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SWOCC hosts free education showcase at Curry campus

For the Pilot

Southwestern Oregon Community College will host a free Community Education Showcase and Meet & Greet event at the Curry Campus (96082 Lone Ranch Parkway, Brookings). The event takes place on Wednesday, Sept. 2, 2026, from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Local residents can explore upcoming courses, sample mini-sessions, and register on-site.

The showcase connects community members directly with enthusiastic and experienced instructors. Attendees can preview lifelong learning opportunities in various subjects. Featured subjects include cooking, arts, business skills, technology, fitness, finance, and languages.

- Event highlights include:**
- Instructor Meet-and-Greets: Speak face-to-face with local teachers.
 - Mini Sessions: Participate in 15-minute interactive class previews.
 - Course Previews: Review materials, syllabi, and previous student projects.
 - Immediate Answers: Ask questions about schedules, skill levels, and required supplies.
 - Fast-Track Registration: Secure spots before popular community classes fill up.
- Mini sessions include:**
- Tai Chi, Qigong, Better Bones & Balance, Meditation, Geography, Creative Writing, Connected Seniors, Photography, Drawing, GED, American Sign Language (ASL)

"Discover a new hobby, learn valuable skills, and connect with your community," said Jill te Velde, Dean of the Curry Campus. "We cannot wait to help you start your next learning adventure."

Admission is free and complimentary refreshments are provided. Organizers request attendees RSVP by emailing CurryFirstStop@socc.edu or calling 541-813-1667.

For details on upcoming community classes, visit www.socc.edu/programs-classes/community-classes/.

About Southwestern Oregon Community College
Southwestern Oregon Community College leads and inspires lifelong learning across the Oregon coast. With campuses in Coos and Curry Counties, Southwestern offers noncredit community education, job workforce training, and pathways to degrees. Community classes are taught by highly qualified local individuals to support personal enrichment and regional workforce needs. \

Oregon State Sheriff's Association cuts ties with embattled Sheriff Ward

Staff Report

Amidst the accusations of financial misconduct at the Curry County Sheriff's office, the Oregon State Sheriff's Association (OSSA) has chosen to cut ties with embattled Sheriff John Ward. Ward, who previously served as a Director on the OSSA Board, was banned from further involvement with the body through a unanimous vote by 28 Oregon sheriffs.

The results of Curry County's investigation surfaced last month after they determined that undisclosed funds donated to the department by the John G. Adkins Foundation had been used by Ward and his predecessor, Sheriff John Bishop, for unreported personal purchases.

The report combed financial record from the foundation to find \$390,000 had been donated to the sheriff's office but not reported to the County, who oversees the departments expenditures.

While Ward has insisted all purchases were made on the



Curry County Sheriff John Ward.

up-and-up, he would not appear to address the OSSA Board after they notified him that he would be on the agenda for discussion at the special meeting on August 24.

"A few weeks ago, the Oregon State Sheriffs' Association

(OSSA) learned that the Curry County Board of Commissioners had completed an investigation into misconduct by Sheriff John Ward, regarding donations from a local non-profit organization (John G. Atkins Foundation). The investigation concluded that

Sheriff Ward had been untruthful and had in fact taken Foundation donations for his own personal use," stated official communication from the OSSA. "On August 24, 2026, the Board met and considered the issue. A motion was made to permanently expel Sheriff Ward from serving as an OSSA Director."

Ward joins Bishop as the second Curry County sheriff to face disciplinary action from the OSSA Board. Back in 2019, Bishop pled guilty to first-degree theft after it was revealed he had embezzled over \$13,000 from the organization. He would receive a court order to pay the full amount in restitution, as well as serve two years of probation with community service.

The Curry County Sheriff's Office has yet to make an official comment on the accusations or Sheriff Ward's future, though local lawmakers have called for his resignation, including State Representative for the district, Court Boice.

Corgis Gone Rogue returns for annual fundraiser

This year's Corgis Gone Rogue event will be a fundraiser for David's Chair. The mobility track chair, which grants the gift of independence to people with mobility challenges, will split proceeds Curry County Communities Active in Disaster (COAD), a collaborative network of organizations, businesses, and local government entities working together to enhance community resilience and response in times of disaster. The Gold Beach Visitor Center has two David's Chairs available for use on the beach.

The 3rd Annual Corgis Gone Rogue Beach Luau will be held on Saturday, September 12, 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM at Turtle Rock RV Resort in Gold

Beach. There will be corgi races, costume contests, and new this year, DJ Deb will host a Corgi-oke! We will also have a red-carpet event "Don't Run Away Runway" for Corgis and Corgi Cousins (other well-mannered dog breeds) where all can strut their stuff.

Hawaiian-theme costumes are encouraged this year, and everyone will receive a lei! Jerry's Rogue Jets will be hosting a Bay Cruise for Corgis, corgi cousins, and their well-behaved humans at 3:30 after the event.

Call Jerry's to reserve your spot 541-247-4571. A suggested minimum \$25 donation for the Bay Cruise will support the Gold Beach Youth Fund.



Curry County returns to O&C timber receipt payments at original rates

From the Curry County Board of Commissioners

The Curry County Board of Commissioners are pleased to announce that Curry County is moving back to the historic Oregon & California (O&C) timber receipt payment system, rather than continuing under the Secure Rural Schools (SRS) payment option as its long-term funding mechanism.

This transition is a significant victory for Curry County and other O&C counties. Through successful federal action, the historical O&C timber receipt structure has been restored to the original 75/25 distribution, meaning 75 percent of qualifying O&C timber receipts are available for distribution to the O&C counties, with the remaining 25 percent retained by the federal



government for administration of the O&C lands.

For Curry County, this was a long, but very welcome return to the fundamental agreement between the federal government and the communities that have lived alongside, supported, and depended upon the O&C lands for generations.

The Historical Federal Commitment to Curry County
The history of the O&C lands

dates back to 1866, when Congress granted land to the Oregon and California Railroad Company as an incentive to complete a railroad connecting Oregon and California. After the railroad failed to meet the terms of the land grant, Congress revested approximately 2.9 million acres in federal ownership in 1916.

In 1937, Congress enacted the Oregon and California Revested Lands Sustained Yield Manage-

ment Act, commonly known as the O&C Act. The law placed the lands under federal management but established an important principle: these lands were to be managed for sustained timber production while also contributing to the economic stability of the local communities and industries surrounding them.

The O&C Act established a revenue-sharing relationship with the 18 western Oregon O&C counties, including Curry County. Importantly, the original O&C payment structure contemplated that, once the federal government was reimbursed for earlier obligations, 75 percent of O&C timber receipts would go to the counties, and 25 percent would remain with

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Gun Laws

Money for Curry County misappropriated for Coos County:

I believe members of our community should be aware of serious financial and governance concerns documented in Oregon Coast Community Action (ORCCA) Board meeting minutes from this spring and summer.

Most concerning is a \$600,000 Oregon Food Bank/Food Share grant received in 2023. ORCCA's June 24 Board minutes state that the Board requested a detailed explanation of "\$600k of funds allocated to Food Share that were spent elsewhere." The Board also requested 90-day cash-flow information and declined to approve the proposed budget at that meeting.

At the July 23 meeting, ORCCA Finance explained that grant money is handled through a pooled-cash system. However, a Board member specifically raised concern that the \$600,000 was no longer available in cash reserves to be spent for the purpose of the grant. Finance stated that auditors had not yet resolved how those grant funds should be accounted for.

