

# Gold Beach cracks down on vacation rentals

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The Pilot

In a move to crack down on online intermediaries for vacation rentals — Airbnb, Priceline, Vrbo — the Gold Beach City Council adopted an ordinance to enforce

payment of state and local lodging taxes, during a May 2 meeting. The ordinance, which passed unanimously, would allow the city to impose penalties on those online intermediaries if they do not collect and remit state and local transient lodging taxes. Commonly known

as TLTs, a transient lodging tax was passed by the state in 2003, requiring hotels, motels, campgrounds, as well as Airbnbs and other online rentals to collect a 1% tax from their guests. In addition to the state tax, the city of Gold Beach has had a local lodging tax since the 80s,

which was previously 6% but was bumped up to 7% in 2016. Council member Chip Bradley said the city has had no problem collecting taxes from local property owners, but the online intermediaries are the issue. “They’re having problems with

places like Vrbo and Airbnb, so that’s what one of the ordinances was, to change the language so that city staff had some teeth to collect,” said Bradley. If those online intermediaries

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# McKay’s to open Brookings store

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The rumors circulating about the former Grocery Outlet building in Brookings are true; it will soon be a McKay’s Market, again. McKay’s was the initial grocery store when the Shopping Coast Center shopping plaza was erected in 1985, but they left the plaza in 2005, leaving Brookings McKay’s-less for the last 16 years. Kevin Murray, chief operating officer at McKay’s, said they are aiming to open doors in August, much to the relief of many county residents. “We’ve had constant requests to come back,” said Murray. “Once the Grocery Outlet relocated and the building became open again, the time was right to make a move back down there.”



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**McKay’s Market in Gold Beach. The Brookings location will be the 10th location on the Oregon Coast.**

# Vaccine rates will determine reopening, Brown says

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The Pilot

Oregon health officials said Tuesday the state will lift most COVID-19 restrictions when 70% of the state’s over-16 population has received a dose of the vaccine. “We can truly begin taking steps forward, and into the next chapter of post-pandemic life,” Brown said during a press conference.

The plan directly ties the state’s virus restrictions to its vaccination rate, and falls in line with Brown’s previous goal to reopen the state’s economy by the end of June.

And for some counties, a reduction in restrictions could come even sooner than that. Starting May 21, counties with 65% of their adult populations vaccinated can move into the state’s lower-risk tier of virus restrictions, if they create a plan to fill equity gaps in vaccine distribution.

“These are really good indicators that we can safely reopen — begin the reopening of the economy — that we can protect our most vulnerable Oregonians and preserve adequate hospital bed capacity,” Brown said.

Oregon Health Authority Director Patrick Allen said the announcement marks a shift in the state’s pandemic response.

“For the first time since COVID-19 reached Oregon, we’ll know when we can retire most of the restrictions we’ve had to rely on to protect us during the time we’ve been most vulnerable to this novel virus,” Allen said. “For the first time since the start of the pandemic, we’ll be able to say the virus no longer controls the timelines in our lives.”

Allen said the state is on track to meet the early-summer benchmark, if people continue choosing to get vaccinated.

As of Tuesday, right around 60% of the state’s adult population has received a dose of the vaccine. That’s about 430,000 more people who need to get first doses before the state reopens, according to Allen.

The current rate of vaccination could get the state across the threshold easily by mid-June, Allen said.

But health officials expect that rate of vaccinations to slow over the next several weeks: Most likely, the state’s vaccination rate will dip by about 10% and stay there, getting the state across the finish line the third week of June.

The seven-in-10 figure doesn’t get the state to herd immunity, which would completely stifle the virus, but will significantly reduce hospitalizations and deaths, Allen said.

“That’s really what we’re shooting for with this 70% statewide goal, is to get enough people vaccinated that while we’re still short of herd immunity, we’ve significantly driven down the worst outcomes of COVID-19,” Allen said. Allen noted some counties are

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# Sno-Cat a welcome addition in Curry County

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The Curry County Sheriff’s Office has added a new vehicle to their arsenal — and it’s not your typical cruiser. Sheriff John Ward introduced the new Sno-Cat with members of search and rescue and their families at a dedication event Saturday at the Curry County Fairgrounds. The first of its kind on the Oregon Coast, Ward said the heavy-duty machine will aid rescue operations in the mountainous areas across the region. “We’ve got people that look up into the hills and they see white, and they want to go up and play in the snow,” said Ward. “We get a phone call, and someone says, ‘My family’s gone, I don’t know where they are.’ So, we gotta go up and go find them. This is going to allow us to travel long distances a lot faster.”



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**Sheriff John Ward and members of search and rescue with their families dedicated the new Sno-Cat to fallen SAR member Joe Martin.**

to make rescues on snowy backroads, however, a rescue mission in January proved a more rugged vehicle was needed.

Four men became stranded in a mountainous region during a winter storm that dropped three to four feet of snow, as reported by the Pilot.

The sheriff’s office and search and rescue workers responded with the

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# Coalition reaches out to the homeless

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Every week, Beth Barker-Hidalgo drives a small passenger bus to an empty parking lot near the Gold Beach post office. There, she sets up tables with lunches, and keeps an inventory of supplies ready for whatever her clients — houseless individuals — might need; including hygiene items, tents, sleeping bags, propane tanks and housing applications, among others. “I listen to our clients and new folks that come through and gauge with us as to what [they] wish [they] had,” said Barker-Hidalgo. “Most of the time what people are looking for is food and supplies, and housing.” Last Thursday, it was raining intermittently, so lunches were served inside the Curry Homeless Coalition mobile unit — the passenger bus donated by Curry Public Transit. Barker-Hidalgo, executive director, said houseless individuals face a number of challenges when trying to integrate into society, among



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**Beth Barker-Hidalgo and Kirk Nelson are helping houseless individuals in Curry County by connecting them to resources and providing supplies.**

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# Obituaries

## Dolores (Dee) Glaze April 30, 2021

It is with great sadness that the family of Dolores (Dee) Glaze announce her sudden passing on April 30 at age 84. Dee passed away while resting comfortably surrounded by family members at the Peace Health Sacred Heart Medical Center in Springfield, OR. Dee is survived by her loving husband (Warren Glaze), her sister (Doris Federico), two children (Lisa Bradley and Albert Compton), one daughter by marriage (Sharon Grossetti), two grandchildren, two great grandchildren, and four great-great grandchildren by marriage, as well as numerous nieces and nephews. Dee absolutely adored every one of her family members, as they did her.

Dee was born in San Francisco, CA and lived in the Bay Area until she retired from a career in educational secretary work. In every position where she was assigned she was promoted to the most senior level of that position. During the school summer vacations she and Warren commercially fished out of the Crescent City, Ca harbor. After retirement in 1984, she and Warren sailed out under the Golden Gate Bridge on 42 foot sailboat and cruised

the Pacific Coast from North Vancouver Island, Canada to Cabo San Lucas, Mexico. During the two years of that, Dolores too her turn standing watch at the helm even during stormy seas at night. When at anchor she got busy in the galley preparing the most delicious meals with fresh fish they sometimes caught.

Before Dee and her husband settled in Brookings, they had three separate 1-year adventures in Africa. They explored the many countries and their game parks, met and visited with the native people, and photographed a variety of wild animals while traveling in a Volkswagen Camper.

But, it was in beautiful Brookings which she loved and lived for twenty-six years where she made her most significant philanthropic and political contribution to the community.

In 2003 Dee founded and was president for two years, of the Curry Coastal Republican Women organization that campaigned for Republican Candidates.

Most of all, Dee loved being a participating member of the Soroptimist International of Brookings organization.



She found it so satisfying to be a part of such a generous and thoughtful philanthropically minded group of ladies. She loved participating in the “Live Your Dream” committee which located and financially helped disadvantaged ladies who had, on their own, taken the initiative to further their education.

Dolores Glaze touched many lives with her generosity and passion for life and was often described by her husband, family, friends and acquaintances as the most lovable and loving person they had ever known.

A Celebration of Life event will be announced when COVID restrictions have relaxed enough to allow group meetings.

## Mel Bonham April 18, 1940 – April 30, 2021

It is with great sadness that the family of Mel Bonham announce his passing on April 30th at age 81.

Mel was married for 62 years to his high school sweetheart, Jeanette. They met and married in Ojai, CA.

Mel is also survived by four children Jim and Carol Bonham (Brookings, OR), Julie and Randy Duncan (Desoto, MO), Steve and Jody Bonham (Oroville, CA) and Christi and Jeff Awtrey (Roseville, CA), his sister Billie and Jim Groce (Upland, CA), his niece Debbie and Kirt Ortiz (Smith River, CA), eight grandchildren, six

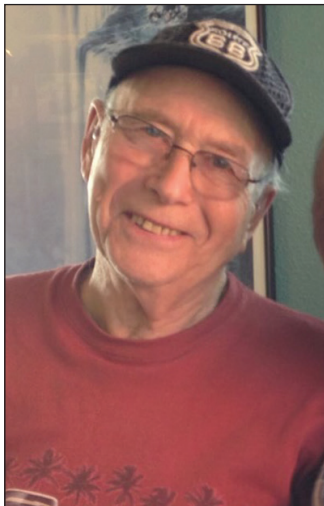
great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

Mel owned several meat markets in California. He and his wife moved to Brookings in 1993. They owned the Beachcomber restaurant in Brookings for 20 years.

During his retirement, he spent a lot of time traveling and visiting his family.

Mel always had a smile on his face, he was a dreamer and loved his family. He was last a great business man and loved talking about it even until the last day.

Family and friends are invited to a Celebration of Life on May 22nd at 3:30 pm at



the Beachcomber restaurant in Brookings.

He was born August 4, 1931 in Schefield, North Dakota. Redwood Memorial Chapel is assisting the family.

Brookings resident **Edward A. Pelzel** passed away May 9, 2021 at the age of 89 in Gold Beach, Oregon.

# Curry County remains in moderate risk category

## ZACK DEMARS The Pilot

Curry County will narrowly remain in the moderate-risk category of virus restrictions for another week.

According to data released by the Oregon Health Authority Tuesday, one less COVID-19 case and a slightly lower test positivity rate in the last two weeks would have moved the county to the lowest category of restrictions.

The county’s 30 cases is the lowest reported for a two-week period in several weeks, but its 5.2% test positivity rate is the highest reported in several weeks.

On the vaccination front,

Curry County won’t yet qualify for a reduction in risk levels under the state’s newly announced plan to tie virus restrictions to vaccination rates. Just 47% of the county’s 16-and-older population has received a dose of the vaccine, below the 65% needed to make that change.

The county’s vaccination rate is the 17th highest of the state’s 36 counties.

Statewide, most counties remain in the high-risk level of restrictions, while Curry joins six others in the moderate category.

Cases across the state have slowed slightly, as has the concerning rate of virus-related hospitalizations which pushed health authorities to

move counties to the extreme-risk level.

With the decrease in cases, those counties have been moved out of the extreme level.

Curry Health Network is continuing to offer vaccines weekly. The hospital currently has clinics scheduled for May 19 Gold Beach and May 14, 17 and 21 in Brookings.

More information and registration is available online at [www.curryhealthnetwork.com/education](http://www.curryhealthnetwork.com/education).

Vaccines are available at other locations, too, including at: Rite Aid, Safeway and Albertsons stores, Fred Meyer, some Health Mart pharmacies, Bi-Mart and Walmart.

