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TODAY'S VERSE

1 Peter 1:3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, which according to his abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

Hamilton Happenings

The 3rd Annual Indianapolis-Carmel Children's Festival is set for April 27, noon to 3 p.m. at Civic Square in downtown Carmel. There are new, neat things planned for this family festival. I and a great way to engage with the community. Families from Carmel, Fishers, Zionsville, Hamilton County, Indianapolis and the surrounding area will enjoy stage entertainment (magicians / musicians), carnival games, mini golf, petting zoo, bounce houses, shopping, items for home, resources for families (care, classes, education, and more) and connections to local area businesses.

Three Things You Should Know

1 April is National Safe Digging Month and CenterPoint Energy and the Common Ground Alliance encourage customers to follow safe digging practices. Anyone planning a project that requires digging should contact 811 at least two days prior to their work starting to have underground utilities located for free. This includes home projects, including building a fence, planting trees, installing a deck, placing a mailbox or laying a patio. Not only is it the law, but digging without knowing the location of underground utilities can result in serious injury, service disruptions, fines and costly repairs.

2 "It's a Bird... It's a Plane... It's Superman!" No, it was mysterious streaks of light that filled the sky above California recently. Some guessed that it was the SpaceX Falcon 9 rocket that took off from Vandenberg Space Force Base. Others guessed it was streaks of light caused by a falling space module. Whatever it was, it was, indeed, an amazing celestial event that lit up the dark night sky and provided earthlings with a lot to talk about.

3 Earlier this month was the 50th anniversary of Hammerin' Hank Aaron's 715th home run that broke Babe Ruth's record. On April 8, 1974 the homer was captured on film by Charlie Russo. Now, The Associated Press reports that "the 81-year-old Russo is releasing his long-private footage of the moment," what he calls a truly "magical" moment.

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Heights senior is DAR Good Citizen of the Year



BETSY REASON
Columnist

Hannah Beechler epitomizes the four qualities -- dependability, service, leadership and patriotism --- that define a Daughters of the

American Revolution (DAR) Good Citizen.

The 18-year-old Cicero resident, a senior at Hamilton Heights High School, is the 2024 Good Citizen of the Year, awarded by the Daughters of the American Revolution, Horseshoe Prairie Chapter. She is the daughter of Jeff and Emily Beechler and the granddaughter of Iris Beechler, a school nurse at Hamilton Heights for 25 years.

She accepted the Good Citizen of the Year award recently during a special DAR Awards Tea at the Noblesville Township Community Center. She received a certificate, DAR Good Citizen pin and a large American flag that was flown over the U.S. Capitol in her

honor. Lantzer was among 2024 DAR Good Citizen winners representing eight areas in and around Hamilton County.

What's it mean to be a good citizen?

"To me, being a good citizen means using one's voice to better society and maintaining an open mind," Beechler said. "I think there is so much unnecessary bitterness and hate in the world, and if more people prioritized these two things, we would see so much change for the better. In order for a community to be effective, people have to see each other as human beings with voices that matter and have to actively choose not to let differences divide."

Why is it important to Beechler to be a good citizen?

"It is important to be a good citizen because it allows for society to become a little bit better every day. While we often feel like we are too small to make a difference,



Photo courtesy of Hannah Beechler

Hannah Beechler is Daughters of the American Revolution, Horseshoe Prairie Chapter, Good Citizen of the Year 2024.

when every day individuals dedicate themselves to becoming good citizens, real change happens."

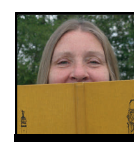
What stood out most about her to the DAR judges?

"I think what stood out most about myself was my dedication to inclusivity," said Beechler, who will graduate in spring 2024. "I have grown up in a community where most people look like me, and yet, I have been fortunate enough to have an incredibly diverse range of experiences. With that being said, I think these experiences have heavily influenced my views on citizenship and made my essay stand out."

The Good Citizen Award and Scholarship Contest was partially based on an essay, "Our American Heritage and Our Responsibility for Preserving It," with the question, "What are the civic responsibilities of a good citizen and why are these duties, activities and behaviors important to the shaping of the America you hope to experience?"

➡ See BETSY on Page A6

Drop, Cover and Hold On



PAULA DUNN
From Time to Thyme

The earthquake that recently shook New York and New Jersey reminded me how fortunate Hamilton

County has been. While it's not unusual for central Indiana to occasionally experience a few tremors, earthquakes are more likely to impact the southwestern corner of the state.

Nevertheless, several quakes have rattled this county during my lifetime. Most have been relatively minor and were, therefore, forgettable, but a few stand out in my memory, like 2010's 3.8 magnitude quake. The epicenter of that one was a little east of Kokomo, near Greentown.

According to the Indianapolis Star, that was the first officially recorded earthquake in north central Indiana and it may have been the first for the Sharpville Fault, a small fault that runs between Tipton and Howard counties.

It hit in the morning while I was still in bed. I don't really remember the bed shaking, so the tremors couldn't have been that bad, but I clearly recall the roar that accompanied them. I had no idea what I'd heard until I turned on the television.

In 1987, a 5.2 magnitude earthquake struck near Lawrenceville, Illinois, west of Vincennes. That one was felt as far away as Virginia and Ontario, Canada.

Here in Hamilton County, walls, furniture and people's nerves were jolted. Several glass jars of fruit juice were knocked to the floor in Kenley's supermarket and the outside arch on the east stairwell of the county courthouse was damaged.