These concerns do not

exist in isolation. The minutes also document:

- * Organizational audits approximately four years behind.
- * Discrepancies in ORCCA's already-filed 2024 IRS Form 990.
- * Financial documents missing from a Board packet, resulting in the Board voting not to approve the financials.
- * An Oregon Employment Department lien that was later removed.
- * Board concerns about cash flow and the organization's ability to continue meeting payroll.
- * Multiple Board resignations and several vacant Board officer positions during the same period.

None of this, standing alone, proves theft or criminal misconduct. But the organization's own public records raise legitimate questions about financial controls, restricted grant funds, cash management, audit compliance, and Board oversight.

Given the amount of public, charitable, and grant funding involved—and the importance of ORCCA's services to our community—I believe these matters warrant transparent answers and appropriate independent review.

Robbie Roberts
Coos Bay



Holy Cow! History

O Canada, that town name!

By J. MARK POWELL
InsideSources.com

What’s in a name, Shakespeare once famously asked? Plenty, when it happens to be the moniker of both the place where you live and the symbol of pure evil. However, it didn’t start out that way.

In fact, it began with something totally unexpected.

On This Day in History — 2013

Beyle Schaechter-Gottesman, Austrian-American poet and songwriter (born 1920) Yiddish (1920–2013)

Marcus Powell was walking through a farm field in eastern Ontario, Canada, one afternoon in 1866. His day job was clerking in the local court.



But his passion, his part-time profession, was prospecting. He was hoping to find copper. But that day he stumbled upon something infinitely more valuable.

Gold. The shiny metal that has held sway over mankind’s desires since the dawn of recorded time. Wars were fought over it; empires rose and fell because of it. And there it was, right in Canada’s heartland.

Powell leased the farm from its owner, brought in a pair of investors from

Chicago, and in 1867 the Richardson Mine began digging. It was soon producing gold nuggets the size of walnuts. And with that, the Ontario Gold Rush was on.

Though lost in the shadow of other, larger, more lucrative booms, such as the California Gold Rush of 1848-1850 and the 1865-1890 Klondike Gold Rush (which produced around 12 million and more than 6 million troy ounces of bullion respectively), Ontario’s was far smaller. However, it ultimately yielded a respectable 22,000 troy ounces.

Unlike many booms that come and soon play out, this one stretched into the early 20th century. Which is where the town and its unusual (to say the least) name enter the story.

Brothers James and William Dusty were prospectors under contract with the Tavistock Mining Partner-

ship. They’d been working the soil for several years and had yet to strike it big. But their fortunes changed one late summer day.

Because on September 7, 1907, they discovered something in the Kirkland Lake district that made them famous in their time. That Monday, James lowered himself into a shallow opening in some exposed bedrock. And there it was, just a few feet below the surface. His eyes fell on a quartz vein containing that unmistakable metal glowing within.

“Gold!” he screamed excitedly.

J. Mark Powell is a former television journalist. His nonfiction book “Witness to War: The Story of the Civil War Told by Those Living Through It” is available at jmarkpowell.com. He wrote this for Inside-Sources.com.



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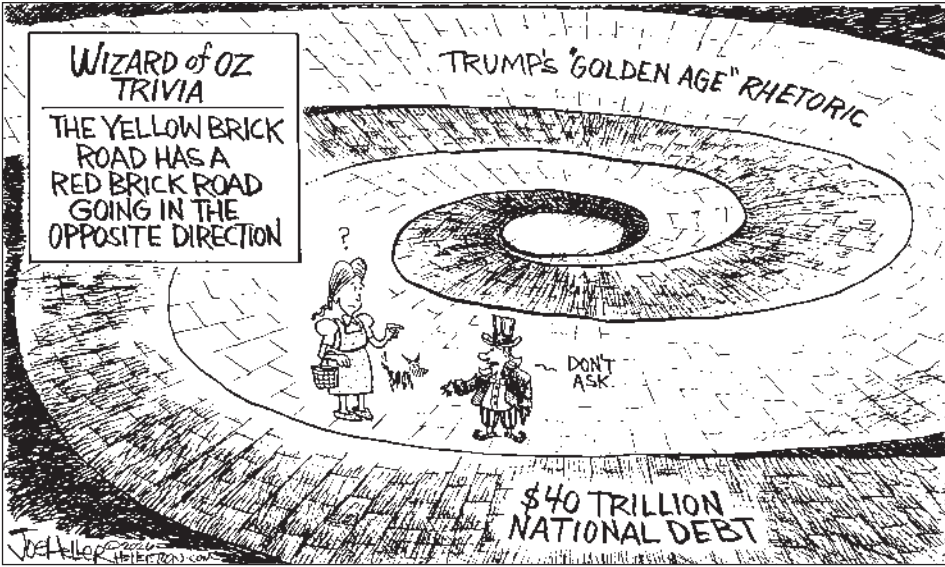
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Off the charts: Pink eye

By Dr. GiGi Reed, MD

Pink eye—known medically as conjunctivitis—occurs when the conjunctiva, the thin tissue lining the eyelids and covering the white of the eye, becomes inflamed. It is one of the most frequent eye complaints seen in clinical practice.

Although many cases result from common viruses, bacteria, or allergies, eye redness can occasionally be a sign of a broader medical problem that requires more careful evaluation. Recognizing the pattern helps patients get appropriate relief while avoiding unnecessary or incorrect treatment.

Viral conjunctivitis is commonly caused by adenoviruses, the same family of viruses often associated with colds. It typically produces a red eye, watery tearing, irritation, and sometimes



light sensitivity. Symptoms generally improve on their own within one to two weeks, and antiviral treatment is usually not needed. Cool compresses and lubricating artificial tears can make the eye more comfortable while it heals.

In more persistent or severe cases, an eye-care provider may consider anti-inflammatory drops such as cyclosporine or tacrolimus to reduce immune-related inflammation. Because viral conjunctivitis spreads readily

through hands, tears, and respiratory droplets, careful handwashing is essential.

Bacterial conjunctivitis tends to cause thicker yellow or greenish discharge. The eyelids may stick together or become crusted after sleep, and the eye can feel quite irritated. Staphylococcus and Streptococcus are frequent causes. Antibiotic drops or ointments may shorten the infection, often bringing improvement within several days when used as prescribed.

If symptoms persist, recur, or appear unusually severe, cultures or other testing can help identify the responsible organism. Certain infections, including gonococcal conjunctivitis, are medical emergencies because they can rapidly threaten vision and may require systemic antibiotics as well as eye irrigation.

Allergic conjunctivitis is different. It commonly affects both eyes and is associated with prominent itching, tearing, lid swelling, and exposure to allergens such as pollen, dust, or animal dander. It is not contagious. Over-the-counter antihistamine eye drops or oral allergy medicines are often helpful, while more serious episodes may require prescription anti-inflammatory therapy.

When a patient presents with conjunctivitis, clinicians also assess eye movement and the tissues around the eye. The familiar “follow my finger” examination helps screen for orbital cellulitis, a potentially serious infection involving deeper tissues surrounding the eye. Pain with eye movement, impaired movement, fever, swelling around the orbit, or vision changes should prompt urgent evaluation.

