

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a unit price basis as indicated in the Bid Form. No Bid will be considered unless fully completed in the manner provided in the Instructions to Bidders, and accompanied by a Bid Security executed in favor of the Owner in the amount of not less than 10% of the total amount of the Bid. Per ORS 279C.385 (2), Bid Security is to be forfeited as fixed and liquidated damages should the Bidder neglect or refuse to enter into a Contract and provide suitable insurance certificates, bonds, and other required documents for the faithful performance of the work in the event the Bidder is awarded the Contract.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: The Dyer Partnership, 1330 Teakwood Avenue, Coos Bay, OR 97420, (541) 269-0732. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office or online at www.questcdn.com.

Complete digital project Bidding Documents are available at www.questcdn.com. To be considered a Planholder for bids, you may download the digital documents for \$30.00 by selecting Requests at the top of the QuestCDN search page and inputting the **QuestCDN Project No. 8089076**. A Contractor must register with QuestCDN, create and download the request documents in digital form. Registering as a Planholder is recommended as Planholder's will receive automatic notice of addenda and other updates via QuestCDN. Contact QuestCDN Customer Support at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in membership

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registration, downloading digital request information and vBid online bid submittal questions. To access the electronic bid form, download the request documents and click on the online bid button at the top of the bid advertisement page.

For this project, prospective bidders must be on the Planholder list through QuestCDN for bids to be accepted. Bids will ONLY be received and accepted via the online electronic bid service through QuestCDN.com.

A Pre-Bid Conference will not be held.

All Bidders must be "equal opportunity employers" and comply with the appropriate provisions of state and federal law. In addition, all Bidders are required to comply with ORS 656.017 regarding Workers' Compensation. Bidder, Contractor, and subcontractors are required to be registered with Construction Contractors Board.

Pursuant to ORS 279C.505(2), all Bidders must certify with their Bids that they have an employee drug testing program in place. If awarded a Contract, Bidder must provide proof of such drug testing program when executed Agreements are returned to Owner.

Bidders must prequalify with Owner as specified in the Instructions to Bidders, five (5) days prior to Bid opening. Each Bidder must submit a First-Tier Subcontractor Disclosure Form to the Owner within two working hours of the time for receipt of Bids in accordance with ORS 279C.370. Each Bidder must also submit Evidence of Authority to Sign Bid and Evidence to do Business in the State within two working hours of the time for receipt of the Bid.

The Contractor and every subcontractor on the project shall pay at least the state prevailing rate of wage as determined under ORS 279C.815. ORS 279C.800 to 279C.870 will be administered and enforced in a manner that is consistent with state law and regulations adopted or guidelines issued in accordance with related acts.

No Bid will be received or considered by the Owner unless the Bid contains: 1) a statement that Bidder will comply with the provisions of 40 USC 276a and ORS 279C.840 and 2) a statement as to whether the Bidder is a resident Bidder as defined in ORS 279A.120.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, to waive all informalities, and to accept such Bids that in the opinion of the Owner are in the best interest of the Owner. No Bidder may withdraw or modify this Bid after the hour set for the receipt of Bids, and thereafter until the lapse of 70 days from the Bid opening.

Dated this 8th day of December 2021.
Owner: Curry County Road Department
By: Richard Christensen Title: Roadmaster

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Published: Curry Coastal Pilot, Brookings, Oregon
January 7 and 14, 2022
P333569

NOTICE INVITING BIDS PURSUANT TO THE CALIFORNIA UNIFORM PUBLIC CONSTRUCTION COST ACCOUNTING

ACT (PCC 22000 et seq.)
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the **Board of Harbor Commissioners of the Crescent City Harbor District ("District")** is **inviting qualified and experienced contractors to submit sealed bids for the construction project described below.**
B' DOCK RESTROOM PLACE FOR SUBMITTING BIDS: Bids must be delivered to the District at the following location: **101 Citizens Dock Road, Crescent City, California 95531.**

BID DEADLINE: Bids must be delivered to and received by the District at the location specified above as the place for submitting bids not later than the date and time specified below, at which time the District will publicly open and read all bids. Any bid received by the District after the Bid Deadline shall be returned to the bidder unopened. Bids must be received by the District no later than the following Bid Deadline: January 13, 2022 at 2:30 pm

OBTAINING OFFICIAL BID DOCUMENTS: Prospective bidders may secure a set of bid documents as of December 28, 2021, at the District's website (<https://www.ccharbor.com/>). All addenda will be posted on this website as well.