I happened to be walking on the IU campus at Bloomington when that one took place. Because I was outdoors, I didn't even know there'd been an earthquake until later, even though I was closer to the epicenter than the people here were.

My cousin, the Dancing

➡ See PAULA on Page A5



Photo courtesy of Sue Eckl

The Daughters of the American Revolution Horseshoe Prairie Chapter recently announced Hannah Beechler (third from right) of Hamilton Heights High School as their DAR Good Citizen for 2024. Other recognized high school DAR Good Citizen senior honorees from local high schools were (from left to right) Delaney Grider (Fishers High School), Emerson Barrett (Carmel High School), Emma Alexander (Sheridan High School), Gianna Conover (Guerin High School), Hannah Beechler, Meghan Haws (Hamilton Southeastern High School) and Emerson Merrell (Tipton High School). (Not pictured, Bridget Green from Westfield High School.)

TODAY'S HEALTH TIP

Keep your fingers away from your eyes if you want to minimize your chances of getting "pink eye."

Today's health tip was brought to you by Dr. John Roberts.



TODAY'S QUOTE

"News is something someone wants suppressed. Everything else is just advertising."

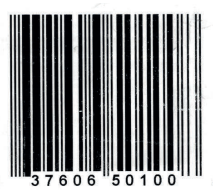
William Randolph Hearst

TODAY'S JOKE

Maybe a fool and his money are soon parted. For the rest of us, it happens every April 15.

OBITUARIES

NONE



The Times appreciates all our customers. Today, we'd like to personally thank RICK GADBERRY for subscribing!

It's a Perfect 10

It seems like we always have known that 10 means perfection.



TIM TIMMONS
Two Cents

Remember Nadia Comaneci? She was the first to do it at the 1976 Montreal Olympics. Mary Lou Retton came along a dozen years later and scored a 10 for the home team. Movie fans might remember Bo Derek in the 1979 movie with the same title.

Symbolists see 10 as an important number, in part because it's the answer to 1+2+3+4. The metric system is based on the number 10.

Back when a lot of us were in school, 10 was the base number in math – and thank God for that! I struggled so much that one of the sisters at Our Lady of Grace told my Mom that I was the reason she had penance.

Ten. For whatever reason, we seem to not only look at it favorably, but it makes some sense to us in an odd sort of way. No real idea why.

A few weeks ago, most Christians celebrated Easter. And pardon me, won't you please, for heading into a little bit on religion. I know, I know, we're not supposed to talk about religion, politics or sex in polite company.

Hey, two out of three ain't bad, right?

As my pal KP says, anyhow, I sat through three Easter services . . . stop it! At my age, I can use all the help I can get. And I couldn't stop reflecting a bit on one particular part – the mystery of faith.

Only one of the services was Catholic, and harking back again to those Our Lady of Grace days, a recitation of such was part of the service. The priest would say the phrase and we would respond with: Christ has died, Christ has risen, Christ will come again. That was it. Simple. Easy.

Ten words.

Yup, 10.

Those 10 spoke volumes, didn't they?

They define Christianity.

Regardless of denomination, Christians tend to believe that Jesus of Nazareth was tortured and killed by the Romans on Friday, walked out of the tomb on Sunday and 40 days later ascended into heaven.

It's just 10 words. Christ has died. Christ has risen, Christ will come again.

OK, OK, I can sense some eyes starting to roll. Fear not, this isn't turning into a long sermon. Heck, I just sat through three of them. I get it.

But doesn't it feel like the world is spiraling dangerously close to out of control? If you were forced to tell the

absolute truth from the deepest part of your being, would you think Sodom and Gomorrah were much worse than where we are today?

No, I'm not ending with predictions about "end of days" or anything like that. I am a believer, and I believe the passage in the Bible that tells us no man will know when the end is coming. All I really know is that a lot of things are changing.

Changing rapidly.

Those 10 words give me hope. They provide comfort. Both seem to be in short supply right now.

Two cents, which is about how much Timmons said his columns are worth, appears periodically in The Times. Timmons is the chief executive officer of Sagamore News Media, the company that owns The Noblesville Times. He is also a proud Noblesville High School graduate and can be contacted at ttimmons@thetimes24-7.com.

Noblesville Councilor Aaron Smith Joins Jensen on List

Noblesville Common Councilor Aaron Smith has joined Mayor Chris Jensen as honorees by an Indianapolis publication.



Aaron Smith

Smith was named to the Indianapolis Business Journal's "Forty Under 40." Each year, the award seeks to celebrate the unique accomplishments of central Indiana's business, government and non-profit leaders.

"We've embraced Noblesville's challenges and opportunities in a unique way over the past five years, and organizations like the IBJ have taken notice," Smith said. "I'm grateful to work alongside Mayor Chris Jensen, our council, and a dynamic administration to enhance the quality of life in Noblesville."

As the council's president in 2023, Smith's leadership proved pivotal in driving several key initiatives forward. He played a crucial role in the successful effort to bring the Pacers' G-League team to Noblesville and central Indiana. Smith also championed a groundbreaking salary increase for Noblesville's public safety officials and led negotiations on the high-profile Pulte/Del Webb development to ensure the project aligned with the city's long-term vision for Wayne Township.

Jensen, who was named to the IBJ "Forty Under 40" list in 2020, has had the privilege of working closely with Smith during his first term, especially during his time as council president.