Occasionally, conjunctivitis is part of a systemic illness rather than a simple isolated infection or allergy. Reactive arthritis, formerly called Reiter syndrome, can occur after gastrointestinal or genitourinary infections, including those caused by Chlamydia, Salmonella, or Shigella. The classic pattern combines eye inflammation, joint pain, and urinary symptoms. The phrase: “can’t see, can’t pee, can’t climb a tree” is cemented into every medical student to recognize this syndrome.

Several rheumatoid conditions can also involve the eyes, such as Sjögren syndrome, Rheumatoid arthritis, Lupus and others. These disorders matter because they can initially resemble ordinary pink eye. Red flags include persistent or recurrent symptoms, substantial pain, light

sensitivity, changes in vision, severe swelling, or symptoms elsewhere in the body—such as joint pain, mouth sores, rashes, urinary complaints, or breathing problems.

Most pink eye is temporary and treatable, but the eyes can sometimes reveal health concerns beyond the surface. A careful evaluation helps distinguish a routine infection or allergy from a condition that deserves more extensive treatment.

Leaving Germany after college, Dr. Gudrun (Gigi) Reed spent over 20 years as a scientist in the U.S. She holds four patents in DNA research and was a university professor. Today she is busy as co-medical director for hospice, acute rehabilitation and practices family medicine in Brookings, OR. Gigireed-md@gmail.com

Oregon Secretary of State: Mail elections to continue as planned despite court setback

By JULIA SHUMWAY
Oregon Capital Chronicle

If Oregon voters will receive ballots by mail and should plan to return them by mail or an official dropbox

despite a legal setback for states suing to block the Trump administration’s efforts to restrict mail voting, Secretary of State Tobias Read said Tuesday. Read, a Democrat



Oregon Secretary of State Tobias Read speaks to reporters in the state capitol in Salem on Tuesday, Aug. 25, 2026. (Photo by Julia Shumway/Oregon Capital Chronicle)

elected in 2024, directed county clerks and other local election officials

to continue following all Oregon election laws and established deadlines for issuing ballots. Election officials must mail ballots to military and overseas voters by Sept. 19 and to all other voters beginning Oct.

14. “The purpose of this directive is to provide certainty to local elections officials and to voters alike: Our elections will go forward as they normally do,” Read said at a press conference at the state Capitol Tuesday afternoon.

President Donald Trump, who has partially blamed mail voting for the 2020 election loss he has refused for years to accept, issued a March executive order instructing the U.S. Postal Service to collect voters’ names and addresses from state elections officials and only send ballots to voters on those lists. His order also instructed the U.S. Justice Department to investigate and pros-

ecute state officials who violate the order.

States, not the federal government, are responsible for administering elections.

Oregon, 22 other states and Washington, D.C., promptly sued to block the order and won an injunction blocking it from taking effect.

But the U.S. Supreme Court ruled in an unsigned emergency docket opinion Monday that the states essentially sued too early and that a federal judge in Massachusetts was wrong to block the order because states had not established that it harmed them. The high court’s ruling did not weigh whether the order and the administration’s efforts to implement it would ultimately be found unconstitutional.

Read also directed local election officials to document when they drop ballots off with the postal service and any challenges they experience, including postal workers refusing to accept ballots, delaying delivery or giving contradictory instructions.

Read visited county elections offices in all 36 counties in 2025 and said he talked to clerks about the possibility of policy changes or natural disasters disrupting Oregon’s mail voting system.

“It’s been more than a quarter century since we conducted in-person elections, so that transition would be expensive and difficult,” he said. “It’s also worth remembering that this election is effectively underway.”

The U.S. Postal Service issued a final rule Friday for how it plans to implement Trump’s order, but it hasn’t yet been published to the federal register. It includes a provision that it will not be in effect for this year’s midterm elections if an injunction is still in place, but U.S. District Judge Indira Talwani’s injunction barred the federal government from changing states’ mail-in voting rules prior to the Nov. 3 elections.

Oregon Attorney General Dan Rayfield has pledged to immediately sue over any changes that affect Oregonians’ ability to vote.



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the federal government for management of the O&C lands.

Over time, however, Congress changed the way those receipts were handled. The county share was ultimately reduced, and the federal government later established the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act, commonly known as SRS, as an alternative payment mechanism for counties affected by declining federal timber receipts due mainly to the protection of the spotted owl under the Endangered Species Act.

Returning to the
Original O&C Model

Through decades of legal battle and lobbying efforts on behalf of the

O&C counties, the federal government has now removed the 25 percent charge against the O&C Fund that had prevented the additional 25 percent of receipts from being distributed to the counties.

As a result, O&C counties that elect the O&C timber receipt option can receive:

- 75% — O&C counties
- 25% — Federal government for O&C land administration

This restoration of the 75/25 structure is a significant change in the long-term financial relationship between the federal government and O&C counties such as Curry County.

Curry County's Transition back to O&C Payments and Why This Matters

Curry County is one of the communities most

directly affected by federal ownership of O&C lands. A significant portion of the county's forestland is federally managed, meaning those lands do not generate conventional local property tax revenue.

O&C payments were created in recognition of that relationship. They help compensate counties for the economic and governmental impacts associated with large amounts of federally managed land within their boundaries. These revenues support critical county responsibilities, including public safety, roads, county facilities, emergency services and other essential governmental functions.

Curry County will have a unique opportunity during the transition. For Fiscal Year 2026-27, Curry County will continue to receive its Secure Rural

Schools payment while also benefiting from the restoration of the additional 25 percent of O&C timber receipts. Based upon current estimates, Curry County expects to receive approximately \$2.6 million during Fiscal Year 2026-27 through the combination of SRS and O&C timber receipt revenues.

Beginning in Fiscal Year 2027-28, the Curry County Board of Commissioners voted to transition to relying solely on O&C timber receipt revenues rather than receiving SRS payments. This is an important distinction; SRS payments are based upon a federal payment formula and congressional authorization, while O&C timber receipt payments are tied directly to the economic activity and timber production occurring on the federally managed O&C lands.

"This is about restoring a federal commitment that has been part of the O&C contract for generations. For decades, Curry County and the other O&C counties have lived with federal ownership of these lands while carrying the responsibility of providing roads, public safety, emergency services and other essential services to our residents. The O&C Act was designed to recognize that relationship. Returning to the original 75/25 timber receipt structure is a major step toward honoring that agreement," said Curry County Commissioner Jay Trost, who is also Curry County's representative on the O&C Committee.

As timber harvest activity increases on BLM-managed O&C lands in accordance with the O&C Act, federal management direction and applicable executive orders, Curry County's O&C revenue should increase annually as timber receipts increase. That creates the potential for a much stronger and more sustainable long-term revenue source for Curry County.

Curry County Strengthens State and Federal Forest Partnerships

Curry County is also taking another important step toward expanding local involvement in the management and stewardship of our public forestlands through a newly executed Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with the Oregon Department of Forestry (ODF).

After more than two years of conversations, planning and negotiations, Curry County has successfully completed its first

executed IGA with ODF. This agreement represents an important new working relationship between the County and the State and creates a framework for future forest management and timber-related projects.

First Project: Forest Service Road Improvements
The first project under the agreement will focus on repairing, maintaining and improving Curry County's forest service roads, with a project value of \$250,000.

These roads are an important part of the County's transportation, forest infrastructure and wildfire protection. Maintaining them properly can improve access, protect public safety, support responsible forest management and help provide the infrastructure necessary for future timber and forest-related activities.

