### TODAY'S VERSE

Romans 8:28 And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose.



#### FACES of HAMILTON COUNTY

What makes Kaitlyn Schiesser smile? "Making other people smile," said the 15-year-old Noblesville resident, a Hamilton County 4-H'er who was found Monday competing in the 4-H Dog Obedience and Showmanship Contest at the 4-H Fairgrounds in Noblesville where her 4-year-old winning Goldendoodle Hunter (pictured) joined her for a photo. 'I got Champion in Obedience, Agility and Jumpers this year and Reserve Grand for Agility and Jumpers ... I had a perfect score in Jumpers." What else? "I've done the Dog project for three years. We competed in State Fair all three years," she said. "My first year, I got third place in Agility at State Fair and 11th place in Obedience at State Fair. So that was pretty cool. And I've got Champion in Agility all three years (at county)." She'll be a sophomore this fall at Guerin Catholic High School in Noblesville. The Hamilton County 4-H Fair opens on Thursday and continues through Tuesday at the Fairgrounds. Favorite thing about the 4-H Fair? "The community." Favorite Fair food? "The tenderloins." Here's a snippet of what 4-H Fair goers will find on Thursday: Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Joint Producers' Barbecue, **Extension Homemakers Special** Taco Platter, Bicentennial Groundbreaking at 9 a.m., 4-H Bucket Calf Show, 9 a.m.; Llama Senior Showmanship, 9:30 a.m.; Crops Judging, Horse & Pony English Show, Poultry Show and Robotics Activities at 10 a.m.; Dairy Show, 10:30 a.m.; Tractor Driving Contest and Pygmy Goat Show at 1 p.m.: Llama Pack Obstacle, 1:30 p.m.; Kids Craft Activities, 2 p.m.; Blood Drive, 3:30-5:30 p.m.; Extension Homemakers Flower Show, 4:30 p.m.; Purdue Extension Celebrates and Rabbit Ambassador Contest at 6 p.m.; Do-Si-Squares Exhibition at 6:30 p.m. and 4-H Clogging Exhibition at 7 p.m. Read more about the 4-H Fair this week in

#### **And Another Thing...** 1. Spartz Has Some **Words For Congress**

the Betsy Reason column in The

Times.

Rep. Spartz sent a letter to Speaker McCarthy expressing utmost dissatisfaction with the lack of leadership in dealing with the fiscal state of our nation - 70% of spending is not authorized, major programs are going bankrupt, and oversight is not effective. "Our country is going through some challenging times where the other side is striving for a complete government takeover and control, and our side is afraid of 'big money' and obsessed with messaging, talking points and book writing. It reminds me of what Cicero said when the Roman Republic was falling: 'Times are bad. Children no longer obey their parents, and everyone is writing a book," Spartz said. "Therefore, I am not planning to support any Republican rule vote until we start governing."





Hamilton County 4-H Dog project superintendent Lynda Arbuckle of Noblesville, who was found Monday watching the 4-H Dog Obedience and Showmanship Contest, is celebrating 50 years teaching the Dog project to 4-H'ers.

### 4-H Dog Leader Celebrates 50 Years



**BETSY REASON** From The Editor's Desk...

Arbuckle has been a Hamilton County 4-H Dog leader for 50 years.

Lynda

And she soon will have her own parking space and a sign with her name on

it at the Hamilton County 4-H Fairgrounds in Noblesville.

The 83-year-old Noblesville woman -- who was presented a parking sign last Friday during the 4-H Fair Queen Pageant -- got involved in 4-H when her oldest daughter, Dawn (Arbuckle) Moos, joined 4-H and wanted to take the Dog project and show her English Setter, named Lynda (born on the mom's birthday).

'She is truly a legend," said Allison Moos of Noblesville, a 2006 Noblesville High School graduate, who told her grandmother's story to the audience

of 4-H Dog project competitors and their families on Monday night just before announcing winners of the 4-H Dog Obedience and Showmanship Contest during pre-Hamilton County 4-H Fair activities. The 4-H Dog Project's Dog Rally and Dog Agility Shows were Saturday. Moos, on Monday, was tabulating contest results.

Arbuckle, the Hamilton County 4-H Dog project superintendent, started as a volunteer

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# The Daily Almanac

Sunrise/Sunset RISE: 6:33 a.m. SET: 9:14 p.m.

High/Low **Temperatures** High: 85 °F Low: 67 °F

Today is...

- National Daiquiri Day National Hot Dog Day
- New Friends Day

#### What Happened On This Day

- 1900 Paris Metro opens. • 1870 Franco-Prussian
- War starts. • 1848 Seneca Falls Con-

vention begins.

#### **Births On This Day** • 1921 Harold Camping

- American broadcaster, author
- 1814 Samuel Colt American inventor, industrialist, founded the Colt's Manufacturing Company

#### **Deaths On This Day**

- 2002 Alan Lomax American historian, author, scholar
- **1374** Petrarch Italian scholar, poet

### **Hamilton County Extension Homemakers Sponsor Open Food & Craft Show**

tension Homemakers are sponsoring an open Food & Craft Show during the 2023 Hamilton County 4-H Fair at the Hamilton County 4-H Fairgrounds, 2003 Pleasant Street, Noblesville. The contest is open to any Hamilton County resident or Hamilton County Extension Homemaker over the age of eighteen. Entries are submitted for closed judging on Saturday, July 22 at the 4-H Fairgrounds. Entries will be on display Saturday, July 22 - Monday, July 24.

Food divisions include breads, cakes, cookies, pies, convenience foods, preservation and homemade candy. Craft divisions include needlecraft, quilt and sewing by hand or machine, creative ideas, painting and drawing, scrapbooking, photography and craftsman. To obtain a complete list of guidelines, divisions and classes, please stop by the Purdue Extension Hamilton County Office or contact 317-776-0854. Entry forms are available online or you may register from 8:30-10:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 20 at the Hamilton County 4-H Fairgrounds. An entry fee

The Hamilton County Ex- of \$2.00 per item is payable at time of entry.

The Hamilton County Extension Homemakers are made up of nearly 150 volunteers committed to strengthening the homes of Hamilton County. The mission of the Indiana Extension Homemakers Association (IEHA) is "To strengthen families through continuing education, leadership development, and volunteer community support". For more information about the Extension Homemakers or the Purdue Extension Service of Hamilton County, visit https://puext.in/ hamcohomemakers

The Hamilton County 4-H Fair is organized and sponsored by the Hamilton County 4-H Council, Inc., and Purdue **Extension Hamilton County.** For more information on the 4-H Fair or the Purdue Extension Service, contact Purdue Extension Hamilton County at 317-776-0854 or visit www. extension.purdue.edu/county/ hamilton. More information can be found on our social media channels: FaceBook -@HamiltonCountyIN4H, Instagram - @hamiltonco4h, and Twitter - @PurdueExtHamCo.

# **Hamilton Heights Huskies' Family Tree**



**PAULA** DUNN From Time to

Thyme

Kermit Ross, recently showed me a program book from the 2015 Hamilton Heights Alumni Association reunion that contains an impressive history of the Jackson

Township and White River Township schools.

(Both Jackson and White River Townships are covered because the two school systems have been combined since the creation of Hamilton Heights.)

The history, compiled by one of Kermit's Jackson Central '61 classmates, Ed Fennell of Arcadia, was passed out to everyone who attended the reunion. Kermit brought it to my attention because he felt there might be a column in it.

Once I got a good look at all that information, I had to agree.

The earliest schools in Indiana were subscription schools where tuition was paid by students' parents. After the enactment of the new state constitution in 1852, schools began to be managed by townships.

That's where Fennell's history starts.

In the beginning, White River My cousin, Township had 16 township schools and Jackson Township had 20. Fennell notes that, in both cases, the schoolhouses were situated about two miles apart in order to keep students from having to walk more than one mile to reach their classes.

I have to admire the effort he put into this work because I know from my own research on Noblesville Township that digging up precise details on those early schools isn't easy. The information you find is often incomplete and/or confusing.

Township schools were usually designated by numbers, but sometimes they're only referred to by a name, which makes it difficult to pinpoint their location or even be certain which school is which.

Also, a school's number and/ or location could change over time. For example, Walnut Grove was originally White River Township School No. 8, but it was later moved to another location and became No. 15.

It wasn't until the late 1800s and early 1900s that things began to settle down.