"Aaron's impact on Noblesville's growth

over the past four years is undeniable, but it's his strategic mindset that truly sets him apart," said Jensen. "Aaron's leadership will be crucial in ensuring Noblesville's success for years to come."

Jensen noted Smith's leadership as indispensable in maintaining a productive working relationship with other elected officials in Hamilton County, particularly during the first year of the Reimagine Pleasant Street project.

"The entirety of this long-overdue infrastructure project runs through his district, and he's been one of the most crucial council members helping the city champion this difficult development. His efforts have played an essential role in keeping Pleasant Street on time and on budget," Jensen said.

Smith currently serves as the 3rd District representative on the Noblesville Council, leads the Downtown District Committee, and previously served as the council president and vice president. He and his wife, Bronwen, live in downtown Noblesville with their two kids. Smith also owns a small business with offices on the square and serves on the boards of Noblesville Main Street and the Noblesville Chamber of Commerce Foundation.

International Talents Appearing in Indiana Church



Dueling Texas pianists Cameron Cody and James Kelly will perform Friday at 7 p.m. in the Wabash Avenue Presbyterian Church Sanctuary in Crawfordsville. This is the third event in the 2024 Concerts on the Corner series. Facebook favorites, Cam and James, from Houston perform contemporary and traditional gospel music as well as Broadway tunes and jazz.

Cody is an internationally recognized concert artist, conductor, and organist. He presently serves as Director of Music and Principal Organist at Chapelwood United Methodist Church in Houston, Texas. Kelly is a professional pianist, singer, and Director of Contemporary Worship and Music at the

Chapelwood Church. Wabash Avenue Church is excited to bring this talented duo where they will use its Yamaha baby grand, the electric piano, and pipe organ. The free concert is presented to the community in recognition of the church's 200th year worshiping in and serving Montgomery County. A free-will offering collected at the concert will support Trinity Life Ministry.

Two fall 2024 concerts will feature Freetown Village Singers and The Tad Robinson Band. Organizers emphasized that the mission of Concerts on the Corner is to spread the love of God through the joy of music. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

FOR THE RECORD

CICERO TOWN COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

- TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 2024 at 7:00 PM
 Call to Order:
 Declare a Quorum Present:
 Approval of Agenda:
 Approval of Prior Minutes:
 Town Council Meeting Minutes, April 2, 2024, 7:00 PM
 Town Council Executive Session Memorandum, April 2, 2024, 7:45 PM
 Approval of 4/16/2024 Claims (emailed):
 Council Committee Reports:
 1. OTC Report –
 2. EDC Report –
 3. SWU Management Board Report –
 Legal Counsel Report – Aaron Culp:
 Cicero/Jackson Township Plan Commission Report
 Town Engineer Report – Keith Bryant
 1. Tamarack –
 1. Water –
 2. Wastewater –
 3. Tollgate Road –
 4. Brinton Street Storm Water Rehab Project –
 Old Business:
 New Business:
 1. Park Board MOU
 2. Park Board Ordinance
 Miscellaneous:
 1. Baker Tilly
 2. County ARPA
 3. Sick Time Policy
 4. Annexation
 5. Annexation Ordinance 04-16-2024-01 (annexation petition emailed)
 6. Foley & Lardner Letter (emailed)
 Comments by Citizens:
 Motion to Adjourn:
 Signatures on Official Documents!
 The Next Cicero Town Council Meeting will be on May 8, 2024 at 7:00 PM at Cicero Town Hall.

For The Record is a public service and regular feature in The Noblesville Times. It is designed to tell you what is scheduled to happen and what actually does happen in meetings paid for with your tax dollars. The Times encourages all citizens to take an active role in being involved in local government.

Thank you for subscribing!

Noblesville Lions Get Guidelines for Grillin'

Earlier this month the Noblesville Lions Club hosted Melissa Ackerman and Amy Ayers to speak on food safety. Melissa and Amy work for the county health department and came to update the club on its food safety guidelines. The club presents food service at some of their events, and wanted to be updated on any guideline requirements. The presentation was very detailed and covered many subjects. Some of the areas covered were permits and paperwork, food transportation, handwashing, serving, cooking and grilling, food handling, cold storage, reheating, cleaning and sanitizing, etc. With the "Grillin' on the Square" coming up the end of May; the club wanted to be sure the event was safe, tasty, and fun for everyone!



From left, Lions' VP Jeff Zozicki thanks Melissa Ackerman and Amy Ayers

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City of Fishers, Hamilton County, Indiana
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SUMMONS - SERVICE BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF HAMILTON COUNTY) SS:
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA)
WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO WELLS FARGO HOME MORTGAGE, INC., PLAINTIFF

vs:
JOSEPH L. PONTEK A/K/A JOSEPH L. PONTEK SR.; BEVERLY K. PONTEK, DECEASED; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND/OR DEVEISEES OF BEVERLY K. PONTEK, DECEASED; ESTATE OF BEVERLY K. PONTEK, DECEASED
DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO: 29D04-2403-MF-002664
NOTICE OF SUIT

To the defendants above named, and any other person who may be concerned.

