

Ruidoso Refinances Regional Airport

By DORIS CHERRY

Ruidoso Village Council refinanced the Sierra Blanca Regional Airport at its regular meeting Tuesday.

Councillors conducted a public hearing, then without protest, approved an ordinance authorizing the reissuance of \$2,940,000 in bonds to pay off an existing debt on the Sierra Blanca Regional Airport and to provide \$214,000 additional to purchase the T-hangars for airplane storage at the airport. The hangars currently are privately owned and are being offered to the village for a reasonable price. The hangars have been income makers.

By "refinancing" the bonds, the village will have lower annual payments, lower interest rates and enough money to buy the money-making hangars. The bonds are financed by a one-half of one percent gross receipt tax collected in the village of Ruidoso.

The bond payback period will be extended 10 years, but lower interest rates will make the actual interest cost roughly the same as it was for the original bonds, said Kevin Powers, representative of The Principles, Eppler, Guerin and Turner, Inc. of Albuquerque. He and associate Gary Casey presented the ordinance documents and provided the bond-

ing information.

The original bonds were at interest rates of 8-9.25 percent, scheduled to expire 2002. The new issue will be at rates of 3.15 to 6.75 percent, set to expire 2012. The lower interests, along with the payback extension, will result in lowered annual payments.

Last year the airport fund had a deficit of \$140,000, in operating costs over income. However, that figure included the debt service to the bond. The \$140,000 deficit was balanced from the village general fund.

Funds collected on the one-half percent gross receipt tax was some \$500,000 last year. The debt on the bonds was

\$376,000. Previously, the village has deposited tax funds in excess of the debt into the general fund, not airport operations.

Councillor Jerry Shaw had brought the dedication of the one-half percent of the council's attention at a previous meeting, and again Tuesday. Village manager Ron Wicker and Powers had researched the original bond covenants which dedicates all the funds collected to the airport property acquisition and operations and agreed the funds had to be directed to the airport.

Powers said that bond council was adamant that the money collected from the half-percent

tax go to airport purposes only, because the tax was imposed and dedicated for the airport exclusively for the life of the bond. Any funds in excess of the debt service may not go to the general fund.

Instead, tax money collected will go first to the debt service on the airport bonds, then any excess to airport operations. With the taxes going for airport operations, it is possible the fund will have more money than needed.

"It's not what the public expects," said Mayor Victor Alonso, "for the airport to make money."

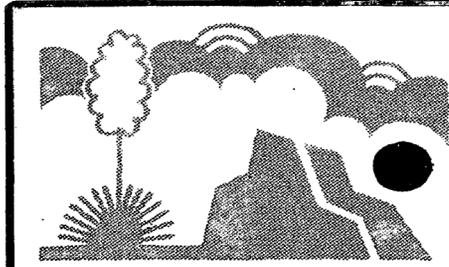
The airport is expected to generate enough revenue to

replace the airport tax funds previously put into the general fund.

The council also accepted the low bid for an escrow agreement on the bonds from United New Mexico Bank of Albuquerque, at \$11,250 for the entire life of the bonds.

Powers said the bond transactions was very complicated. Councillors had to cancel the previous bonds, approve the ordinance to issue the new bond series and approve such things as minutes to the meeting. Closing date for the sale of the municipal bonds, soRl at lots of

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Carrizozo Trustees Clarify Ordinance

By RUTH HAMMOND

The Carrizozo Board of Trustees accepted the resignation of town attorney Bob Beauvais during the Jan. 12 town council meeting. Beauvais said in a letter to the council that he was not interested in renewing his contract with the town. The three-year contract which began in 1991 was due for annual review Jan. 8.

In other business, trustees agreed to clarify the ordinance pertaining to Lodger's Tax Procedures. Lodge's taxes are due by the 20th of the month with late charges of \$10 added for late payments. Trustees agreed to notify lodging establishments that the new policy will be: if the 20th falls on a weekend or on a holiday then the payment will be due the next business day after the weekend or holiday.

Trustees approved the joint powers agreement with Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources for 36 trees to be planted on town property. The agreement calls for 23 trees to be planted at the new fire station and 13 trees to be planted at Fred Chavez Park. Trustees discussed the possibility of planting some of the trees at the airport and on other town property.

Action was tabled on a joint powers agreement with the state of New Mexico for wildfire suppression. The

agreement will go to the Carrizozo Volunteer Fire Dept. for approval.

Trustees approved the newly elected fire department personnel. Trustees extended their appreciation to the people who join the fire department. Trustees also asked that driver's licenses of all volunteer firemen be reviewed for traffic violations such as tickets, citations or revocation of licenses.

Airport manager Hal Marx reported the runway lights are out again, the "Toys for Kids" Christmas program was a success with 70 children receiving gifts, and 20 people attended the Christmas eggnog party at the airport.

Police department head Charlie White received permission to attend a school in Alamogordo Jan. 21 for recertification on the breathalyzer machine. There will be no cost to the town for White and relief officer Bill Murry to attend. White said officers need to perform two or three tests each month to remain certified.

White told of a video camera he wants to purchase for the police department. The camera would be in the police vehicle and videos can be used in court. White wants to trade-in old police equipment to help reduce the cost of the video camera.

State law requires the town to advertise for sealed bids for the video camera with bid specs to stipulate what equipment

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LINCOLN COUNTY CLERK MARTHA PROCTOR looks through one of the bound copies of the Lincoln County News that will be stored in new shelving units in the county clerk's office. The top of the line Spacesavers shelving units easily open on tracks by turning knobs and provide access to records like deeds, licenses and other documents kept by the clerk, including old newspapers. The shelves will provide 100 percent more storage in the same amount of floor space the old shelves used. One reason Proctor wanted the new shelves is to get the old files and records out of the courthouse basement. Proctor purchased the shelving unit with funds from the courthouse improvement mill levy.

Capitan Street Is Smokey Bear Blvd.

Capitan Trustees renamed First Street Smokey Bear Blvd. at their regular meeting Monday.

To honor the village's favorite son Smokey Bear in his 50th anniversary in 1994, trustees approved a name change requested by Friends of Smokey. Trustee Gordon Ross, also a friend, made the motion.

Friends of Smokey will pay for street signs reading Smokey Bear Blvd.

D'aun Willoughby presented the audit of the 1991-92 fiscal year. While the village had revenues less than budgeted, the audit showed no material weaknesses. The village also complied with all material aspects and nothing came to the auditor's attention.

Actual revenue collections were less than budgeted in taxes, especially franchise taxes, gasoline and cigarettes.

Low interest rates resulted in \$3,993 less than budgeted collected. Higher insurance rates also accounted for some deficiencies in some departments.

The village had enough funds in its reserves to account for all underbudgeted revenues. Willoughby reviewed the audit page by page.

A committee of trustees Ross, L. C. Cozzen and employees Terry Cox and Deborah Cummins will meet and make recommendations to revise the village personnel policy to comply with specific guidelines pertaining to the American's With Disabilities Act. Their recommendations will be brought to the trustees at their February meeting.

A joint powers agreement between the Energy Minerals and Natural Resources Dept. and the village to provide payment to the Capitan Fire Dept. when responding to wildfires on state lands will be reviewed by village attorney Robert Beauvais.

Mayor Frank Warth told trustees and audience about a new service Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority will begin in Capitan. Authority crews will

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Public Transportation For Ruidoso Discussed

By AL STUBBS

The village of Ruidoso already has what it takes for a "dial-a-ride" system of public transportation, according to long-time resident, realtor and former county commissioner Karon Petty.

If a show of hands is an indication, Ruidoso residents don't want public money spent on a public transportation feasibility study.

More than 80 people attended a town meeting at the civic center, Monday night to discuss the pros and cons of Ruidoso setting up some type of "people moving" system. In the show of hands requested by moderator Joan Bailey, Chamber of Commerce executive director, 35 said they don't want the village to spend money on a feasibility study. Eighteen favored the village spending tax dollars for such a study.

The town meeting was scheduled at village council request after the council in November reversed a previous decision to allow a \$5,000 feasibility study of a transit system.

After it was pointed out by councilman Ron Andrews that the village owns two vans and has earmarked \$13,000 for transportation this fiscal year,

Petty said Ruidoso has all it needs to do its own study, apparently through use of the two vans for a "dial-a-ride" setup.

Andrews said he has never seen it since he's been on the council, but the village owns a bus housed at the Sierra Blanca Regional Airport. He said it has been used to haul luggage for visitors to the area. The village also owns the bus used in the senior citizens program. The degree of usage of that van became a disputed point at the Monday night meeting.

Almost everyone who spoke at the meeting said that the term "mass transit" is a misnomer. J.D. James, councilman, said he prefers the term "public transportation." Also "shuttle service" has been suggested for terminology.

Several speakers objected to the format of the meeting. Corrine Swearingin said she was puzzled.

"I don't know what we are debating ... I've heard no proposition ... what kind of transportation?"

"What are we talking about?" her husband, Dan Swearingin said. "Mass transit, this is one of the greatest misnomers I have ever heard," he said. He said the money would

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STATE REPRESENTATIVE JOHN UNDERWOOD (left) jokes with former Lincoln County Republican Party Chairman Jack Page after Underwood's town meeting in Capitan Tuesday night. Several area residents, including Capitan Mayor Frank Warth, county commissioners Bill Schwettmann and Ray Nunley, and Capitan Board of Education members attended the meeting to discuss the upcoming state legislative session.