In Jackson Township, the first high schools were located

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### HONEST HOOSIER

I'd like to know when a big night out turned into setting on



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### TODAY'S HEALTH TIP

Elderly people who exercise regularly are less likely to suffer falls and fractures. Today's health tip was brought to you by Dr. John Roberts. Be sure to catch his column each week in The Times and online at www.thetimes24-7.com



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### ⊃ TODAY'S QUOTE

"What an incredibly radical idea the first Amendment of the Constitution was at the time." . not only to guarantee the freedom of the press but to make a free press the only constitutionally protected industry. And that suggests that even back then, when the press was very often scurrilous and irresponsible, that the people who had a vision for democracy thought there is a public purpose of accountability that the press as an institution must play." -Nancy Gibbs is the director of the Shorenstein Center on Media, Politics and Public Policy and the Edward R. Murrow Professor of Practice of Press, Politics and Public Policy.

### 🗢 TODAY'S JOKE

Remember the good old days when you and your teeth used to sleep together?

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### **BGCN Grateful For Support From Tony Etchison Memorial Foundation**



Photo courtesy of the Boys and Girls Club of Noblesville

On Monday, the Tom & Soni Sheehan Boys & Girls Club of Noblesville was a recipient of a generous \$5,000 donation from the second annual Tony Etchison Memorial Golf Outing at Fox Prairie in Noblesville. Funds will be used to benefit the Club's outdoor youth programs at Camp Crosser. Pictured L to R are John Stretch - BGCN Board Member & Memorial Foundation Board Member, Tony Eslamirad - BGCN Community Center Director, Toby Etchison - Memorial Foundation Board Member and Nathan Helm - BGCN Director of Development.





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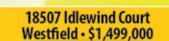






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# Congresswoman **No ESG Act To Limit Far-Left Proposals**

Congresswoman Erin Houchin (R-Ind.-09), a member of the Financial Services Committee and the ESG Working Group, introduced the No Expensive, Stifling Governance (No ESG) Act. The bill would prevent far-left activists from forcing everyday investors to vote on duplicative or substantially similar Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) shareholder proposals.

"Southern Indiana companies shouldn't have to deal with duplicative farleft shareholder proposals year after year. That's why I've introduced this first of its kind legislation to put an end to redundant ESG proposals so that meetings can stay focused on the financial best interests of shareholders," said Congresswoman Houchin.

The No ESG Act would stop a new proposed rule under the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) that would greenlight left-wing ESG proposals even if shareholders have recently rejected similar proposals. In doing so, this bill provides companies with the means to exclude duplicative or substantially similar shareholder proposals to save time and money for everyday investors. This is the first bill of its kind to be introduced in Congress.

Last week, Congresswoman Houchin spoke in the Financial Services Committee on the need to reform the current shareholder proposal process.

#### **Background:**

Many companies, including those with a large presence in the Ninth District, must deal with duplicative or very similar ESG shareholder proposals every year. Constituents who are invested in these companies have to repeatedly vote on these proposals or delegate their voting power to another entity, even when substantially similar proposals have failed. The proposed rule would add burdensome corporate bureaucracy and divert attention away from actual business matters.

This bill seeks to cut down on these redundant proposals and keep shareholder meetings more focused on issues that would promote the financial best interest and overall business operations.

## **Indiana Donor Network Maximizing Use Houchin Introduces** Of Latest Technology To Save More Lives

Organization reports a 25% increase in recoveries for transplantation from January through June compared to same time period 1 year ago.

With two quarters of 2023 complete, Indiana Donor Network has surpassed the number of organ recoveries it achieved during the first two quarters of its record-breaking year of 2022, putting the organization on pace to save more lives than ever this year.

From January through June 30, 804 lifesaving organs were recovered, a 25% increase in the number of organs recovered during the same time period one year ago. Additionally:

- •232 organ donors and 734 tissue and cornea donors were facilitated by the organization.
- •8,442 tissues were recovered by the organization.

In 2022, during the same period, 645 lifesaving organs were recovered by Indiana Donor Network. Additionally: •155 organ donors and

donors were facilitated by the organization. •6,994 tissues were recovered by the organi-

617 tissue and cornea

"We are maximizing

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use of the latest technology available to increase the time organs can remain viable outside the human body as they are transported to patients waiting for a transplant," said Indiana Donor Network President and CEO Kellie Tremain. "These technological advancements are increasing the viability time of donor organs and substantially increasing the time we have and the distance we can span to get these gifts to those whose lives depend on them. Our successes are also due to our growing, hard-working staff, each dedicated to saving and healing lives through various critical roles.

In 2022, Indiana Donor Network began utilizing revolutionary kidney perfusion pumps, which are used in operating rooms during organ recovery and during a donated organ's transport to a transplant center. These pumps keep donated kidneys functioning outside the body, allowing the organ's temperature and vascular performance to be constantly monitored and increasing its viability for successful transplant. Donated kidneys on perfusion pumps can now be transported up to

250 nautical miles from Indiana Donor Network's Organ and Tissue Recovery Center in Indianapolis, reaching patients at 40 transplant centers throughout the Midwest.

"We've widened our organ donor criteria, enhanced our donor management operations and are utilizing advanced organ recovery coordinators to perform diagnostics and procedures," said Sherry Quire, director of organ services at Indiana Donor Network. "We've added surgical recovery specialists and a surgical medical director. We are also now utilizing a real-time, geo-tracking system to monitor transport of donated organs during all phases of their transport to transplant centers and optimize logistics for recovery, transport and transplantation teams."

Lindsay Hamilton, director of tissue services at Indiana Donor Network, attributes the five-month rise in tissue recoveries to stronger relationships with the organization's tissue recovery partners, which are critical links between tissue donors and recipients. Indiana Donor Network's tissue recovery partners manage the identification of donors and tissue retrieval,

preservation and transportation.

"We've worked diligently to enhance and expand our relationships with our tissue recovery partners," Hamilton said. "Many of our partners have expanded their criteria to accept more tissue donors and donors of increased age."

Currently, there are 1,259 Indiana residents waiting for a lifesaving organ transplant and more than 4.3 million Hoosiers registered as organ donors.

Despite age or medical history, anyone can sign up to be a donor at DonateLifeIndiana.org.

Indiana Donor Network, a non-profit organization, is the federally designated organ recovery organization that coordinates organ, tissue and cornea donation in Indiana and transplantation throughout the U.S. Its mission is to save and enhance the quality of life through organ and tissue donation and transplantation. Its vision is to be a leader in organ and tissue recovery. Founded in 1987, the organization coordinates donation in 85 of the state's 92 counties and serves transplant hospitals throughout the U.S.







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• 9th - 12th Grade League

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#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS HEARING ON PROPOSED INKEEPERS TAX ORDINANCE # CC 08/02/2023.A

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Hamilton County, Indiana, that the Hamilton County Council at the Hamilton County Judicial Center, 1 N 8th St, Noblesville, IN 46060 at seven o'clock

p.m. (7:00 p.m.) on August 2, 2023, the following proposed ordinance regarding the local income tax imposed within Hamilton County

SEE PROPOSED ORDINANCE ATTACHED AS EXHIBIT A
After the public hearing, the Hamilton County Council may act on the proposed ordinance. There is no remonstrance opportunity on any action taken on the proposed ordinance. The public hearing identified above is the taxpayer's opportunity to express concerns and ask questions on the proposed ordinance.

Dated this 14 day of July 2023.

Robin M. Mills, Auditor Hamilton County, Indiana ORDINANCE NO. CC 08/02/2023.A

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING HAMILTON COUNTY CODE 6-9-

18-3 WHEREAS, Hamilton County, pursuant to Indiana Code 6-9-18 et al. previously adopted a 5% innkeeper's tax as set forth in Section 6-9-18-3 of the

Hamilton County Code; and,
WHEREAS, the General Assembly passed H.E.A 1454, and the Governor

signed the same into law, which adds Indiana Code 6-9-56 to the Indiana Code effective as of July 1, 2023;and WHEREAS, Indiana Code 6-9-56 authorizes the fiscal body of Hamilton

County to increase in the innkeepers tax rate for Hamilton County to a tax not to exceed the rate of 8% on the gross retail income derived from lodging income only and is in addition to the state gross retail tax imposed under Indiana Code 6-2.5; and
WHEREAS, Indiana Code 6-9-56 authorizes the county fiscal body of

Hamilton County to adopt an ordinance that would require the tax to be paid monthly to the county treasurer with said tax funds being allocated to separate specific funds, namely the current convention, visitor and tourism promotion fund ("tourism promotion fund"), and also a new tourism capital fund "; and

WHEREAS, Indiana Code 6-9-56 specifically requires the creation of a commission by the county executive to promote the development and growth of the convention, visitor and tourism in the Hamilton County and for purposes of transfers of money from the tourism promotion fund and the tourism capital fund

WHEREAS, Hamilton County previously created the Hamilton County Visitor and Tourism Commission in accordance with Indiana Code 6-9-

18-5; IT IS THEREBY ORDAINED by the Hamilton County Council that

Section 6-9-18-3 of the Hamilton County Code is amended as follows:

(a) A tax shall be levied on every entity, person, corporation, or other business combination engaged in the business of renting or furnishing, for periods based upon a daily basis or multiples thereof, any room, lodging, or tourist cabin

(b) The tax does not apply to gross income received in a transaction in which a person

rents: (1) Lodgings in a college or university residence hall;

(2) A room, lodging, or accommodations based upon a month-to-month tenancy or more; or

An apartment, or residence, which is the person's (3) (c) The tax shall be levied at the rate of eight percent (8%) on the gross. retail income derived from lodging income only and is in addition to the state gross retail tax imposed under IC 6-2.5.