You are notified that you have been sued in the Court above named. The nature of the suit against you is the foreclosure of a mortgage upon the property legally described as follows:

Part of the Northwest Quarter, Section 22, Township 20 North, Range 4 East, Jackson Township, Hamilton County, Indiana, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the northwest corner of said Northwest Quarter, thence South along the West line of said Quarter 954.5 feet to the point of beginning; thence south along said line 151.09 feet; thence South 89 degrees 27 minutes 20 seconds East 326.53 feet; thence North 151.09 feet; thence North 89 degrees 27 minutes 20 seconds West 326.53 feet to the point of beginning.

Commonly known as:
26441 Devaney Road
Arcadia, IN 46030

This summons by publication is specifically directed to the following defendant(s) whose whereabouts are unknown.

Joseph L. Pontek A/K/A Joseph L. Pontek Sr.
Unknown Heirs and/or Devises of Beverly K. Pontek, Deceased
Estate of Beverly K. Pontek, Deceased

In addition to the above-named defendants being served by this summons, there may be other defendants who have an interest in this lawsuit.

An answer or other appropriate response in writing to the Complaint must be filed either by you or your attorney with the Clerk of the Court for Hamilton County at:

Clerk of Hamilton County
One Hamilton County Square, #106
Noblesville, IN 46060

on or before the 17 day of May 2024, (the same being thirty (30) days after the Third Notice of Suit), and if you fail to do so a judgment may be entered against you for what the plaintiff has demanded.

Codilis Law, LLC
Electronically Signed by:
Brian Berger
19753-45

ATTEST:
Clerk, Hamilton Superior Court
Attorney for Plaintiff

Codilis Law, LLC
8050 Cleveland Place
Merrillville, IN 46410
(219) 736-5579
15-24-00366

NOTE: This law firm is a debt collector.
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SUMMER POSITION AVAILABLE
Engineering Technician

Duties include: Conducting traffic counts, evaluating roads and pavement marking, inspecting and inventorying signs and small structures. Will also assist the engineering department in traffic studies, traffic investigations and inspection of projects. Must be 18 and have a valid driver's license.

Pay range starts at \$15.00 per hour depending upon qualifications. This is a great opportunity for a student considering a career in engineering. Applications are available on-line at www.hamiltoncounty.in.gov/jobs.aspx (See part-Time Seasonal Engineering - Highway).

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CARMEL/CLAY BOARD OF PARKS & RECREATION
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Project: Monon Center Indoor Playground
1195 Central Park Drive West, Carmel, Indiana 46032

Notice is hereby given that the Carmel/Clay Board of Parks and Recreation will receive sealed bids for the above described Project at its Administrative Offices located at 1411 E. 116th Street, Carmel, IN 46032 until April 30, 2024 at 11:30 am local time and, commencing as soon as practicable thereafter on the same date, such bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Conference Room of the Administrative Offices. No late bids will be accepted.

All bids and proposals shall be properly and completely executed on the proposal forms provided with the plans and specifications, which will include the non-collusion affidavit as required by the State of Indiana, along with a properly and completely executed Form 96 (revised 2013) prescribed by the Indiana State Board of Accounts which includes a financial statement, a statement of experience, a proposed plan or plans for performing the Work and the equipment the Bidder has available for the performance of the Work. The bid envelope must be sealed and have the words "BID - Monon Center Indoor Playground" on the outside of the envelope.

A bid bond or certified check in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the amount bid must be submitted with each bid. The bid bond or certified check shall be made payable to Carmel/Clay Board of Parks & Recreation. A one hundred percent (100%) performance and payment bond will also be required of the successful bidder. It is intended that actual construction of all work divisions shall be started as soon as practicable, and each bidder shall be prepared to enter promptly into a construction contract, furnish performance and payment bonds, and begin work without delay in the event the award is received. A three year maintenance bond in the form contained in the Contract Documents will be required upon completion of the Project.

The Project consists of, but is not necessarily limited to, the following: Construction of a new Childrens activity space within an existing building. Work included Demolition, construction of new spaces, finishes, electrical, preparation of spaces for work by others.

In the event that the total amount of the contract awarded to the successful bidder is \$300,000.00 or more, the successful bidder must be qualified under either Ind. Code §4-13-6-4 or Ind. Code §8-23-10 before performing any work on the Project. All out of state entities must have a certificate of authority to do business in the State of Indiana. Application forms may be obtained by contacting the Secretary of State, State of Indiana, Statehouse, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204.

Contract Documents for the Project have been assembled into one bound project manual, which together with drawings, may be examined at and obtained from the office of Eastern Engineering Supply Company, 9901 Allisonville Road, Fishers, Indiana 46038; Phone: (317) 598-0661. The plan charge will be listed on the online plan room. Payments and costs of Contract Documents and related supplemental materials are non-refundable. NO DEPOSITS ACCEPTED.

Bidders shall assure that they have obtained complete sets of drawings and Contract Documents and shall assume the risk of any errors or omissions in bids prepared in reliance on incomplete sets of drawings and Contract Documents.

A pre-bid conference for discussions of the Project, the bidding requirements and other important matters will be held on April 17, 2024 at 1:00 pm local time in the Monon Community Center Multipurpose Room West, 1195 Central Park Drive West and shall conclude with a site visit to the location where the Work is to be performed. All prospective bidders are invited to attend the pre-bid conference. The pre-bid conference is mandatory.