Corona Citizens Attend Meeting With Legislators

By MARGRET HOLLEYMAN

We had some important people in town on Thursday, Jan. 6. If you missed the meeting, you missed a wonderful opportunity to express the way you feel about our community. We so rarely see politicians, aside from election time, that when they do come to ask our opinion on something it is imperative that we make our voices heard. We did have a good turnout of citizens, but for those of you who could not be there, here is some of what went on:

Our school superintendent, Ms. Linda Coy, began the meeting by explaining the issue of consolidation. The Legislative Education Study Commission will be trying to find ways to make a \$2.2 billion budget, 47% of which is for education, fit the needs of New Mexico schools. They are looking specifically at

rural New Mexico for budget cuts. The first step would be to cut staff by having one superintendent for several schools. Many people felt the next logical step would be to consolidate the children, i.e., closing the school. Ms. Coy stated that she is not lobbying for her personal job but for the fact that one superintendent would not be effective if he/she were having to spread himself over a large area. She also mentioned the fact that the superintendent is in charge of purchasing. She was not sure if one superintendent would be in close touch with what Corona's needs are as someone who is here all the time. After a brief introduction, she turned the meeting over to State Representative John Underwood.

Representative Underwood gave an oral resume of his accomplishments, education

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\$5,000, is set for Jan. 28. However, the New Mexico Dept. of Finance and Administration must approve the bond transaction. Powers foresaw no problem with DFA approval.

Powers said the new bonds have received a Baa rating from Moody's Investor Service. "This is very positive for the village," he said.

The rating, the first ever for the village, is based on the history of the gross receipt tax collections in the village. The original 1987 bonds did not have any rating. The economic situation in the village improved after the mid-1980s slump, Powers said.

The Baa rating is in line with most New Mexico municipalities.

Councillor J.D. James requested and got information about purchasing bonds. The bonds are sold in lots of \$5,000 and are state and federal tax exempt. Bonds can be purchased through Powers' company.

Later in the meeting Alonso

began a discussion about changing the name of the airport from Sierra Blanca Regional Airport back to Ruidoso Municipal Airport. Alonso said the airport was given the regional title because it originally began as an agreement between the Village of Ruidoso, Village of Ruidoso Downs, County of Lincoln, Mescalero Apache Tribe and Village of Capitan.

Alonso said Ruidoso has had to pay for the facility and because of that, the airport should no longer be classified as "regional." By not having the name Ruidoso, he thought the village was losing valuable advertising.

Councillors explored the idea, tossing around names such as Sierra Blanca Airport and so on. None could agree to a name change and no action was taken to do so.

Within two weeks the village may own the Grindstone Dam area properties. Negotiations have been completed between the village and High

Mountain Realty, which is administering the property for FDIC. The property surrounds the Grindstone Dam and reservoir and had been foreclosed by the FDIC. By purchasing the property the village will own all the lands surrounding the reservoir including access to the parking area and dam.

Councillors were provided a list of accomplishments in 1992, compiled by each department. Village manager Ron Wicker said the list showed the village did a lot of good things in the last 12 months, some not as great as others.

Alonso noted one of the accomplishments last year, now showing up in the figures for fresh and sewer water treatments. The village's two-year repair of the fresh water system has reduced the more than 12 million gallons of water lost in 1991, to some 2,417,800 gallons lost in 1992. Alonso said the overhaul of the upper canyon water treatment plant will provide an alternative source of fresh water, so the village will not have to depend on the Alto plant.

However, there are still leaks in the sewer lines which allow fresh water to seep in. The seepage was detected because the figures of wastewater treated at the sewer plant were much higher than the fresh water treated before entering the village water system.

A request to provide a "blanket" approval of several

special dispensers licenses for vendors at the upcoming Connoisseur Classic IV was denied by the council after advice from village attorney Patricia Ortiz. She reminded councillors of their ordinance passed last year to limit special vendors alcoholic licenses for special events. The ordinance requires the council to approve each application separately.

Four applications for the wine tasting event were approved at the meeting, but Karen Kopp, chair of the event, said other applications had not been received as yet.

Since there will be one regular meeting and a special meeting of the council before the Classic, councillors denied the blanket request and told Kopp to come back when she has the other applications. After council approval all special dispensers licenses must be approved by the state Alcohol and Gaming Division before wine can be sold.

The Connoisseur Classic IV, a three day event, will feature wine growers and their products for the state and region at the Ruidoso Civic Events Center.

Attorney Ortiz was hired by the village last year. This was her first council meeting.

A transfer of a dispensers liquor license to Rich Gas/Three Bees Market located at 1137 Mechem Drive was finally approved. The transfer had been delayed due to technical problems with publication of the notice of the public hearing on the transfer. The village had to republish the notice.

Councillor Bill Karn reported that the Mescalero Apache Tribal Council's study of the Monitored Retrievable Storage (MRS) facility has not ended. Discussion about the tribe began when Karn reported that the tribe had not responded to a letter from the village asking support of a request to the New Mexico State Highway and Transportation Dept. to improve the Ski Run Road.

Karn asked councillors to watch for action in Arizona where the U.S. Forest Service is transferring land to the Hopi Tribe. He said the Mescaleros could consider such a move to have lands near the ski run transferred from the Forest Service to the tribe, in order to construct a road directly from the ski run to the reservation, bypassing Alto and Ruidoso. He conjectured the Mescaleros could consider such a move in connection with the MRS. He had no proof the tribe is considering such action.

"Don't stop supporting opposition to the MRS," Karn said.

In other business, councillors:

—Approved a lodgers tax budget allocation of \$8,000 to the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce to reimburse the chamber for brochure mailing and distribution, and for a 1-800 telephone line, and an allocation of \$14,543 for various advertising including a brochure page in the Ft. Worth Star Telegram, a promotional video for trade shows in cooperation with the Museum of the Horse and the winter/spring ad package for regional and college newspapers and radio spots.

—Accepted the proposal for basic engineering service to provide assistance to village departments for various projects to Shaw Engineering of Ruidoso. His hourly rate will be \$40.

—Approved a resolution adopting the Disadvantaged Business Assistance Program for all contracts involving transportation related activities. The resolution states that 10 percent of the grant moneys for the airport project will be reserved for disadvantaged businesses, defined as those belonging to women, minorities and other disadvantaged persons.

—Okayed the lease agreement amendment with Jim Franklin Aviation Service, Inc.

—Appointed David Thomson to the Martin Luther King Jr. Commission.

—Set a public hearing for February 9 to amend certain sections of the zoning code.

—Discussed the situation with the letter of credit form R.

D. Hubbard, First Interstate, which holds the letter, contends the letter had been extended to Dec. 31, 1993 and refused to pay.

—Set a special meeting at 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 28, to conduct a second quarter budget review.

—Approved a motion by James to request the New Mexico State Highway and Transportation Dept. place a sign at the corner of Sudderth and Mechem directing travelers to the Ruidoso Civic Events Center.

Public Transportation . . .

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be better spent on roads and on water and sewer projects.

Mayor Victor Alonso said that the \$4,500 to \$5,000 originally earmarked for a study wouldn't buy much sewer or water or fix many potholes.

Councilman Andrews indicated that amount was a drip in the bucket compared to \$20,000 spent for a softball program, \$30,000 for gymnastics, \$5,000 over revenues for the swimming pool and \$1,800 for a basketball program.

"I hope we're not going to take away the softball program," council person Jerry Shaw said. She said parks and recreation is the most neglected program in the village. She said private enterprise can take care of a public transportation system. She also said the senior citizens van is not used extensively.

Corine Swearingin countered and said she was informed that the van is used to deliver some 40 "meals on wheels" on Thursdays and Fridays. "The van is used," she said.

Jerry Perry brought laughs when he said, "Ruidoso is suffering from schizophrenia... we don't know where we are or what we're doing." He said every little resort town in Colorado has a "people moving" system.

Bailey said she would like to see quarterly town hall meetings. She said the purpose is to garner opinions. She said she was pleased with the turnout and with the participation in the Monday night meeting.

Other "pro and con" statements of position on public transportation were as follows:

Bill Newman. There are more important things to spend money on. Federal money comes from you and me. (Some grant money would be available to set up a transportation program.)

Council person Barbara Duff. "The idea has been around for a long time. My idea is for long range planning. Progress is going to come whether we want it or not. This is the third council to deal with this."

Laura Reynolds. "I feel it (transportation system) will enhance tourism. We need to continue to be competitive with other communities. We need to become a friendly community if we want to see the community grow."

Dick Weber. "Public transportation has blossomed as a necessity in many smaller communities." He said transportation is important if Ruidoso wants to evolve into a community known for the best in all aspects such as lodging, food service and transportation. He said other towns should be invited to outline successes to Ruidoso. "We need a plan."

Patricia Espinosa. "People need to make a living here... we need to be aggressive and competitive."

—Heard James report the carpeting in the civic center conference room and offices will be replaced.

—Heard James request that either the village or some village civic group erect flagpoles at the civic center.

—Passed two resolutions, one amending the procurement policy and the other amending the state severance tax allocation for Main Street redevelopment funding Phase 2 and 3.

—Recessed to closed session for discussion of litigation and personnel.

Capitan Street . . .

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Wilton Howell. He says he as a new county commissioner needs to listen to ideas.

Barbara Westbrook. She said the little town in California where she lived, a "little bug runs twice a week." She said a system would benefit older citizens who can't drive, that the buses also could be used as tour buses. She suggested keeping public transportation out of politics. "Let's make it a people's type issue," she said.

pick up large bulky items such as old furniture or water heaters from the village residence curbsides on Wednesday, if residents will let Authority manager Gene Green know by Monday or Tuesday. Crews will pick up the items at the normal curbside location where residents place their household garbage.

Village residents also may take yard or bulky waste to the Capitan Landfill every Saturday at no cost by showing a current village water bill. Construction wastes will not be allowed for free however.

Institute Sponsors Workshops

Financial Aid Workshops will be sponsored by Technical Training Institute of Las Cruces. The workshops are for individuals who will be applying for financial aid beginning July 1993.