(d) The tax shall be paid monthly to the county treasurer, which shall be paid to the county treasurer not more than twenty (20) days after the end of the month the tax is collected. (e) The county treasurer shall establish the following funds: (1) A

Convention, Visitor, and Tourism Promotion Fund; and (2) a Tourism Capital Fund. The county treasurer shall deposit tax funds collected as follows:

(1) Tax received in the treasurer's collection of innkeepers tax funds that is not more than five percent (5%) of the funds collected shall be deposited into Convention, Visitor and Tourism Promotion Fund; and

Tax received it in the treasurer's collection of innkeepers tax funds that exceeds five percent (5%) of the funds collected shall be deposited in the Tourism Capital fund.

(f) The Hamilton County Convention, Visitor and Tourism Commission "Commission") is hereby duly authorized to transfer money from the Convention, Visitor, and Tourism Promotion Fund and Tourism Capital Fund in accordance with this ordinance and Indiana Code 6-9-56.

(g) The county auditor shall issue a warrant directing the county treasurer to transfer money from the Convention, Visitor, and Tourism Promotion Fund and Tourism Capital Fund to the Commission's treasurer if the Commission submits a written request for the transfer.

(h) Money in the Convention, Visitor, and Tourism Promotion Fund or money transferred from such a fund to the Commission may only be expended to promote and encourage conventions, visitors, and tourism within Hamilton County. Expenditures from the Convention, Visitor, and Tourism Promotion Fund may include expenditures for advertising, promotional activities, trade shows, special events, and recreation. The Commission may transfer money in the Convention, Visitor, and Tourism Promotion Fund to any Indiana nonprofit corporation for the purpose of promotion and encouragement in the county of conventions, trade shows, visitors, or special events. The Commission may transfer money under this section only after approving the transfer. The Commission may transfer money under this subsection on a monthly basis or at another frequency as determined by the Commission.

(i) Money in the Tourism Capital Fund, or money transferred from such a fund to the Commission, may only be expended on infrastructure projects that improve or benefit the tourism

economy. Expenditures from the Tourism Capital Fund may include acquisition, construction, alteration, improvements, or installation costs of any existing tangible property or tangible property that is to be constructed spenditures may include fees for professional services such as architectural, building consulting or planning, and infrastructure feasibility.

G) The Commission must approve any transfer of money from the Tourism Capital Fund and may transfer money from the Tourism Capital Fund to support capital projects in the county that promote long term tourism, convention. or recreation projects proposed by any of the following:

The county government;

(2) A city government; (3) A separate body corporate and politic in Hamilton County; or

(4) Any Indiana nonprofit corporation in Hamilton County.

The Commission may transfer money under this subsection on a monthly r at another frequency as determined by the Commission

(k) The Commission may also review and approve proposals submitted by applicants that seek money from the tourism capital fund with the purpose and view of enhancing or providing support for capital projects that promote long term tourism, convention, or other economic development related to recreation. Funding available under this subsection shall be made available on an annual basis. In determining whether to provide funding to a particular capital project under this subsection, the commission may use the following factors as a guide for capital project funding: (1) The proposed capital project is believed to be economically sound

to the Hamilton County tourism, convention, or recreation economy and is also believed to be beneficial to:

(A) the general population of Hamilton County; or (B) a particular location in Hamilton County.

The proposed capital project provides for reasonably adequate public assembly, gathering, or entertainment space and is integrally related to enhancing the tourism, convention, or recreation opportunities in Hamilton County or a particular location in Hamilton County

The Commission makes a reasonable effort to assess whether a proposed capital project aligns with the purpose of the Commission and has a direct, indirect, or supportive relationship to the mission and promotional efforts of the commission as established and funded by the convention, visitor, and tourism promotion fund.

A capital project proposed by an applicant that does not meet at least one (1) of the criteria set forth in this subsection will not be funded, and any remaining funds collected revert to the tourism capital fund for distribution by the Commission on projects within Hamilton County. An applicant that receives a grant of money from the tourism capital fund under subsection must agree to provide to the Commission proof of project completion, including proof that the project was completed through the use of the grant money; and may be subject to annual financial reporting and audit.

(1) All money coming into possession of the Commission shall be deposited, held, secured, invested, and paid in accordance with statutes relating to the handling of public funds. The handling and expenditure of money coming into possession of the Commission is subject to audit and supervision by the state

(m) This Ordinance shall supersede the present terms of Section 6-9-18-3 of the Hamilton County Code and the prior terms of said section are expressly

(n) This Ordinance shall be effective on January 1, 2024.

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BROOKE RENE KALUZA

AMANDA R. HAMMOND KALUZA.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME COMES NOW the Petitioner, Amanda R. Hammond Kaluza, and submits her Verified Petition for Name Change of a Minor and hereby gives notice that Petition for Change of Name for a Minor has been filed in the HAMILTON County Circuit

Court request that the name of minor Brooke Rene Kaluza be changed to Brooke Rene Carr. The Court, being fully advised in the matter, now finds that this matter should be and is hereby set for hearing. WHEREFORE the Court orders that a Name Change Hearing is scheduled

September 1, 2023 at 10:00 AM, which is more than thirty (30) days after

the third publication of this Notice, for Thirty (30) minutes. Notice is further given that any

appear at the hearing on said Petition and/or to file objections on or before

IT IS SO ORDERED ADJUDGED AND DECREED this June 20, 2023. Kathy Kreag Williams Distribution:

Rachel A. Eas HOCKER LAW, LLC, 6626 East 75th Street, Suite 410 Indianapolis, Indiana 46250 Allen County Jail 715 S. Calhoun St Fort Wayne, IN 46802

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### LEGAL NOTICE INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

CAUSE NO. 45911
Notice is hereby given that on June 28, 2023, Indianapolis Power & Light Company d/b/a AES Indiana filed a Verified Petition with the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission in Cause No. 45911 to issue an order to increase rates and charges for electric utility service, and for approval of related relief, including; (1) revised depreciation rates; (2) accounting relief, including deferral and amortizations; (3) inclusion of capital investments; (4) rate adjustment mechanism proposals, including new economic development rider; (5) remote lisconnect/reconnect process; and (6) new schedules of rates, rules and egulations for service. A copy of the Verified Petition and other submissions in regulations for service. A copy of the vertical reduction and other submissions in this proceeding are on file with the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission, PNC Center, 101 W. Washington Street, Suite 1500E, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204. The telephone number of the Commission is (317) 232-2701. Anyone wishing to protest, challenge, or intervene in this action may do so by contacting the Indiana Utility. Utility Regulatory Commission.

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#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING of the Carmel Teachers Association and Carmel Clay Schools July 31 2023 7:30 AM Educational Services Center, 5201 E. Main Street, Carmel, Hamilton County, Indiana

Public testimony will be taken at this hearing pursuant to Indiana Code 20 29-6-1(a) regarding teacher compensation and collective bargaining. DATED: July 13, 2023

Board of School Trustees Carmel Clay Schools Hamilton County, Indiana

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### Notice of Adoption: Ordinance #07-10-2023 An Ordinance Adopting The Amended Hamilton County Unified

Development Ordinance

Date of Approval: On July 10, 2023, the Hamilton County, Indiana, Board of Commissioners approved Ordinance #07-10-2023, which adopted an Ordinance Adopting The Amended Hamilton County Unified Development Ordinance.