## Pulliam announces he is filing federal lawsuit against Gov. Kate Brown

Sandy Mayor Stan Pulliam recently announced a lawsuit will be filed in federal court on behalf of Heart of Main Street, the Oregon Moms Union and several businesses and individuals. The lawsuit challenges Oregon Governor Kate Brown’s authority to continue using executive action to maintain a state of emergency.

“The constitution provides us specific guarantees of liberty,” said Pulliam. “The governor’s broadly applied authority continues to be shrouded in opaque rationale, undisclosed science, and arbitrary metrics. After 14 months, it’s time to put an end to this and restore our constitutionally protected rights as Americans.”

The announcement was made outside of Spud Monkeys, a Gresham restaurant and bar owned by Melissa Adams.

Late last year, Spud Monkeys was visited by an Oregon Health Authority employee, who ordered a burger and a beer from her restaurant, and then cited her for illegally opening.

The lawsuit was filed last week in federal court by Ed Trompke, an attorney with Portland law firm, Jordan Ramis, PC, seeking to restrain enforcement of the governor’s order.

“The state of emergency was necessary when we didn’t know anything about the virus,” said Pulliam. “But we now have a vaccine, we understand how it’s transmitted and how it’s not, and we don’t see any discernible difference in outcomes between states that are open and the increasingly few that aren’t.”

“Parents should not have to go to court to get their kids back to school,” said MacKenzie Pulliam, board member

for the Oregon Moms Union. “We’ve been given hope time and time again and each time our leaders have broken their promises and failed to get our kids back to school. Parents and kids can wait no longer.”

The discovery process of the lawsuit will force the governor’s office to produce the scientific data Stan Pulliam and others have been demanding for several months, forcing Brown to prove why it has been necessary to lock down main street businesses while big-box stores remain open.

“A governor’s powers in a state of emergency must be narrowly defined and temporary. Instead, they have been broad and ceaseless. It’s clear Governor Brown has no intention of relinquishing this absolute power herself, so we are forced to petition our judiciary branch to do it for her,” concluded Stan Pulliam.

## Vaccination

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already well on their way to loosening restrictions earlier than that under the lower-risk framework.

Benton and Hood River counties, for example, have already vaccinated the 65% required to move those counties into lower-risk on

May 21. Deschutes, Lincoln, Multnomah and Washington are on track to meet the May 21 timeline at their current rates, Allen said.

Clackamas, Clatsop, Lane, Polk and Tillamook counties have all vaccinated at least 55% of their 16-and-older population, and should be able to loosen restrictions based on the vaccine metrics before the rest of the state, according to Allen.

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# VFW: No Memorial Day service this year

Local Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post 966 would like to inform veterans and their families there will be no events held at the port this upcoming Memorial Day weekend, according to a release from Commander Frederick

Bremer. Bremer said COVID-19 has been devastating to the VFW and senior citizens. The VFW hopes to return to normal soon. “On this day we honor those who

gave their lives for this country. Their death is not a loss, but a gain for our ability to live a free life...Hopefully this veterans of foreign wars post will return to our normal operations in the very near future,” the release stated.



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“I think it’s going to be a good addition to Brookings. I think Brookings is growing to the point where it could use more grocery stores, more options,” said Greg Krenzelok about McKay’s opening in Brookings.

## McKay’s

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dent Cheryl Capelle outside of a different local grocery store. She said she looks forward

to more options, especially options closer to her home, and with less tourists, she said.

“I live right there, so it’s much easier. I’m kind of excited,” said Capelle. “Starting now and into September, the traffic gets so bad here, so it’s

easier for me to just stay at my little end.”

Greg Krenzelok is from Gold Beach where there already is a McKay’s Market.

“I think it’s going to be a good addition to Brookings. I think Brookings is growing to the point where it could

use more grocery stores, more options,” said Krenzelok.

Murray said they plan to host a job fair in June for positions at the new store.

“There will be a lot of activity happening there shortly,” said Murray.

## Sno-Cat

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utility terrain vehicle, but it soon became stuck in the deep snow, and they had to continue on foot. At that point, Ward called Josephine and Jackson counties to ask about borrowing a Sno-Cat,

only to find they did not have one either.

Eventually, the men were located by search and rescue workers and were transported safely down the mountain. Afterward, Ward was able to order the \$194,000 Sno-Cat from Tucker Sno-Cat of Medford, using federal Title III funds through the U.S. Forest Service.

“I have been trying to get this for the last 10 years, but it had to be in the right situation,” said Ward.

Ward explained in order to use the federal funding, the Sno-Cat had to be purchased during an active search on federal forest land, and the January search met those qualifications.

Ward said the sheriff’s

office will lend the vehicle to neighboring counties, if it is needed for rescue missions.

“That’s what it’s all about, saving lives,” said Ward.

The Sno-Cat was dedicated to former search and rescue member Joe Martin.

## Rentals

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were to neglect lodging tax payment, the city could pursue a legal collections process, and potentially place a lien on the property, according to supporting documents from the council meeting.

The majority of tax revenues from state and local TLTs are earmarked to be

reinvested into tourism with the remainder going to a city services fund.

In Gold Beach, about 80% of TLT money is used specifically for tourism and 20% go to city services, according to city reports.

The council unanimously passed another ordinance Monday, which will require short-term rental owners within city limits to obtain a business license. With the new requirement, the city could set a cap on the number

of business licenses they give out to short-term rental owners.

Although Bradley said he would not feel comfortable moving forward with a cap on business licenses right now.

“I think that’s where some of the board is going,” said Bradley. “I’m still not personally sold on that, feels a little over regulation. I’d like them to convince me that limiting is in the best interest.”

# Local librarian selected to receive Oregon Safe Schools Recognition

Each year, the Oregon Safe Schools & Communities Coalition solicits nominations of individuals, schools and organizations that have done extraordinary work to help LGBTQIA+ students and students from various ethnicities feel safe in school.

Nominated by Brookings-Harbor High School Principal DeAnne Varitek, school librarian Krystal Gregory “...worked to create a centralized, welcoming space where our traditionally underserved and LGBTQIA+ students can feel safe and valued.”

“In addition to running our Battle of the Books and serving on our Equity Team for the past two years, she uses her library to celebrate holidays that empower our students. She has proudly displayed the rainbow of the LGBTQIA+ community, created vivid book displays for Hispanic Heritage, Womens’ Month, Native American Culture and Heritage and

Black History. It is difficult to quantify the impact that she has made but a recent student survey has revealed that 92% of our students feel safe AND know how to access help for bullying.”

The other honorees are: Devin Harkness, counselor; ACCESS Program at Lane Middle School, Portland Public Schools; Nicole Levine, program administrator in Student Success and Health Program, Portland Public Schools; Shannon Perry, middle school teacher, Forest Grove Community School, Forest Grove School District; Colt Gill, superintendent of schools, Oregon Department of Education, Salem; Holly Campbell-Polivka, youth services librarian, Tigard City Library; The Living Room, A Safe Haven for Clackamas County LGBTQ+ Youth, Milwaukie; and Kristin Blomberg and the entire Hillsboro School District Comprehensive Sex Ed committee.



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Guest Opinion

It’s time for a solution to the Klamath recurring water crises

By FELICE PACE

Once again the Klamath River Basin is in a “water crisis.” With not enough water to fulfill all needs and demands, irrigators, federal tribes and fishermen are all clamoring for more water and for “emergency disaster assistance” from the federal government. In the middle are the federal and state agencies charged with meeting competing needs of threatened and endangered fish, water rights law and irrigator demands.

Meanwhile the organization People’s Rights has called for irrigators to “STAND UP AND PROTECT YOUR PRIVATE PROPERTY, YOUR WATER!” According to a report from The Counter, “People’s Rights is the far-right militia group founded by Ammon Bundy, known for leading a takeover of a federal wildlife refuge in 2016.”

While the “crisis” is likely to be intense this year, the lack of sufficient Klamath River water to satisfy all fish, wildlife and irrigation needs has been a recurrent problem ever since the Bureau of Reclamation’s Klamath Irrigation Project completed its final expansion into the bed of the former Tule Lake in the 1960s. Recurrent droughts and declining snowpacks have lessened inflow to reservoirs and intensified competition for declining water supplies.

While reports focus on the Upper Klamath River Basin and the federal Klamath Irrigation Project, the progressive dewatering of headwater streams and mainstem rivers is not just a problem within the boundaries of the Klamath Irrigation Project. Above Upper Klamath Lake and in the Shasta and Scott Valleys headwater streams are dewatered and river flows are inadequate for migration and rearing of multiple species of fish.

And the situation is getting worse. There are three main reason Klamath River Basin streamflows have declined to the point where they are no longer adequate to support healthy stream ecosystems and healthy fisheries:

Irrigated agriculture has continued to divert and use surface water at the same levels it did in the 1960s even as the total amount of surface water available for irrigation and domestic use has declined as a result of drought and shrinking snowpacks.

Beginning after the 1977 drought, many large irrigation wells have been drilled and groundwater extraction has increased dramatically. Groundwater has been used to extend both the season of irrigation and the amount of land under irrigation. Domestic wells have also proliferated in parts of the Basin.

The Basin’s upland forests, source of most of the water that flows downstream, have been largely converted from older, closed canopy forests to dense younger forests and tree plantations. Empirical research, including long-term, paired watershed studies, demonstrate that converting from older forests to young, dense forests results in larger flood flows and reduced flows during the irrigation season.

**Missed opportunities**

The tragedy is that there are solutions to the Klamath’s water woes but those solutions are not being implemented or prioritized. In the long run, we can increase streamflows and water supplies by restoring upland forests and headwater meadow systems. With lower snowpacks, it is upland soils which must be relied upon to store water in winter and release that water during the dry season.

However, restoring our uplands to secure water supplies and stream-

flows will take time and there is, so far, no consensus on how to accomplish the task. In the meantime, the only way to end the Klamath’s recurrent water crises is to reduce the demand for water. Because the needs of stream ecosystems and fish can not be altered, it is consumption of surface and ground water that must be reduced.

In the Klamath River Basin, irrigated agriculture consumes 80 to 90 percent of the water diverted from streams and springs and a similar amount of the water extracted from groundwater. To protect and restore stream ecosystems and fisheries that depend on them, water demand must be reduced by something on the order of 10 to 20%. The most practical, just and equitable way to accomplish the needed reduction is to reduce irrigation demand by purchase and retirement of surface water and groundwater extraction rights from willing sellers.

Fair and equitable irrigation demand reduction would include the Shasta and Scott River Basins and irrigated lands above Upper Klamath Lake as well as within the 220,000 acre Klamath Irrigation Project. In the California portions of the Klamath River Basin, water rights purchased from willing sellers can be formally dedicated to in-stream use and a water right for the dedication can be obtained. In-stream flows can also be protected in Oregon under certain conditions.

**Congress must act**

Basin-wide irrigation demand reduction requires both a federal mandate and taxpayer funding. Fortunately, two congressmen who represent opposite ends of the Klamath River Basin, California’s Jared Huffman and Oregon’s Cliff Bentz are well positioned and have the knowledge and backgrounds to get the job done. Both are lawyers who have worked on water issues for many years. Both also serve on the House Natural Resources Subcommittee on Water, Oceans and Wildlife. Congressman Huffman chairs and Congressman Bentz is the ranking Republican on the subcommittee.