The Board intends to award a contract for the Project in accordance with Ind. Code §36-1-12 et seq., to the lowest responsible and responsive bidder whose bid does not exceed the funds available for the Project. The Owner shall have the right to accept any alternates in any order or combination or accept on the basis of the Base Bid alone, unless otherwise specifically provided in the bidding documents and to determine the lowest responsible and responsive Bidder on the basis of the sum of the Base Bid and any alternates accepted.

For special accommodations for individuals planning to attend the pre-bid conference or public bid opening meeting and in need of assistance, please call or notify Audrey Cooper at (317) 573-4022 or acooper@carmelclayparks.com at least forty-eight (48) hours prior thereto.

No bidder may withdraw any bid or proposal within a period of sixty (60) days following the date set for receiving bids or proposals, and all bids shall remain in full force and effect during such period. Carmel/Clay Board of Parks and Recreation 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 solicitations when it is not in the best interests of the Board as determined by the Director.

Publication Instructions: Publish two (2) times in the Carmel Current on April 9, 2024 and April 16, 2024, and in the Noblesville Times on April 9, 2024 and April 16, 2024.

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SUMMONS - SERVICE BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR COURT) 5) SS:

COUNTY OF HAMILTON) CAUSE NO. 29D05-2401-MF-001041)
FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION,)
Plaintiff,

vs.
DAVID PHONDO-CHILEMBA, ELIZABETH PHONDO-CHILEMBA and SCOFIELD FARMS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.,)
Defendants.

NOTICE OF SUIT
The State of Indiana to the Defendant(s) above named, and any other person who may be concerned.

You are hereby notified that you have been sued in the Court above named. The nature of the suit against you is:
Complaint on Note and to Foreclose Mortgage on Real Estate
Against the property commonly known as 19470 Donelson Lane, Westfield, IN 46062-0021 and described as follows:

Lot Numbered 209 in Scofield Farms, Section 5, Secondary Plat, an Addition to the City of Westfield, Hamilton County, Indiana, according to the plat thereof recorded February 12, 2021 as Instrument No. 2021011571 in Plat Cabinet 6, Slide 56, in the Office of the Recorder of Hamilton County, Indiana.

This summons by publication is specifically directed to the following named defendants: David Phondo-Chilemba and Scofield Farms Homeowners Association, Inc.

This summons by publication is specifically directed to the following named defendant whose whereabouts are unknown: Elizabeth Phondo-Chilemba
If you have a claim for relief against the plaintiff arising from the same transaction or occurrence, you must assert it in your written answer or response.

You must answer the Complaint in writing, by you or your attorney, within thirty (30) days after the Third Notice of Suit, and if you fail to do so a judgment by default may be entered against you for the relief demanded, by the Plaintiff.

FEIWELL & HANNOY, P.C.
By /s/ Matthew S. Love
MATTHEW S. LOVE
Attorney No. 18762-29
Attorney for Plaintiff

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STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR COURT 1
) SS:
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) CAUSE NO. 29D01-2403-EU-000107
IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED ESTATE OF)
DALE A. ROUCH, DECEASED.)
NOTICE OF UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given that Debra A. Bergman, on this date March 11, 2024, was appointed as personal representative of the estate of Dale A. Rouch, deceased, who died on January 21, 2024, leaving a will. The estate will be administered without Court Supervision.

Kathy Kreag Williams
Clerk of the Hamilton Superior Court

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NOTICE TO ALL CREDITORS OF BROWN & SHERFICK FARMS, LLC AN INDIANA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
To: All Creditors of Brown & Sherfick Farms, LLC, an Indiana Limited Liability Company;
You are hereby notified that Brown & Sherfick Farms, LLC, an Indiana limited liability company (the "Company") with its principal office located at 10611 East 191st Street, Noblesville, Indiana 46060 was dissolved on March 21, 2024.

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29D01-2402-ES-000055
Hamilton Superior Court 1
STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR COURT# 1
) SS
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) Cause No. 29D01-2402-ES-000055
In the Matter of the Estate of
CONNIE T. COVERDALE
Notice BY PUBLICATION TO Heir'S OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF ESTATE FOR PURPOSE OF TRANSFERRING REAL ESTATE AND SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Kathy Kreag Williams
Clerk of Hamilton County.

Timothy Stoesz
Stoesz & Stoesz, LLC
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STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) CAUSE NO. 29D01-2403-EU-000143
IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF SHERYL A. TRUSTY, DECEASED
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given that Sarah Johnston was, on March 26, 2024, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Sheryl A. Trusty, Deceased, who died on December 9, 2023.

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
In the Hamilton County Superior Court 1
In the matter of the Estate of John P. Isenbarger, Deceased.
Cause No. 29D01-2403-EU-000151
Notice is hereby given that on April 1, 2024, J. Jacob Isenbarger and Lucas C. Isenbarger were appointed Co-Administrators of the Estate of John P. Isenbarger, who died on March 7, 2024.

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STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR COURT #3
) ss
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) CAUSE No. 29D03-2403-ES-000111
IN THE MATTER OF THE)
SUPERVISED ESTATE OF)
KELLY BISHOP a/k/a KELLY COYLE)
NOTICE OF SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given that Darla Ramsey was, on March 12th, 2024 appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Kelly Bishop a/k/a Kelly Coyle, deceased, who died on October 20, 2023 and is authorized to administer said estate with court supervision.