Subject Matter: This ordinance amends various Articles in the Hamilton County Unified Development Ordinance Number 7-25-22. It amends the existing Unified Development Ordinance by amending sections throughout the Ordinance Amendments include restructuring and adding articles and updating regulations and permitted uses. Geographic Area to Which Ordinance Applies: the entire jurisdiction of the

Hamilton County Plan Commission including all zoning classifications. The Plan Commission's jurisdiction applies to all real property located in unincorporated areas in Adams, Noblesville, Wayne, and White River Townships that do not fall under the jurisdiction of another plan commission. A map of the jurisdiction of the Hamilton County Plan Commission can be examined at the office of the Hamilton County Plan Commission, One Hamilton County Square, Suite 13, Noblesville, Indiana, or viewed online at https://www.hamiltoncounty.in.gov/DocumentCenter view/1450/County-Jurisdictional-Map-PDF.

Penalty Provision: This ordinance contains a penalty provision that permits the imposition of fines and penalties and also authorizes the county to initiate enforcement action, including seeking injunctive relief. This provision is Article 27 and entitled "Enforcement." It is found on pages 218-219 of the ordinance.

Public Inspection of the Ordinance: In addition to being available online at nttps://www.hamiltoncounty.in.gov/818/Plan-Commission, the ordinance may be xamined at the office of the Hamilton County Plan Commission, One Hamilton examined at the office of the Hamilton County Plan Commission, one Hamilton County Square, Suite 13, Noblesville, Indiana. It may also be examined in the office of the Hamilton County Auditor, 33 N 9th St #L21, Noblesville, Indiana. You may also request a copy or ask questions by contacting the Hamilton County Planning Department directly at (317) 776-8490.

This Ordinance shall become effective thirty days after publication of this notice.

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#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL INCOME TAX ORDINANCE # CC 08/02/2023-B

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Hamilton County, Indiana, that the Hamilton County Council at the Hamilton County Judicial Center, 1 N 8th St.

noblesville, IN 46060 at seven o'clock
p.m. (7:00 p.m.) on August 2, 2023, the following proposed ordinance regarding the local income tax imposed within Hamilton County.

SEE PROPOSED ORDINANCE ATTACHED AS EXHIBIT A

After the public hearing, the Hamilton County Council may act on the roposed ordinance. There is no remonstrance opportunity on any action taken n the proposed ordinance. The public hearing identified above is the taxpayer's opportunity to express concerns and ask questions on the proposed ordinance.

Dated this 14th day of July 2023.

Robin M. Mills, Auditor Hamilton County, Indiana

AN ORDINANCE MODIFYING THE LOCAL INCOME TAX RATE
FOR HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA
WHEREAS, per Indiana Code Section 6-3.6-3-1(a), Hamilton County
established a Local Income Tax Council ("LIT Council") consisting of Hamilton
County, Town of Arcadia, Town of Atlanta, City of Carmel, Town of Cierco, City
of Fishers, City of Noblesvilla. Town of Sheridan, and the Town of Westfold: of Fishers, City of Noblesville, Town of Sheridan, and the Town of Westfield; WHEREAS, the LIT Council is authorized to establish and modify the

expenditure tax rate within Hamilton County;
WHEREAS, Indiana Code Section 6-3.6-3-3 provides that an ordinance may be adopted after August 31 but before November 1 of a calendar year which

stablishes the expenditure rate for the following year;
WHEREAS, over fifty percent (50%) of the LIT Council must pass a solution to adopt this Ordinance prior to it becoming effective, which passage is confirmed by the signature of the presidents of each common council listed

WHEREAS, the proper number of members of the LIT Council now desire to amend the local income tax rate by raising the same by one tenth of one percen (0.1%) increase in the local income tax rate of Hamilton County to be collected For the purpose of increasing the amount of the county homestead exemption by that same amount.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Local Income Tax Council of Hamilton County, Indiana, that the expenditure rate previously imposed pursuant to Indiana Code Section 6-3.6-6 shall be revised in the following manner: Existin LIT RateProposed LIT Rate Allocation Rate Cateeory

Certified Shares (IC 6-3.6-6) Public Safety (IC 6-3.6-6) 1.0%Economic Development (IC 6-3.6-6) Property Tax Relief Rate (IC 6-3.6-5) 0.00% 0.10% Special Purpose Rate (IC 6-3.6-7-) Correctional or Rehabilitation Facilities (IC 6-3.6-6-2.7) Emergency Medical Service (IC 6-3.6-6-2.8) The tax rates proposed above will first be applicable for 2024 and then each

This rate will continue until rescinded or modified BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the county auditor shall adjust the

xpenditure rate identified above as needed in accordance with Indiana Code BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that a public hearing was held on the expenditure rate on August 2, 2023. Proper notice of the public hearing was

provided per Indiana Code Section 5-3-1. Duplicate, signed counter-part originals may be collectively taken as one

original. COUNTY COUNCIL OF HAMILTON COUNTY Ken Alexander, President (6.35% of LIT Council Votes]

Auditor, Hamilton County COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ARCADIA, INDIANA Rich Versprille, President (0.44% of LIT Council Votes] Clerk. Town of Arcadia

COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ATLANTA, INDIANA Murray Dixon, President [0.20% of LIT Council Votes] Clerk, Town of Atlanta

COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL, INDIANA Jeff Worrell, President [28.71% LIT Council Votes] Clerk, City of Carmel

COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CICERO, INDIANA Chad Blueher, President

[1.53 % of LIT Council Votes] ATTEST:

COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FISHERS, INDIANA Todd Zimmerman, President [28.49% of LIT Council Votes] ATTEST: COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA

Aaron Smith, President [20.03% of LIT Council Votes] ATTEST: Clerk, City of Noblesville COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SHERIDAN, INDIANA

Silas Devaney III, President [0.89% of LIT Council Votes] ATTEST:

Clerk, Town of Sheridan COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTFIELD, INDIANA Mike Johns, President [13.36% of LIT Council Votes]

City of Westfield

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IN THE HAMILTON CIRCUIT COURT SS CIVIL DIVISION STATE OF INDIANA COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) CAUSE NO.29C01-2305-MI-004206 IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF

AMANDA HAMMOND KALUZA, Petitioner NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME COMES NOW the Petitioner, Amanda Hammond Kaluza, and submits her

Petition for Name Change of Adult and hereby gives notice that Petition for Change of Name for an Adult has been filed in the Hamilton County Circuit Court request that the name of Amanda Hammond Kaluza be changed to Amanda Rene Carr. The Court, being fully advised in the matter, now finds that this matter

should be and is hereby set for hearing.

WHEREFORE the Court orders that a Name Change Hearing is scheduled

September 1, 2023 at 10:00 AM, which is more than thirty (30) days after the third publication of this Notice, for Thirty (30) minutes. Notice is further any person has the right to appear at the hearing on said Petition and/or to file objections on or before the hearing date.

IT IS SO ORDERED ADJUDGED AND DECREED this May 10, 2023 Kathy Kraeg Williams

Clerk, Hamilton Circuit Court Distribution: Rachel A. East HOCKER law, LLC, 6626 East 75th Street, Suite 410 Indianapolis, Indiana 46250

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NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Notice is hereby given that Hamilton Southeastern Schools ("Owner"), is requesting proposals from responsible offerors to provide architectural services for the Fall Creek Intermediate School Renovation Project. HSE Schools has allocated \$28,900,000 to renovate Fall Creek intermediate School. It is HSE's recommendation that the occupied phased construction and renovation project will update interior and exterior finishes, address building envelope issues, update mechanical, fire, and public address systems, furniture replacement, kitchen

updates, and make improvements to the playground and parking lot.

The proposals will be received until September 1, 2023, by 3:00 PM

EST. Proposals must be delivered to Matt Rapp, Director of Facilities, Hamilton

Southeastern Schools, 13485 Cumberland Road, Fishers, IN 46038. All proposals received after such time will not be considered and returned to the respective submitter unopened.