These two Congressman ought to step up and get us on the path to the only real solution. A first step would be to hold hearings in their subcommittee focused, not on the conditions, impacts and need for assistance, but on how to craft a solution to the recurring Klamath water crises.

**Opposition**

Achieving a solution to the Klamath’s water woes will not be easy. While most basin residents and many leaders would likely support a fair and equitable program to reduce irrigation water demand, there will be strong opposition, particularly from the thirty or so dominant growers who, through a web of family ownership and leasing irrigated land from retired farmers, control most of the most productive farmland within the federal Klamath Irrigation Project.

One of the reasons powerful irrigators will likely oppose an equitable solution to the Klamath’s water woes is the profits they earn selling groundwater when there is not enough water available from the US Bureau of Reclamation to satisfy irrigator needs. For example, the Tule Lake Irrigation District (TID), which occupies the very fertile farmland in the bed of the former Tule Lake, markets water from seven large irrigation wells located just south of the Oregon-California border. Those wells were gifted to TID irrigators by the State of California in 2001, one of the many taxpayer subsidies the Irrigation Elite have enjoyed.

Guest Opinion

Housing prices in the West are over the moon

By JONATHAN THOMPSON

One hundred thirty thousand dollars. That’s what it takes for a down payment to buy an average-priced home in Bozeman, Montana. Then an aspiring homeowner must fork out another \$3,000 each month, which is more than two-thirds of their household’s paychecks if they make the median income for the metro area.

That’s because the average home in the greater Bozeman area is going for more than \$650,000, up from an already astronomical \$500,000 in early 2020. A couple of tenured professors at the local Montana State University might be able to swing that, but it is way out of reach for the rest of the faculty.

If college professors can’t afford homes, then what kind of local worker can who has no outside source of income? Certainly not public-school teachers, firefighters, cops or journalists. Service workers? Forget about it.

As pandemic-spurred remote work is freeing folks from the office and the cities, they are buying up remote work-centers, aka houses, in places far away from their cubicles. The result is real estate mar-kets blowing up across the West, as well as the nation.

It will take \$533,000 to buy an average-price home in Bend, Oregon, and \$425,000 in Corvallis — a 23 percent jump from a couple of years ago. The pattern repeats just about everywhere, with 25- to 35-percent price increases in nearly every market: Tucson, Flag-staff, Tahoe, Salt Lake City, Durango.

You can’t escape by forgoing homeownership and renting, either.

Rentals, if you can find them, are similarly expensive. Boise’s median rent shot up by 23 percent over the last year, with other mid-sized Western cities seeing similar leaps.

Many of these places have long been too pricey for the average worker, but a hopeful homeowner could always find look farther afield, as home prices tended to drop in direct proportion to the distance from the town’s center. It’s the old “drive till you qualify” non-policy of affordable housing, leaned on by communities from Jackson to Aspen to Park City.

But now the Zoom Boom-fueled market fire is spreading beyond the “best places” into the once-affordable bastions of working-class neighborhoods, the bedroom communities, rural ranchettes and even trailer parks.

In other words, you could drive all night and still not qualify unless you have cash coming in from a trust fund, you sold out of a more expensive market or you happened to hit it big with cryptocurrency.

Something is bound to break. When even drive-till-you-qualify breaks down, the non-Zoom workers have little choice but to crowd into substandard housing, move into tent-towns or set up camp in the backseat in the Walmart parking lot. I know experienced teachers who have been forced into rooming with others in small apartments, like college students. It’s hardly surprising that so many businesses are having a hard time finding workers.

Perhaps the most maddening part of all of this is that the Zoom Boom isn’t the half of it: The biggest real estate action is happening in the luxury markets. Aspen saw 90 sales

over \$10 million last year and the average home price shot up to more than \$11 million. Jackson, Wyoming’s, median sale price last year was \$2.5 million, and it continues to climb.

This is happening during a time when more than a half-million people have died in the United States due to complications from COVID-19 and the U.S. economy has shed millions of jobs. Los Angeles County’s unhoused population is approaching 70,000 and even quaint small towns are seeing growing numbers of unhoused people. Wyoming, which Jackson Hole real estate firms tout as a “tax haven with a view,” is facing a budget crunch, forcing more than \$40 million in cuts at the University of Wyoming.

There are solutions: Tax the wealthy — and the high-dollar real estate transactions — and put the revenues into building affordable housing.

Call it what you want: socialism, redistribution of wealth, compassion or just a tweak in the system to keep the economy from collapsing and violent revolution from occurring.

Or maybe call it what it is: A return to a time when we took care of one another and no one felt the need to amass billions of dollars of wealth at the expense of the working class, or the people who keep America running.

*Jonathan Thompson is the editor of LandDesk.org and a regular contributor to Writers on the Range, writersontherange.org, an independent nonprofit dedicated to spurring lively conversation about the West.*

Letters to the editor

with our students and the money being acquired through the college foundation (planned giving and legacy gifts).

We deserve local development control and input into the decisions that shape our Curry Campus’ future.

Thank you for your hard work on this, commissioners,

Ray “Skip” Hunter  
*Brookings*

Is this working?

Interesting to read the police blotter for Brookings and find so many notations of transients with outstanding warrants who are cited and then released. The old catch and release. What is the repercussions for that person? Another citation which they will not appear for. Another outstanding warrant to add to their list of alleged crimes. Why have laws to protect law-abiding citizens when they are not enforced. Instead of spending our tax money on “social workers,” drug rehab, homeless rooms in motels, we should be building more jails. Just My Humble Opinion.

On another note, I see where it is no longer a crime to sleep or camp on public property. What’s going to happen when camping happens in front of city hall, fire station, etc.?

Allan Stewart  
*Brookings*

Something is wrong

The headlines in the Pilot tell the story. Something is wrong with Curry County and with the city of Brookings.

Mayor Pieper resigned, the Curry Health Department imploded, Boice is attacked again ... and ... Brookings is coming under lawsuits.

And who is going to pay for these lawsuits, these blunders? The answer to that is that you and I are going to pay. Higher taxes are on the way, so open up the money jar. When our area makes these kinds of headlines and faces an onslaught of lawsuits it means somebody is doing something wrong and it’s going to cost us money.

Roger Sherman  
*Brookings*

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Applications and full job descriptions are available at:  
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Curry County Assessor's Office is accepting applications for a full time Administrative Secretary. ~Responsibilities include providing office management secretarial services, handling sensitive and confidential information; making minor administrative decisions on behalf of the department; and performing highly responsible, technical and advanced secretarial duties. ~High School graduation or equivalent; three years of progressively responsible clerical work; or any satisfactory equivalent of experience and training. ~Criminal background check required. ~For complete job description and to apply for this position click the link below. <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/curry>

Glen Haven Program is hiring a Direct Care Staff. Apply at 680. E. Washington Blvd., Crescent City or call Jacob Hall at 707- 954-3113 for more details.

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Applications are required to be submitted by email to [hjobs@dnco.or-g](mailto:hjobs@dnco.or-g) EEO.

Public Guardian Case Coordinator I/II/- III Del Norte County Health & Human Services.

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**REHABILITATION SPECIALIST Local non-profit agency is looking to hire PT staff to provide mental health rehabilitation services to work in a mental health setting with children and their families. BA or AA Required. Apply at: [www.remivistainc.net](http://www.remivistainc.net)**

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Smith River CSD - General Manager for District's water system. D-2 license req. Salary DOE w/- benefits. To apply email [office.admin@srwater.net](mailto:office.admin@srwater.net) or call 707-954- 9305.

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You will be responsible for overseeing the administrative office activities of the organization. Please contact us for a job application [p.cox@portofportorford.org](mailto:p.cox@portofportorford.org)  
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## 702 Garage Sales

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Large yard sale. May 15th 8am- 4pm. Furniture, exercise equipment, tools and lots of goodie. 800 Dundas Road Crescent city.

Moving sale May 14th,15th and 16th. 9am-4pm. 2085 Evergreen Lane Crescent City. Moving Sale. 5/14-5/26. 125 Dungeness Street, Crescent city. 8am-pm. Household items, kids toys, medical supplies, table, chairs, tv cabinet and more.

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## 702 Garage Sales

Multi Family Yard sale. May 15th and 16th. 9am-3pm. 215 Tanbark Road Brookings. New items added on Sunday.

Office Downsize Sale - furniture, framed art, children's furniture, toys, crafts, household, misc. 9 am to 3 pm, Saturday 5-15-21, 1910 Northcrest Drive, Crescent City

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

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## 902 Homes for Sale

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## 999 Public Notices


FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FAVORITE STORE" The following person is doing business as:  
My favorite store  
1910 NorthCrest Drive, Suite C-D 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: 5/7/2021  
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: Kim Yost  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: 5/7/2021  
Alissia D. Northrup  
County Clerk-Recorder  
B. McCune-Sokoloski, Deputy  
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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Green Diamond Resource Company is currently preparing a Timber Harvest Plan in Del Norte County located between 2.5 and 4 miles north of the town of Klamath, California. The California Code of Regulations Title 14 1032.10 requires that we provide notice to all other landowners within 1,000 feet downstream in a newspaper of general circulation in the area affected by the proposed timber operations.~ Information is hereby being requested concerning domestic water supplies from affected watercourses so that those supplies may be adequately protected during harvest.~ Responses to this notice are requested within ten days from the date of this publication.  
The proposed operations of the affected area are in portions of the SW1/4 of S27, SE1/4 of S28, NE 1/4 of S33 and the NW1/4 of Section 34, T14N, R1E, HBM.~ The watercourses that may be affected are Hunter Creek and unnamed tributaries.  
Please respond to the Plan Submitter, Green Diamond Resource Company - Klamath Division Attn: Robert Hurst P. O. Box 245, Orick, CA 95555 (707) 668-3758. 5/14/21

The Crescent City Harbor District is seeking proposals and concepts from qualified landscaping contractors for: a proposal to maintain the landscaping at the District. The District is requesting a firm, not-to-exceed fee for performing the Services on a fiscal year basis, July 1st to June 30th, for a one-year period. Each proposal shall include a description of the type, technical experience, background, qualifications and expertise of the Proposer's contractor. The description shall show that the contractor possesses the demonstrated skills and professional experience to perform the general functions of the Project and fulfill the goals and vision of the District. Please refer to the District website [www.ccharbor.com](http://www.ccharbor.com) for additional instructions. All proposals due 5/24/21 by 5pm.

Notice of Lien Sale Wilson OW Storage PO BOX 1836, Brookings, OR. Lien Sale will be held: Date: June 5, 2021 Time: Walk by 11:30 am, Sale at 12:00 noon Location: Wilson Ow Storage, 98121 W Benham Lane, Brookings, OR 97415 Household & Misc items Unit No. 42 Renter: Nancy McVeigh, PO Box 3305, Brookings, OR. 97415 Published: May 14, 21, and 28, 2021 Curry Coastal Pilot P315846

Notice of Lien Sale Hewitts Stor All 96650 DeMoss Rd., Brookings, OR. Lien Sale will be held: Date: May 29, 2021 Time: Walk by 11:30 am, Sale at 12:00 noon Location: Hewitts Stor All 96650 DeMoss Rd, Brookings, OR Household & Misc items Unit No. 4 Renter: Kathleen Dowden, PO Box 1517, Brookings, OR. 97415 Published: May 14, 21, and 28, 2021 Curry Coastal Pilot P315847

NOTICE CLAIMS against the estate of Kelly Joe Dunbar, Douglas County, Oregon, Circuit Court Case No. 21PB02873, are required to be presented, with written evidence, to the Personal Representative, Jennifer High, c/o Sarah Wolf, Attorney, 727 SE Cass Ave #400, Roseburg, OR 97470, within four months from the date of first publication, or such claims may be barred. Persons whose rights may be affected by this proceeding can obtain additional information from the court records, the personal representative, or the attorney for the personal representative. Publication Dates: 05/14/21-05/21/21-05/28/21.