It is important for everyone interested to attend one of these workshops because the 1992 Higher Education Reauthorization Act has changed some of the application procedures, qualifying requirements, and methods for determining eligibility.

Scheduled workshops will be held at 7 p.m.: Jan. 18 Cloudcroft School cafeteria; Jan. 20 Alamogordo School cafeteria; Jan. 21 at Ruidoso classrooms all day and 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria; Feb. 1 Mescalero multi-purpose room; and Feb. 2 Carrizozo School multi-purpose room.

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Al's Musings

BY AL STUBBS

All of this discussion on mass transportation, shuttle service, "dial-a-ride" and such brings to mind how much transportation has changed in this century.

In the Museum of the Horse there is an ox-cart on display, with primitive wooden wheels. On the floor of the museum are many historic carriages, sleighs and even a horse-drawn hearse. In this century, mankind has learned to move faster and in more comfort than ever before. The airplane is a most remarkable machine, especially when compared to the ox cart which probably still is in use in the remote areas of some third world countries.

The horse preceded the ox cart, trains, automobiles, airplanes - everything used to get from one place to another. That's why the Museum of the Horse is so significant as a tourist attraction for Lincoln County. If you haven't visited it, do so.

Our first recollection of automobiles is a vague memory of riding in a Model T with family. Somehow or another, we recall, a door flew open when pop was driving across a cattle guard. A post tore the door off. Bailing wire probably fixed it.

Grandmother, when we were a teenager, let us take her chrome-heavy Buick coupe (with rumble seat) from the garage to the front of the house every day to warm it up. We usually would take a quick run up North Hill to the New Mexico Institute and back (to warm it up). She wondered why her gas mileage in that car was so poor. Ah, youth.

Bill Shreengost, formerly of old Lincoln Town, and I were close friends while growing up in Roswell. We were slightly envious that in high school he had a spiffy Model A convertible. Friend Earl O'Neal, a cousin of Bones Wright's lovely wife, boasted a 1933 Chevy coupe while in high school. We recall a football trip to Odessa in that car when we poured four quarts of oil through the engine on that one trip.

Earl later acquired a sedan

which we used for courting purposes at New Mexico State University. He played the saxophone in a band and thus could afford that automobile.

The automobile can be dangerous. It's a wonder we survived adolescence and beyond. A Roswell businessman one time, who lived down the street, took a bunch of us kids for a ride in his new, yellow, Packard convertible. Coming down Comanche Hill east of Roswell, the speedometer showed 120. Idiot! We had great admiration for our newspaper mentor, editor Don C. Wright. But it wasn't because of his driving. We were cruising to an Associated Press meeting in Albuquerque one Sunday in his car. We perspired when the speedometer touched 100. And Police Chief Tommy Thompson drove the same way. On a trip to Albuquerque with him, the speedometer also went into three digits. The police chief? Yep.

Mom was secretary to Senator Mullis of Roswell one year in Santa Fe. As a youth we spent some time with her there. The owner of radio station KGFL gave us a ride from Santa Fe to Roswell in his new DeSoto one time. A tire blew out at 105 mph, but he had the first safety tubes. We aren't dead, just lucky. Horses are safer. Child abuse has many forms.

During that time we spent in Santa Fe with Mom and Senator Mullis, we were educated in the ways of the Statehouse. New Mexico's legislature is about to meet again. We wonder if anything has changed.

We were sitting in Senator Mullis' office one day when several men flocked into the room, jumped into a closet and became very quiet.

We learned that the clerk was calling names in a roll call vote, and those august legislators didn't want to be registered as voting on a controversial bill. So they hid in the closet. And we're supposed to have respect for our elders as drivers and leaders?



Inside The Capitol

by Jay Miller

SANTA FE—President-elect Bill Clinton and Gov. Bruce King are close friends because they are so much alike in their management style. The evidence of that similarity keeps filtering in from Washington and Little Rock. We already know both are moderate Southern governors

with strikingly similar views on issues. Both speak with regional accents. Clinton's is genuine Arkansan. King's is transplanted from Oklahoma, a neighbor to both New Mexico and Arkansas. King's father came from Oklahoma to homestead in the Estancia valley early in the century.

Both Clinton and King have wives who have taken possibly the most active governmental roles of any first ladies in the nation.

Both governors like to eat—and don't have particularly good eating habits. They depart slightly on their meat preference. King, a cattle rancher, likes beef. Clinton has helped Arkansas become the chicken-raising capital of the nation and says he prefers chicken.

Clinton and King are the only governors who have served in the '70s, '80s, and '90s.

And the similarities don't stop there. A recent Jack Anderson report says Bill Clinton doesn't say "no" when he listens to those trying to influence his decisions. He will nod his head and say "uh huh" through the presentation to indicate he's listening and that he understands each point. But that doesn't mean he is agreeing, Anderson says.

Now who does that sound like?

Very likely thousands of New Mexicans can tell of their disappointment the first time they thought they'd gotten King's commitment on an issue only to find they didn't have him at all. Bruce will tell you if he's going to support you. Otherwise all those "uh huhs" don't mean a thing.

It sounds like a lot of New Mexicans could hire out to serve as consultants on how to deal with Pres. Clinton—although there's sure to be just as many Arkansans who can do the same.

A lot of Bruce King Republicans cast their ballots for Bill Clinton because they wanted a change but were confident they'd get a president nearly as conservative as George Bush. It'll be interesting to see what they think a year from now.

Many of those New Mexicans will be going to the inaugural in Washington next week. Those who have been to Republican inaugurations are remarking that the Clinton folks aren't nearly as well-organized. There's good reason. Democrats have become a little rusty. In the 28 years since Lyndon Johnson's inauguration, their only practice was the 1976 Jimmy Carter inaugural.

Activities will start next Sunday with "America's Reunion on the Mall," an eight-hour celebration with food booths, speeches, entertainment and fireworks to greet Clinton as he buses in from Jefferson's Monticello in Charlottesville, Va.

On Monday the celebrating turns high-brow with a \$1,500 a person inaugural dinner somewhere "In the City of Washington." That's all the invitations say.

Tuesday is the Inaugural Gala featuring nearly every big name performer, who has declared himself or herself a Democrat. If you don't get seats for that, it will be on television. Wednesday is Inauguration

EDITORIAL

by Ruth Hammond

A proposal that would insure health care for every person in New Mexico and put the state in charge of the program will be presented to legislators during the upcoming session. The bill will be introduced by Rep. Mac Coll and Rep. Lucian "Lucky" Varela and will be called *New Mexico Care*. According to an article in the *Albuquerque Journal* Jan. 7, the proposed bill is expected to face tough sledding even though several organizations have endorsed the proposal. Rep. Coll predicts that insurance companies, medical providers and other interests are likely to fight the plan. Rep. Varela said, "We're asking the general public to get behind us."

Proposed national health care programs will also be an issue facing Congress. We only hope our legislators, state and national, will consider the needs of the general public when making their decisions. We also hope our legislators, state and national, are aware that health care premiums charged to federal employees is much lower, sometimes extremely lower, than non-federal employees pay or are asked to pay.

More people would be able to pay for medical insurance if their premiums were the same as federal employees pay for their medical insurance. One plan for federal employees offers federal postal employees a family rate of \$11.01 bi-weekly for a total of \$286.26 a year in premiums. Most non-federal employees pay more than \$286.26 for health care premiums each month for family coverage. The same plan offers non-postal federal employees a family rate of \$44.04 bi-weekly for a total of \$1,145.04 per year in premiums, and retired federal employees a monthly family rate of \$95.42 for \$1,145.04 total premiums for the year.

The quoted rates are for federal employees only and do not apply to all enrollees. Different plans are offered, apparently at different rates. Some of the plans offered include 100 percent coverage for hospital stays and outpatient surgery as well as low prices for office visits, prescription drugs, dental care, and vision benefits.

We do not object to the low premiums offered to federal employees. We do not object to the apparently excellent coverage offered to federal employees in these plans.

We do believe that affordable health insurance should be available to every person. Rates quoted for family coverage for non-federal employees can range from more than \$200 a month with high deductibles to \$1,000 a month with some deductibles. The quoted rates for non-federal employees can be as high as 12 times as much as federal employees pay.

Priorities must be established for families faced with the decision of buying food and other necessities or paying for medical insurance. Priorities sometimes are established that have life-long consequences.

One man, James McElveen, 31, did not have medical insurance when he was seriously injured in an accidental fall in Tennessee on July 8, 1990. McElveen fell 30 feet, shattered his spine and landed face down in the water. His friend, Benny Milligan, 31, helped pull McElveen's limp broken body out of a chasm and raced him to a hospital. When other people mentioned that the hospital, also in Tennessee, had turned people away from the emergency room because of lack of insurance, Milligan made a snap decision to do everything he could to keep his friend alive. He switched identities with McElveen.

Milligan gave the hospital worker his own insurance card number. McElveen was unconscious and did not know what happened until later, much later. McEl-

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The Other Side

By Owen Russell

The alternative selected depends on the philosophical basis from which the selection is made, which would be fine if we did it that way. What we actually do is that which requires the least effort under the circumstances.

When we are faced with a problem, our first reaction is to dispose of it with the idea that our world before the problem was much better than it is with it. This is the nostalgic approach. When that doesn't work, we attempt to prevent recurrence. This is the deterrent approach. The next step is to obscure the problem. This is the "head in the sand" approach. Then we accept the problem. This is the institutionalization approach, and after resorting to this method, the problem becomes unsolvable because it will invariably develop its own interest group.