SCOPE: Complete installation of new restroom at the 'B' Dock. Other items include plumbing, water and sewer, electrical, fire alarm, new drinking fountain, concrete walkway. Pursuant to the B'Dock Restroom Floor Plan, attached as Exhibit "A."

REQUIREMENTS FOR BID: Bids must be submitted on the Bid Form provided by the District and included in the bid documents. Each bid must strictly conform with and be responsive to this Notice Inviting Bids, the Instructions for Bidders, and other Contract Documents. The District reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any irregularities or informalities in any bids or in the bidding. Except as provided in Public Contract Code Section 5100 et seq., no bidder may withdraw a bid for a period of sixty (60) calendar days after the opening of the bids.

DVBE: This bid is not subject to Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise requirements. Minority, women, and disabled veteran contractors are encouraged to submit bids.

DIR REGISTRATION AND LABOR COMPLIANCE MONITORING: Except as provided in Labor Code Section 1771.1(a), no Contractor or Subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project submitted on or after March 1, 2015, or perform work on a public works contract awarded on or after April 1, 2015, unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to California Labor Code Section 1725.5. This Project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department

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of Industrial Relations. Contractor and any Subcontractors engaging in work on the Project are required to review and comply with the provisions of the California Labor Code, Division 2, Part 7, Chapter 1, beginning with Section 1720, and the regulations of the Department of Industrial Relations implementing those provisions. These statutory and regulatory provisions contain specific requirements concerning, for example, the determination and payment of prevailing wages, retention, inspection and auditing of payroll records, use of apprentices, payment of overtime compensation, and various penalties or fines which may be imposed for violations of the requirements of the chapter. Submission of a bid proposal constitutes the bidder's representation that it has thoroughly reviewed these statutory and regulatory requirements and agrees to bind every Subcontractor performing work on the Project to these requirements to the extent such requirements are applicable to the Subcontractor's work.

REQUIRED BID SECURITY: Each bid must be submitted with security in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the maximum bid amount as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into the proposed contract, if awarded to the bidder, and will provide the performance and payment bonds, insurance certificates and other documents described in the Contract Documents. Such security must be in one of the following forms: (1) a cashier's check made payable to the District; (2) a certified check made payable to the District; or (3) a bond made payable to the District in the form set forth in the Contract Documents. Any bond must have been issued by a California-admitted surety as defined in Code of Civil Procedure Section 995.120.

REQUIRED CONTRACTOR LICENSE: The class(es) of California contractor's license(s) required in order to bid on and perform the contract for this Project is:

B General Building Contractor
MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE AND SITE VISIT: The District will conduct a pre-bid conferences and site visits on **January 5, 2022 at 10:00 am** for the purpose of acquainting all prospective bidders with the bid documents and the work site. Attendance is mandatory, and any bidder that does not attend will be disqualified from work on the Project. The pre-bid conference(s) will begin at the **front parking lot of 101 Citizens Dock Road, Crescent City, California 95531.**

PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS: The successful bidder will be required to provide both a performance bond and a separate payment bond, each in an amount equal to 100% of the total contract amount. The forms of the bonds are set forth in the Contract Documents and all bonds must be issued by a California-admitted surety as defined in California Code of Civil Procedure Section 995.120.

PREVAILING WAGES: The Project is a public work and the successful bidder and each of its subcontractors of any tier will be required to pay not less than

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the general prevailing rates of per diem wages in the locality in which the work is to be performed for each craft or type of worker needed to execute the contract ("Prevailing Wages"). A copy of the per diem rates of Prevailing Wages applicable to the Project is on file and available for review at the location specified above as the place for submitting bids, and a copy will be posted at the site of the Project. Wages can be found at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/-OPRL/PWD/Index.htm>.