DEL NORTE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS SUMMARY OF ADOPTED ORDINANCE 2021-002

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Public Notices

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING REGULATIONS FOR PRE-TREATMENT OF INDUSTRIAL WASTEWATER  
The following is a summary of an Ordinance adopted at the Tuesday, April 27, 2021 Board of Supervisors' meeting, Regular Session, by the following polled vote:  
AYES: Supervisors Short, Starkey, Howard, Hemmingsen, Berkowitz  
NOES: None  
ABSENT: None  
This ordinance makes applicable within the County Service Area the industrial wastewater pretreatment ordinance applicable within the incorporated area of the City of Crescent City. This will provide uniform regulations and enforcement for all users of the City's waste water treatment plant. 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 hours. Dated: May 10, 2021 Publish: May 14, 2021

**Public Notice**  
A Timber Harvesting Plan (THP) is being prepared approximately 1 mile southeast of the town of Smith River, CA. Timber harvesting operations are proposed adjacent to Morrison Creek and unnamed tributaries that drain into this watercourse. Morrison Creek drains into the Smith River, which drains into the Pacific Ocean. The legal description is Section 36 of Township 18 North, Range 01 West, and Section 1, Township 17 North, Range 01 West, Humboldt Baseline Meridian, Del Norte County, California. There are 4 THP Units located on the Smith River and High Divide, Calif., (1966), USGS, 7.5" Quad Map. If you are aware of a surface domestic water use (surface water, not wells) from the watercourse, within the THP or within 1,000 feet downstream of the proposed harvest area, please contact Chad Freeman at Green Diamond Resource Company within 10 days of the publication of this notice at: 707-668-3757 or at Green Diamond Resource Company P.O. Box 245 Orick, CA 95555. Please include your name, address and telephone number in your response. Reference Morrison 200 THP.

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
**File No. 20210060**

The following person(s) is doing business as:  
**Davinci Landscaping & Maintenance, 1385 West Washington Blvd. #37 Crescent City, 95531 County of Del Norte.**  
This business is conducted by a Corporation.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/29/21  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on April 29, 2021.  
Alissia Northrup, County Clerk/-Recorder  
By: Damon Fletcher, Deputy Articles of Incorporation:#C4318-556  
DEL NORTE TRIPLICATE  
Published on: 5/7,5/- 14,5/21,5/28

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
**File No. 20210061**

The following person(s) is doing business as:  
**Davinci Construction, 1385 West Washington Blvd. #37 Crescent City, 95531 County of Del Norte.**  
This business is conducted by a Corporation.  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/29/21  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on April 29, 2021.  
Alissia Northrup, County Clerk/-Recorder  
By: Damon Fletcher, Deputy Articles of Incorporation:#C4318-566  
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**NOTICE OF BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING** A virtual public meeting of the Budget Committee of the Brookings Harbor School District 17C, County of Curry, and State of Oregon, to discuss the budget for the fiscal year July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022 will take place on May 27, 2021 at 6:00 PM. The purpose of the meeting is to receive the budget message. This is a public meeting where deliberation of the Budget Committee will take place. You will be able to watch a livestream of the meeting from our district website @ [www.brookings.k12.or.us](http://www.brookings.k12.or.us). s Any person may comment by emailing [dedec@brookings.k12.or.us](mailto:dedec@brookings.k12.or.us) during the meeting. Your question/comment will be read to the committee to be considered and included as part of the public record. A second meeting may take place on June 2, 2021 if necessary. A copy of the budget may be obtained by request on or after May 25, 2021. To request the copy email [dedec@brookings.k12.or.us](mailto:dedec@brookings.k12.or.us)

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY**  
In the Matter of the Estate of Frances Alden Harris, Deceased. Case No. 21PB03577  
**NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS**  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to the undersigned personal representative at 384 G Street, Crescent City, CA95531 within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or the lawyer for the personal representative, Charles Lee Spruiell, III. Date and first published on May 7th, 2021 /s/ Charles Lee Spruiell III Charles Lee Spruiell III PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE: Charles Lee Spruiell III 561 Roxie Reese Road Plymouth, NC 27960 Telephone No: 252- 799-6141  
**LAWYER FOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE:** Gino V. deSolenni, OSB No: 03244384 G Street Crescent City, CA 95531 Telephone No: 707-464-6181 Fax No: 707-464-6183 E-mail: [lawoffice@desolenni.net](mailto:lawoffice@desolenni.net)

Del Norte LAFCo Public Hearing Notice  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on Monday May 24, 2021 at 4 p.m. Del Norte LAFCo will hold a public hearing to consider adopting the Del Norte LAFCo FY 2021-22 budget in accordance with California Government Code Section 56381.  
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 social 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 be 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-> 2021).  
**PLEASE SUBMIT ANY PUBLIC COMMENTS AHEAD OF TIME IF AT ALL POSSIBLE.** Please send comments to [eo@delnortelafco.org](mailto:eo@delnortelafco.org) and 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 comments must be received by 2

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p.m. Monday May 24, 2021.  
Please visit [delnortelafco.org](http://delnortelafco.org) to review the meeting agenda prior to the meeting. For more information email [eo@delnortelafco.org](mailto:eo@delnortelafco.org) or call (707) 825-9301

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF Gerald Prado**  
Case Number: CVPB-2021-7018

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Gerald Prado

A Petition for Probate has been filed by: Keeohmee Langlois, in the Superior Court of California, County of: Del Norte. Endorsed Filed: April 20, 2021.  
The petition for probate requests that: Keeohmee Langlois 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: May 14, 2021 Time: 10:00 am Dept.: 2 Room: 209  
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:  
Keeohmee Langlois  
284 Drews Prairie Rd.  
Toledo, WA. 98591  
(503) 798-2047  
Publish: April 30, May 7 and 14, 2021  
Del Norte Triplicate T314777

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Location: Hewitts Stor All 96650 DeMoss Rd, Brookings, OR Household & Misc items Unit No. 82  
Renter: Sharon Steineke, PO Box 264, Wilsonville, OR. 97070  
Published: April 23, 30, May 7 and 14, 2021  
Curry Coastal Pilot P313188

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT AND LAWS"**

The following person/s is/are doing business as:  
**Ponds and Lawns 783 Humboldt Street Crescent City, CA 95531**  
This Business is conducted by: **a general partnership**  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: **3/1/2018**

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: **JoAnn Holcomb**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Del Norte County on: **4/22/2021**  
Alissia D. Northrup  
County Clerk-Recorder  
Damon Fletcher, Deputy  
**File No. 20210059**  
**Publish: April 30, May 7, 14 and 21, 2021**  
**Del Norte Triplicate T314816**

TR21-9000 South Bay Union School District is requesting qualifications for Architectural Services. For more information please visit [www.southbayusd.org](http://www.southbayusd.org)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT CAB COMPANY, LLC"**

The following person/s is/are doing business as:  
Coastal Cab Company, LLC  
1250 Sixth Street  
Crescent City, CA 95531  
This Business is conducted by: limited liability company  
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on: 5/15/2017

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

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NOTICE OF PETETION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF CAROL ANN CZAPLA. CVPB-2021-7023

T.S. No. 087456-CAAPN: 127- 290-04~ NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE~ IMPOR- TANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 7/26/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PRO- CEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER On 6/8/2021 at 11:00 AM, CLEAR RECON CORP, as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 8/2/2007 as Instrument No. 20074377 of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Del Norte County, State of CALIFORNIA executed by: AL F. CLIFFORD SR., AN UNMARRIED MAN AND LINDAA. FISHER, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN AS, JOINT TENANTS WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGH- EST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK DRAWN ON A STATE OR NATIONAL BANK, A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, OR SAVINGS BANK SPECIFIED IN SEC- TION 5102 OF THE FINANCIAL CODE AND AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THIS STATE; OUTSIDE ON THE STEPS OF THE SOUTHWEST ENTRANCE TO THE FLYNN ADMINISTRA- TION BLDG. LOCATED AT 981 H STREET, CRESCENT CITY, CA 95531 all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: MORE ACCURATELY DESCRIBED IN SAID DEED OF TRUST. The street address and other com- mon designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2231 HUNTER CREEK ROAD, KLAMATH, CA 95548~ The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any in- correctness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein.~ Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condi- tion, or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts cre- ated by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of

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the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust.~ The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publica- tion of the Notice of Sale is:~ \$176,872.18~ If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any rea- son, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trust- ee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse.~ The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned or its predecessor caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located.~ NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BID- DERS:~ If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bid- ding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not auto- matically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investi- gate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contact- ing the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property.~ NOTICE TO PROP- ERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made avail- able to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (844) 477- 7869 or visit this Inter- net Web site WWW.STOXPOST-

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ING.COM, using the file number assigned to this case 087456-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immedi- ately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. NOTICE TO TENANT: Effective January 1, 2021, you may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercis- ing this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call (855) 313- 3319, or visit this internet website www.clearreconcorp.com, using the file number assigned to this case 087456-CA to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider con- tacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional imme- diately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. FOR SALES INFORMATION: (844) 477-7869 CLEAR RECON CORP 4375 Jutland Drive San Diego, California 92117 Published: April 30, May 7 & 14, 2021 Del Norte TriPLICATE T315001

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: AGNES K. HARP CVPB-2021- 7024

To all heirs, beneficiaries, credi- tors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of AGNES K. HARP. A Peti- tion for Probate has been filed by Pamela G. Harp, in the Superior

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Court of California, County of Del Norte. The petition for probate requests that Pamela G Harp be appointed as personal represen- tative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests the dece- dent'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 Admin- istration 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 inter- ested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The indepen- dent 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.