Curry County will work closely with ODF and the U.S. Forest Service (USFS) throughout the project to ensure that work is performed according to the agreed scope of work and follows appropriate forestry, engineering, environmental and stewardship best practices.

"This first IGA is an important milestone for Curry County," said Commissioner Patrick Hollinger. "It took several years of discussions and negotiations to get here, and we believe this agreement establishes a foundation for doing much more together."

Curry County Leading a New Approach - Building a Stronger State and Federal Partnership

The County's goal is to establish long-term partnerships that benefit Curry County residents, forest health, rural communities, the timber industry and the public lands themselves. The County believes that strengthening relationships between Curry County, ODF and the USFS can create opportunities that have not previously been fully explored. By bringing state, federal and local resources together, Curry County hopes to develop additional timber, forest management, road, restoration and stewardship projects throughout the county.

"Our public forests are an incredible resource," Commissioner Patrick Hollinger said. "We have some of the most productive timberlands in the country, and we need to find better ways to responsibly manage those lands while creating economic opportunities for our communities."

At the same time, Curry County is working with other counties to establish resource-sharing agreements that could allow counties to work together and build the capacity necessary to assist the USFS with future timber sale development and negotiations within Curry County.

The objective is not simply to increase timber harvest. It is to develop a more effective model for forest management, forest health, road maintenance, stewardship and sustainable timber production while ensuring that the economic benefits of those activities remain connected to the communities where the resources are located. Curry County believes local governments can play a larger role in developing practical solutions for managing Oregon's public forests.

"This is Curry County thinking differently about how we do business with the state and federal government. For years, we have talked about the challenges surrounding our federal forests. We are now working to build relationships and agreements that allow us to become part of the management solution. We are leading the way forward in re-thinking relationships and negotiations with the state and federal government so that we can responsibly utilize the vast timber resources that grow so well in Curry County."

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Commissioner Patrick Hollinger states.

"We love these forests," Commissioner Patrick Hollinger said. "Our goal is to be good stewards of them while also recognizing that properly managed forests can provide jobs, revenue, infrastructure and economic opportunity for the people of Curry County. This first IGA is a step in that direction, and we hope it will be the first of many."

This is also about the future. If we responsibly increase timber production, improve forest health and manage these lands for sustained yield, Curry County should participate directly in the economic benefits generated by those federal lands. As timber production increases, so should the revenue coming back to our county.

"We should not have to choose between healthy forests and healthy county finances. The original O&C contract model was intended to provide both," Commissioner Jay Trost states.

"This is a big deal for Curry County," Commissioner Patrick Hollinger said. "We are not asking the federal government for a handout. We are asking the federal government to honor the economic relationship established when these lands became federally managed O&C lands. If timber is produced from O&C lands in Curry County, our community should receive the share of those receipts that the O&C system was designed to provide."

Looking Ahead

Taken together, these efforts represent a new model for Curry County: work with the state and federal government rather than simply waiting on the state and federal government.

The Board of Commissioners objective is to create long-term partnerships that increase responsible timber production, improve forest health, maintain and improve forest roads, create economic opportunities and generate sustainable revenue for Curry County, while protecting and stewarding the public lands that our communities value so deeply.

The opportunity before Curry County is significant. Curry County intends to lead the way, not simply in asking for change, but in building the relationships, agreements and local capacity necessary to make that change possible.

The work is just beginning. The O&C revenue restoration, the new ODF IGA, the partnership with the USFS and the development of regional resource-sharing agreements provide Curry County with a foundation to pursue more timber, better forest management, healthier forests, stronger infrastructure and greater economic opportunity for generations to come.

"This is about putting Curry County back in a position where the economic productivity of the federal lands within our county can help support the people who live here," Commissioner Lynn Coker said. "We have an opportunity to build a more sustainable financial future for Curry County while supporting responsible forest management, timber production and healthy forests. That is a win for Curry County, and it is a win for the forest lands."

The Curry County Board of Commissioners will continue working with federal officials, congressional representatives and other federal and state agencies to support responsible forest management, increase timber production, forest health and maintain a sustainable long-term revenue system for Curry County.

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Brookings

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541-469-2313

Tuesday Mass.....5:15 p.m.
Wednesday Mass.....5:15 p.m.
Friday Mass.....5:15 p.m.
Saturday Mass.....4:30 p.m.
Saturday Spanish Mass.....6:30 a.m.
Sunday Mass.....8:30 a.m.
First Friday every month Adoration 4 p.m. & Mass 6 p.m.
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<https://staroftheseastcharles.org/>

Faith Baptist Church

Fundamental Independent
409 Hillside Ave. Unit C, Brookings
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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.BrookingsCSC.com
541-469-2398 or 469-3333

Crescent City

Grace Lutheran Church

(LCMS)

9:00am All Ages Bible Study
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10:15am "The Story" Worship
11:15am Fellowship
188 E Cooper, Crescent City
www.GraceLutheranCC.com

Seventh-day Adventist Church

1770 Northcrest Dr., Crescent City
707-464-2738
Pastor Mason Philpot

Crescent City Seventh-day Adventist School
Grades 1-8707-464-2738

Saturday Sabbath School.....9:30 a.m.
Worship Services.....11:00 a.m.

Ft. Dick

Fort Dick Bible Church

"Grace Alone, through Christ Alone, for God's Glory Alone"
6725 Lake Earl Dr.

Sunday School - 9:30am
Sunday Service - 10:45am
Sunday Replay on Facebook @FortDickBibleChurch
Mid-Week Bible Study - call for details
Phone (707) 458-4030

To God Be The Glory Christian Community Church

15138 McVay Lane

Sunday Service 10:30am
Bible Study Thursdays 7:00pm
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Pastor Carl Smith
541-659-9352

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Pastor Barry Kimbrough
102 Park Ave., Brookings
541-469-3030

Saturday Bible Study.....10:00am (All Ages)
Saturday Worship.....11:15am
Also on Facebook and Youtube.
<https://www.facebook.com/7thdayadventistbrookings/>

Smith River

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340 Highland Avenue, Smith River
Just off Hwy. 101
(707) 487-5275
Pastor Steve Alexander
Worship Service.....10:30am

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Pastor Pat Henderson
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3180 S Fred D Haight Drive
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Smith River CSD is requesting proposals from qualified contractors for the Pre-Engineering Study. Inquire at SmithRiverCSD.com or 241 West First St, Smith River