SUBCONTRACTORS: Bidder shall include the name, location of the place of business, and the California contractor license number of each subcontractor who will perform work or assist the bidder in completing the Project, pursuant to the Subletting and Subcontracting Fair Practices Act. An inadvertent error in listing the contractor license number shall not be grounds for filing a bid protest or grounds for considering a bid nonresponsive, assuming the corrected contractor's license number is submitted by the bidder within twenty-four (24) hours after the bid opening and the corrected contractor's license number corresponds to the submitted name and location for that subcontractor.

District Contact: Tim Petrick, Harbormaster, tpetrick@ccharbor.com
Construction Estimate: \$95,000 - \$110,000
Dated this 28th day of December, 2021
Crescent City Harbor District
Crescent City, California

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/are doing business as:
FIV Christina Maria
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 (\$1,000).

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 INTENT TO CIRCULATE INITIATIVE PETITION

Notice is hereby given by the person whose name appears hereon of their intention to circulate the petition within the Crescent Fire Protection District located in Del Norte County for the purpose of submitting an

initiative measure to the vote of the people. A Statement of Reasons of the proposed action as contemplated in the petition is as follows: Voters of the Crescent Fire Protection District Resolution No. 21-001 dated March 8 20212 approved the increase by less than 1 vote or \$17.80 and adopted on July 12, 2021. YES votes 50.01% and NO votes 49.99%.* Currently we have high unemployment, high poverty, high taxes, high gas prices, and inflated food costs making it harder economically to exist.*While having fire protection is important, this tax was not thought out very well. This tax has no sunset clause. But it does have a cost of living increase built in. It also contains language to pay three (3) fire chiefs and one (1) captain all with six (6) figure incomes.* Many people did not receive their ballots including, unbelievably, Crescent City Harbor. The Harbor now has a lawsuit against the Fire District.* This was not passed by popular vote, but rather won by 1/4 of a vote equating to \$17.80 after giving multi-family property owners weighted ballots! Instead of paying \$74 per year per property, multi property owners get a reduced rate per property equaling \$1,000 flat fee. In one instance that means a discount of over \$8,130! The Fire Protection District boasts of going out on more calls, but the majority of those calls are not even fire related!* We have learned from the Citizen's Oversight Committee that the \$25 million dollar School Bond does not protect the taxpayer's money. The Del Norte Unified School District is currently under investigation by an outside organization. Findings substantiate that the Oversight Committee has not operated in an INDEPENDENT and LEGAL capacity since its inception 12 years ago. Problems with Oversight Committees continue through the area. Name of Proponent: /s/ Linda Sutter. To be placed on the June 2022 ballot and repealed.
T334283

FICTITIOUS BUSINESSNAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/are doing business as:
Crescent City Cannabis Company
415 U.S. Highway 101 South
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 (\$1,000).
Signed: /s/ Eric Taylor, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 12/28/2021
Alissia D. Northrup County Clerk-Recorder
Damon Fletcher
File No. 20210162
Published: January 14th, 21st and 28th, and February 4th, 2022
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Obituaries

Leon Gochanour

December 25, 1929 - January 10, 2022



Born to Franklin and Alena Gochanour in Addy, Washington. He is proceeded in death by his three brother and three sisters. Leon is survived by his loving wife of all most 70

years, Gloria, their three daughters (Christy, Sandy, and Roxanne) and son (Charles). He was always surrounded by his children their spouses, and a "small herd" of grandchildren and great grandchildren. Leon was a proud Korean Army Veteran and Tolowa Dee-ni' Tribal elder. A quiet man with not much to say, but meant what he did say. He will be missed by each family member to include his surviving two sister and the rest of his tribe.

Funeral arrangements are being handled by Wier’s Mortuary Chapel. Viewing 10am-2pm Funeral at 2pm, Friday January 14.