As you can see, nowhere in this process have we made any attempt to get to the root of the problem. To actually solve a problem, you first have to understand what the problem is, determine what the consequences of solving it are, and whether you have the desire to solve it. If you get all of these factors in hand, then you will solve the problem.

The first step in the process has to be to recognize the problem for what it is. If you are driving the wrong way down a one-way street, you can't win by shouting at oncoming traffic to get off the road, or trying to prevent others from driving in the right direction, or shutting your eyes and praying, or accepting the fact that there are other idiots in the world. As you can see, the usual approach seems to be to require the world to adapt to your viewpoint without deciding if you are right or not.

To avoid that next "foul-mouthed taxi operator" gut driver is going to have to survey the situation to determine if the world really is like he thinks it is. When he finds out it isn't, what can he do about it? Well, he can always turn the signs around, but that probably won't help much in the short run unless others on the road are willing to agree that they are now going the wrong way, which seems pretty unlikely. Or he can drive in a menacing enough manner that everybody else will get off the road. Or he can pretend those other "vehicles" don't really exist. Or, if he has the support of others who are similarly disoriented, he may be able to create a system for counseling others to conform to his view of the world, which will work fine for those so counseled but will have little effect on newcomers who don't understand why we do things the way we do.

The only real alternative is to accept things as they are and turn around and go with the flow of traffic, but this is going to cause him inconvenience. He will either have to be willing to take a different and safer route to where he wants to go, or just go back home and forget it. So to solve a problem, you must investigate and define it, decide if you really want to solve it, and determine if solving it is worth the effort, and then, either adjust your behavior to accommodate it or change the situation that produces it.

The most obvious problem with problem solving is our propensity to attempt to change the behavior that results from

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LETTERS POLICY
Letters to the editor of the *Lincoln County News* are encouraged. Each letter must be signed and must include the writer's telephone number and address. The phone number and mailing address will not be printed, but the writer's town or village will be included with his or her name. Letters will be edited for grammar and spelling. Letters may be shortened without changing their meaning.

The editor has the right to reject any letter.

Letters To The Editor

EDITOR: Congratulations to Doris Cherry and the *Lincoln County News* for very informative and cogent articles in the January 7, 1993 issue on the recent county commission meeting and the public transportation question in Ruidoso.

What a pleasant change from the biased rantings and raving coming from the *Ruidoso News* which purport to be about the recent county commission meeting and the public transportation question in Ruidoso.

Keep up the good work.

David D. Swearingin, Ruidoso

EDITOR: The last time school officials, et al., suffered Delusions of Grandeur, the property owners of Capitan were stuck with a debt worth almost one million dollars for such frivolous embellishments as a weight room, rebounding running track, electronic score board, etc. all of which contributes nothing to our "quality of education."

The Capitan School Superintendent who is telling us our schools are overcrowded is allowing 40+ students from outside this district to attend school in Capitan. According to regulations, students from outside this district can only be accepted if there is room on the busses and in classrooms.

What is happening here is a perfect example of poor management. Good managers would not find the need to consistently subject taxpayers to everlasting debt.

This proposed new middle school will create an unnecessary hardship on those who are already obligated to pay \$18 per \$1,000 of property value for water (paid off in 1998) plus

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THURSDAYS

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Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. at Zia Senior Citizens Center in Carrizozo every Thursday.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14

Carrizozo Chapter of People for the West will meet at 8 p.m. at United New Mexico Bank in Carrizozo. Guest speaker will be county commissioner Stirling Spencer. Anyone interested is invited.

Capitan Board of Education will meet at 7 p.m. in the school library for a regular monthly session.

All persons interested in making Carrizozo an arts and crafts center of Southern New Mexico are invited to attend a meeting at 7 p.m. at Carrizozo Town Hall.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15

All Capitan residents or anyone interested in organizing a Capitan Chapter of the Lincoln County Historical Society are invited to attend a meeting at 7 p.m. at the Lincoln County Fairgrounds office in Capitan. John West will discuss and outline the organization to create the chapter and possible Capitan museum.

MONDAY, JANUARY 18

Municipal, county, state offices and post offices and banks closed for Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 19

Carrizozo Extension Club meets at 1 p.m. at Otero Electric Co-op Building in Carrizozo.

Carrizozo Board of Education meets at 6 p.m. at the school administration offices. The public is invited to attend.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20

South Central RC&D Council will meet at 10 a.m. at Ruidoso Civic Events Center. For more information about the meeting call Howard Shanks, RC&D coordinator at 648-2941 in Carrizozo.

La Junta Extension Club meets at 10:45 a.m. at Cecilia Booky's home in Hondo. The program presented by Hazel Arthurs will be on the Civil War.

JANUARY 28

Corona Extension Club meets at 10 a.m. at Corona School Recreation Room. The program will be a presentation on using a bread machine by Helen Kay Lindsey.

JANUARY 29

Federated Republican Women of Lincoln County will meet at 11 a.m. at Teepee Lounges in Ruidoso High School. Call 258-4455 for reservations.

Letters

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the aforementioned sports facilities (paid off in 1996). This new middle school carries a price tag of 1.3 million dollars (to be paid off in 2002). Many or most of the residents in this small community live modestly on fixed incomes. They cannot afford to fix up their homes much less build another school.

As in Rio Rancho (Albuquerque), Alto Village may become a separate school district. When this happens, there will be only one-fifth the present student population to attend classes in Capitan. Those who should be concerned with such matters seem only interested in matching new brick to the existing structure.

Give the taxpayers a break. Let us pay off the existing debt and quit bashing us with these pompous cravings. Bring in portable classrooms (used all over the state) and make do like the rest of us. Even if the brick doesn't match, I'm sure our youngsters will receive a quality education for this depends on teachers not buildings.

Vivian Crossno, Capitan

The Other Side

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the situation rather than trying to restructure the situation. This usually comes about because of our reluctance to give up all that is required to cure the problem. We are concerned about it, but it is too widely spread out through the social fabric for us to be willing to do anything about it. "By the way," they said, "what problem are you talking about?" "I don't know," I responded, "just pick the one in which you are most interested." (Coming next week: "Did he get where he was going?")

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LEGALS

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
The Corona Public Schools and the Vaughn Municipal Schools will jointly hold an open hearing on January 14, 1993 at the Corona School Library at 4:00 p.m. The Agenda of the hearing will include a discussion for writing a Joint Title VII Proposal for Kindergarten thru 12th Grade Hispanic Students for the 1993-1994 school year and the need for parental involvement. The meeting is open to all patrons of the Corona and Vaughn School Districts. More information is available by calling Linda Coy, Corona School Superintendent at 849-1911 or Roman Garcia, Vaughn School Superintendent at 584-2283.

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NOTICE TO BID TOWN OF CARRIZOZO BID NO. 88-01
Notice is hereby given that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo is soliciting bids for the following items:

- (1) 8mm Portable Camcorder
- (1) Wireless Microphone
- (1) Portable TV Monitor
- (1) Mounting Bracket
- (1) Remote Control
- (1) TV VCR

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—(1) Receiver
—(1) Charging Unit
Trade-in items as part of bid specifications are as follows:
—(1) Kustom HR4 Radar Unit
—(1) KR 10 Radar Unit
—(1) Decatur 724 Radar Unit
Items are as in: Bid Specifications are available by calling (505) 648-2351 or by writing to P.O. Box 828, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301. Deadline for acceptance of bids is February 9, 1993 at 3:00 p.m. The Town of Carrizozo Governing Body reserves the right to accept or reject any or all parts of any bids that may be in the best interest of the municipality.
Carol Schlarb, CMC
Town Clerk
Town of Carrizozo

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO
No. CV-92-218

FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,
vs.
BYRON L. CARPENTER, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will, on February 24, 1993, at 9:00 a.m., at the east door of the Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State:
Lot 9, Block 5, of BIG COUNTRY SUBDIVISION, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, February 5, 1973, in Tube No. 478.

The address of the real property is Lot 9, Block 5 Big Country Subdivision, Captain, New Mexico. Said sale will be made pursuant to the Decree of Foreclosure entered on January 7, 1993, in the above entitled and numbered cause, which was a suit to foreclose a note and mortgage held by the above plaintiff and wherein plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien against the above-described real estate in the sum of \$38,816.19, plus interest from January 16,

1993, to the date of sale at the rate of 7.125% per annum, or \$7.06 per day, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee of \$200.00, publication costs, and plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance or keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.
At the date and time stated above, the Special Master may postpone the sale to such later date and time as the Special Master may specify.
Dated at Carrizozo, New Mexico, this 15th day of January, 1993.
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Carrizozo Trustees
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Forest Trails To Be Handicap Accessible

Las Cruces, N.M.—The U.S. Forestry Service and GFWC New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs will cooperate to make trails and campgrounds in New Mexico's National Forests accessible and usable for the physically and visually handicapped. This carries out the theme of the present NMFWC President, "Concern for the present, a vision for the future" with stress on conservation and education. At a recent meeting with Merle Glenn, a representative of Lincoln National Forest's Alamogordo Office, Sharlene Glock, GFWC-NMFWC president, Diane Turner, State Junior Director, and Roberta White, State Project Chairperson, planned the preliminary ground work for the renovation of "La Pasada Encantada Trail", a trail for the visually handicapped built by NMFWC some years ago. Also a picnic area will be added.

The trail gate will need to be widened for wheelchair accessibility, one section needs regrading, and Braille signs and interpretive things need replacement. A picnic area will take two to three years to accomplish since an ecological and biological study is needed; this arrangement has been made. "Some groups become discouraged working with us because of the delay involved," commented Ms. Glenn. "There is no problem getting work volunteers, but the funds must be raised through organizations such as yours," she added.