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TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE NOTICE is hereby given that the obligation secured by the Trust Deed described below is in default, and that the Beneficiary has elected to foreclose the Trust Deed pursuant to ORS 86.705 to 86.795. No action is now pending to recover any part of the debt secured by the Trust Deed. The Beneficiary Exemption Affidavit is on file with the Oregon Foreclosure Avoidance Program. Information required by ORS 86.771 is as follows: 1. Grantors: William S. O'Grady and Deborah L. O'Grady, husband and wife as tenants by the entirety; Trustee: Curry County Title; Successor Trustee: Joseph E. Kellerman, 14 N. Central Ave., Suite 104, Medford, OR 97501; Beneficiary: Rogue Credit Union (formerly Chetco Federal Credit Union). 2. Property covered by the Trust Deed: Parcel 1 of Partition Plat No. 2000-23 (Sutter Partition II) recorded October 25, 2000, as Instrument No. 2000-4788, Official Records, Curry County, Oregon. 3. Trust Deed was recorded on September 22, 2004 as instrument no. 2004-6202 of the official records of Curry County, Oregon. 4. Default for which foreclosure is made is failure of the Grantor to make required payments under the terms of the promissory note. 5. The sums owing on the obligation secured by the Trust Deed is \$141,836.43 as of March 23, 2026 plus interest accruing on the unpaid principal portion thereof at the rate of 7.625% per annum; recoverable late fees; trustee's and attorney's costs and fees incurred; plus such sums as Beneficiary may advance for the benefit of Grantor - i.e., real property taxes and insurance premiums. 6. The Beneficiary has and does elect to sell the property to satisfy the obligation. 7. The property will be sold in the manner prescribed by law on the 12th day of November, 2026, at 4:00 p.m. standard time as established by ORS 187.110, outside of the public entrance to the Curry County Courthouse, 29821 Ellensburg Avenue, Gold Beach, Oregon, 97444, Curry County, Oregon. 8. Interested persons are notified of the right under ORS 86.778 to have this proceeding dismissed and the Trust Deed reinstated by payment of the entire amount then due, other than such

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portion as would not then be due had no default occurred, together with costs, trustee and attorney's fees, and by curing any other default complained of in this Notice, at any time prior to five days before the date last set for sale. 9. Without limiting the trustee's disclaimer of representations or warranties, Oregon law requires the trustee to state in this notice that some residential property sold at a trustee's sale may have been used in manufacturing methamphetamines, the chemical components of which are known to be toxic. Prospective purchasers of residential property should be aware of this potential danger before deciding to place a bid for this property at the trustee's sale. 10. In construing this notice and whenever the context hereof so requires, the singular includes the plural, the word "grantor" includes any successor in interest to the grantor as well as any other person owing an obligation, the performance of which is secured by said Trust Deed, and their successors in interest, the word "trustee" includes any successor trustee and the word "beneficiary" includes any successor in interest of the beneficiary named in the Trust Deed, and any collateral beneficiary, and their successors in interest. DATED: June 24, 2026. HORNECKER COWLING LLP By: /s/ Joseph E. Kellerman, Successor Trustee 9/2, 9/9, 9/16, 9/23/2026 Pilot 430172

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: JIMMY DALE REYNOLDS, Deceased, Case No. 26PB07593
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above entitled estate. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them to the undersigned Personal Representative through my Attorney, JAMES W. GARDNER, Attorney at Law, 29692 Ellensburg Ave, Ste 11, P.O. Box 1286, Gold Beach, Oregon 97444, Phone (541) 247-6615, 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, Personal Representative, or the Attorney for the Personal Representative, JAMES W. GARDNER whose address and phone number appear above. DATED this 20 day of August, 2026. /s/ LISA BETH REYNOLDS Personal Representative 16730 Thompson Road Brookings, OR 97415 Phone 443-465-6546 DATES OF PUBLICATION: September 2, 2026, September 9, 2026, and September 16, 2026. 9/2, 9/9, 9/16/2026 Pilot 430141

NOTICE OF ABANDONED PROPERTY & MANUFACTURED HOME TO: Registered Owner SMITH, WILLIAM S. (last known address: PO BOX 1688, Colfax, CA 95713), the Estate of Donal Copeland, and all heirs, interested parties, or claimants. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the 1958 Angelus Manufactured Home (Home ID #195959, Serial #451FTW6363) and all personal property located within Space #403 at Rogue Pacific MHP and Cottages, 29450 Ellensburg Ave, Gold Beach, OR 97415, is deemed abandoned. Unless said property and manufactured home are claimed, and all storage fees of \$800.00 per month are paid, the landlord intends to sell, donate, or dispose of the home and personal property as authorized by ORS 90.425 and ORS 90.675. To claim this property, contact Rogue Pacific MHP and Cottages, 16011 Lower Harbor Rd, Harbor, OR 97444. Deadline to respond and establish intent to claim is September 17th, 2026. 9/2 & 9/9/2026 Pilot 430140

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY In the Matter of the 2018 JOHN WHITE REVOCABLE TRUST Case No. 26PB07452
NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS ORS 130.365 John Henry White, settlor of the 2018 JOHN WHITE REVOCABLE TRUST, died on March 30, 2026. Jared Richard White is the Trustee. Claims against the trust estate must be presented to: Jared Richard White, Trustee 1241 Cabrillo Dr. Hollister, CA 95023 Claims against the trust estate may be barred unless presented to the Trustee at the address stated above within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice. Date of first publication: September 2, 2026 9/2, 9/9, 9/16/2026 Pilot 430014

On Wednesday 16 Sept.2026, The contents of units owned by Drew Savedra and Melissa Shipley, Mark and Tiffany Westover,

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Janine Edwards, Celina Torres, Trentin and Debbie Givler, Cassidy Schmidt, and Will Stitzel be sold to foreclose liens for non-payment of rent and any expenses of this sale pursuant to ORS 87.685. Call for listing appointment 9/10 - 9/16 before 5:00 PM. Sealed bids may be submitted until 5:00 PM on 16 Sept. 2026. Mini Stor-it reserves the right to reject any & all bids. 9/2 &9/9/2026 Pilot 429879

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF OREGON MEDFORD DIVISION In the matter of the Complaint of Texas Lady, Inc. as Owner of the Vessel F/V TEXAS LADY, Official Number 624106, for Exoneration from and/or Limitation of Liability In Admiralty Case No. 1:26-cv-01517-CL
NOTICE OF COMPLAINT FOR EXONERATION FROM, OR LIMITATION OF, LIABILITY [46 U.S.C. § 30501 et seq.; and Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Supplemental Rule F] **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that Plaintiff-in-Limitation Texas Lady, Inc. (herein "Plaintiff-in-Limitation"), as owner of the vessel F/V TEXAS LADY, bearing Official Number 624106, and her engines, tackles, appurtenances, etc. ("Vessel"), on August 7, 2026, filed a Complaint under the Limitation of Liability Act, 46 U.S.C. § 30501 et seq., claiming the right to exoneration from, or limitation of liability for all claims, losses, or damages arising out of, resulting from, or in any manner connected with the incident on or about January 11, 2026, in or around Port Orford, Oregon, involving an alleged injury to the Vessel's captain, Joseph Wayne Gonsalves, the captain's son and deckhand, Joseph Wayne Gonsalves Nastiuk, and fellow deckhand Kody Rosenstiel, as a result of the Vessel's grounding, and involving the Vessel as alleged and for the reasons and because of the circumstances set forth in the Complaint. **NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN**, that all persons having any such claims must file them, as provided in Rule F of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims, with the Clerk of this Court at the James A. Redden U.S. Courthouse, located at 310 West Sixth Street, Ste. 201, Medford, OR, 97501, and serve upon or mail to Plaintiff-in-Limitation's attorneys, Lindsay Hart LLP, 900 SW Fifth Ave, Suite 2700, Portland, Oregon 97204, a copy of such claim on or before September 9, 2026, OR BE DEEMED TO BE IN CONTUMACY AND DEFAULT. Personal attendance is not required. Any claimant desiring to contest Plaintiff-in-Limitation's right to exoneration from, or limitation of, liability must also file an answer to the Complaint on file herein, as required by Rule F(5) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims, and shall serve a copy thereof upon the attorneys for Plaintiff-in-Limitation, unless the claim has included an answer. DATED this 13th day of August, 2026. /s/ MARK D. CLARKE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE James Mccurdy, OSB No. 043564 jmc-curdy@lindsayhart.com Thomas E. McDermott, OSB No. 762430 tmcdermott@lindsayhart.com James Molyneux-Elliot, OSB No. 205062 jmolyneux-elliott@lindsayhart.com 900 SW Fifth Avenue, Suite 2700 Portland, OR 97204-1206 Phone: 503-226-7677 Fax: 503-226-7697 Attorneys for Plaintiff-in-Limitation 8/26, 9/2, 9/9, 9/16/2026 Pilot 429954