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A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 6/4/2021 Time: 10:00am Dept.: 2 Address of the Court: 450 H Street Crescent City, CA 95531 If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your ap- pearance may be in person or by your attorney. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the de- cedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative ap- pointed by the court within the lat- er of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representa- tive, 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 ap-

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praisal 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 or party without attorney: Pamela G. Harp 728B st. Crescent city, CA 95531 Telephone: (707) 464-5332 Publish: 5/7, 5/14, 5/21/2021 Del Norte TriPLICATE

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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 Frances Alden Harris, Deceased. Case No. 21PB03577 NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached,

to the undersigned personal representative at 384 G Street, Crescent City, CA95531 within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or the lawyer for the personal representative, Charles Lee Spruiell, III. Date and first published on May 7th, 2021 /s/ Charles Lee Spruiell III Charles Lee Spruiell III PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE: Charles Lee Spruiell III 561 Roxie Reese Road Plymouth, NC 27960 Telephone No: 252-799-6141 LAWYER FOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE: Gino V. deSolenni, OSB No: 03244384 G Street Crescent City, CA 95531 Telephone No: 707- 464-6181 Fax No: 707-464-6183 E-mail: lawoffice@desolenni.net

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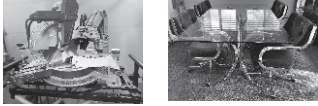
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H Street, Room 209Crescent City, California, 95531The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney is Nicolas MatayronMALCOLM CISNEROS2112 Business Center Drive, Irvine, CA 92612(949)252-9400Date Aug-10-2020Clerk, by V.Hisoire, Deputy TS No. OR06000001-21-1 APN R19362 To No 210041986-OR- MSO TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE Reference is made to that certain Trust Deed made by, MICHAEL RODNEY HARRIS, AS AN ESTATE IN FEE SIMPLE as Grantor to CURRY COUNTY TITLE INC as Trustee, in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as designated nominee for FAIRWAY INDEPENDENT MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Beneficiary of the security instrument, its successors and assigns, dated as of June 11, 2019 and recorded on June 17, 2019 as Instrument No. 2019- 02077 and the beneficial interest was assigned to Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC and recorded September 24, 2020 as Instrument Number 2020-03778 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Curry County, Oregon to-wit: APN: R19362 A PARCEL OF LAND LYING WITHIN SECTION SIXTEEN (16), TOWNSHIP FORTY-ONE (41) SOUTH, RANGE THIRTEEN (13) WEST, WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A POINT LYING ON THE SOUTH-WESTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF OCEANVIEW DRIVE, SAID POINT BEING SOUTH 2135.6 FEET AND WEST 627.0 FEET FROM THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT SIXTEEN (16) TOWNSHIP FORTY-ONE (41) SOUTH, RANGE THIRTEEN (13) WEST, WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN; THENCE SOUTH 51° 23'- EAST A DISTANCE OF 130.1 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 62° 41 ½ WEST FOLLOWING THE NORTHERLY BOUNDARY OF THE HASTINGS TRACT RECORDED DV: 57 PAGE: 579, DEED RECORDS OF CURRY COUNTY, OREGON, A DISTANCE OF 182.4 FEET; THENCE NORTH 18° 07'- WEST A DISTANCE OF 66.6 FEET; THENCE NORTH 38° 37'- EAST A DISTANCE OF 130.0 FEET,

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MORE OR LESS, TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING ALL LYING AND BEING WITHIN CURRY COUNTY, OREGON. TOGETHER WITH AN EASEMENT AS DISCLOSED BY BR: 21 PAGE 740 RECORDED OCTOBER 18, 1971 Commonly known as: 15404 OCEANVIEW DR, BROOKINGS, OR 97415 Both the Beneficiary, Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC, and the Trustee, Nathan F. Smith, Esq., OSB #120112, have elected to sell the said real property to satisfy the obligations secured by said Trust Deed and notice has been recorded pursuant to Section 86.735(3) of Oregon Revised Statutes. The default for which the foreclosure is made is the Grantor's failure to pay: Failed to pay payments which became due Monthly Payment(s): 11 Monthly Payment(s) from 08/01/2019 to 06/01/2020 at \$2,397.72 9 Monthly Payment(s) from 07/01/2020 to 03/31/2021 at \$2,384.69 Monthly Late Charge(s): \$513.60 By this reason of said default the Beneficiary has declared all obligations secured by said Trust Deed immediately due and payable, said sums being the following, to-wit: The sum of \$435,000.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 4.25000% per annum from July 1, 2019 until paid; plus all accrued late charges thereon; and all Trustee's fees, foreclosure costs and any sums advanced by the Beneficiary pursuant to the terms of said Trust Deed. Wherefore, notice is hereby given that, the undersigned Trustee will on August 17, 2021 at the hour of 09:00 AM, Standard of Time, as established by Section 187.110, Oregon Revised Statutes, Main Entrance, Curry County Courthouse, 29821 Ellensburg, Gold Beach, OR 97444 County of Curry, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the interest in the said described real property which the Grantor had or had power to convey at the time of the execution by him of the said Trust Deed, together with any interest which the Grantor or his successors in interest acquired after the execution of said Trust Deed, to satisfy the foregoing obligations thereby secured and the costs and expenses of sale, including a reasonable charge by the Trustee. Notice is further given that any person named in Section 86.753 of Oregon Revised Statutes has the right to

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have the foreclosure proceeding dismissed and the Trust Deed reinstated by payment to the Beneficiary of the entire amount then due (other than such portion of said principal as would not then be due had no default occurred), together with the costs, Trustee's or attorney's fees and curing any other default complained of in the Notice of Default by tendering the performance required under the obligation or Trust Deed, at any time prior to five days before the date last set for sale. Without limiting the Trustee's disclaimer of representations or warranties, Oregon law requires the Trustee

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to state in this notice that some residential property sold at a Trustee's sale may have been used in manufacturing methamphetamines, the chemical components of which are known to be toxic. Prospective purchasers of residential property should be aware of this potential danger before deciding to place a bid for this property at the Trustee's sale. In construing this notice, the masculine gender includes the feminine and the neuter, the singular includes plural, the word "Grantor" includes any successor in interest to the Grantor as well as any other persons owing

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an obligation, the performance of which is secured by said Trust Deed, the words "Trustee" and "Beneficiary" includes their respective successors in interest, if any. Dated: March 31, 2021 By: Nathan F. Smith, Esq., OSB #120112 Successor Trustee Malcolm & Cisneros, A Law Corporation Attention: Nathan F. Smith, Esq., OSB #120112 c/o TRUSTEE CORPS 17100 Gillette Ave, Irvine, CA 92614 949-252-8300 Order Number 74464, Pub Dates: 4/23/2021, 4/30/2021, 5/7/2021, 5/14/2021, CURRY COASTAL PILOT P313886

FORM LB-1NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

A public meeting of the Chetco Community Public Library District will be held on Friday, May 21, 2021 at 9 a.m. at 405 Alder Street, Brookings, Oregon. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021 as approved by the Chetco Community Public Library District Budget Committee. A summary of the budget is presented below. A copy of the budget may be inspected or obtained at 405 Alder Street, Brookings, Oregon during library hours (which vary due to the Covid pandemic) or online at www.chetcolibrary.org. This budget is for an annual budget period. This budget was prepared on a cash basis of accounting, which is the same as the preceding year.

Contact: Judith Seyle, Treasurer/Budget OfficerTelephone: 541-661-6519Email: jaseyle@hotmail.com

FINANCIAL SUMMARY - RESOURCES

TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS	Actual Amount 2019 - 2020	Adopted Budget This Year 2020 - 2021	Approved Budget Next Year 2021 - 2022
Beginning Fund Balance/Net Working Capital	2,813,448	2,722,360	2,392,024
Fees, Licenses, Permits, Fines, Assessments & Other Service Charges	12,410	8,000	3,000
Federal, State and All Other Grants, Gifts, Allocations and Donations	29,034	28,000	24,000
Revenue from Bonds and Other Debt	0	0	0
Interfund Transfers / Internal Service Reimbursements	318	325	0
All Other Resources Except Current Year Property Taxes	96,062	139,612	99,011
Current Year Property Taxes Estimated to be Received	762,983	770,543	797,278
Total Resources	3,714,255	3,668,840	3,315,313

FINANCIAL SUMMARY - REQUIREMENTS BY OBJECT CLASSIFICATION

Personnel Services	618,504	664,331	646,400
Materials and Services	229,086	312,475	285,575
Capital Outlay	140,791	1,248,636	1,640,492
Debt Service	0	0	0
Interfund Transfers	318	325	0
Contingencies	0	65,617	22,500
Special Payments	0	0	0
Unappropriated Ending Balance and Reserved for Future Expenditure	2,725,556	1,377,456	720,346
Total Requirements	3,714,255	3,668,840	3,315,313

FINANCIAL SUMMARY - REQUIREMENTS AND FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT EMPLOYEES (FTE) BY ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT OR PROGRAM \*

Name of Organizational Unit or Program FTE for that unit or program			
General Fund	1,619,751	1,475,541	1,338,875
FTE	9.40	9.60	9.50
Misener Fund	15,346	15,650	15,273
FTE		0	0
Library Improvement Fund	2,079,158	2,112,449	1,893,965
FTE			0
Specific Purpose Library Grants	0	65,200	67,200
FTE			
Total Requirements	3,714,255	3,668,840	3,315,313
Total FTE	9.40	9.60	9.50

PROPERTY TAX LEVIES

	Rate or Amount Imposed 2019 - 2020	Rate or Amount Imposed This Year 2020 - 2021	Rate or Amount Approved Next Year 2021 - 2022
Permanent Rate Levy (rate limit 0.4256% per \$1,000)	0.4256%	0.4256%	0.4256%
Local Option Levy			
Levy For General Obligation Bonds			

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦

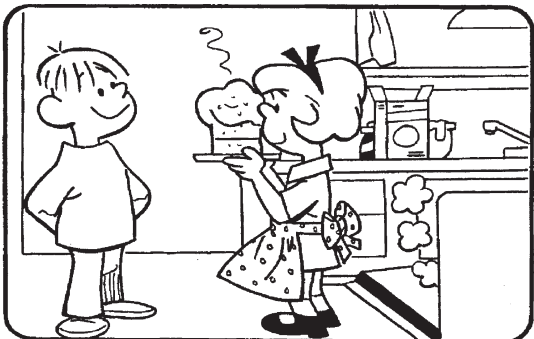
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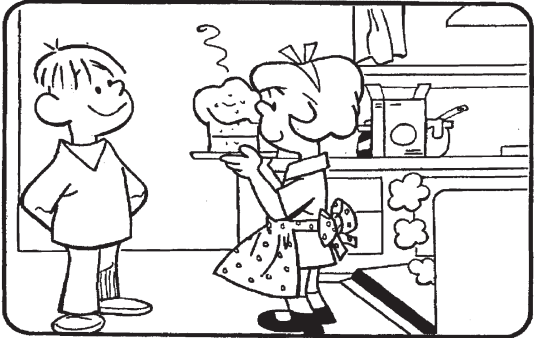
The answer to the Sudoku puzzle is on Page A7

HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Spoon handle is added. 2. Curtain is wider. 3. Box design is different. 4. Faucet is missing. 5. Bow is different. 6. Vase is added.

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Curry County Art Notes

Brian Scott Gallery

Brian Scott Gallery, located at 515 Chetco Ave. in Brookings, features Artist of the Month Brian Gibbons. Gibbons paints acrylics that feature oceanscapes, underwater sea life, landscapes, and wooden assemblages of castles and neighborhoods, all with lighting which makes them handy as night lights. You may meet Gibbons every Thursday from 11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. The gallery also features 32 other artists, displaying works in watercolors, oils, acrylics, sculpture, jewelry and more. The gallery's hours are Wednesday - Saturday, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Call 541-412-8687 or 541-469-1241 for information, or to schedule a private showing.

Creative Writing for Veterans and their Families

Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness presents Creative Writing with teaching artist Billie Ruth Furuchi. Classes take place Tuesdays and Thursdays through June 10, from 1 - 2 p.m., via Zoom. Each week partici-

pants will discuss different writing styles, and share prompts and ideas for students as they create their own works. All levels, including beginners, are welcome. Classes are free-of-charge to veterans, active military and their family members, and family members can participate whether or not the veteran does. Pre-registration is required. For information, call DNACA at 707-464-1336, or email office@dnaca.net.

"Writing the Natural World" poetry class for Veterans and their Families

Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness presents "Writing the Natural World" poetry classes with teaching artist and published author Terri Glass. Classes will take place Wednesdays through June 23, from 5 - 6 p.m. via Zoom. Participants will discuss poetic writing techniques/topics, and create original works. All levels, including beginners, are welcome. Classes are free-of-charge to veterans,

active military and their family members, and family members can participate whether or not the veteran does. Pre-registration is required. For information, call DNACA at 707-464-1336, or email office@dnaca.net.