Patricia Blasdell

May 30, 1953 - October 25, 2021



Patricia “Tricia/Trish” (Richichi/Terry) Blasdell, aged 68, peacefully went home to our Lord in heaven on October 25th, 2021 in Medford, Oregon. The beginning of her journey started in Lathrop, California May 30th, 1953. A spirited farm girl at heart, her zeal for life, inspired many. As a youth, she regularly attended her weekly youth group bible study and worked hard on the family farm before and after school. She attended East Union High School, graduating class of 1971. That year she married and had two children, Kim and Monte, as well as caring for her stepdaughter,

Julie. As the years passed, Tricia worked hard to raise her children as a single parent attending every baseball game and dance recital, never missing a single event no matter how tired she was. In 1994, she met and married the love of her life, Marine Vietnam Veteran Steve Blasdell. She instantly welcomed two more children to love, Steve and Lisa Blasdell. For the next 27 years, they shared many great times together with their blended family. Trish and Steve worked hard, establishing a life together filled with travels and adventure. In 2003, their adventures would take them to the Oregon coast where they moved to Brookings, Oregon. Trish loved watching the “sea pups” at the ocean. Trish and Steve participated and volunteered with the annual Kite Festivals, making sure the traveling kite flyers were fed. Trish loved to watch the kite flyers perform. With Steve being an avid kite flyer himself, he was Trish’s favorite to watch. After years of chronic illness, Tricia would face

the biggest challenge in her life with a double lung transplant in January 2012. She demonstrated her strength by recovering quickly and continuing on with her adventures with Steve. Through thick and thin, Steve and Tricia were inseparable. After 8 good years of her transplant, Tricia’s health started to fail. Through it all, she stayed strong, never complaining... always keeping the faith. She was known by all (especially medical staff who cared for her) for her quick-witted sense of humor, making those around her laugh through the toughest of times. “Trish is the strongest person we have known” friends and family has always said, as she fought many battles, staring death in eye on many occasions, just to defeat it like a champ! Through the years, Steve never left Trish’s side, caring for her “through sickness and in health”. The love they had for each other was demonstrated one more time, as Steve held her hand, by her side comforting her, as she

took her next steps of her journey to home. Tricia lived a true love story. Tricia is survived by her husband of 27 years, Steve. Their 5 children Julie, Kim, Steve, Monte and Lisa, their 9 grandchildren Michael, Allen, Shelley, Aleia, Zach, Anthony, Anika, Maddy and William, her siblings (and spouses) Gary & Vicky Richichi, Kenny & Cindy Richichi, Vickie & Kelvin Beach, Christine Blasdell, Harriette Blasdell, and Tonya Blasdell, stepmother Janet Richichi, adopted mama Betty Mears, cousins Jeff, Racheal, Rhonda and Renee, 12 nieces/nephews, multitude of great nieces/ nephews as well as countless friends who came to think of her as family. She is preceded in death by her parents Frank and Barbara Terry, Richard Richichi Sr., her brother Richard “Moose” Richichi Jr., and her sister (in-law) Jeannie Blasdell. A celebration of life for Tricia will be held in Brookings, Oregon. Date and time to be determined.

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“The Way I Felt” Art Exhibit Extended
DNACA’s Art in Public Places program presents “The Way I Felt” by artist Emmaline (Mary Baker), who was featured in DNACA’s 30th annual Juried Art Exhibit. Emmaline’s award-winning art is created with a unique felt-ing process to create bold and colorful images. The exhibit has been extended through January 27 at the 2nd floor mezzanine of the CEC Airport at 1650 Dale Rupert Road, Crescent City.

Local Art Scene

The exhibit can be viewed during the airport terminal’s hours: 6 a.m. - 8 p.m. weekdays, 6 - 10 a.m. and 5 - 8 p.m. Saturdays, and 6 a.m. - 2 p.m. and 5 - 8 p.m. Sundays. For information, contact DNACA at 707-464-1336 or office@dnaca.net.

DNACA’s 40th Anniversary Performance Series
There is still time to purchase Season Tickets to the Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness Performance Series. When you purchase a season ticket,

you have seats at all of DNACA’s season concerts, featuring live performances from a wide variety of world-class artists. Tickets and information on each concert are available at dnaca.eventbrite.com.