The RFP documents for the architectural services are on file with Hamilton Southeastern Schools and may also be examined at the following location: https://www.hseschools.org/happenings/public-notices

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The following will be sold for charges: 9900 PLEASANT ST NOBLESVILLE On 08/04/2023 @ 09:00 AM 2011 JEEP 1J4PP2GK8BW551574 \$2,105.00 2010 DODGE 2B3CA3CV1AH276625 \$3,439.08

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS AND ALL OTHER PERSONS
AFFECTED OF PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING A PROPOSED
LEASE BETWEEN THE CITY OF NOBLESVILLE REDEVELOPMENT
AUTHORITY AND THE CITY OF NOBLESVILLE REDEVELOPMENT

COMMISSION Taxpayers of the City of Noblesville Redevelopment District "Redevelopment District") and all other persons affected hereby are notified that on August 17, 2023, the Redevelopment Commission of the City of Noblesville, Indiana (the "Commission") will hold a public hearing upon a proposed lease (the "Lease") to be entered into between the City of Noblesville Redevelopment Authority, as lessor, and the Commission, as lessee, with respect to the leasing and formation of improvements to the Placent Street Corridor from the intersection financing of improvements to the Pleasant Street Corridor from the intersection of 10th and Pleasant Street, east to just east of the intersection of Pleasant Street and 19th Street, and from the intersection of Hague Road/SR 32 to just west of River Road, together with all necessary appurtenances, related improvements and equipment, in the City of Noblesville, Indiana (the "City"). The Lease will also permit the refinancing of certain outstanding Redevelopment District Bond Anticipation Notes of 2022 of the Commission. The proposed Lease will have a term no longer than twenty-five (25) years. The maximum annual lease rental to be naid by the Commission under the proposed Lease will not exceed \$5,200,000 be paid by the Commission under the proposed Lease will not exceed \$5,200,000. Lease rentals under the proposed Lease will be payable from a special benefits tax levied by the Commission pursuant to Indiana Code 36-7-14-27, to the extent not paid from tax increment revenues from the allocation area for the Pleasant Street Economic Development Area and any road impact fee revenues pledged by the City to the Commission for such purpose. The proposed Lease further provides for terms concerning the use, maintenance, repair, operating and utility costs, insurance, destruction of the premises, defaults, remedies, options to purchase and miscellaneous other matters. The public hearing will be held at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, at the Noblesville City Hall, Council Chambers, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana. All interested parties will be provided the opportunity be heard at the hearing. After the public hearing, which may be adjourned from time to time, the Commission may adopt a resolution authorizing the execution of the proposed Lease on behalf of the City, if it finds that the service to be provided throughout the term of the proposed Lease will serve the public purposes of the City and it is in the best of interests of the City's residents and that the lease rental provided for is fair and reasonable. The proposed Lease is open to public inspection in the Controller's office of the Noblesville City Hall. 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana.

Dated: July 13, 2023 CITY OF NOBLESVILLE REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF HAMILTON COUNTY

Pursuant to IC 5-3-1-2(b) the Hamilton County Council of Hamilton County, Indiana will meet in Executive Session at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 2, 2023 in Conference Room 1A in the Hamilton County Government and Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana 46060 for discussion concerning land acquisition pursuant to IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(2) (D). Following the Executive Session, the Council will hold a Special Work Session beginning at 5:30 p.m. for discussion of Procurement Options; Project & Procurement Status; and Property Tax Relief. At 7:00 p.m. the Council will move to the Commissioners Courtroom to hold their Regular meeting. Purpose of the meeting is for consideration of transfer of funds, 2023 144 Amendments, Reduction of funds and to consider the following additional appropriations in excess of the budget for the current year. The Council will hold a public hearing concerning the additional appropriations. Any person having concerns or questions concerning said appropriations shall be heard at the public hearing. Fund 1169 (0706) Local

Road & Street	3000 Other Services & Charges	900,000
	4000 Capital Outlys	415,000
Fund 1175 (9513)	. ,	
Misdemeanant	1000 Personnel Services	7,500
Fund 1176 (0702) Motor		
Vehicle Highway	4000 Capital Outlys	765,000
2 ,	6000 Other Financing	12,000
Fund 4605 (0180) 2016	2	,
1st Mtg Refunding	7000 Debt	1,560
Fund 4621 (1186) 2012		,
1st Mtg Refunding	7000 Debt	11,500
Fund 4807 (Non Reverting		,
Computer Maint)	2000 Supplies	329,726
•	3000 Other Services & Charges	91,259
	4000 Capital Outlys	40,733
Fund 4816 Bridge	1	-,
Improvement Bonds 2022	4000 Capital Outlys	21,200
Fund 4905 Digital	. ,	,
Orthophotography	3000 Other Services & Charges	32,338
Fund 4906 (5903) Hwy		,
Inspection Fund	3000 Other Services & Charges	51,900
		2,679,716
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#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL INCOME TAX RESOLUTION # CC 08/02/2023-3

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Hamilton County, Indiana, that the Hamilton County Council at the Hamilton County Judicial Center, 1 N 8th St. Noblesville, IN 46060 at seven o'clock

p.m. (7:00 p.m.) on August 2, 2023, the following proposed resolution regarding the local income tax imposed within Hamilton County.

SEE PROPOSED RESOLUTION ATTACHED AS EXHIBIT A After the public hearing, the Hamilton County Council may act on the

proposed resolution. There is no remonstrance opportunity on any action taken on the proposed resolution. The public hearing identified above is the taxpayer's opportunity to express concerns and ask questions on the proposed resolution.

Dated this 14th day of July 2023.

Robin M. Mills, Auditor Hamilton County, Indiana
RESOLUTION PRESENTING ORDINANCE MODIFYING THE LOCAL INCOME TAX RATE FOR HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA WHEREAS, Indiana Code Section 6-3.6-3 establishes a Local Income Tax Council ("LIT Council") which provides that the membership consists of the fiscal body of the county and the fiscal body of each city or town that lies within the

ounty, and authorizes the LIT Council to establish and modify the expenditure tax rate in its county; WHEREAS, Indiana Code Section 6-3.6-3-S(a) and (b) provides that any member of the LIT Counsel may present an ordinance to the members for passage

by simply adopting a resolution to propose the ordinance to the LIT Council and enting the same to the county auditor; WHEREAS, Indiana Code Section 6-3.6-3 provides that before a member of the LIT Council may propose an ordinance or vote on a proposed ordinance,

the member must hold a public hearing on the proposed ordinance and provide the public with notice of the time and place where the public hearing will be held; and WHEREAS, Indiana Code Section 6-3.6-3-3 provides that an ordinance may be adopted after August 31 but before November 1 of a calendar year

establishing the expenditure rate to begin on January 1 of the following year. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Hamilton County Council of Hamilton County, Indiana as follows: The Hamilton County Counsel proposes an ordinance of the

LIT Council modifying the expenditure rate. A copy of said ordinance is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein. By adopting this resolution, the Hamilton County Council is casting all of its 6.35% LIT Council votes in favor of the proposed ordinance in Exhibit A.

 The Hamilton County Auditor is hereby directed to deliver an original executed copy of this Resolution and the Ordinance of the LIT Council to the Clerks of the various LIT Council members.
4. The County Auditor is hereby requested to deliver an original executed copy of the Ordinance of the LIT Council, along with each local unit's resolution, to the appropriate State of Indiana agency so that the new

expenditure rate will become effective January 1, 2024.

5. A public hearing was held on this resolution and the ordinance on August 2, 2023

6. Proper notice of the public hearing was provided per Indiana Code Section 5-3-1

ALL OF WHICH IS RESOLVED THISDAY OF July 19th 2023 HAMILTON COUNTY COUNCIL

> Amy Massillamany, Vice President Brad Beaver Tim Griffin Mark Hall Sue Maki Steven Nation ATTEST Robin Mills, Auditor

Ken Alexander, President



#### **PUBLIC NOTICES**

### ADVISORY PLAN COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

CASE TA-23-4
MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY SUBMIT COMMENTS BY GOING TO: https://townoffishers.formstack.com/forms/public\_meeting\_comment\_form MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY STREAM THE LIVE MEETING BY

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MIAT STREAM THE LIVE MEETING B GOING TO: http://tinyurl.com/CityOffishers NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the Fishers Advisory Plan Commission at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, August 2, 2023 at Launch Fishers Huston Theater, 12175 Visionary Way, Fishers IN 46038.

REQUEST: At that hearing, the public will be invited to offer comments on the following request ("Proposal"): Case # TA-23-4 - Consideration of a text amendment to the Exit 5 / Sunbeam PUD to amend sign standards for The Link at Fishers District building, fka the Navient building. The purpose of this amendment is to allow for supplementary monument, wall, and directional signs from the standard provisions of Section 6.17.6 Free Standing Signs, 6.17.7 Building Signs, 6.17.9 Other Sign Types of the Unified Development Ordinance. LOCATION: 11100 USA PKY, FISHERS, IN 46037

The case file about this project is available for public review in the office of the Department of Planning and Zoning, located at Fishers City Services Building, 3 Municipal Drive, Fishers, IN 46038. The meeting agenda with room location details and case related information will be posted on the City's website fortyeight (48) hours in advance of the meeting specified above. If you have specific questions or want to provide written contacts to the case planner directly, please

City of Fishers Planning & Zoning Department planning@fishers.in.us (317) 595-3155 www.fishers.in.us/notice Petitioner: MJ Wilkow

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#### CITY OF FISHERS PLAT COMMITTEE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

CASE PP-23-3
MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY SUBMIT COMMENTS BY GOING TO: https://townoffishers.formstack.com/forms/public\_meeting\_comment\_form NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the City of Fishers Plat Committee at 4:00 PM on August 2, 2023 at Launch Fishers Theater, 12175 Visionary Way, Fishers, IN 46038.