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. The current Featured Artist is pastel artist Janice Nelson, while the Main Gallery features the works of Leslie Van Nimwegen. Also new to the gallery is Denise Ortega's handmade jewelry, which have a natural, organic feel. 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 @

WrightsCustomFraming.

Manley Art Center and Gallery

Manley Art Center and Gallery is located at 433 Oak St. in Brookings. Photo artist Leslie Wilkinson is the gallery's featured artist for May, with her show "Layers: An exploration of alternative process photography and paper collage embracing the Japanese concept of wabi-sabi." This process is a way of appreciating the value of imperfect objects such as art papers and silk, merged with her images to create complex compositions. Gallery hours are Thursday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Visit manley-artcenter.com to learn more about the gallery, or call 541-469-1807.

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

Wild Rivers Coast  
Worship Directory

Brookings

Christian Community Church

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

Brookings-Harbor Christian Church

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



Brookings Presbyterian Church

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

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Sunday .....10 a.m.  
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Classes for Children  
Wed. Night Bible Study .....7 p.m.  
Pastor Bill Paquette  
707-951-5072

Christian Science Church

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

Brookings Church of the Nazarene

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

St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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

Star of the Sea Catholic Church

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

First Baptist Community Church

607 Pacific Ave., Brookings  
Sunday School-Pre-K-12th...9:30 a.m.  
Adult Bible Study...9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship...10:45 a.m.  
Thursday Evening Bible Study...6:15 p.m.  
Awana Clubs...Wed. 6 p.m.  
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- At 7:38 a.m., a caller reported a fire at Bridge Street and Highway 101. Officers were unable to locate a fire.
- At 8:38 a.m., police conducted a traffic stop on Crissey Circle and cited the driver for driving with a suspended license and failure to provide proof of insurance.
- At 11:46 a.m., police responded to the 1300 block of Easy Street and trespassed three people who were camping at the location.
- At 1:39 p.m., a caller reported a suspicious vehicle in the 600 block of Hemlock. Officers located the owner of the car, who had an office there.
- At 3:17 p.m., police formally trespassed a transient man from Ross Road.
- At 6:57 p.m., a caller reported a suspicious vehicle in the 1600 block of Highway 101.

**Thursday, May 6**

- At 7:28 a.m., a caller reported someone removed money from a bank account using a phony check.
- At 8 a.m., police responded to the 1000 block of Chetco and asked a transient man to move along.
- At 9:50 a.m., police formally trespassed a transient man from the 300 block of 5th Street.
- At 11:40 a.m., police contracted a subject with an outstanding warrant in the 6500 block of Lucky Lane. The person was cited and released.
- At 1:10 p.m., police tagged trailers for removal because they were blocking visibility at Lundeen and Old County Road.
- At 2:16 p.m., police formally trespassed a transient man from a location in the 900 block of Chetco.
- At 7:23 p.m., a caller

reported three children alone in a vehicle in the 300 block of 5th Street. Police made contact and determined one of the children was a teenager watching the others.

- At 8:14 p.m., a caller reported he was approached by a man and a woman about his dog at Burger King. The caller said the two were persistent and made him uncomfortable. Police could not find the two people.
- At 8:57 p.m., officers conducted a welfare check and located an elderly woman with dementia. They were able to reunite her with family.

**Friday, May 7**

- At 4:13 a.m., police responded to the 500 block of Fir Street to a report of disorderly conduct. Officers assisted in an altercation between two people.
- At 7:59 a.m., police returned to the 500 block of Fir Street and separated two people involved in a dispute.
- At 10:30 a.m., police returned for a third time to the 500 block of Fir Street to a report of a dispute between two people. The caller was advised against misusing 911 after one party was not there.
- At 11:50 a.m., police cited and released a transient woman on criminal trespass charges in the 1000 block of Chetco Avenue.
- At 5:28 p.m., police responded to the 900 block of Chetco to a report of a dispute. Two people were warned for disorderly conduct.
- At 5:42 p.m., officers conducted a welfare check in the 900 block of Helen Lane.
- At 6:20 p.m., a caller reported a mailbox was pried open in at 5th Street and Barbara Lane.
- At 8:47 p.m., police responded to the 600 block of

**Sunday, May 9**

- At 12:53 a.m., police conducted a traffic stop at Oak and Chetco and cited the driver for speeding.
- At 9:28 a.m., a caller reported criminal mischief at Datone Rock.
- At 12:55 p.m., police conducted a welfare check in the 500 block of Spruce Street.
- At 5:39 p.m., police responded to the Winchuck River to assist in a rescue operation.
- At 7:35 p.m., criminal trespass was reported in the 600 block of Old County Road.
- At 9:28 p.m., police conducted a welfare check at the Sea Wood Apartments.

in the 300 block of Tanbark Road.

- At 7:14 p.m., a traffic accident was reported in the 16000 block of Boat Basin Road.
- At 8:48 p.m., officers conducted a traffic stop at Chetco and Fern and cited the driver for going 55 in a 25.

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# Curry County Sheriff’s Blotter

**Sunday, May 2**

- At 10:57 a.m., a disturbance was reported in the 17500 block of Chinook Lane.
- At 12:22 p.m., deputies responded to the 16100 block of South Wedgewood after a caller reported being stalked.
- At 4:59 p.m., deputies conducted a traffic stop at milepost 324 on Highway 101 and arrested a 74-year-old man on two warrants.
- At 5:57 p.m., a caller reported suspicious conditions in the 32700 block of Nesika.
- At 10:23 p.m., deputies arrested a 26-year-old man on an outstanding warrant at the Jackson County Jail.

**Monday, May 3**

- At 1:03 a.m., a traffic accident was reported in the 28500 block of Ocean Sky Drive.
- At 6:49 a.m., deputies investigated a theft complaint in the 98100 block of West Benham Lane.
- At 7:29 a.m., a caller reported harassment in the area of Stewart and Fourth.
- At 9:35 a.m., deputies responded to the 94400 block of Anthony Drive after a caller reported child abuse.
- At 10:22 a.m., a disturbance was reported in the 97800 block of Bathiany Lane.
- At 5:55 p.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 16800 block of Thompson.
- At 6:14 p.m., a caller reported being threatened in the 95800 block of Cape.
- At 10:41 p.m., deputies responded to Winchuck River

Road after a caller reported suspicious conditions.

**Tuesday, May 4**

- At 1:33 p.m., deputies conducted a welfare check near Rocky Point.
- At 1:35 p.m., a disturbance was reported in the 16200 block of West Hof-feldt.
- At 3:35 p.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 19900 block of Whalsehead.
- At 4:19 p.m., deputies responded to the 98200 block of Gavin after a caller reported a burglary. A man was arrested in the case.
- At 6:24 p.m., deputies received a burglary complaint in the 98100 block of Tuttle.

**Wednesday, May 5**

- At 7:17 a.m., a caller reported a dispute in the 16800 block of Bluejay Road.
- At 11:40 a.m., deputies received a complaint regarding unlawful entry into a vehicle in the 93000 block of Elk River.
- At 1:35 p.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 18800 block of Cornett.
- At 5:48 p.m., deputies responded to the 15700 block of Ocean View after a caller reported custodial interference.

**Thursday, May 6**

- At 1:43 a.m., deputies received a complaint regarding suspicious conditions in the 95800 block of Cape Drive.
- At 7:39 a.m., a caller reported a fraud in the 16600 block of Sunshine.
- At 9:27 a.m., deputies

conducted a welfare check in the 97800 block of Shopping Center.

- At 11:42 a.m., a caller reported a criminal trespass at Stateline Cannabis.
- At 4:24 p.m., deputies responded to the 32700 block of Nesika after a caller reported a burglary.
- At 5:41 p.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 42000 block of Vista.
- At 6:46 p.m., a caller reported an animal complaint in the 95600 block of Saunders Creek.
- At 9:11 p.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 16300 block of Grooten-dorst.

**Friday, May 7**

- At 1:16 a.m., deputies responded to the 94100 block of Elk River and arrested a man and a woman on outstanding warrants.
- At 7:01 a.m., a structure fire was reported in the 16200 block of Tolman Lane.
- At 8:34 a.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 1000 block of Jackson Street.
- At 12:03 p.m., deputies responded to the 99100 block of Winchuck River Road after a caller reported a theft.
- At 2:13 p.m., a caller reported suspicious conditions on Winchuck River Road.
- At 6:27 p.m., deputies responded to Hensley Hill to investigate a complaint of illegal camping.
- At 7:54 p.m., a traffic accident with injuries was reported on Highway 101 at Park.
- At 8:35 p.m., deputies

conducted a welfare check at Chetco Point.

- At 11:40 p.m., a caller reported being harassed over the phone.

**Saturday, May 8**

- At 8:22 a.m., deputies conducted a welfare check in the 97800 block of Court Street.
- At 10:31 a.m., deputies responded to the 29800 block of Colvin Street and arrested a 44-year-old woman on an outstanding warrant.
- At 11:23 a.m., deputies conducted a welfare check on the Rogue River.
- At 12:58 p.m., deputies responded to the 1300 block of Winchuck River Road after a caller reported a burglary in progress.
- At 10:58 p.m., a caller reported a criminal trespass in the 32900 block of Hillside Acres.

**Sunday, May 9**

- At 9:29 a.m., a caller reported criminal mischief at Datone Rock.
- At 1:30 p.m., deputies responded to the 96400 block of Coverdell Road after a caller reported a theft.
- At 6:56 p.m., a disabled vehicle was reported.
- At 7:12 p.m., an animal complaint was received in the 98100 block of Gavin Lane.
- At 9:14 p.m., deputies responded to the 98400 block of North Bank Chetco River Road after a caller reported a criminal trespass.
- At 10:03 p.m., a disturbance was reported in the 97900 block of Court Street.

# Attempted murder suspect nabbed in Curry County

A man wanted for attempted murder in California is behind bars after the Curry County Sheriff’s Office located the man and worked with other agencies to arrest him Friday.

Sheriff John Ward reported Detective Maia Mellow was investigating a burglary that occurred early Thursday on Elk River Road in Port Orford. Mello contacted the victims, got a list of stolen property valued at about \$8,000 and then spoke to a witness who had seen two vehicles leaving that residence before daylight. A little later while searching for the suspect vehicles, Mello located two stolen vehicles at a residence on Langlois Mountain Road. One of the stolen vehicles out of Coos County was a 2003 Chevy Tahoe and had been stolen a few days before and parts had been removed from the inside of the vehicle. Through investigative leads and talking to the owner of the property, Mello identified the possible suspect of the stolen vehicles, a person who is known to deal with stolen vehicles in both Coos and Curry counties.

The next day, Deputy Tim King, his K-9 Nero and Ward continued following up on information regarding the burglary. King observed a black vehicle on Nicholson Drive that was the same make, model and year of the stolen vehicle discovered by Mello the day before at a residence the identified suspect frequents. A few minutes later, King saw the same vehicle turn onto Elk River Road. The vehicle took off at a high rate of speed when the driver saw King.

Just minutes later, Ward was traveling toward King when he saw the black 2003 Chevy Tahoe came around the corner at an estimated 70 miles per hour. By the time Ward could turn around, King also drove by.