OREGON STATE CREDIT UNION v. JEREMY D. PETRIE, also known as JEREMY DAVID PETRIE SUMMONS - CASE NO. 26CV16327 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF DOUGLAS TO: JEREMY D. PETRIE, also known as JEREMY DAVID PETRIE, the above-named defendant. You are hereby required to appear and defend the complaint filed against you in the above-entitled action within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this summons, and in case of your failure to appear and answer, plaintiff for want thereof will apply to the above entitled court for the relief prayed for in its complaint, to-wit: A. FIRST CLAIM FOR RELIEF: 1. For the principal sum of \$40,036.22, plus late fees in the amount of \$99.35, plus accrued interest in the amount of \$2,054.87 through December 29, 2025 (the amount owing may be reduced by the net proceeds, if any, following repossession and sale of the RV described below); 2. For Plaintiff's reasonable attorney fees, costs and disbursements incurred herein; and 3. For interest on the sum of paragraphs A1 and

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A2 above at the statutory rate of 9.00 percent per annum, from the date judgment is entered until paid in full. B. SECOND CLAIM FOR RELIEF: 1. For recovery of the 2023 KYRV Springdale CT, YIN: 4YDTSGBK27PG102795 (the "RV"), by seizure and sale of the property through replevin; and, alternatively, for value of the RV if Defendant fails to surrender it; 2. For Plaintiff's reasonable attorney fees, costs and disbursements incurred herein; and 3. For interest on the sum of paragraphs B1 and B2, at the statutory rate of 9.00 percent per annum, from the date judgment is entered, until paid in full. C. ALL CLAIMS FOR RELIEF: 1. For such other relief as the court deems just and proper. **NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: READ CAREFULLY!! YOU MUST "APPEAR" IN THIS CASE OR THE OTHER SIDE WILL WIN AUTOMATICALLY. TO "APPEAR" YOU MUST FILE WITH THE COURT A LEGAL PAPER CALLED A "MOTION" OR "ANSWER". THE MOTION OR ANSWER (OR "REPLY") MUST BE GIVEN TO THE COURT CLERK OR ADMINISTRATOR WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION SPECIFIED HEREIN ALONG WITH THE REQUIRED FILING FEE. IT MUST BE IN PROPER FORM AND HAVE PROOF OF SERVICE ON THE PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY OR, IF THE PLAINTIFF DOES NOT HAVE AN ATTORNEY, PROOF OF SERVICE UPON THE PLAINTIFF. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, YOU SHOULD SEE AN ATTORNEY IMMEDIATELY. IF YOU NEED HELP IN FINDING AN ATTORNEY, YOU MAY CONTACT THE OREGON STATE BAR'S LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE ONLINE AT WWW.OREGONSTATEBAR.ORG OR BY CALLING AT (503) 684-3763 (IN THE PORTLAND METROPOLITAN AREA) OR TOLL-FREE ELSEWHERE IN OREGON AT (800) 452-7636.** This summons is published by order of Circuit Court Pro Tem Judge Jason R Thomas of the above-entitled Court made on the 12th day of June, 2026, directing publication of this summons once each week for four consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in Curry County,

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Oregon. Date of first publication: August 19, 2026 Date of last publication: September 9, 2026 Michelle M. Bertolino, OSB #912130 Of Attorneys for Plaintiff FARLEIGH WADA WITT 121 SW Morrison, Suite 600 Portland, OR 97204-3136 (503) 228-6044 mbertolino@fwwlaw.com 8/26, 9/2, 9/9, and 9/16/2026 Pilot 429806

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
On September 9, 2026, at the hour of 11:00 o' clock a.m. at the Curry County Courthouse, front steps, 29821 Ellensburg, Gold Beach, Oregon, the defendant's interest will be sold, subject to redemption, in the real property commonly known as: That portion of the West Half (W ½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of Section 26, Township 40 South, Range 13 West Willamette Meridian, Curry County, Oregon, lying West and South of the West Boundary of the Comstock Road. EXCEPTING THEREFROM the following described tract of land: BEGINNING at the Southwest corner of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of Section 26; thence North 87° 18' 00" East a distance of 126.84 feet, more or less, along the South line of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of Section 26 to the West boundary of the existing BLM road; thence generally Northwest along the West boundary of said BLM road to a point on the West line of said Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of said Section 26; thence South 01° 50' 00" West 142.77, more or less to the POINT OF BEGINNING. Brookings, Oregon 97415. The court case number is 09CV0311, where MATTHEW J. MULLANEY and JACKIE VANPAEPEGHEM MULLANEY, TRUSTEE OF THE JACKIE V. MULLANEY FAMILY TRUST, ASSIGNEE is plaintiff, and EARLENE RAE SHORT DILLE is defendant. The sale is a public auction to the highest bidder for cash or cashier's check, in hand, made out to Curry County Sheriff's Office. For more information on this sale go to: www.oregonsheriffs.com/sales.htm 8/12, 8/19, 8/26, & 9/2/2026 Pilot 429495

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE TS No.: 151182-OR Loan No.: **4044 Reference is made to that certain trust deed (the "Deed of Trust") executed by WILLIAM E RIDGEWAY, as Grantor, to CURRY COUNTY TITLE, as Trustee, in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS DESIGNATED NOMINEE FOR BANK OF THE CASCADES., BENEFICIARY OF THE SECURITY INSTRUMENT, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, as Beneficiary, dated 8/4/2017, recorded 8/10/2017, as Instrument No. 2017-03248, in the Official Records of Curry County, Oregon, which covers the following described real property situated in Curry County, Oregon: LOT THREE (3), BLOCK ONE-HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN (147), PORT ORFORD, COUNTY OF CURRY, STATE OF OREGON. APN: R14142 / 3315-05AB-02200 Commonly known as: 1719 IDAHO ST PORT ORFORD, OR 97465 The current beneficiary is: FIRST INTERSTATE BANK Both the beneficiary and the trustee have elected to sell the above-described real property to satisfy the obligations secured by the Deed of Trust and notice has been recorded pursuant to ORS 86.752(3). The default for which the foreclosure is made is the grantor's failure to pay when due, the following sums:

Delinquent Payments:	
Dates:	Total:
2/1/2026 - 7/1/2026	\$5,130.60
Late Charges:	\$171.00
Beneficiary Advances:	\$2,677.50
Total Required to Reinstate:	\$7,979.10
TOTAL REQUIRED TO PAYOFF:	\$117,119.60