Brian Scott Gallery
Brian Scott Gallery, located at 515 Chetco Ave. in Brookings, displays multiple artists and forms of art including jewelry, pottery, totes, sculpture, cards, oils, acrylics and watercolors. The gallery’s hours are Thursday - Saturday, 11

a.m. - 3 p.m. For information, call 541-412-8687.

Fog and Fine Art Gallery
Located in Wright’s Custom Framing and Art Supply, 810 Chetco Ave. Brookings, the gallery features 36 local artists in a variety of mediums and a classroom to inspire new and seasoned artists with workshops. Stop by and enjoy all that’s new in the gallery, open from 10 a.m.- 5 p.m. Monday - Friday, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. on Saturday. For information on class offerings, painting demonstrations and artists, call 541-469-7900 or visit them on Facebook @Wrights-CustomFraming.

Manley Art Center and Gallery
Manley Art Center and Gallery is located at 433 Oak St. in Brookings. Gallery hours are Wednesdays 11 a.m. - 4 p.m., and Thursday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. For information, call 541-469-1807 or visit www.manleyartcenter.com. For community arts calendar listings, please visit www.dnaca.net.

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What are capital credits?

Capital credits reflect each member’s ownership in the cooperative. Other businesses and utilities return profits to investors and shareholders. Not us. CCEC is a member-owned not-for-profit cooperative, and we return margins or profits as capital credits to members like you. Members invest in CCEC when they buy power. Each year, after all expenses have been paid, any remaining margins are allocated to members as capital credits in proportion to their electric use.

Contact Us

Go to www.ccec.coop/capital-credits to see if your name appears on the list, or if you know the address or phone number of a person or business on the list.

If you are not the member listed, you must be legally authorized to claim one of these checks, including checks for members that are deceased.

A form is available to fill out on the website. Please provide your name, the listed member’s name and telephone number. A member of our team will contact you as soon as possible. For additional questions, contact us at 541-332-3931 or by email at ms@cooscurryelectric.com.

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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 12/29:

- At 7:12 a.m. the police responded to Passley after a caller reported an animal complaint.
- At 8:52 a.m. the police responded to the 800 block of Railroad Avenue after a caller reported criminal trespass. A subject who had been refusing to leave the property at the staff's request was issued a trespass warning.
- At 11:35 a.m. the police responded to the 900 block of Chetco Avenue after a caller reported theft.
- At 12:31 p.m. the police responded to the 400 block of Fir Street after a caller reported disorderly conduct. A report of a subject laying in the middle of the parking lot, the subject was moved along and advised not to return for the day.
- At 1:00 p.m. the police conducted a warrant ser-

vice behind Rancho Viejo. The subject was cited and released on a warrant.

- At 3:46 p.m. the police conducted a welfare check at the 16100 block of West Hoffeldt Lane.
- At 5:50 p.m. the police responded to Highway 101 after a caller reported a hit and run.
- At 5:56 p.m. the police responded to the 1200 block of Moore Street after a caller reported suspicious conditions. A report of a male in dark clothing following the reporting party to their house was made.
- At 8:52 p.m. the police responded to the 800 block of Chetco Avenue after a caller reported suspicious conditions. A former employee was issued a trespass warning.

Thursday 12/30:

- At 1:17 a.m. the police conducted a welfare check at the 1200 block of Iris Street.
- At 3:49 a.m. the police responded to the 400 block of Fern Avenue after a caller reported a dispute.
- At 8:32 a.m. the police responded to the 300 block of 5th Street after a caller reported fraud.
- At 11:32 a.m. firefight-

ers responded to Gardner Bridge after a caller reported a fire.

- At 11:46 a.m. the police responded to the 600 block of Chetco Avenue after a caller reported a hit and run.
- At 1:01 p.m. the police responded to the 16200 block of Lower Harbor Road after a caller requested a welfare check.
- At 1:50 p.m. the police conducted a warrant service on Old County Road. The subject was cited and released on an outstanding warrant.
- At 4:42 p.m. the police conducted a welfare check at the 700 block of 1st Street.