As he was driving, King saw skid and slide marks going into a driveway, where he pulled in and saw the vehicle parked behind



**Kevin Gerolaga**

the house. King then saw a Hispanic male with a female trying to get in the back door of the residence. The male took off running toward the neighbor’s residence, a duplex obscured by brush as King yelled for him to stop. King then had K-9 Nero walk around the vehicle and Nero alerted to the scent of illegal narcotics. A quick search of the vehicle led deputies to believe the driver was 34-year-old Kevin Gerolaga, who had a felony warrant out of San Joaquin County, California for attempted murder.

King and Nero tracked the suspect to the back of the residence next door. Deputies contacted the residents of the first duplex and were granted access to search for Gerolaga, but he was not in that residence. Deputies then learned that Gerolaga had shot his girlfriend in the face in April and was considered armed and dangerous. Residents inside the second duplex told deputies a Hispanic male broke into the residence and was still inside. Additional assistance was asked for and several Oregon State troopers and an officer from the Port Orford Police Department arrived and a perimeter was set on the second duplex.

About 15 minutes later, Gerolaga came out the front door and was taken into custody without further incident. He was transported to the Curry County Jail and released the next day to two deputies from San Joaquin County to be transported back to California to face the attempted murder charges.



Photo by Petty Officer 1st Class Levi Read

**An aviation survival technician is lowered from an MH-65 Dolphin helicopter during a rescue attempt.**

## Coast Guard medevacs injured hiker near Port Orford

The Coast Guard medevaced a hiker who fell from the cliffs above Nellies Cove on Monday evening near Port Orford.

At approximately 6:30 p.m., watchstanders at Coast Guard Sector North Bend received an agency assistance request from Curry County dispatch. A 21-year-old male hiker had reportedly

fallen and sustained multiple injuries needing emergency medical attention.

An Air Station North Bend MH-65 Dolphin rescue helicopter crew responded and arrived on scene at approximately 8 p.m.

Local emergency responders were on scene rendering initial medical care when the Coast Guard aircrew arrived.

The fallen hiker was hoisted into the helicopter at 8:40 p.m. and transported to Bay Area Hospital in Coos Bay.

The hiker was conscious and in stable condition at 8:50 p.m. when transferred to Bay Area Hospital personnel.

“The fast and efficient response by our local partners was essential in getting this man to the care he needed,”

said Lt. Robert Pfaff, MH-65 pilot and flight commander. “We’re glad the hiker was prepared to call for help so we could respond quickly. His preparedness probably saved his life.”

The Coast Guard urges mariners and hikers to always carry a reliable means of communication to call for help in case of an emergency.

## Oregon to issue food assistance to 572,000 children

The state of Oregon received approval from the federal government to issue Pandemic EBT for the 2020-21 school year. This will provide more than \$550 million in food assistance for approximately 572,000 children in Oregon.

P-EBT provides food benefits to families whose children do not have access to the free or reduced-price meals usually provided at school. Oregon was approved to provide retroactive food benefits to eligible students for the 2020-21 school year. The P-EBT benefits are expected to be issued beginning in July.

“P-EBT benefits will significantly support the food security, health and well-being of children and families across Oregon,” said Dan Haun, director of the Oregon Department of Human Services, Self-Sufficiency Programs. “Still, many Oregonians are struggling

meeting their basic needs. We encourage them to contact our partners at 211 and the Oregon Food Bank.”

ODHS and ODE share responsibility in ensuring that children across Oregon receive P-EBT food benefits. ODE collaborates with school districts across Oregon to determine eligibility and ODHS issues the benefits on electronic benefit transfer cards.

Households do not need to apply for P-EBT. Benefits

will be automatically issued for students who normally have access to free and reduced-price meals.

If your children are not currently enrolled in free or reduced meals you can apply through your school or online at the Oregon Department of Education website.

Qualifying for free or reduced meals for the 2020–21 school year before June 30 will ensure you receive P-EBT when the benefits are issued. P-EBT benefit

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# Coast Community Health Center can now vaccinate anyone

As a Federally Qualified Health Center, Coast Community Health Center has been able to access expanded vaccination guidelines. As of last week, Coast CHC has been able to vaccinate anyone over the age of 18. The Human Resources and Service Administration and Centers for Disease Con-

trol were instrumental in expanding the guidance to all HRSA supported sites. HRSA supports health equity by supporting 1385 health centers nationally. Coast CHC's Chief Medical Officer Ann Kellogg said, "We are excited to open up our vaccine clinics and grateful for the ability to do



Coast Community Health Center employees have been working extra hard to give out vaccines. Coast Community was recently cleared to give COVID vaccines to anyone at their Bandon and Port Orford locations.

so," after receiving the new guidance last week. Over the past two months, Coast CHC has prioritized COVID vaccination with regular vaccine clinics in Bandon and Port Orford. Each week in March, Coast has given out 200-400 Moderna vaccines. Coast CHC has not yet received any Johnson & Johnson or Pfizer vaccines.

"The effort has been monumental both in terms of staff time and efforts. Our staff has been highly dedicated, and we are grateful for our colleagues at the Bandon Barn Community Center and Port Orford Christian Center's generous support," said Amanda Saunders, Bandon's clinical site manager. Receiving a COVID

vaccination will help our community to obtain herd immunity; however, your medical care is your choice, and Coast CHC understands you may have concerns about the vaccine. Coast CHC encourages our community to get information about the vaccine from quality sources such as the CDC, Oregon Health Authority and World

Health Organization. Upon expanding eligibility, Coast CHC increased the number of vaccination clinics and added online scheduling software. If you are interested in a vaccine, you can find the link for the scheduling software on Coast's Facebook page and website at [www.coastcommunityhealth.org](http://www.coastcommunityhealth.org).

## DeFazio urges families to file taxes before May 17

Rep. Peter DeFazio (OR-04) on Monday urged working families in Oregon's 4th Congressional District to file their taxes before the upcoming May 17th deadline to ensure they receive the accurate amount in new advance monthly Child Tax Credit payments they are entitled to as soon as payments begin.

The best way to ensure your family receives their payment is to file a 2020 tax return, even if you don't have earnings or don't normally file. The tax credit payments are part of the American Rescue Plan, which DeFazio strongly supported. More than 138,100 children in Oregon's 4th district – 90.4% – will gain from this tax credit.

**How Much are the Child Tax Credit Payments?**  
The American Rescue

Plan expanded the Child Tax Credit to up to \$3,600 per child for children ages 0 to 5 and \$3,000 per child for children ages 6 to 17.

The American Rescue Plan also authorized advance monthly payments of the Child Tax Credit through December 2021. The Internal Revenue Service anticipates beginning monthly payments as soon as July, with those monthly payments running through December. Qualifying families can get up to:

- \$300 a month per child for children ages 0 to 5
- \$250 a month per child for children ages 6 to 17

Families will receive their remaining expanded Child Tax Credit when they file their 2021 tax return in 2022.

**Who Qualifies for the Child Tax Credit Advance**

**Monthly Payments?**  
Families will qualify for a full credit if their income is below \$75,000 for single filers, \$112,000 for people filing as head of household or \$150,000 for people who are married and filing jointly. The credit will phase out for taxpayers who make more money and cease for individuals earning \$95,000 and married couples earning \$170,000 filing jointly.

To be eligible, children must:

- Have a Social Security number,
- Live with you for at least half the year,
- Be under the age of 18 as of December 31, 2021, and
- Be claimed on your tax return.

Children are eligible if they are your children, adopted children, step-children, half-siblings, foster children, grandchildren, nieces or nephews or other certain relatives. The adult filing taxes must have a Social Security Number or and Individual Taxpayer Identification Number.

**How Can Families Get Help Preparing and Filing Their Taxes for Free?**

Free tax preparation services are generally available until the tax filing deadline. Families should file their

taxes before the May 17 deadline even if they do not have earnings to report or do not normally file, because the IRS needs information from tax returns in order to calculate and issue monthly advance payments.

- Families can file taxes for free online through the IRS Free File program at <https://apps.irs.gov/app/freeFile/>
- Families where the parent or caregiver is aged 50 or older can use this AARP tool to find free tax help near them at <https://secure.aarp.org/applications/VMISLocator/searchTaxAideLocations.action>

**DeFazio Pushing for Efficient and Timely Delivery of Enhanced CTC Payments**

In order to ensure the IRS has the necessary resources to process the timely disbursement of payments and provide families with information about the credit, DeFazio is pushing the Appropriations Committee to provide more robust funding to the IRS to efficiently deliver the enhanced credit payments.

The child poverty measures included in the American Rescue Plan are estimated to cut child poverty by more than half, and these payments will be critical to the eight million families who have fallen into poverty during the COVID-19 pandemic.

## Chetco Pelican Players offering free streaming

As a thank you to their actors and audience members, the Chetco Pelican Players are providing group streaming access to the Oregon Shakespeare Festival's 2018 production of Snow in Midsummer.

This is an amazing opportunity to bring members a free professional theater experience. Tickets for live shows at OSF, a professional regional theater in Ashland, can range from \$35 to more than \$100 per ticket. This spring, you can engage with the artists at OSF—without having to travel, and at no cost to you!

**Streaming Dates:** May 3 - May 29. You can sign up to watch anytime before streaming ends on May 29.

How it works: Visit [chetco-pelican-players.square.site](http://chetco-pelican-players.square.site) to sign up for a free streaming pass. This streaming pass allows you to stream the show on demand anytime between May 3 and May 29.

After checkout, you will

receive a followup email with a link and passcode to view the show. The show can be viewed from any mobile device or smart TV with an internet connection.

About the Show: Snow in Midsummer is based on the classical Chinese drama The Injustice to Dou Yi That Moved Heaven and Earth, by Guan Hanqing. This 2018 U.S. premiere production interweaves two stories—of a young woman who curses her city from beyond the grave, and of a wealthy businesswoman who must face the parched, locust-plagued city. This modern ghost story beautifully reimagines a classic myth and explores the legacy of trauma, the heart of injustice, and the lengths to which we go for love.

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# Pacific Power announces grants to support Southern Oregon and Northern California communities

Even as COVID-19 vaccines roll out across the country, many communities are still facing challenges from the pandemic and the organizations that support them are still seeing unprecedented demand. For organizations that are also supporting the rebuilding efforts from last year's Labor Day Storm, the demand is even greater.

In spite of the odds, local programs that address critical issues such as food insecurity, homelessness, domestic violence, child abuse, elder issues, mental health and community safety have continued to find creative new ways to deliver help quickly and safely, even while facing additional budget constraints.

As part of the company's commitment to supporting its communities, PacifiCorp Foundation, a nonprofit arm of Pacific Power, is donating more than \$525,000 across the six states it serves. The funding goes to support a total of 209 safety and wellness grants as part of the most recent round of quarterly grants provided by the foundation each year. The next grant cycle is now open through June 15; organizations may apply online.

"We celebrate these heroic organizations that have continued to reinvent and reimagine ways they can help our communities' most vulnerable," said Christina Kruger, Pacific Power regional business manager for Medford. "Although we see brighter days ahead, Pacific Power remains deeply committed to supporting the work of these organizations, helping to fortify our commu-

nities, so they are strong and resilient."

The following grants were given to Southern Oregon and Northern California organizations:

- Asante Foundation for the purchase of clothes washers and dryers and new linens for the Francis Cheney Family Place, a guest residence for out-of-town patients and family members who are receiving care at Asante Rogue Regional Medical Center.

- Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Southern Oregon to provide credit counseling to low-income residents to help them overcome poverty.

- Friends of the Children of the Klamath Basin for essential mentoring services for at-risk children during the pandemic to help them become strong, resilient community members.

- Great Northern Services for helping supply free summer lunch services for children in disadvantaged communities throughout Siskiyou County.

- Hornbrook Community Association for ADA restroom improvements as they rebuild a community space after the area was devastated during a wildfire.

- Illinois Valley Family Coalition to help maintain essential services, including emergency food boxes, for this community that has been affected by the pandemic and wildfires.

- Klamath Basin Senior Citizens' Center for supplying nutritional support to seniors through Meals-on-Wheels and critical transportation services.

out," said Nelson.

Nelson brings hygiene supplies, food, personal protective equipment and other resources to the remote areas where some houseless individuals live. Those individuals may not be able to travel to the mobile unit and obtain the supplies for themselves. Barker-Hidalgo is working with Nelson to better record the supplies he hands out for data collection purposes.

"I told her a while ago, I'll record it if it helps, but I'm not going to stop giving it out," said Nelson.

Nelson said he lives in a tent shelter on the north side of Gold Beach. He whittles, writes and picks up side-jobs when he needs money, although his primary mission is to help people like him, and reduce the stigma surrounding the houseless.

"I want people to see that we are not all the same. Kind of what [Barker-Hidalgo] is doing, but at the street level," he said.

Previously, the coalition operated out of a building on Colvin Street, near the Curry County government building. There, they had showers and a lounge area where individuals could keep out of the elements. However, their lease expired in December 2020, and was not renewed with the county. Now, Barker-Hidalgo and the coalition are saving up funds to lease a new building to operate and offer services from.

# Will the world ever be free of COVID?

As we enter the 16th month of the COVID pandemic, many problems still remain. Why after 16 months does it often feel like we've really made so little progress?

First, the good: 1) There are a multitude of highly effective vaccines, 2) The national and state governments are doing their best to regulate human interaction without crippling the economy, and 3) People by and large really are trying to be responsible. The bad: 1) There is still 30% of the U.S. population that is refusing vaccination, 2) There are many places in the world that are currently going through dramatic infection waves (India, Chile), and 3) The resistant, more dangerous strains are becoming much more prevalent. Let's look at the problem side a bit.

Herd immunity (if there will ever be such a thing) is now being quoted at 80%. As more strains develop, the number will only get higher making it an unrealistic goal. Then there's the cost. Who will pay for the people who decide to not be vaccinated? Imagine it's 2025, the pandemic is basically over. A man shows up in an emergency room. He's got pneumonia and it's hitting him hard.

He tells one of the doctors that he had COVID a few years earlier. He had refused to get vaccinated and ended up contracting the coronavirus after most people had gotten theirs. Why did he refuse? Something about politics, or a post he saw on Facebook. He doesn't really remember. His lungs do, though. By the end of the day he's on a ventilator, his lungs still dysfunctional because of earlier COVID damage, damage which could have been avoided.

You and I will pay for that man's decisions. He has been clearly compromised, possibly for life and his level of future medical care will reflect that. That's the scary thing about this virus. We really don't know the long-



**Dr. Charles Hurbis**

term aftermath after perhaps even just a mild infection. Did you ever think something as severe as shingles would develop 60 years after a case of childhood chicken pox? We will only know how this thing will play out decades later. As the pandemic evolves, new findings are published daily. One recent study finds that 34 percent of COVID survivors are diagnosed with a substantial neurological or psychological condition within six months of recovering from the initial illness. Risks were greatest in, but not limited to, patients who had severe COVID. That's a scary big number.

As time goes on, it's becoming more and more obvious that this is a disease we will never eradicate. The war against COVID will never be a slam dunk win like the battle with polio or smallpox. Like the common cold or flu viruses, there will be yearly mutations. This will necessitate yearly vaccination updates. We will get used to living with it like we do with the cold or flu, but frighteningly it's not those. The common cold has never been responsible for mass burial pyres as we are currently seeing in India. The best we can hope for is a yearly vaccination which mostly prevents, but even more importantly limits the severity of the disease. This is a realistic goal.

The U.S. has mostly curtailed uncontrolled spread. This is far from being the case in other parts of the

world such as India and Chile. What went so terribly wrong there? Each of these examples highlight dangerous mistakes which can be made managing this pandemic. First, we are never going to beat it with one weapon. Beating COVID requires an entire arsenal, and one used consistently. You cannot let your guard down. Chile had one of the world's best vaccination rates, but COVID is surging there anyway. What happened? Chile's population was primarily vaccinated using the Chinese developed CoronaVac. It turns out this vaccine may not have nearly the same level of effectiveness as the U.S. vaccines. Also, the country's borders, which had been closed to travel from March through November 2020 were then opened allowing a large inflow of the Brazilian P.1 variant which is far more dangerous.

Similar mistakes were made in India. Their government also declared victory over COVID far too early. The country subsequently removed virtually all restrictions on large social and religious gatherings, some consisting of millions of people.

Anyone watching the news lately knows how well that went, with over 300,000 new cases and death records being broken daily. India and Chile serve as examples of what can happen anywhere if complacency reigns and things are allowed to return to normal before true mass immunity has been achieved.

As for Oregon, last month, Gov. Kate Brown again placed 15 counties back in an "extreme risk" category, banning indoor dining at restaurants and limiting the number of patrons at gyms. She imposed the restrictions after cases rose by 51% in two weeks (the fastest increase in the nation at the time) and hospitalizations jumped by more than a third. As cases were declining in much of the rest of the country, Oregon had lurched in the opposite direction.

Virus mutations are partly to blame. The highly contagious United Kingdom B.1.1.7 variant currently accounts for more than half of Oregon's recent cases. So, although we probably are closer to resuming a more normal life in the United States, the true end of the global pandemic is still horrifyingly far away.

To have any hope of controlling this virus there needs to be an 80+ percent vaccination rate utilizing a highly effective vaccine. Even then, in the near future we should still require masking with social separation as well as travel restrictions. We need to enforce what's effective. The U.S. recently had the sense to close travel to 80% of the world's high-risk counties.

This is good policy. It's equally important not to enforce useless rules such as outdoor masking (unless in a crowded area) where the risk of transmission is only about 5% that of indoor activities. Our country seems to understand what's needed. Still, there is enormous pressure from various groups wanting to throw all caution to the wind and immediately return to normalcy. That's exactly what happened in Chile and India. Common sense always seems to be fighting an uphill political battle. This should not be political.

In the end though we're going to need to face the facts, that life on our planet has changed. Something eventually always has to give. The rubber band can only be stretched so tight. We've been overcrowding it, poisoning it, overheating it, and truly amazingly, no one still really gets along. As humans we've been on a reckless path for quite some time now.

There have been many times in history where the reset button gets pushed. This is one of those. My hopeful side thinks that we as a species could learn something extremely valuable from this. But, if our past serves as an example, I fear we won't.

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## Homeless

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them, not having access to a bank account because they do not have a physical address. In fact, she is currently aiding a couple who are struggling with the address obstacle.

"I go with them, and they sign their checks over to me and I cash them for them," said Barker-Hidalgo.

She said the couple is trying to save up enough to buy an RV. Currently, they are living out of their minivan with their infant. The Curry Homeless Coalition assisted the mother in getting a job at a local hotel, where she now works six days a week. The coalition provides a mail service for the family, as well as other clients. She said the couple lives in fear of being judged for their lifestyle, like many others who live similarly.

"They've been hiding up-river and not really engaging with anybody for fear of being judged by their lifestyle; their housing situation. We've got to remove that stigma," said Barker-Hidalgo.

Kirk Nelson serves as an unofficial, volunteer outreach worker for the coalition. He's also a client.

"I try to find people that need help, send them to Beth, so that she can give them the resources...But, I also carry resources of my own to pass

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Emigrant Lake is bone dry in 2020 after a lack of rain has caused water to run dry.

By Julie Smitherman

# The Water Smart Generation: Love your water and use it wisely

Water is life - in so many ways. Without adequate supplies, life is threatened, as are our agriculture, forests and fisheries and our natural ecosystems. As the climate changes, droughts are occurring more frequently in southern Oregon, resulting in adverse impacts to water sup-

plies as well as an increased risk of fire in the region. Water availability may be the most immediate and distressing consequence of the warming trend we are experiencing. The next SOCAN monthly general meeting at 6 p.m. May 25 will feature Julie Smitherman, water

resources coordinator with the Medford Water Commission, explaining how climate is affecting our water supplies. Smitherman will also discuss municipal water sources and how these serve local communities, the role and efficiency of irrigation canals, how - over the short

and long term - we can conserve water and increase water use efficiency and how we can work together toward a secure water future. The program will be free and accessible via ZOOM. To register and receive the URL, visit the SOCAN calendar at <https://socan.eco/events/>.

# Run-away debris burning leads human- caused wildfires

Fire departments and prevention groups urge everyone to dispose of yard debris, rather than burn it. This year's warm and dry conditions have already caused fires to burn many acres quickly. Rather than burning yard debris, you can help prevent wildfires by chipping or recycling it. The Oregon Department of Forestry has declared fire season for parts of the state. This year about 180 fires have already burned about 1,900 acres. April's dry, warm conditions prompted some county-wide burn bans. May is Wildfire Awareness Month.

This is a great time to trim trees and tidy up bushes and plants around your home that could easily catch fire. This is especially true after this winter's ice storm. Because of the dry weather, as you begin spring clean-up, the Oregon Department of Forestry and Keep Oregon Green urge you to consider alternatives to burning. "The time to safely burn yard debris has passed," said Keep Oregon Green President Kristin Babbs. "Waiting until next fall or winter after heavy rains prevents piles burned this spring from re-starting during the heat of the summer. Burn piles can hold heat for several weeks and start again under warm, windy conditions."

Babbs said delaying your burn plans will give the debris more time to cure. You can cover a part of the pile with plastic to keep it dry until it's safe to burn. If burning now is the only option to dispose of yard debris, fire prevention specialists ask people to follow safe burning practices. The following tips can help stop run-away burn piles:

- Call before you burn - Burning regulations vary

by location depending on the weather and fuel conditions. If you are planning to burn, check with your local Oregon Department of Forestry district, fire protective association or air protection authority to learn about current burning restrictions or regulations, and if you need a permit.

- Know the weather - Never burn on dry or windy days, because fires can spread out of control more easily.
- Clear a 10-foot buffer - Make sure there are no tree branches or power lines above or fuels around your pile.
- Keep burn piles small - Large burn piles can cast hot embers long distances. Use small piles, maximum of four feet by four feet. Add only a little debris as the pile burns, to keep it small.
- Always have water and fire tools nearby - When burning, have a water hose on and ready or a bucket of water, and shovel and dirt to put out the fire. Drown the pile with water, stir the coals, and drown again, repeating until the fire is out cold.
- Stay with the fire until it is out cold - State laws requires monitoring of debris burn from start to finish until it is out cold. This law is intended to ensure sparks or embers that jump from the fire can be put out quickly. Recheck burn piles. They can retain heat for several weeks and restart when the weather warms up and winds blow.
- Never use gasoline or other flammable or combustible liquids to start or speed up your fire. Every year, about 60 percent of the Oregon Burn Center cases are from yard debris burning.
- Only burn yard debris - State laws prohibit burning materials in the open that create dense smoke or noxious odors.

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