REQUEST: At that hearing, the public will be invited to offer comments on the following request ("Proposal"): Case # PP-23-3 - Request to approve a Primary Plat of three Blocks and 41 Lots on 6.79 acres, known as the CityWalk property. Subject site is generally located east of Lantern Road and west of the Nickel Plate Trail with a common address near 12162 Lantern Road.

LOCATION: 12002 LANTERN RD, FISHERS, IN 46038, Generally

located east of Lantern Road and west of the Nickel Plate Trail with a comi address near 12162 Lantern Road

The case file about this project is available for public review in the office of the Department of Planning and Zoning, located at Fishers City Services Building, 3 Municipal Drive, Fishers, IN 46038. The meeting agenda with room location details and case related information will be posted on the City's website fortyeight (48) hours in advance of the meeting specified above. If you have specific questions or want to provide written contacts to the case planner directly, please

City of Fishers Planning & Zoning Department

planning@fishers.in.us (317) 595-3155

www.fishers.in.us/notice Petitioner: Aaron Hurt on behalf of Wanas Group LLC

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#### STATE OF INDIANA } IN THE HAMILTON CIRCUIT SS CIVIL DIVISION COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) CAUSE NO.29C01-2305-MI-004204 IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF: GIANNA RENE KALUZA AMANDA R. HAMMOND KALUZA, Petitioner NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

COMES NOW the Petitioner, Amanda R. Hammond Kaluza, and submits

Petition for Name Change of a Minor and hereby gives notice that Petition for Change of Name for a Minor has been filed in the HAMILTON County Circuit Court request that the name of minor Gianna Rene Kaluza be changed to Gianna Rene Carr. The Court, being fully advised in the matter, now finds that this matter should be and is hereby set for hearing.

WHEREFORE the Court orders that a Name Change Hearing is scheduled

September 1, 2023 at 10:00 AM, which is more than thirty (30) days after the third publication of this Notice, for Thirty (30) minutes. Notice is further giver that any person has the right to appear at the hearing on said Petition and/or to file objections on or before the hearing date.

IT IS SO ORDERED ADJUDGED AND DECREED this May 10, 2023.

Kathy Krage Williams Clerk, Hamilton County Distribution: Rachel A. East HOCKER LAW, LLC, 6626 East 75th Street, Suite 410 Indianapolis, Indiana 46250

Allen County Jail 715 S. Calhoun St Fort Wayne, IN 46802

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IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR COURT STATE OF INDIANA ) IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR COURT COUNTY OF HAMILTON ) CAUSE NO. 29D01-2303-EU-000150 IN RE THE UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF: CHARLES N. PHIFER, Deceased. Attorney: James E. Shinaver

Nelson & Frankenberger, LLC 550 Congressional Blvd., Suite 210, Carmel, IN 46032

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA.

In the matter of the Estate of Charles N. Phifer, deceased Cause Number: 29D01-2303-EU-000150

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of April, 2023, James E. Shinaver was appointed personal representative of the Estate of Charles N. Phifer

deceased, who died on January 26, 2021.

All persons having claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of the Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred. Dated at this 5th day of April, 2023.



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#### CITY OF FISHERS ADVISORY PLAN COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

CASE TA-23-3
MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY SUBMIT COMMENTS BY GOING FO: https://townoffishers.formstack.com/forms/public\_meeting\_comment\_form MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY STREAM THE LIVE MEETING BY

MEMBERS OF THE FUBLIC MAT STREAM THE LIVE MEETING BY GOING TO: http://tinyurl.com/CityOfFishers

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the Fishers Advisory Plan Commission at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, August 2, 2023 at Launch Fishers Theater, 12175 Visionary Way, Fishers IN 46038.

REQUEST: At that hearing, the public will be invited to offer comments on the following request ("Proposal"): Case # TA-23-3 - Consideration of a text amendment to the Sandstone (Gray Eagle PUD to allow for a barrier netting system and restaurant use on Parcel 9.

LOCATION: 12500 BROOKS SCHOOL RD, FISHERS, IN 46037, nerally located on the southeast corner of 126th St. and Brooks School Rd.

The case file about this project is available for public review in the office of the Department of Planning and Zoning, located at Fishers City Services Building. Municipal Drive, Fishers, IN 46038. The meeting agenda with room location letails and case related information will be posted on the City's website fortyeight (48) hours in advance of the meeting specified above. If you have specific questions or want to provide written contacts to the case planner directly, please

City of Fishers Planning & Zoning Department planning@fishers.in.us (317) 595-3155

www.fishers.in.us/notice

Petitioner: Stephanie J. Truchan, as agent for Gray Eagle Golf, LLC

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION Notice is hereby given pursuant to Indiana Code § 6-1.1-20-3.5 that the Board of School Trustees (the "Board") of Hamilton Southeastern Schools (the School Corporation") did, on July 12, 2023, make a preliminary determination o issue bonds and enter into a lease agreement (the "Lease") for the renovation of and improvements to Fishers Elementary School, including the The Lease will be for a maximum term of twenty-two (22) years with a maximum annual Lease rental of \$15,000,000. The maximum annual Lease rental has been estimated based upon an estimated principal amount of bonds of \$45,000,000, estimated

sterest rates ranging from 1.00% to 6.00%, and total estimated interest costs of

32,477,700. As required by Indiana Code § 6-1.1-20-3.5(b)(1), the following information was available to the public at the public hearings on the preliminary determination: (i) the School Corporation's current and projected annual debt service payments divided by the net assessed value of taxable property within the School Corporation, which is 0.51%; and (ii) the sum of the School Corporation outstanding long term debt plus the outstanding long term debt of other taxing units that include any other territory of the School Corporation divided by the net ssessed value of taxable property within the School Corporation, which is 5.13%

The School Corporation's current debt service levy is \$59,715,366 and becurrent rate is \$0.5827. After the School Corporation enters into the proposed ease and the bonds are issued, the gross debt service levy will increase by maximum of \$15,000,000 and the gross debt service rate will increase by a maximum of \$0.1498. However, as existing obligations mature, there is no inticipated increase to the Debt Service Fund tax rate above the 2023 certified Debt Service tax rate.

The estimated amount of the School Corporation's debt service levy and rate that will result during the following ten years if the School Corporation enter into the lease and issues the bonds, after considering any changes that will occur o the debt service levy and rate during that period on account of any outstanding bonds or lease obligations that will mature or terminate during that period, is as

Year Estimated Total	Debt Service Levy	Estimated Total Debt Service F
2023	59,715,366	0.5827
2024	62,818,657	0.5827
2025	21,603,521	0.1869
2026	18,714,283	0.1202
2027	12,034,756	0.1042
2028	10,437,865	0.0701
2029	7,021,613	0.0695
2030	6,959,070	0.0688
2031	6,892,093	0.0682
2032	6,828,753	0.0676
2033	6,766,050	0.0669

The Project involves the opening of new school facility space; however, he new school facility space is replacing existing space and will be more efficie han the school facility space which will be demolished as part of the Project. Therefore, the School Corporation does not expect to annually incur an increase of dollars required to operate such new facility space. The purpose of the Lease

If a valid petition pursuant to Indiana Code § 6-1.1-20-3.5 is received vithin 30 days from the first publication of this notice, the proposed debt service or Lease payments must be approved in an election on a local public question held nder Indiana Code § 6-1.1-20-3.6 Dated July 19, 2023.

s/ Secretary, Board of School Trustees

Hamilton Southeastern Schools

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### CITY OF NOBLESVILLE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received: City of Noblesville, Indiana Office of the Clerk 16 S. 10th Street Noblesville, Indiana 46060

Project: PV Solar Array Procurement and Construction / Sly Run Lift Station

Until: 09:00 A.M., local time, Tuesday, August 15, 2023 Receipt of Bids: Bids received after the stated time will be returned unopened. Bids are to be submitted on the Bid Form as provided in the Project Manual and on Indiana State Board of Accounts Form No. 96 (revised 2013) as equired by the statutes of the State of Indiana. Bidders shall submit financial data, statement of experience, proposed plan for performing the Work and the equipment the Bidder has available for the performance of the Work, along with a properly signed Affidavit of Non-Collusion as required by Form No. 96. Bids hall be submitted in a sealed envelope, marked with the name and address of the idder and clearly identified:

SEALED BID: PV Solar Array Procurement and Construction / Sly Run Lift Station

Bid Opening: Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud by the City of Noblesville at the Council Chambers, Noblesville, Indiana 46060, at 09:00 A.M. cal time, Tuesday, August 15, 2023.