Friday 12/31:
No report

Saturday 1/1:

- At 00:06 a.m. the police responded to the 800 block of Jodee Lane after a caller reported loud poses. There was a report of illegal fireworks in the area.
- At 1:31 a.m. the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and Ransom.
- At 2:36 a.m. the police responded to the 17500

block of Chinook Lane after a caller reported a dispute.

- At 8:50 a.m. the police responded to South Passley after a caller reported loud noises. Ongoing neighbor issues regarding a loud truck without a muffler.
- At 3:15 p.m. firefighters responded to the 98400 block of Raymond Lane after a caller reported a fire.
- At 5:26 p.m. the police responded to the 400 block of Pine Street after a caller reported illegal camping. A vehicle was tagged for tow and several subjects in the vehicle were moved along for illegal camping in the area.
- At 6:39 p.m. the police conducted a warrant service at the 300 block of 5th Street. A subject was cited and released on fresh theft charges, as well as cited and released on an outstanding warrant.
- At 8:00 p.m. the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Highway 101 and 5th Street.
- At 11:59 p.m. the police responded to the 1200 block of Chetco Avenue after a caller reported a fight. A male subject was arrested and charged with

domestic assault.

Sunday 1/2:

- At 7:40 a.m. the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and Easy Street.
- At 9:34 a.m. the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and Bridge.
- At 12:15 p.m. the police responded to Harris Beach after a caller reported an animal complaint.
- At 7:40 a.m. the police conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Chetco Avenue and 5th Street.
- At 3:48 p.m. the police responded to the 600 block of Old County Road after a caller reported a criminal trespass.
- At 6:03 p.m. the police responded to the 300 block of Spruce Street after a caller reported harassment over the phone.
- At 7:18 p.m. the police responded to the 300 block of 5th Street after a caller reported a hit and run.
- At 8:28 p.m. the police responded to the 800 block of Marina Heights Road after a caller reported a traffic crash with no injury.
- At 9:08 p.m. the police conducted a traffic stop on Old County Road

Monday 1/3:

- At 3:33 a.m. the police responded to Highway 101 south of SWOCC after a caller reported a tree was down.
- At 5:53 a.m. the police responded to the North of the Chetco Bridge after a caller reported a hazard for upcoming traffic.
- At 7:53 a.m. the police responded to the intersection of Arnold and Highway 101 after a caller reported a traffic crash with injury.
- At 8:32 a.m. the police responded to the intersection of 7th Street and Meadow after a caller reported a tree was down.
- At 8:47 a.m. the police responded to Elk Drive after a caller reported harassment over the phone.
- At 9:41 a.m., Curry County firefighters responded to the 98000 block of Gerlach Lane for a rescue operation.
- At 11:30 a.m. the police responded to the 1300 block of Moore Street after a caller requested a welfare check.
- At 9:57 p.m. the police responded to the 99000 block of Winchuck River Road after a caller reported illegal fireworks.

Tax

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consumption tax idea.

First, Barnes said he took a look at a report by economic consulting firm Dean Runyan Associates, which according to him states that Curry County receives \$200 million a year from tourism.

“My idea for the consumption tax is if we apply a 2% tax to that \$200 million dollars a year, that generates \$4 million dollars,” Barnes said. “That would put \$2.2 million dollars back into the general fund of this county. This would be a non-regressive consumption tax, which is very rare. Most of the time, consumption taxes affect the poor and the lower end of the economic spectrum

more than they do the rich. By providing a kicker in this, it does the opposite.”

Second, Barnes said he looked at U.S. Census Bureau data.

“According to the Census, each Curry County household spends approximately \$60,000 a year on different things,” Barnes said. “What I’ve done is gone through this list, and I’ve pulled out things I consider to be non-essential items - entertainment and stuff.”

Barnes added that other “luxury” items, such as alcohol, household goods, restaurants, hair care products and vehicle maintenance equate to about \$5,800 a month in expenditures. Tax that by 2%, and that’s how the rebate numbers were calculated.

“Personally, myself, I’m

opposed to it,” Barnes said. “I love going to the store and picking up something that says \$4.99 on it, handing over my \$5 bill then putting the penny in the penny jar. I don’t want to take 10 cents out of that jar to pay the tax on it, but this county needs the revenue. There’s no other revenue source out there.”