Kathy Kreag Williams
Clerk, Hamilton County Superior Court

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**CITY OF NOBLESVILLE
NOTICE TO BIDDERS**
Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received:
By/At: City of Noblesville, Indiana
Office of the Clerk
16 S. 10th Street
Noblesville, Indiana 46060
Project: 2024 Fox Prairie Golf Course - Bunker Remodel-Phase 2
Until: 9:00 A.M., local time, Tuesday, April 23, 2024
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 required by statutes of the State of Indiana.

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 the contract is awarded, it will be the "lowest responsible and responsive bidder" in accordance with Indiana Code 36-1-12-1 et seq. The Board, 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 under 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 Insurance.
Bid Documents: copies of the Specifications and Contract Documents may be obtained on or after March 26, 2024. Interested Bidders may obtain electronic Bidding Documents by sending an email to crbrisco@noblesville.in.gov requesting instructions to download project documents.

Submit all bid questions in writing to City of Noblesville - Fox Prairie Golf Course prior to 12:00 PM, local time on April 17, 2024. 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: Curt Brisco, Golf Superintendent, City of Noblesville - Parks Department, Email: crbrisco@noblesville.in.gov
Bid Documents - Review:
Work will be in accordance with the Bidding Documents, which may be viewed at the following location:
City of Noblesville Fox Prairie Golf Course
8465 E. 196th Street
Noblesville, IN 46062
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 forms contained in the Project Manual and must contain the names of every person or company interested therein.