Under the guidance of Dr. White NMFWC local clubs will evaluate and help with projects located in their own forest locally throughout New Mexico. NMFWC will also support the Forest Service with the Smokey Bear events to take place in July and October, 1993. The "La Pasada Encantada Trail" is located off Hwy 34 to the left as you travel to Sun Spot near Cloudercroft. Better signs will be erected to indicate the trail access.

GFWC is an International organization with over 350,000 members in over 8,500 clubs nationwide. NMFWC with 36 clubs is always open to new members; persons interested in more information may call 1-526-1992, 1-762-5667 or your local Chamber of Commerce for the clubs in your city.

OBITUARY

ROBERT PAUL HINN
Vigil Service for Robert Paul Hinn, 77, of Ruidoso was Jan. 10 at St. Eleanor's Catholic Church in Ruidoso. Officiating was the Rev. Richard Catanach of St. Eleanor's Catholic Church. An additional Vigil service was Jan. 12 at Lemon's Funeral Home Chapel in Plainview, Texas. Funeral Mass was Jan. 13 at St. Alice Catholic Church in Plainview, Texas. Burial followed at Plainview Cemetery. Officiating was the Rev. Richard Catanach of Ruidoso and Rev. Clarence W. Huber of Littlefield, Texas.

Mr. Hinn died Jan. 9 at Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso. He was born Jan. 25, 1915 in Plainview, Texas to Lockie and Albert Hinn who both precede him in death. He served in the Army during World War II. He attended the University of Texas in Austin, Texas. He was retired as Chief Executive Officer of the Harvest Queen Mill and Elevator in Plainview, Texas. He moved to Ruidoso in 1985 from Plainview. He married Patricia Clarke in Wyckoff, New Jersey.

Survivors include his wife; Patricia of Ruidoso; three sons, Michael A. Hinn of Ruidoso; Robert C. Hinn of Little Rock, Arkansas; and John A. Hinn of Plainview, Texas; a daughter, Mrs. Bob "Karen" Brinker of Greenwich, Connecticut, and five grandchildren.

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veen's injuries were too complex for the Lewis County Community Hospital and he was transferred to Maury County Regional Hospital within three hours. Two days later McElveen was diagnosed with a fractured lower vertebrae and was transferred to Vanderbilt Medical Center in Nashville. It was learned that he had fractured his back in 10 places. After nine hours of surgery and 12 days in the hospital McElveen was released. The bills for hospital and doctors amounted to \$41,107.45.

The government viewed this situation as health care fraud. McElveen, Milligan, and Milligan's wife Tammie were charged with mail fraud, wire fraud, and conspiracy charges.

Benny Milligan made the decision to save his friend's life; a friend since high school. Milligan and McElveen had joined the Navy together on the buddy program. McElveen had been Benny Milligan's best man at his wedding. Now all three of these people, as well as their families and friends would suffer from the decision to save McElveen's life.

McElveen is alive. He went to federal prison Jan. 8 to serve seven months. Milligan kept his friend alive but his actions caused him to lose his job, lose his insurance, and he went to federal prison Jan. 8 to serve nine months. Tammie Milligan, 29, lost her job and is under house arrest for four months. Benny and Tammie have three small children.

McElveen offered to serve all three sentences. According to the Albuquerque Journal Jan. 10, McElveen told the federal judge, "I feel I can do anything for what I've gotten. I don't feel that Benny should keep suffering."

"They saved my life and they lost everything," McElveen appealed to the US District Judge. "I'm the one who made out on this deal, if you want to call it that. I'm the one who benefited. I'm able to walk; my spine was almost severed."

Ron Pollack, executive director of Families USA, a Washington advocacy group said. "To me Benny and Tammie are heroes, not criminals. The real crime is a health care system that forces good people like Bennie and Tammie into this kind of moral dilemma. They had to choose between McElveen's life and their own future."

Not all states have the quality medical care available we have here in New Mexico. Not all states put the value of a life above the value of insurance or ability to pay. Not all states care about the individual - you.

The quest for affordable health care insurance for all people will be difficult. Our legislators will have many decisions to make. The bill proposed by Rep. Coll and Rep. Varela may or may not be the best thing for everyone in New Mexico. The health care bills presented in Congress may or may not be practical solutions.

You can be a part of the decision-making process by contacting your legislator and telling him or her what you want in health care insurance. Don't wait until a situation arises where you might have to make a decision that will affect the rest of your life.

Capitan Tigers Take 3rd In Tournament

Capitan High School basketball teams finished third in their 16th annual Smokey Bear Tournament last weekend.

Both boys and girls basketball teams finished third in the tournament. Carrizozo boys and Animas girls won the tournament.

A much improved Capitan boys team played some tough ball, and lost its bid for the championship game by one point to Class AA Eunice.

The boys opened the tournament Thursday by defeating the Vaughn Eagles 69-45. Junior Trevor Cox put the ball in the basket for 29 points, senior Kyle Traylor scored 15.

Vaughn's Sedric Gauna scored 29.

Tigers coach Ron Becker attributed the win to his team's full court pressure that forced Vaughn into numerous turnovers. He also credited the Tiger guards, who did a good job getting the ball to Trevor and Kyle, making 19 assists. "That's an indication of good team play," Becker said.

Good offensive rebounding gave the Eunice Cardinals the slight edge they needed to defeat the Tigers 47-46 in the semi-final Friday.

"The kids played hard from start to finish," Becker said. It showed how improved the team is from the start of the season. Traylor scored 14, Cox 11.

In the final round of play, the Tigers defeated Cimarron 50-42 for third place. It was the highest finish the boys team had had in their own tournament in a number of years.

Traylor scored 18 points, Cox 10, and freshman Ernie Trujillo eight. "Trujillo played a tremendous ball game in the point guard position," Becker continued. In the last 40 seconds, Trujillo made four straight free throws that kept the game out of Cimarron's reach.

At the conclusion of the game, Traylor and Cox were named to the All Tournament Team.

Becker credited the team for showing a lot of character to come back the next day (after losing to Eunice) to beat a good team. "The kids are taking steps to mature as a team and program," Becker said.

The program was down for a number of years, but the team is now 4-1 in the season. "This weekend was some steps in the right direction. As a coach I am very pleased with the progress as a group. I hope they continue to take the steps in the positive direction," Becker said.

"I don't care about winning. I care about team work and working hard, the things necessary to develop a basketball tradition at Capitan High School."

"I've been coaching for 23 years and I have not seen a team make as much progress in a short period of time as the Capitan team this year. Three of their wins have been to teams they lost to last year."

"After a team learns how to work hard, improvements come in leaps and bounds. Teaching boys to understand the game of basketball helps them learn how to understand life—a lot of hard work," Becker said.

"As a coach, my most important job is to prepare them for life, to get ready to go from school and apply things learned in basketball to their chosen professions. The group is working hard in that direction," Becker said.

Becker is assisted by Pat Ventura and volunteer Kenneth Crenshaw. Crenshaw, one of Becker's former students, was a flexibility and strength conditioning coach for the Atlanta Braves.

The Lady Tigers also came in third in the tournament, after a loss in overtime to the Animas girls in the semi-final.

Tammy Payne, Amy Cline and Tycie Traylor were named to the all-tournament team from Capitan.

The girls won their first round of action against Eunice 64-17.

In the semi-final Friday with Animas, the Capitan girls played hard and forced the game into overtime to settle the final score. When the dust settled, Animas had the edge and won 42-38.

The Lady Tigers returned Saturday for an overwhelming win over the AA Estancia Lady Bears 58-26.

"Overall the girls played three real solid games," said Coach Norman Cline. "It was probably the best they have played all season."

The Animas girls won the Smokey Bear Tournament when they defeated the Lake Arthur Lady Panthers.

"It was a good tournament, with a lot of good games," Cline said.

The Tigers and Lady Tigers travel to Reserve today (Thursday), Jan. 14 to play in the Reserve Mountaineer Tournament. The boys play Reserve JV in the first round of action, the girls play Quemado.

Other teams playing will come from Cliff, Colonias Juarez, Magdalena, Alamo Navaho, Tohajiilee.

CRIME OF THE WEEK

LAMY, N.M.—Between the months of October and December 1992, there were six forcible entries to Southern Railroad boxcars at the Train Station in Lamy, New Mexico located off of U.S. Highway 285.

The railroad cars were usually burglarized at night and during each break-in, the intruders removed large quantities of Budweiser Beer.

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Corner of C Ave. & Thirteenth, 648-2188
Sunday School..... 10:00 am
Worship Service..... 11:00 am
Thursday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm

Santa Rita Catholic Community
FR. DAVE BERGS, pastor
213 Birch, 648-2853
SATURDAY:
Capitan Sacred Heart..... 5:30 pm
C'ozzo Santa Rita..... 7:00 pm
SUNDAY:
Capitan Sacred Heart..... 9:00 am
C'ozzo Santa Rita..... 11:00 am
Corona St. Theresa..... 4:00 pm

Evangelistic Assembly
VIRGIL ASHCRAFT, pastor
711 E. Ave., 648-2952
Sunday..... 2:30 pm
Wednesday..... 7:00 pm
Saturday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm

Church of Christ
PAUL WETZEL, minister
Ave. C at 12th, 648-2998
Sunday School..... 10:00 am
Worship Service..... 11:00 am
Evening Worship..... 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm

Community United Presbyterian Church of Ancho
DOUG & LOU GORDON, co-pastors
648-2944
Sunday Morning Worship..... 9:00 a.m.
Adult Sunday School..... 10:00 am

St. Matthias Episcopal Church
REV. ROBERT BATTON
Corner of E Ave. & Sixth,
1-258-4144
Holy Eucharist..... 9:30 am Sunday

Trinity United Methodist Churches
THOMAS C. BROOM, pastor
1000 D. Ave., 648-2893/648-2846
Sunday School..... 10:00 am
Worship Service..... 11:00 am
Special Meetings: * Trinity Women meet third Thursday every month.
* Methodist Men meet for breakfast every second Sunday at 8:30 a.m.
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Sunday Worship..... 9:30 am
Adult Sunday School..... 8:30 am
2nd Sunday School..... 11:00 am

Nogal Presbyterian Church
DOUG & LOU GORDON, co-pastors
648-2944
Adult Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship..... 11:00 am

First Baptist Church
HAYDEN SMITH, pastor
314 10th Ave, 648-2988 (church)
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CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS RESOLUTION AND PROCLAMATION OF SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION AND TWO MILL ELECTION

WHEREAS, 1-22-3, B of the Election Code of the State of New Mexico, 1978 Compilation provides as follows:

"A regular school district election shall be held in each school district on the first Tuesday in February of each odd-numbered year."