Commissioner Court Boice asked Barnes whether recreational marijuana sales would also be taxed.

“We would want to include that, I assume?” he asked.

“We most certainly would, yes,” replied Barnes.

Boice also noted that he doesn’t believe the 2% tax would deter residents from nearby Del Norte County from shopping at Fred Meyer or filling up



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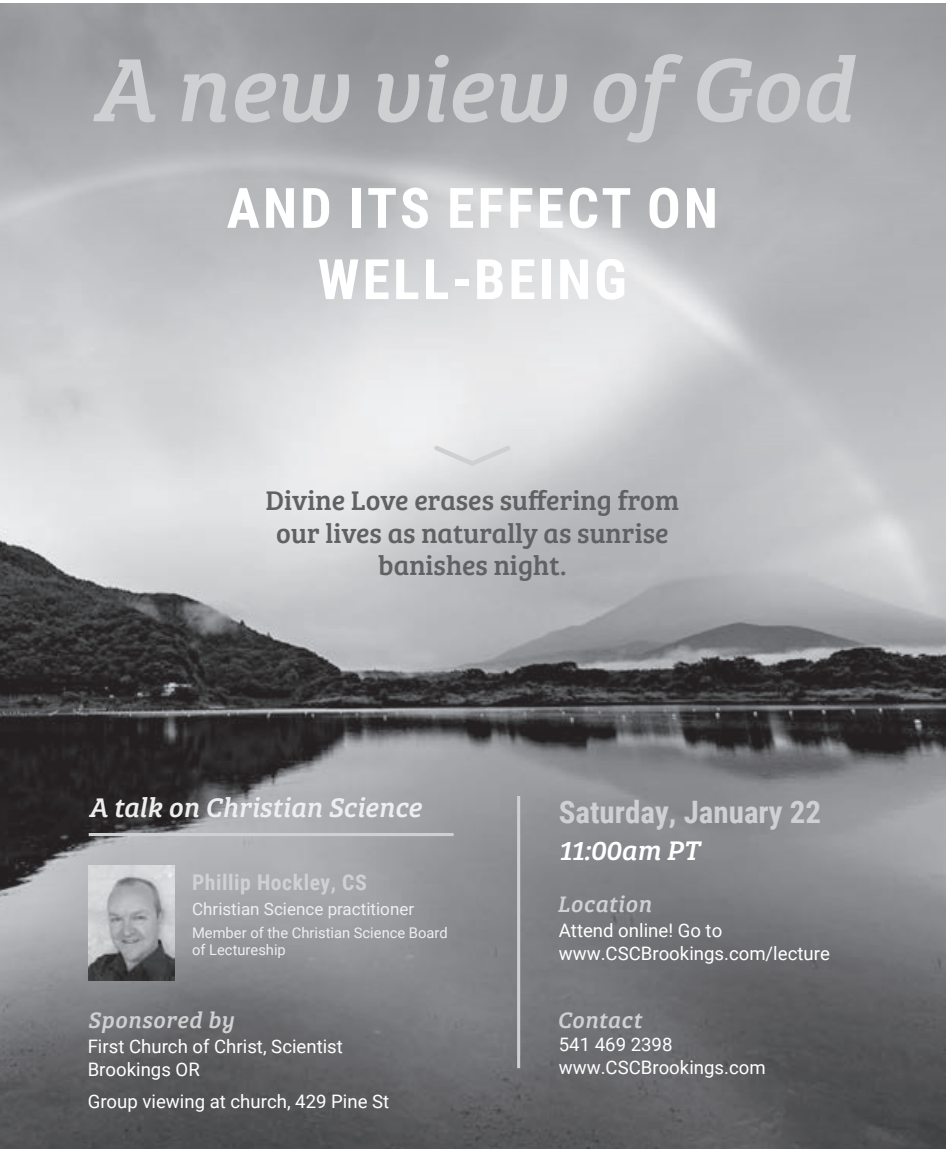
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