Pre-Bid Meeting: A non-mandatory Pre-Bid meeting for interested parties will be held on Tuesday, August 8, 2023 at 10:00 A.M. local time at Sly-Run Lift Station, 1550 Westfield Road, Noblesville, IN 46062. For special accommodation or individuals planning to attend the Pre-Bid meeting or public bid opening, blease call or notify the City of Noblesville at (317) 776-6353 at least forty-eight

Qualification of Bidders: Bidder must have documented experience in he installation of PV Solar Arrays in the state of Indiana. The bidder must have at least three completed, commercial installations to qualify for this works.

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Installations must be referenced in the bid packet.

The Work: The Work shall be completed by certified/qualified Contractor(s) and Subcontractor(s) for the Project all as required by the Bidding Documents which have been assembled into a bound Project Manual and consists of:

The base bid for which proposals are to be received is for the construction of a ground mounted, 89.3 kWdc / 100.0 kWac PV solar array connected to the

existing electrical infrastructure at the Sly Run Lift Station.

Contract Award: Any Bid may be withdrawn prior to the deadline for receipt of Bids, but no Bidder shall withdraw its Bid within sixty (60) days after the opening of the Bids. If a contract is awarded, it will be to the "lowest esponsible and responsive bidder" in accordance with Indiana Code 36-1-12-1 et seq. The Owner, however, reserves the right to reject and/or cancel any and all Bids, solicitations and/or offers in whole or in part as specified in the solicitation when it is not in the best interests of the Owner, and waive any informalities, discrepancies, omissions, variances, or irregularities in bids received in its sol discretion. The Bid Bonds and certified checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned upon selection of the successful Bidder, execution of the Agreement, and provision of the required Performance and Payment Bonds and Certificate of

Bid Documents: Copies of the Specifications and Contract Documents may be obtained on or after Monday, July 17, 2023. Interested Bidders may obtain electronic Bidding Documents by sending an email to mike.morley@telamon.com equesting instructions to download project documents.

Submit all bid questions via email to mike.morley@telamon.com prior to 5:00 P.M. Thursday, August 10, 2023. Questions will only be accepted from firms on the official Plan Holders list. A written response will be emailed to the address on the official Plan Holder's list that is required to be completed at the time the plans are purchased. No questions will be answered by telephone. The contact

person for questions is:
Mike Morley, CEM Telamon Energy mike.morley@telamon.com

Carbon Copy Question To: Jonathan Mirgeaux

Director, Utilities Department imirgeaux@noblesville.in.us

the Owner's final settlement with the Contractor.

Bidders shall assure that they have obtained complete sets of Bidding Documents and the Project Manual and shall assume the risk of any errors or omissions in Bids prepared in reliance on incomplete sets of Bidding Documents or Project Manual. Bids must be submitted on the forms contained in the Project

Each Bid shall be accompanied by bid security in the form of a Bid Bond rovided in the Project Manual in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the total Bid amount, including alternates with a satisfactory corporate surety qualified to o business in the State of Indiana or by a certified check made payable to the City of Noblesville, on a solvent bank in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the amount of the total Bid including alternates. The Bid Bond or certified check shall be security that the successful Bidder will, within ten (10) calendar days or such other time specified by Owner from the acceptance of the Bid, execute the Agreement and provide the required Payment and Performance Bonds, included n the Project Manual and Certificate of Insurance Performance Bond and Labor and Material Payment Bond

A Performance Bond with good and sufficient surety as required by the Owner on the Form provided in the Project Manual, shall be required of the successful Bidder in an amount equal to at least one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Sum, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the Agreement. The surety of the Performance Bond may not be released until one (1) year after

The Contractor shall provide a Payment Bond with a good and sufficient surety as required by the Owner on Form provided in the Project Manual, in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Sum. The Payment Bond is binding on the Contractor, its subcontractors, and their successors and assigns for the payment of all indebtedness to a person for labor and services performed, material furnished, or services rendered. The Payment Bond must stat that it is for the benefit of the subcontractors, laborers, material suppliers, and those performing services. The surety of the Payment Bond may not be released until one (1) year after the Owner's final settlement with the Contractor.

All out-of-state bidder corporations must have a Certificate of Authority o do business in the State. Application forms may be obtained by contacting the ecretary of State, State of Indiana, Statehouse, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204.

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### Indiana Donor Network **Maximizing Use Of Latest Technology To Save More Lives**

Organization reports a 25% increase in recoveries for transplantation from January through June compared to same time period 1 year ago.

With two quarters of 2023 complete, Indiana Donor Network has surpassed the number of organ recoveries it achieved during the first two quarters of its record-breaking year of 2022, putting the organization on pace to save more lives than ever this year.

From January through June 30, 804 lifesaving organs were recovered, a 25% increase in the number of organs recovered during the same time period one year ago. Additionally:

•232 organ donors and 734 tissue and cornea donors were facilitated by the organization. •8,442 tissues were

recovered by the organization. In 2022, during the

same period, 645 lifesaving organs were recovered by Indiana Donor Network. Additionally: •155 organ donors and

617 tissue and cornea donors were facilitated by the organization.

•6,994 tissues were recovered by the organi-

"We are maximizing use of the latest technology available to increase the time organs can remain viable outside the human body as they are transported to patients waiting for a transplant," said Indiana Donor Network President and CEO Kellie Tremain. "These technological advancements are increasing the viability time of donor organs and substantially increasing the time we have and the distance we can span to get these gifts to those whose lives depend on them. Our successes are also due to our growing, hard-working staff, each dedicated to saving and healing lives through various critical roles.

In 2022, Indiana Donor Network began utilizing revolutionary kidney perfusion pumps, which are used in operating rooms during organ recovery and during a donated organ's transport to a transplant center. These pumps keep donated kidneys functioning outside the body, allowing the organ's temperature and vascular performance to be constantly monitored and increasing its viability for successful transplant. Donated kidneys on perfusion pumps can now be transported up

to 250 nautical miles from Indiana Donor Network's Organ and Tissue Recovery Center in Indianapolis, reaching patients at 40 transplant centers throughout the Midwest.

"We've widened our organ donor criteria, enhanced our donor management operations and are utilizing advanced organ recovery coordinators to perform diagnostics and procedures," said Sherry Quire, director of organ services at Indiana Donor Network. "We've added surgical recovery specialists and a surgical medical director. We are also now utilizing a real-time, geo-tracking system to monitor transport of donated organs during all phases of their transport to transplant centers and optimize logistics for recovery, transport and transplantation teams."

Lindsay Hamilton, director of tissue services at Indiana Donor Network, attributes the five-month rise in tissue recoveries to stronger relationships with the organization's tissue recovery partners, which are critical links between tissue donors and recipients. Indiana Donor Network's tissue recovery partners manage the identification of donors and tissue retrieval, preservation and transportation.

"We've worked diligently to enhance and expand our relationships with our tissue recovery partners," Hamilton said. "Many of our partners have expanded their criteria to accept more tissue donors and donors of increased age." Currently, there are

1,259 Indiana residents waiting for a lifesaving organ transplant and more than 4.3 million Hoosiers registered as organ donors.

Despite age or medical history, anyone can sign up to be a donor at DonateLifeIndiana.org.

Indiana Donor Network, a non-profit organization, is the federally designated organ recovery organization that coordinates organ, tissue and cornea donation in Indiana and transplantation throughout the U.S. Its mission is to save and enhance the quality of life through organ and tissue donation and transplantation. Its vision is to be a leader in organ and tissue recovery. Founded in 1987, the organization coordinates donation in 85 of the state's 92 counties and serves transplant hospitals throughout the U.S.





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### **UBETSY** From Page A1

4-H Dog leader because she was good at handling dogs. "I had no training. I just did it. I enjoyed it. I always enjoyed dogs," she said, while watching Monday's Dog Obedience Contest getting started.