Each Bid shall be accompanied by bid security in the form of a Bid Bond as provided 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 do 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 the Owner from the acceptance of the Bid, execute the Agreement and provide the required Payment and Performance Bonds, included in 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 Owner's final settlement with the Contractor.
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 state 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 to do business in the State. Applications forms may be obtained by contacting the Secretary of State, State of Indiana, Statehouse, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204.
CITY OF NOBLESVILLE
Parks and Recreation Department
Patty Johnson, Interim Parks and Recreation Director
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STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) CAUSE NO. 29D02-2403-EU-000137
IN THE MATTER OF THE UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF STEVEN A. RUBENSTEIN, DECEASED
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given that Carolyn Rubenstein was, on March 25, 2024, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Steven A. Rubenstein, Deceased, who died on January 14, 2024.
All persons who have claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the clerk of this 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 Noblesville, Indiana, this March 25, 2024
/s/ Kathy Kreag Williams
Clerk, Hamilton County Superior Court
Cara M. Chittenden, Esq.
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STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR COURT 1
) SS:
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) CAUSE NUMBER: 29D01-2402-JC-000158
IN THE MATTER OF:
ST - DOB 5/23/2012
A CHILD ALLEGED TO BE
A CHILD IN NEED OF SERVICES
AND
GARRICK THOMAS (FATHER)
SUMMONS FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION
& NOTICE OF CHILD IN NEED OF SERVICES
HEARING
TO: Garrick Thomas
Whereabouts unknown
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above noted parent whose whereabouts are unknown, that the Indiana Department of Child Services has filed its Verified Petition Alleging the child to be in Need of Services, in accordance with I.C. 31-34-9-3, and that an adjudication hearing has been scheduled with the Court.
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Judge of the Hamilton Superior Court 1, One Hamilton Square, #345, Noblesville, IN 46060 - 317-773-9655 for a(n) Initial/Fact Finding Hearing on 6/7/2024 at 8:30 AM. At said hearing, the Court will consider the Petition and evidence thereon and will render its decision as to whether the above named minor child is child in need of services and shall enter adjudication accordingly. Your failure to appear after lawful notice will be deemed as your default and waiver to be present at said hearing.
UPON ENTRY OF SAID ADJUDICATION, A DISPOSITIONAL HEARING will be held in which the Court will consider (1) Alternatives for the care, treatment, or rehabilitation for the child; (2) The necessity, nature, and extent of your participation in the program of care, treatment, or rehabilitation for the child; and (3) Your financial responsibility for any services provided for the parent, guardian or custodian of the child including child support.
YOU MUST RESPOND by appearing in person or by an attorney within thirty (30) days after the last publication of this notice, and in the event you fail to do so, an adjudication on said petition, judgment by default may be entered against you, or the court may proceed in your absence, without further notice.
Clerk
Patrick Goodwin, 35485-49
Attorney, Indiana Department of Child Services
938 N. 10th Street
Noblesville, IN 46060
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29D01-2403-EU-000113
Patricia Seazor Bailey
TUOHY BAILEY & MOORE, LLP
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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
In the Hamilton Superior Court, Probate Division
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF SANDRA GEARNER JUSTICE, DECEASED
Estate Docket No. 29D01-2403-EU-113 --
Notice is hereby given that DAVID R. JUSTICE was, on the 12th day of March, 2024, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Sandra Gearer Justice, deceased, who died on February 1, 2024.
All persons who have claims against this Estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the clerk of this 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 Noblesville, Indiana this 12th day of March 2024.
Kathy Kreag Williams
Clerk for Hamilton Superior Court
Probate Division
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**Legal Notice
Board of zoning appeals**
The Cicero/Jackson Township Board of Zoning Appeals will meet on April 18th, at 7:00 PM at the Cicero Town Hall building located at 70 North Byron Street, Cicero Indiana 46034, in order to hear the following petitions:
Docket No. BZA-0424-10-R2
A Development Standards Variance Application has been submitted regarding the property located at 23475 Cammack Road, Cicero IN 46034 to: allow an accessory structure in the front of the primary structure. Whereas Article 7.5 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance states that an accessory structure shall only be placed in the rear or side of the primary structure in the R2 district.
Docket No. BZA-0424-12-R2
A Development Standards Variance Application has been submitted regarding the property located at 23475 Cammack Road, Cicero IN 46034 to: allow an accessory structure to exceed 65% of the finished floor area of the primary structure. Whereas Article 7.5 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance states that an accessory structure shall not exceed 65% of the finished floor area of the primary structure in the R2 district.
Docket No. BZA-0424-11-R2
A Development Standards Variance Application has been submitted regarding the property located at 23475 Cammack Road, Cicero IN 46034 to: allow an accessory structure with a height of 25 feet, Whereas Article 3.6 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance states that an accessory structure shall not exceed 18 feet in height in the R2 district.
Docket No. BZA-0424-13-R2
A Development Standards Variance Application has been submitted regarding the property located at 23475 Cammack Road, Cicero IN 46034 to: allow an accessory structure with 100% siding on all facades.
Whereas Article 7.22 of the Cicero/Jackson Township Zoning Ordinance states that an accessory structure shall have primarily brick or natural cut stone on all facades.
Project Address: 23475 Cammack Road, Cicero IN 46034
Legal Descriptions: Acreage 12.32 Section 4, Township 19, Range 4
Parcel numbers: 03-06-04-51-001-005.003
The petition may be examined at the office of the Cicero/Jackson Township Plan Commission, 331 E. Jackson St., Cicero, IN 46034.
Interested parties may offer an oral opinion at the Hearing. Comments may be mailed to Cicero/Jackson Planning Commission at P.O. Box 650 Cicero, IN 46034. Comments may also be dropped off in the Cicero Utilities payment drop box located at 331 E. Jackson St. Cicero, IN. Comments may also be emailed to fzawadzki@townofcicero.in.gov Comments must be received by 3:00 pm on the date of the hearing. Written comments will be read aloud during the public hearing and entered into the record of the Hearing.
The hearing may be continued from time to time as may be found necessary.
Petitioner: Adam and Nichole Knoll March 20th, 2024
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**NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
CITY OF FISHERS, INDIANA**
Residential Solid Waste, Yard Waste, Recycling Collection and Disposal
Notice is hereby given that Sealed Proposals for Residential Solid Waste, Yard Waste, Recycling Collection and Disposal (the "Services") will be received by the City of Fishers, Indiana (the "City"), Fishers City Services Building Attn: Jordyn Alexander, Fishers City Hall, 3 Municipal Drive, Fishers, IN 46038, until June 1st, 2024 @ 10 a.m., local time. The Proposal should be clearly marked "PROPOSAL ENCLOSED Residential Solid Waste, Yard Waste, Recycling Collection and Disposal" on the outside of the envelope, and as otherwise set forth in the RFP Documents. The Proposals will be publicly opened at 11 a.m. on June 1, 2024, at Fishers City Services Building and then taken under advisement.
In general, the Services outlined in the RFP consist of weekly pick-up of bagged, containerized and/or bundled household Solid Waste, Yard Waste and bi-weekly (or alternatively weekly) curbside commingled Recycling from all eligible Residential Units within the geographic limits of the City and disposal. The Services may also include Solid Waste and Recycling collection and disposal for designated City Facilities, all as required by the RFP Documents, the Contract Between the City of Fishers, Indiana and Contractor, and the City of Fishers Residential Solid Waste, Yard Waste, Recycling Collection and Disposal Specifications (the "Specifications"). Copies of the RFP Documents may be examined without charge at the Fishers City Services Building, 3 Municipal Drive (Front Desk) Fishers, Indiana 46038, or is available online at https://fishers.in.gov.
Proposals are required to include a Bid based on the Contract and Specifications as set forth in the RFP Documents but may also propose alternative contract terms and specifications for the Services. Any such alternative proposals should include a statement of the impact of each proposed alternative on the price. Proposals must be submitted on the forms in the RFP Documents, must contain the names of every person or company interested therein, and shall be accompanied by:
(1) Indiana State Board of Accounts Revised Form No. 96 as required in the Instruction to Proposers, including a financial statement, a statement of experience, a proposed plan or plans for performing the Services and the equipment the Proposer has available for the performance of the Services;
(2) Bid Bond or certified check in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the total Bid amount, including alternates with a satisfactory corporate surety on a solvent bank. The Bid Bond or certified check shall be evidence of good faith that the successful Proposer, if the original Bid is accepted, will execute the Contract as included in the RFP Documents. The Bid Bond or certified check shall be made payable to the City.
Any Bid may be withdrawn prior to the scheduled closing time for receipt of Bids, but no Proposer shall withdraw its Bid within one hundred eight (180) days after the actual opening of the Bids.
All Bid Bonds and certified checks of unsuccessful Offerors will be returned upon selection of the successful Proposer and execution of the Contract, and provision of the required Performance and Payment Bonds.
A Performance Bond with good and sufficient surety, acceptable to the City, on the form enclosed, shall be required of the successful Proposer in an amount equal to at least one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Sum for one (1) year, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the Contract.
The Contractor shall execute a Payment Bond to the City, approved by the City, on the form enclosed, and for the benefit of the City, in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Sum for one (1) year. The Payment Bond is binding on the Contractor, its subcontractors and material suppliers, 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 state 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 City's final settlement with the Contractor.
All out-of-state corporations must have a certificate of authority to do business in the State. Application forms may be obtained by contacting the Secretary of State, State of Indiana, Statehouse, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204.
At the City's discretion, to further assist in its evaluation, one or more responding Offerors may be requested to participate in discussions or negotiations. The City may accept any Bid as submitted, or alternatively may negotiate with Offerors on the scope of services, specifications, contract terms, or any other aspect of the RFP. The City reserves the right to reject and/or cancel any and all Bids or Proposals, and/or to waive any informalities, solicitations and/or offers in whole or in part as specified in the solicitation when it is not in the best interests of the governmental body as determined by the purchasing agency in accordance with IC 5-22-18-2.
City of Fishers, Indiana
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“The civic responsibilities I believe categorize a good citizen are using one’s voice to better society, exhibiting an open mind, and protecting the freedoms granted to them and others,” Beechler wrote in her essay.