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of Carrizozo Municipal School District No. 7 (herein the "Board" and the "district," respectively), in the Counties of Lincoln and Socorro, has determined that a regular school district election be held on February 2, 1993, pursuant to Sections 1-22-1 through 1-22-19, NMSA 1978.

WHEREAS, the following question shall be presented to the qualified registered voters of the Carrizozo Municipal School District No. 7:

"Shall the Board of Education of Carrizozo Municipal School District No. 7, Counties of Lincoln and Socorro, New Mexico, be authorized to impose a property tax of \$2.00 per each \$1,000.00 of net taxable value of the property allocated to such District under the Property Tax Code for the property tax years of 1993, 1994 and 1995 for the purpose of the following capital improvements in the District, i.e. erecting, remodeling, making additions to, providing equipment for and furnishing school buildings, improving school grounds, and maintenance of public school buildings and public school grounds exclusive of salary expenses of employees of the District and purchasing activity vehicles for transporting students to extracurricular activities?"

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7 CONSTITUTING THE GOVERNING BOARD OF SAID DISTRICT, IN THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN AND STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. On the 2nd day of February, 1993, there will be held in the Carrizozo Municipal School District No. 7, Lincoln and Socorro Counties, New Mexico, a regular school district election for the purpose of electing three (3) members to the Board.

Section 2. Any resident of the Carrizozo Municipal School District who is a qualified elector of the State of New Mexico who desires to become a candidate for the office of member of the Carrizozo Municipal School Board shall file a declaration of candidacy substantially in the form required by Section 1-22-3 NMSA 1978 in the office of the Lincoln County Clerk, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, on one day only, December 15, 1992, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Section 3. Any resident of the District who is a qualified elector of the State of New Mexico who desires to be a write-in candidate for the office of member of the Board shall file a declaration of intent to be a write-in candidate in the Office of the Lincoln County Clerk, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico before 5:00 p.m. on December 29, 1992.

Section 4. The Board positions and the length of terms for each position to be voted in this election are as follows:

Section 5. All precincts in the Carrizozo Municipal School District shall be consolidated for this election. The polling place for the single consolidated district shall be at the Office of the Superintendent, 800 D. Avenue, Carrizozo, New Mexico. In addition, there will be an Absentee Voter District established, as described in Section 9 herein.

Section 6. The polls for said election will be open between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election.

Section 7. A person is a qualified elector of the District if he or she is a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years of age on the date of the election and a resident of the District on the day of the election. In order to vote, qualified electors of the District must have previously registered with the County Clerk of either Lincoln or Socorro Counties in accordance with law. Any qualified elector of the District who is not now registered and wishes to vote at such regular election must register during regular office hours at the Office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County at the County Courthouse, in Carrizozo, New Mexico, or at the Office of the County Clerk of Socorro County at the Socorro County Courthouse, Socorro, New Mexico, depending upon the county in which such elector resides, or at the office of any deputy registration officer appointed by the County Clerks of Lincoln and Socorro Counties (including the municipal clerks of all municipalities in Lincoln and Socorro Counties) prior to 5:00 p.m. on January 5, 1993.

Section 8. Absentee voting will be permitted in the manner authorized by 1-6-1 NMSA 1978 et seq., provided that qualified electors may also vote absentee in person at the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County during the regular hours and days of business from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., commencing on January 8, 1993, and ending on January 29, 1993, being the Friday immediately prior to the date of the election.

Section 9. Voting shall be by voting machine, except for absentee voting which shall be by paper ballot. At least one voting machine shall be used at the polling place for each precinct.

Section 10. This Resolution and Proclamation shall be filed with the Lincoln County Clerk on or before November 27, 1992, and shall be published in Proclamation form in English and Spanish, between the dates of November 28, 1992 and December 14, 1992 in the Lincoln County News, having general circulation within the Carrizozo Municipal School District.

By: GARY HIGHTOWER, President, Board of Education of the Carrizozo Municipal School District.

ATTEST: EUGENIA VEGA, Secretary, Board of Education of the Carrizozo Municipal School District.

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RESOLUCION Y PROCLAMACION DE ELECCION DE LA JUNTA DE EDUCACION Y DE ELECCION DE DOS MILESIMOS DE DOLAR

CONSIDERANDO que la Sección 1-22-3, B del Código de Elecciones del Estado de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978 dispone como sigue:

"Tendrá lugar una elección ordinaria en cada distrito escolar el primer martes de febrero en los años pares."

CONSIDERANDO que la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Municipal Num. 7 de Carrizozo (en adelante la "Junta" y el "distrito" respectivamente), en los Condados de Lincoln y Socorro ha determinado que una elección ordinaria tendrá lugar el 2 de Febrero 1993, conforme a las Secciones 1-22-1 a 1-22-19, de las Leyes de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978.

CONSIDERANDO que el siguiente asunto será presentado a los votantes calificados y registrados del Distrito Escolar Municipal Num. 7:

imponer un impuesto sobre la propiedad de \$2.00 por cada \$1,000.00 del valor neto tributable de la propiedad asignada a tal Distrito según el Código de Impuestos sobre la Propiedad para los años tributables de 1993, 1994 y 1995 con el fin de hacer las siguientes mejoras en el Distrito, v.g., construir, remodelar, hacer adiciones, proveer equipo, amoblar edificios escolares, mejorar los terrenos escolares y para el mantenimiento de edificios escolares y terrenos escolares excluyendo costos de salarios para los empleados del Distrito y para la compra de vehículos para transportar a los estudiantes a las actividades extracurriculares?

AHORA, POR LO TANTO; RESUELVESE POR LA JUNTA DE EDUCACION DEL DISTRITO MUNICIPAL ESCOLAR NUM. 7 EL CUAL CONSTITUYE EL CUERPO GOBERNANTE DE DICHO DISTRITO, EN EL CONDADO DE LINCOLN Y SOCORRO, ESTADO DE NUEVO MEXICO:

Sección 1. El 2 de Febrero 1993, tendrá lugar en el Distrito Escolar Municipal Num. 7 de Carrizozo, Condados de Lincoln y Socorro, Nuevo México, una elección ordinaria en el distrito con el fin de elegir tres (3) miembros de la Junta.

Sección 2. Cualquier residente del Distrito Escolar Municipal de Carrizozo que sea votante calificado del Estado de Nuevo México que desee ser candidato para el cargo como miembro de la Junta Escolar Municipal de Carrizozo presentará su declaración sustancialmente en la forma exigida por la Sección 1-22-3 Leyes de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978 en la oficina del Escribano del Condado de Lincoln, Carrizozo, Nuevo México, en una fecha única, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 5:00 p.m.

Sección 3. Cualquier residente del Distrito que sea votante calificado en el Estado de Nuevo México que desee ser candidato cuyo nombre le escribirán los votantes para el cargo como miembro de la Junta llenará una declaración de intención que quiere ser candidato cuyo nombre le escribirán los votantes en la boleta, en la Oficina del Escribano del Condado de Lincoln, Edificio de la Corte del Condado de Lincoln, Carrizozo, Nuevo México antes de las 5:00 p.m. el 29 de diciembre 1992.

Sección 4. Los cargos para la Junta y la duración de los plazos que serán elegidos en esta elección son como sigue:

Sección 5. Todos los Recintos en el Distrito Escolar Municipal del Carrizozo se consolidarán para esta elección. El centro electoral para el único distrito consolidado estará ubicado en la Oficina del Superintendente, 800 D. Avenue, Carrizozo, Nuevo México, además, habrá un Distrito para los Votantes en Ausencia, según queda descrito en la Sección 9 de la presente.

Sección 6. Los centros electorales para dicha elección estarán abiertos de las 7:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m. el día de la elección.

Sección 7. El votante calificado es una persona del Distrito o de la ciudadana (a) de los Estados Unidos, tiene por lo menos 18 años de edad el día de la Elección y es residente del Distrito el día de la Elección. Para votar, los electores calificados del Distrito deben previamente haberse registrado en la Oficina del Escribano y sea del Condado de Lincoln o de Socorro, de acuerdo a la ley. Todo votante calificado del Distrito que no este registrado ahora y que desee votar en dicha Elección debe registrarse durante las horas hábiles, en la oficina del Escribano del Condado de Lincoln en el Edificio de la Corte del Condado de Lincoln, en Carrizozo, N.M. o en la Oficina del Escribano del Condado de Socorro, en el Edificio de la Corte del Condado de Socorro, en Socorro, N.M., depende del condado donde reside dicho

votante o en la oficina de cualquier oficial auxiliar del registro nombrado por los Escribanos del Condado de Lincoln o de Socorro, inclusive los secretarios municipales de todas las municipalidades en los Condados de Lincoln o de Socorro) antes de las 5:00 p.m. el 5 de Enero 1993.