"I was always the family person who, whenever anybody in the family got a new dog, I would go and sort of work with it so it wouldn't jump up on them," Arbuckle told me five years ago, when she was celebrating her 45th year. Arbuckle, as a kid, had a Toy Collie, and hunting dogs, then Beagles and Basset Hounds after she was married and started a family.

"I think it's important to know how the legend of Mrs. Arbuckle started, and began and grew to what it is today," Moos said.

Linda Arbuckle's daughter, Dawn, was in tears because her favorite 4-H project, which was dog obedience, was going to be canceled because she didn't have a leader.

So her mom decided to become the leader.

Arbuckle took over 50 years ago for Kay Lancaster, the 4-H Dog leader, who was also leader of the growing Horse & Pony project.

Arbuckle remembered there were roughly three others who wanted her job and 35 4-H'ers in the program.

The family has enjoyed the 4-H Dog project so much that Arbuckle's children and grandchildren have not only been 10-year 4-H'ers in the Dog project, but some of them have followed in Arbuckle's footsteps joining her as 4-H Dog project leaders.

"We've met so many nice people through 4-H," Arbuckle said.

Dawn (Arbuckle) Moos, 63, "who always had a dog," and can remember how her family always took in dogs, is now a 4-H Dog project leader of 37 years.

Arbuckle's new sign - which is to be installed this week in front of the Hamilton County Exhibition Center at the 4-H Fairgrounds -- is long awaited. I remember talking to Arbuckle five years ago, when she celebrated her 45th year, and she was looking forward to a parking sign in her name to commemorate 50 years of volunteering. At that time, she had no intention to retire, because, she said, she was "still waiting" on her parking space.

Why is the 4-H Dog project good for kids?

"I think it's important. It teaches them responsibility, and that's one of the main things that we try to teach in the 4-H Dog project. The 4-H'er needs to be responsible for their care; that, No. 1, helps the dog bond with the 4-H'er. They (canines) really look to whoever provides their food and water as their person to bond to," Dawn Moos told me during a prior interview.

She loves being a leader and teaching the 4-H'ers. "It's a great experience, having grown up with dogs," Dawn Moos said.

Moos said her mom has been "an excellent role model as a mom and a 4-H leader."

Dawn's sister, Beth (Arbuckle) Lawler, 60, is a 4-H Dog project leader of 35 years. Their brother, Brad Arbuckle,

58, has also been involved in the 4-H Dog project and was a leader for a few years. Dawn's daughter, Allison Moos, 35, Fishers, has been a 4-H Dog leader for 15 years. Dawn's son, Adam Moos, 40, is a former 4-H Dog Agility leader and is now a professional dog trainer.

The Dog project is great for kids because it teaches important life skills, the three generations agree.

"It teaches you how to have a lot of patience and a lot of caring and love," Arbuckle has said. "The dog is a very faithful animal and wants to be loved all of the time.

She has said, "A lot of people say when you learn to train a dog, it gives you a lot of experience in working with kids....'

Arbuckle and her children all see eye-toeye, "like two peas in a pod," with their 4-H Dog training. "We all believe in positive training and we don't believe in hitting and whipping....You praise the dog when they do things right, and they will do anything for you then." They also follow the 4-H state rules and regulations.

Each year, "hundreds" of 4-H'ers come through the 4-H Dog program. In 2010, there were 238 4-H'ers enrolled in Dog. "We were the largest Dog Project in the country," Moos said.

"Each year, it's been an enormous group of kids." Arbuckle is so loved and so great at what she does. "Her love and dedication doesn't just stop when the Fair is over or only on Tuesdays.

For several years, she was in charge of the horticulture building on the Fairgrounds.

When her own kids were growing up, she made sure they practiced at home what they learned at the weekly 4-H Dog Obedience class. "Normally. I would want them to practice 20 minutes every day or every other day," she told me. "They enjoyed it, so they worked with the dogs."

Arbuckle has said her daughter Dawn showed Lynda, the English Setter, in 4-H, then later showed Shannon, an Irish Setter who had been dumped at their house in the countryside. "We took her in. We took a lot of dogs in that way. We lived out in the country on a farm, and people always seemed to dump dogs and cats, and we always took them in and took care of them," she told me.

Arbuckle divides 4-H Obedience into five groups, who are trained with the help of other 4-H Dog project leaders, for nearly an hour each week beginning in March. Then the advanced 4-H'ers are trained the second hour. plus 4-H Dog Agility and Dog Showmanship are also offered, with the help of other leaders.

The 4-H motto is to "make the best better" and Arbuckle has been doing that for 50 years.

The community is invited to attend an open house where Arbuckle will be honored for her 50 years of service from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 3, in the Exhibition Center at the 4-H Fairgrounds.

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Hamilton County 4-H Dog project superintendent Lynda Arbuckle of Noblesville is celebrating 50 years teaching the Dog project to 4-H'ers, with her granddaughter, Allison Moos (from left); and daughter, Dawn Moos, who both later joined Arbuckle as co-project leaders; and daughter Beth Arbuckle, grandson Adam Moos and his wife Becki Moos, who are also involved in the Dog project. They were found at the 4-H Dog Obedience and Showmanship Contest on Monday at the 4-H Fairgrounds in Noblesville where Kaitlyn Schiesser's winning Goldendoodle Hunter (front) joined them for a photo.



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Addison Rushmore (left) with her dog, Mia, a German Shorthaired Pointer, earned first place, and Lucy Kaufman, with her dog, Lani, Nederlandse Kooikerhondje breed, earned second place during the Intermediate category judging of the Hamilton County 4-H Fair Dog Showmanship contest on Monday.

### **PAULA** From Page A1

in Atlanta, Arcadia and Cicero. Atlanta's first high school graduation took place in 1896, Cicero's was in 1898 and Arcadia's was in 1899.

Meanwhile, back in White River Township, a new building was erected for Walnut Grove in 1903. The following year Walnut Grove became a commissioned high school. The school's first graduating class — all seven members — received their diplomas in 1905.

(Commissioned high schools were those bearing commissions from the state board of education, as opposed to those managed by the township.)

With the establishment of the two townships' high schools, athletics came into play. (No pun intended.) Fennell provides the mascot, school colors and fight song for each high school from this point on.

Walnut Grove's teams were called the Wolves, and the school colors were gold and purple. The Arcadia Dragons' colors were black and gold, while the Atlanta Cardinals' colors were red and white, the same as Cicero's Red Devils.

In 1943, all Jackson Township high school students began attending



school in Arcadia when Jackson Central High School was created. Jackson Central's mascot was an eagle, and the school colors were a patriotic

red, white and blue. The consolidation of Jackson Central and Walnut Grove in 1965 resulted in the creation of the current high school, Hamilton Heights. (Of course, we know they're the Huskies and their school colors are brown, orange and white.)

The largest section of Fennell's program book is comprised of lists of alumni from Walnut Grove (1905-1965,) Atlanta, Arcadia and Cicero (1896-1943,) and Jackson Central (1944-1965.)

Also included are a couple of maps showing the approximate locations of the township schools, memorials and tributes, and drawings of the various buildings by Walnut Grove graduate Sam Gibbons.

Kermit told me he's heard there may be an update to the program book this year.

Stay tuned.

- Paula Dunn's From Time to Thyme column appears on Wednesdays in The Times. Contact her at younggardenerfriend@gmail.com

### John Girton **Named Exec VP And COS Of Martin** University

Martin University is pleased to announce that John Girton, Jr. has been named Executive Vice President and Chief of Staff. Previously, he was the University's Vice President of Marketing, Communications, and External Relations.

In his new role, Girton

will handle matters of policy and institutional importance on behalf of President and Chief Executive Officer Dr. Sean L. Huddleston. Girton will further support and sustain a culture of service, professionalism, and continuous improvement in the President/CEO's organizational areas. He will build on the University's mission and philosophy by engaging in communicative, collaborative, and respectful relationships with those serving in leadership roles at the University, plus manage special projects, including matters involving University officials and community leaders. He will also help manage office staff within the President/CEO's areas as needed.

"John Girton is a proven leader who has been effective, innovative, and deeply committed to Martin University's success," said Dr. Huddleston. "As EVP and Chief of Staff, he will play a pivotal role in the continued implementation and evaluation of our strategic plan, policies, and priorities. As one of my key advisors, he will work closely with me to ensure that our administrative and operational functions are managed effectively and efficiently. I look forward to all of the excellent contributions John will make in his expanded role."