By reason of the default, the beneficiary has declared all obligations secured by the Deed of Trust immediately due and payable, including: the principal sum of \$111,679.58 together with interest thereon at the rate of 3.625 % per annum, from 1/1/2026 until paid, plus all accrued late charges, and all trustee's fees, foreclosure costs, and any sums advanced by the beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Deed of Trust Whereof, notice hereby is given that the undersigned trustee, CLEAR RECON CORP, whose address is 3333 Camino Del Rio South, Suite 225, San Diego, CA 92108, will on 12/10/2026, at the hour of 11:00 AM, standard time, as established by ORS 187.110, AT THE ELLENSBURG AVENUE ENTRANCE TO THE CURRY COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 29821 ELLENSBURG, GOLD BEACH, OR 97444, sell at public auction to the highest bidder in the form of cash equivalent (certified funds or cashier's check) the interest in the above-described real property which the grantor had or had power to convey at the time it executed the Deed of Trust, together with any interest which the grantor or his successors in interest acquired after the execution of the Deed of Trust, 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 ORS 86.778 has the right to have the foreclosure proceeding dismissed and the Deed of Trust reinstated by payment to the beneficiary of the entire amount then due (other than the portion of principal that would not then be due had no default occurred), together with the costs, trustee's and attorneys' fees, and curing any other default complained of in the Notice of Default by tendering the performance required under the Deed of Trust at any time not later than five days before the date last set for sale. Without limiting the trustee's disclaimer of representations or warranties, Oregon law requires the trustee to state in this notice that some residential property sold at a trustee's sale may have been used in manufacturing methamphetamines, the chemical components of which are known to be toxic. Prospective purchasers of residential property should be aware of this potential danger before deciding to place a bid for this property at the trustee's sale. 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 an obligation, the performance of which is secured by the Deed of Trust, the words "trustee" and "beneficiary" include their respective successors in interest, if any. Dated: 7/28/2026 CLEAR RECON CORP 3333 Camino Del Rio South, Suite 225 San Diego, CA 92108 Phone: 858-750-7777 866-931-0036 Hamsa Uchi, Authorized Signatory of Trustee 8/19, 8/26, 9/2, & 9/9/2026 Pilot 429639

POLICE BLOTTER

The police blotter is an excerpt of a public record of incidents as reported by law-enforcement agencies. All individuals arrested or charged with a crime are innocent until proven guilty. The information printed is preliminary and subject to change. For a list of missing items found in the Brookings area, you can visit the police services page of the city of Brookings website at www.brookings.or.us/134/police-services and follow the link near the bottom of the page.

Tuesday, August 18
2:50 pm, Chetco Ave, disorderly conduct.
3:48 pm, 7th St, juvenile problem.
3:56 pm, Parkview Dr, fire alarm.
4:15 pm, Chetco Ave, traffic crash.
8:23 pm, Chetco Ave, juvenile problem.

8:46 pm, Elk Dr, alarm.
8:49 pm, 5th St, fire.
9:26 pm, Oasis Park, disorderly conduct.
10:39 pm, 5th St, threats.

Sunday, August 23
1:10 am, Ransom Ave, disorderly conduct.

duct.
1:07 pm, Chetco Point, disorderly conduct.
1:29 pm, Boat Basin Rd, traffic crash.
3:25 pm, Pioneer Ln, threats.
4:14 pm, Court St, dispute/fight.
4:42 pm, 2nd Bridge

North Bank Chetco, tree down.
4:54 pm, Ransom Ave, criminal mischief.
5:10 pm, Court St, threats.
6:02 pm, Wharf St, warrant service.
10:06 pm, Lower Harbor Rd, missing person.

Monday, August 24
6:58 am, Highway 101 and Carpenterville, traffic crash.
8:06 am, Chetco Ave, civil problem.
10:46 am, Highway 101 N, criminal trespass.
12:48 pm, Chetco Bridge, disorderly conduct.

2:04 pm, Chetco Ave and Pacific Ave, traffic crash.
2:16 pm, Sunshine Cove, child abuse.
3:04 pm, Chetco Bridge, criminal mischief.
6:12 pm, Kings Way, civil problem.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Submissions for events can be sent by email to: pilotofficemgr@countrymedia.net. The deadline for submission is 4:30 pm Monday, the week prior to publication.

DAILY

- Daily Meal, Chetco Activity Center, 550 Chetco Lane: 11:15 am - 12:30 pm.

All Year Long

- Beyond 250 Oral History Project, Chetco Library. Anyone who has called Brookings-Harbor home is welcome to share lived experiences for the oral history project. Learn more and sign up at chetcolibrary.org/Beyond250.

Mondays

- Line dance lessons, Brookings Elks Lodge, 800 Elks Drive: 10:30 am - 1:00 pm. Membership not required. Absolute beginners 10:30 am, improver 11:00 am, intermediate 12:00 pm. \$2 minimum donation.
- Qi Gong for Health & Vitality, Chetco Library: 5:30 pm. Free class with licensed instructor Linnie. All are welcome; donations appreciated.

Tuesdays

- Brookings-Harbor Garden Club Work Party, Brookings Botanical Garden: 10:00 am - 11:30 am.
- Bridge, Chetco Activity Center: 12:15 pm.
- Line Dancing, Brookings Elks Lodge: 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm. Donations requested.
- Storytime, Chetco Library: 10:30 am. Stories, songs, and games for young children.
- Tween Club, Chetco Library: 3:30 pm. Activities for youth ages 10-13.
- Pinochle and Card Games, Chetco Activity Center: 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm.
- Amateur Radio Net, Gasquet Net: 6:30 pm (147.18); DN Amateur Radio Club: 7:15 pm (146.88).
- Line dance lessons, Crescent City Elks Lodge, 359 H Street: 10:30 am - 1:00 pm. Membership not required. Absolute beginners 10:30

am, improver 11:00 am, intermediate 12:00 pm. \$2 minimum donation.

Wednesdays

- T'ai Chi, Chetco Activity Center: 9:00 am - 10:30 am and 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm.
- Qi Gong for Health & Vitality, Chetco Library: 9:30 am. Free class with licensed instructor Linnie. All are welcome; donations appreciated.
- Line dance lessons, Brookings Elks Lodge, 800 Elks Drive: 10:30 am - 1:00 pm. Membership not required. Absolute beginners 10:30 am, improver 11:00 am, intermediate 12:00 pm. \$2 minimum donation.
- The Walking Group, Azalea Park: 11:00 am. Meet by Capella by the Sea. If raining meet at Brookings Harbor Shopping Center by the barbershop. 541-412-8664.
- Afternoon Creation Station, Chetco Library: 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm. Drop-in activities for school-aged kids.
- Recorder Group, Chetco Activity Center: 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm. Bring your instrument and a music stand. Music provided.
- Men's Club Golf, Salmon Run Golf Course: 9:00 am. Friendly team and individual play. All skill levels welcome. Bob K: 701-269-7822.
- Cribbage Club, Wild Rivers Pizza: 5:30 pm.

Thursdays

- Roadway Creek String Band, Chetco Library: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm. Open rehearsal for acoustic string instrument players.
- Bridge, Chetco Activity Center: 12:15 pm.
- Widows and Widowers Coffee Clique, Community Center, Airport Way, Gold

Beach: 10:30 am - 11:30 am.

- Checkmate Corner, Chetco Library: 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm. Weekly chess club for all ages and skill levels.
- Easy Flow Yoga, Chetco Library: 5:30 pm. Free class. Participants should be able to comfortably get up and down from the floor. All are welcome; donations appreciated.
- Recreational Table Tennis, 102 Park Street, Brookings: 6:30 pm. Intermediate players welcome; bring your own paddle.
- Line dance lessons, Crescent City Elks Lodge, 359 H Street: 10:30 am - 1:00 pm. Membership not required. Absolute beginners 10:30 am, improver 11:00 am, intermediate 12:00 pm. \$2 donation. Jean: 541-251-8998.