Sección 8. La votación en ausencia se permitirá en las forma que autoriza 1-6-1 et seq., de las Leyes de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978; siempre que, según la Sección 1-22-19 de las Leyes de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978, los votantes calificados también podrán votar en ausencia, personalmente en la oficina del Escribano del Condado de Valencia, durante las horas y días hábiles desde las 8:00 a.m. el 8 de Enero 1993, que es el vigésimo quinto día antes de la Elección, hasta las 5:00 p.m., el 29 de Enero 1993, que es el día viernes inmediatamente antes de la Elección.

Sección 9. La votación se llevará a cabo por máquina de votar salvo la votación en ausencia que se llevará a cabo usando boletas de papel. Por los menos una máquina de votar se usará en el centro electoral para cada Distrito Electoral.

Sección 10. Esta Resolución y Proclamación se presentará al Escribano del Condado de Lincoln en o antes del 17 de Noviembre 1992, y se publicará en forma de Proclamación en inglés y en español entre las fechas del 28 de Noviembre 1992 y el 14 de Diciembre 1992 en el "Lincoln County News," que tiene circulación general dentro del Distrito Escolar Municipal de Carrizozo.

By: GARY HIGHTOWER, Presidente de la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Municipal de Carrizozo.

ATTESTACION: EUGENIA VEGA, Secretaria de la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Municipal de Carrizozo.

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RESOLUCION Y PROCLAMACION DE REGULAR SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION AND SCHOOL BOND ELECTION

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Captain Municipal School District No. 28 (herein the "Board" and the "District," respectively), in the County of Lincoln and State of New Mexico, has determined that a Regular School District Election and School Bond Election, (herein, the "Election") be held on February 2, 1993, pursuant to Sections 1-22-1 through 1-22-19, NMSA 1978; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that three (3) positions on the Board are to be filled at such Election by submitting to the qualified electors of the District the names of candidates qualified to appear on the ballot for election to the positions to be filled, and

WHEREAS, the persons who desire to fill such positions on the Board shall be required to file declarations of candidacy or declarations of intent to be a write-in candidate, all in accordance with Sections 1-22-1 et seq., NMSA 1978; and

WHEREAS, the Board of the District has determined upon its own initiative to submit to a vote at said Election, the question of the issuance of its general obligation bonds in the maximum amount and for the purpose hereinafter specified, as permitted by Section 22-18-2B NMSA 1978, and the Bond Election Act; and

WHEREAS, neither the bond question herein submitted nor any other bond question has been defeated by the voters of the District at a bond election held within a period of two years from the date of the Election hereinafter set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CAPTAIN MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 CONSTITUTING THE GOVERNING BODY OF SAID DISTRICT, IN THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN AND STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. On the 2nd day of February, 1993, there will be held in the Captain Municipal School District No. 28, Lincoln County, New Mexico, a regular school district election for the purpose of submitting the names of candidates for the three positions to be filled on the Board to the respective qualified electors of the District and for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the District the question of creating a debt by the issuing of general obligation bonds.

Section 2. The Voting Districts for this Election shall be as follows:

Voting District—1. General Election Precinct—3, 2A, 2B, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, & 12C.

Section 3. The polls for said Election will be open between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on the day of the Election.

Section 4. At such Election, the following at-large positions on the Board shall be filled by the qualified electors of the District, to-wit:

- Position 1: For a four-year term starting March 1, 1993;
Position 2: For a four-year term starting March 1, 1993; and
Position 4: For a four-year term starting March 1, 1993.

Section 5: A declaration of candidacy for membership on the Board to be filled at the Election shall be filed with the County Clerk of Lincoln, the proper filing officer, during the period commencing at 9:00 a.m., December 15, 1992, being the third Tuesday in December, and ending at 5:00 p.m. on the same day, pursuant to Section 1-22-7, NMSA 1978.

Section 6: In making a declaration of candidacy, the candidate for membership on the Board shall submit a sworn statement of intent in substantially the form provided in Section 1-22-8, NMSA 1978.

Section 7: A person who desires to be a write-in candidate for membership on the Board at such Election shall file with the County Clerk of Lincoln, a declaration of intent to be a write-in candidate before 5:00 p.m. on December 29, 1992, being the thirty-fifth day preceding the date of the Election.

Section 8: At such Election, the following question shall be submitted to such qualified, registered electors of the District: GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND QUESTION

"Shall the Board of Education of the Captain Municipal School District No. 28, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, be authorized to issue general obligation bonds of the District, in one series or more, in the aggregate principal amount of not exceeding \$1,300,000 for the purpose of erecting a middle school and erecting, remodeling, making additions to and furnishing school buildings and purchasing or improving school grounds or any combination of these purposes, said bonds to be payable from general (ad valorem) taxes and to be issued and sold at such time and terms upon such terms and conditions as the Board may determine?"

Section 9. A person is a qualified elector of the District if he or she is a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years of age on the day of the Election and a resident of the District on the day of the Election. In order to vote, qualified electors of the District must have previously registered with the County Clerk of Lincoln County in accordance with law. Any qualified elector of the District who is not now registered and who wishes to vote at such Election should register during regular office hours prior to 5:00 p.m. on January 5, 1993, being the twenty-fifth day immediately preceding the Election at the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, or at the office of any deputy registration officer appointed by the County Clerk of Lincoln County

(which may include the municipal clerks of all municipalities in Lincoln County).

Section 10. Absentee voting will be permitted in the manner, authorized by 1-6-1 et seq., NMSA 1978; provided, however, that pursuant to Section 1-22-19, NMSA 1978, qualified electors may also vote absentee in person at the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, during the regular hours and days of business from 8:00 a.m., January 8, 1993, being the twenty-fifth day preceding the Election, until 5:00 p.m., January 29, 1993, being the Friday immediately prior to the Election.

Section 11. Voting shall be by voting machine, except for absentee voting which shall be by paper ballot. At least one voting machine shall be used at the polling place for each Voting District.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 19th day of November, 1992.

By: THOMAS R. TROST, President, Board of Education.

(SEAL) ATTEST: IRON ROYBAL, Secretary, Board of Education.

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RESOLUCION Y PROCLAMACION DE ELECCION ESCOLAR ORDINARIA Y ELECCION DE IMPUESTOS PARA ESCUELAS PUBLICAS

CONSIDERANDO, que la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Municipal de Carrizozo (en adelante, la "Junta" y el "Distrito," respectivamente), en el Condado de Lincoln y el Estado de Nuevo México, ha determinado que una Elección Escolar Ordinaria de los votantes calificados y registrados de las escuelas, (en adelante, la "Elección") tendrá lugar el martes, 2 de Febrero 1993, de acuerdo con las Secciones 1-22-1 a 1-22-19, inclusive, de las Leyes de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978; y

CONSIDERANDO, que la Junta ha determinado que tres (3) personas serán elegidas en dicha Elección para ocupar tres (3) cargos por medio de presentación de los nombres de candidatos (donde a los votantes capacitados del Distrito con el fin de que dichos nombres aparezcan en la boleta para ser elegidos a los cargos que deben llenarse; y

CONSIDERANDO, que las personas que deseen ocupar dichos cargos en la Junta tendrán que presentar declaraciones de su candidatura o declaraciones de su intención de ser candidato cuyos nombres le escribirán los votantes en la boleta, todo de acuerdo con las Secciones 1-22-1 a 1-22-19, de las Leyes de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978; y

CONSIDERANDO, que la Junta del Distrito por iniciativa propia ha determinado someter a votación en dicha Elección, el asunto de la emisión de sus bonos de obligación general en la suma máxima y para los fines que más abajo se especifican, según lo permite la Sección 22-18-2B, de la Recopilación de las Leyes de Nuevo México 1978 y la ley de Elecciones de Bonos; y

CONSIDERANDO, que el asunto de bonos que por la presente se somete a votación en cualquier otro asunto de bonos hayan sido derrotados por los votantes del Distrito en elección de bonos dentro del plazo de dos años de la fecha de la Elección que más adelante se establece;

AHORA, POR LO TANTO, LA JUNTA DE EDUCACION DE CAPTAN MUNICIPAL ESCOLAR NUM. 28 DEL CONDADO DE LINCOLN Y ESTADO DE NUEVO MEXICO RESUELVE QUE:

Sección 1. El día 2 de Febrero, 1993, tendrá lugar en el Distrito Escolar Municipal Num. 28, del Condado de Lincoln, Nuevo México, una elección escolar ordinaria en el distrito con el fin de presentar los nombres de los candidatos a los votantes calificados del Distrito para los tres cargos en la Junta Directiva que deben llenarse y con el fin de presentarle a los votantes calificados del Distrito el asunto de si debe gravar un impuesto sobre la propiedad con el fin de hacer las mejoras en el Distrito.

Sección 2. Los Distritos Electorales para esta Elección serán como sigue: Distrito Electoral—1. Elección General Precinct—1, 2A, 2B, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10 y 12C.

Sección 3. En dicha Elección, los votantes calificados del Distrito llenarán los siguientes cargos por acumulación en la Junta, a saber: Cargo 1: Por un plazo de cuatro años comenzando el 1 de Marzo, 1993; y Cargo 2: Por un plazo de cuatro años comenzando el 1 de Marzo, 1993; y Cargo 4: Por un plazo de dos años comenzando el 1 de Marzo, 1993; y Sección 5: La declaración de candidaturas para ser miembro de la Junta a llenarse en la Elección se presentará al Escribano del Condado de Lincoln, el oficial apropiado a quien se le debe presentar dicha declaración, durante el período que empezará a las 9:00 a.m., el 15 de Diciembre 1992, que es el tercer martes en Diciembre, y terminará a las 5:00 p.m. el mismo día, de acuerdo con la Sección 1-22-7 de las Leyes de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978.