“I feel Hannah has a great strength of character. She cares very deeply about her friends, family and how she represents herself, Hamilton Heights High School AP World and U.S. History and Economics teacher Travis Kauffman wrote in Beechler’s recommendation letter for the award. Kauffman referred to Beechler as “an activist and advocate for causes that she cares deeply about. These often are in support of those that have fewer opportunities and less of a voice than she has. Her compassion, empathy and genuineness has made our community and school a better place.”

Hamilton Heights teacher Joy Volz had Beechler for three years in class, in an accelerated English class and in Etymology class as well as being her teacher’s assistant. “She is truly a rare gem whether it is challenging herself in the classroom (or) giving selflessly of her time. She loves learning and being challenged to think, and I absolutely loved her open-mindedness.” Volz refers to Beechler as “a standout.” She said, “It’s just who she is.”

“‘Typical’ does not describe Hannah Beechler! I would call Hannah Beechler a Rock Star, and Hannah Beechler would say she is just a typical high school student who is searching to find herself just like every other teenager.”

Beechler enjoys helping others. “What satisfies me most about volunteering is the ability to not only improve the lives of others but to better myself and my perspectives on the world.” Her favorite way to volunteer has been being a part of her school’s unified sports program for students with and without special

needs to play together on the same team.

She will graduate this spring with a Core 40 Diploma and Academic Honors. At the end of her junior year, she had a cumulative grade point average of 4.238 and her class rank was four among 188 students.

“The person who inspires me most is my youth pastor, Amber. While her life has been anything but easy, she handles any obstacle that comes her way with strength and dignity. She loves people in a way that is so special and gives back to her community by pouring into the people around her.”

In June 2022, Beechler became “the first woman to preach on stage at my church,” she said. Her message centered around mental health.

In high school, Beechler has been student government class president all four years and has been involved in Bring Change to Mind, Drama Club, Huskies for the Cross, unified flag football and Business Professionals of America all four years. She has been involved in National Honor Society, varsity tennis, unified track and field, Bradford Woods counseling staff, Husky Ambassadors, Spanish Club and more. She has competed and excelled in speech and more. She organized a youth group trip to Exodus, refugee center in Indianapolis, to help families by building furniture. She is on the Cicero Christian Church worship team and children’s ministry. Her part-time jobs have included Cicero ballpark ticketing and concessions, elementary tutor and Mill Top Banquet and Conference Center event associate.

She plans to double major in marketing and communications at University of Cincinnati and minor in sports administration and become involved in the Honors College there, plus work on campus to pay for student loans. Beechler hopes to work in the marketing sector

of the baseball industry.

Beechler said, “My three most important life goals are to pursue a career that I love and allows me to give back, to intentionally make the people around me feel seen and loved, and above all, to do everything in a way that glorifies God.”

All of the finalists -- who represented their respective schools -- had impressive resumes with many high school activities, achievements and areas of special interests, way too many to mention all of their accolades.

Each student contestant wrote an essay without the use of reference materials, according to contest rules.

Noblesville’s Horseshoe Prairie Chapter of DAR presents the Good Citizen Award each year to one graduating senior.

While the winners from each school all have good grades, being honored as a DAR Good Citizen is so much more than good grades. It means you’ve given back to the community, to your school, to your church and to your family, and that you were voted on by your peers and by your administrators. Each year at the DAR Good Citizen of the Year Tea, winners from each participating school attend, read their essays and receive DAR Good Citizen Pins. The winners then pose for photos and enjoy cake served by the ladies of the DAR.

Other Good Citizen finalists representing each of their participating high schools included: Emerson Grace Barrett, representing Carmel High School; Delaney Brooke Bridger, Fishers High School; Gianna Louise Marie Conover, Guerin High School; Meghan Haws, Hamilton Southeastern High School; Emma Madison Alexander, Sheridan High School; Emerson Nicole Merrell, Tipton High School; and Bridget Marie Green, Westfield High School.

The National Society

Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) is a women’s service organization whose members can trace their lineage to an individual who contributed to securing American independence during the Revolutionary War, according to DAR’s Sue Eckl. Today’s DAR has dynamic and diverse members in 4,000 chapters in the United States and abroad. DAR members annually provide millions of hours of volunteer service to their local

communities across the country and world. DAR chapters participate in projects to promote historic preservation, education, and patriotism. Over one million members have joined the organization since its founding in 1890.

Betsy Reason writes about people, places and things in Hamilton County. Contact The Times Editor Betsy Reason at betsy@thetimes24-7.com.

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