Fridays

- Bingo, Chetco Activity Center: 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm.
- The Walking Group, Azalea Park: 11:00 am. Meet by Capella by the Sea. If raining meet at Brookings Harbor Shopping Center by the barbershop. 541-412-8664.
- Pinochle and Card Games, Chetco Activity Center: 12:30 pm - 4:00 pm.
- T'ai Chi, Chetco Activity Center: 9:00 am - 10:30 am.
- Threads, Hooks, & Needles, Chetco Library: 10:30 am. Fiber arts club for knitters, sewers, and more.

Saturdays

- Saturday Storytime, Chetco Library: 10:30 am. Stories, songs, and games for young children.
- Saturday Shuffle: Pokemon, Chetco Library: 1:00 pm. Play and trade Pokemon cards with guidance from an experienced player.

house, 94196 Moore St., Gold Beach: 6:00 pm each day. Ellensburg Theater Company seeks many adult, teen and children roles for the Christmas musical.

Wednesday, September 2

- SWOCC Community Education Showcase Meet & Greet, 96082 Lone Ranch Parkway, Brookings: 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm. Discover upcoming classes, meet instructors, try mini sessions and ask questions. Complimentary refreshments provided. RSVP: 541-813-1667 or CurryFirstStop@socc.edu.

Friday, September 4 - Saturday, September 5

- Sawdust Theatre Season 58 closing weekend, Sawdust Theatre, 120 N. Adams St., Coquille: 7:00 pm. Calamity at the Coquelle Creamery or "Udder Confusion." Tickets \$10, with online service charge. Sawdusttheatre.com or 541-396-4563.

Friday, September 4

- Brookings-Harbor High School football, at Rogue River Chieftains.

Sunday, September 6

- American Music Festival Summer Concerts in the Park, Azalea Park: 1:00 pm. Huckleberry Road performs outlaw country. Admission free; concertgoers may bring lawn chairs, blankets and picnic lunches.

Wednesday, September 9

- Brookings-Harbor Holiday Bazaar vendor registration opens: 9:00 am until spaces are filled.

The Holiday Bazaar is scheduled for Nov. 14, with space for more than 100 vendors. Information: brookingsharborbazaar.com.

Friday, September 11

- Brookings-Harbor High School football, Elmer Bankus Field, SOCOMI Sports Complex: vs. Hidden Valley Mustangs.

Saturday, September 12

- 19th Annual Dee-ni' Day, Xaa-wan'-k'wvt Hall Community Center, 101 Indian Ct., Smith River: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. Community event with food and art vendors, cultural demonstrations, Tribal Citizen Art Show, stick games, horseshoe tournament, gambling, kid activities and more. More info: 707-487-9255 or media@tolowa.gov.
- Contra Dance, Curry Public Library, 94341 3rd St., Gold Beach: 5:00 pm - 7:30 pm. Live music by Cliff's Edge with caller Stacy Rose. facebook.com/coolcoastcontra

Wednesday, September 16

- Time Management, SWOCC Curry Campus: 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm. Community education class in the Essential Skills for Life and Work Series with instructor Gayle Goldstone. Cost \$40. Register at socc.edu/community/course/WKFC051399.

Friday, September 18 - Sunday, September 20

- Ride the Cyclone: Teen Edition, The Chetco Playhouse, 1240 Chetco

Ave., Brookings: Friday and Saturday at 7:00 pm; Sunday at 2:00 pm. Chetco Pelican Players present the musical. Adults \$15, students \$7. Reservations: 541-469-1857.

- Wild Rivers Symphony Chamber Concert Series: Friday, Sept. 18 at 6:00 pm, United Methodist Church, 664 H St., Crescent City; Saturday, Sept. 19 at 3:00 pm, Trinity Lutheran Church, 1200 Easy St., Brookings; Sunday, Sept. 20 at 3:00 pm, Curry Public Library, 94341 3rd St., Gold Beach. Tickets \$20 at the door, \$15 pre-sale; K-12 free. wildriverssymphony.org.

Friday, September 18

- Brookings-Harbor High School football, at St. Mary's Crusaders.

Saturday, September 19

- Garage Sale and Vendor Opportunity, Chetco Grange #765, 97895 Shopping Center Ave., Brookings: 8:30 am - 3:00 pm. Inside tables and outside spaces available; call or text Rita at 541-226-4559 for rental information.

Friday, September 25 - Sunday, September 27

- Ride the Cyclone: Teen Edition, The Chetco Playhouse, 1240 Chetco Ave., Brookings: Friday and Saturday at 7:00 pm; Sunday at 2:00 pm. Adults \$15, students \$7. Reservations: 541-469-1857.

Friday, September 25

- Brookings-Harbor High School football, at Klamath Union Pelicans.

No longer lagging, Oregon economic growth catching up with nation, state economists report

By ALEX BAUMHARDT
Oregon Capital Chronicle

Since the COVID-19 pandemic, economic growth in Oregon has underperformed the nation's. Now, the gap between the two is closing and the state's economic output

is growing at about the same pace as the national economy, according to Oregon's chief economist, Carl Riccadonna, and senior economist, Michael Kennedy.

The two presented the data, part of the state's latest revenue forecast, to reporters Tuesday evening ahead of a Wednesday meeting with the House and Senate revenue committees.

Overall state revenue for the current biennium is up \$55 million from the previous forecast in May, and expected to be up \$538 million for the 2027-29 biennium. Combined, the state could start next year with nearly \$600 million more dollars in its coffers, Kennedy said.

That's largely from an unexpected increase in personal income taxes, which is buffering an unexpected decline in corporate income taxes. The higher income taxes indicate more people are working, more people are earning higher wages, or both. Oregon's relatively stagnant employment rate indicates it has more to do with wage growth than job growth, though Riccadonna said the employment gap should be starting to close as well.

The revenue boost is good news to lawmakers who will meet for six months beginning in January to negotiate state spending priorities, though two more revenue forecasts

to come before the session could change the picture.

Riccadonna described Oregon's economy at present as "relatively steady."

"The long and short of it is that the economy kind of continues to chug along at a fairly decent pace," he said.

It's a departure from the last forecast in May, when the economists expected a steep drop in state income tax revenue from sluggish job growth, wage stagnation and higher inflationary pressures — especially due to rising gas prices from President Donald Trump's war on Iran.

Thresholds for gas prices that would have tipped the U.S. economy into a recession have not been reached, Riccadonna said, but he added that "energy prices are still very much a headwind for the economy, but not a headwind in the way that is actually leading us to worry about a growth stall."

Despite inflation running between 3% and 4% throughout the year — that's about double the 2% inflation rate most economic policy makers target — consumer spending is up in the U.S. and in Oregon. But so is what Riccadonna called "dissaving," which is individuals saving less than they would otherwise to cover spending and wracking up debt to maintain spending levels.

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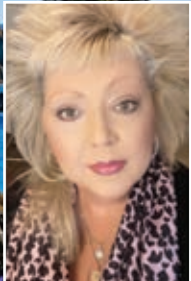
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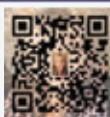
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