Sección 6: Al hacer la declaración de candidaturas, el candidato para el cargo en la Junta presentará una declaración bajo juramento de su intención, hecha sustancialmente como el formulario según dispone la Sección 1-22-8 de las Leyes de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978.

Sección 7: La persona que desee ser candidato para el cargo en la Junta y cuyo nombre le escribirán los votantes en la boleta, en dicha Elección, presentará una declaración al Escribano del Condado de Lincoln, en la cual debe constar su intención que quiere ser candidato y cuyo nombre le escribirán los votantes, antes de las 5:00 p.m. el 29 de Diciembre 1992, que es el trigésimo quinto día antes de la fecha de la Elección.

Sección 8. En dicha Elección, se presentará el siguiente asunto a la consideración de dichos votantes calificados y registrados: ASUNTO DE BONO DE OBLIGACION GENERAL

"Se autoriza a la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Municipal Num. 28 de Carrizozo, Condado de Lincoln, Estado de Nuevo México, que emita bonos de obligación general del Distrito, en una serie o más, en la suma global del principal que no exceda \$1,300,000 con el fin de construir una escuela post-primaria y construir, remodelar, poner adiciones y amoblar edificios escolares y comprar o mejorar los terrenos escolares o cualquiera combinación de dichos proyectos y dichos bonos serán pagados de fondos provenientes de impuestos generales (ad valorem) y dichos bonos se emitirán y se venderán bajo tales términos y condiciones como lo determine la Junta."

Sección 9. El votante calificado es una persona del Distrito o de la ciudadana de los Estados Unidos, tiene por lo menos 18 años de edad el día de la Elección y es residente del Distrito el día de la Elección. Para votar, los electores calificados del Distrito deben previamente haberse registrado en la Oficina del Escribano del Condado de Lincoln, en el Edificio de la Corte del Condado de Lincoln, en Carrizozo, Nuevo México, o en la oficina de cualquier oficial auxiliar del

registro que haya sido nombrado por el Escribano del Condado de Lincoln (que pueden ser los secretarios municipales de las municipalidades en el Condado de Lincoln).

Sección 10. La votación en ausencia se permitirá en la forma que autoriza 1-6-1 et seq., de las Leyes de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978; siempre que, según la Sección 1-22-19 de las Leyes de Nuevo México, Recopilación del 1978; los votantes calificados también podrán votar en ausencia, personalmente en la oficina del Escribano del Condado de Lincoln, durante las horas y días hábiles desde las 8:00 a.m. el 8 de Enero 1993, que es el vigésimo quinto día antes de la Elección, hasta las 5:00 p.m., el 29 de Enero 1993, que es el día viernes inmediatamente antes de la Elección.

Sección 11. La votación se llevará a cabo usando máquinas electorales, salvo que la votación en ausencia se llevará a cabo usando boletas de papel. Se usará, por lo menos, una máquina electoral en el sitio electoral de cada Distrito Electoral.

APROBADA el 12 de Noviembre, 1992.

By: THOMAS R. TROST, Presidente, de la Junta de Educación.

(SELO) ATTESTACION: IRON ROYBAL, Secretario, Junta de Educación.

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Sealed bids will be received by the County Manager at the Lincoln County Courthouse, P.O. Box 711, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301, until 10:00 A.M., Thursday, January 23, 1993, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. Any bids received after the above date and time will be retained unopened.

BID NO. 92-12: COMPUTERIZED MAPPING SOFTWARE/HARDWARE

Invitations to Bid with specifications may be obtained at the Office of the County Manager or by calling Martha Guevara at (505) 648-2385.

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will review the bids during their regular commission meeting on Tuesday, February 2, 1993, at 9:00 A.M.

All bids should be clearly marked on the outside of the sealed envelope with the bid number shown above.

Lincoln County reserves the right to accept or reject all or any part of any bid, waive minor technicalities and award the bid to best serve the interest of Lincoln County.

Bids must comply with the New Mexico Procurement Code and the Americans With Disabilities Act, Title II-A.

ANDREW C. WYNHAM, Lincoln County Manager.

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LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO No. CV-92-04 DIV. III

IN THE MATTER OF THE CHANGE OF NAME OF BECKY HARROD SEBASTIAN TO BECKY DIANE LEWIS.

NOTICE OF HEARING NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Becky Harrod Sebastian has filed a Petition with this District Court of Lincoln County seeking to have her name changed to Becky Diane Lewis.

Hearing on this Petition will be had on January 19, 1993, at 9:00 a.m. before the Honorable Richard A. Parsons, Sr. at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

RON LEWIS, Attorney for Petitioner.

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LEGALS

NOTICE OF PROPERTY TAX REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

Property which was valued in 1992 in this county by the county assessor is not required to be reported or rendered for 1993 or subsequent years, EXCEPT FOR:

- 1. mobile homes
2. livestock, and
3. land used for agricultural purposes

If, for any reason, your property was not valued last year and it is subject to valuation this year, you are required by law to report it to the county assessor on forms provided either by mail or at the assessor's office.

All nongovernmental entities (property owners) which claim to be exempt from the property tax must report their property and claim their exemption for 1993 if the exemption was not claimed in 1992.

Reports for mobile homes, livestock, land use for agricultural purposes, property not valued last year and claims for exemptions by nongovernmental entities must be completed and mailed or delivered to the county assessor not later than the last day of February.

If you made improvements to your real property and:

- 1. the improvements cost more than \$1,000 and

2. a building permit for the improvements was not issued; you must report the nature of the improvements and their cost to the assessor not later than the last day of February.

These reports must be on forms provided by that assessor. If you believe your property decreased in value during the preceding year, you must report, on forms provided by the assessor, a signed statement which:

- 1. describes the property affected,
2. states the cause and nature of decrease in value, and
3. states the amount you contend the value has decreased.

This statement must be filed with the county assessor no later than the last day of February.

If the veteran's exemption will be claimed, claim must be made by the last day of February. Please present or mail in original certificate to the County Assessors Office.

If the head-of-family exemption was claimed and allowed in 1992 no new claim for that exemption is required to be filed. However, if that exemption was not claimed and allowed in 1992 and it is now claimed, claim must be made by the last day of February by filing with the assessor the form provided by the assessor.

Beginning in the 1992 tax year, taxpayers are responsible for declaring their property classification to the assessor, as residential or nonresidential. When the declaration is accepted by the assessor, it shall remain as such and need not be made in subsequent years unless the classification changes. If a taxpayer has not declared their property to be residential in 1992 and desires that classification for 1993 they must complete a declaration of residential classification and return the signed declaration to the county assessor's office by the last day of February, 1993.

Certain mineral property and personal property of contractors operating in more than one county are required to be reported to the Taxation and Revenue Department, Property Tax Division of the State of New Mexico in Santa Fe. Information about property to be reported to the Taxation and Revenue Department, Property Tax Division can be obtained from the county assessor or the Taxation and Revenue Department, Property Tax Division, Central Assessment Bureau, P.O. Box 630, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503, Phone: (505) 827-0893.

THIS NOTICE is only a brief statement of the provisions of Section 7-36-8, 7-38-8.1, 7-38-13, 7-38-17 and 7-38-17.1 NMSA 1978 of the Property Tax Code. It is not intended to reflect the full contents of these statutory provisions. If you wish to review the full contents of these provisions, they can be examined at the office of the county assessor.

PATRICIA A. SERNA, Lincoln County Assessor, P.O. Box 38, Carrizozo, N.M. 88301, 648-2306 or 648-2307.

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ADVERTISMENT FOR BIDS PROJECT NO. CDBG D1-C-RS-L-02-G47 FmHA SECTION 633 HOUSING PRESERVATION FUNDS

PROJECT: Housing Rehabilitation for Lincoln County, New Mexico

Separate sealed bids for the Rehabilitation of Owner Occupied Single Family Dwellings - Group II will be received by the County of Lincoln at the Senior Citizen's Center in San Patricio, New Mexico 88348 until 2:00 p.m. on February 1, 1993.

Copies of the work write-ups and bid forms, the Handbook of Operations and Minimum Program Standards will be sent to prospective bidders on request. There will be a mandatory walk thru of the residences held on January

20th and 21st, 1993.

The Project is financed with a Federal Development Block Grant of \$250,000.00, and FmHA Section 633 Housing Preservation Funds.

All work must be performed by contractors properly licensed by the state of New Mexico. Work will be performed in conformance with applicable building, electrical and plumbing & mechanical codes, and the minimum program standards established by the County of Lincoln. Bids will be received, and contracts awarded. All rehabilitation will be administered in conformance with the Handbook of Operations approved by the County of Lincoln and the Department of Finance and Administration, and Farmers Home Administration.

The County of Lincoln, Tierra Del Sol Housing and Farmers Home Administration, reserve the right to waive any informalities, to reject any or all bids, and to accept the proposal it deems to be in the best interest of the County of Lincoln, Farmers Home Administration and the homeowners.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 90 days after the date of closing time for receipt of bids.

For more detailed information, contact Tierra Del Sol Housing Corp., 737 S. Campo St., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001, phone A/C 505 523-4598 Attn: Paul Kuester.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the Town of Carrizozo Emergency Response Committee will hold a meeting on Wednesday, January 20, 1993 at 7:00 P.M., City Hall Conference Room, Carrizozo, N.M. 88301.

CAROL SCHLARE, CMC, Town Clerk, Carrizozo.

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

NO. PB-92-12 DIV. III

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JO ANN LINDSAY WADE, Deceased.

NOTICE OF HEARING BY PUBLICATION ON PETITION FOR ORDER APPROVING FINAL ACCOUNT, PAYMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE'S AND ATTORNEY'S FEES, DISTRIBUTION AND COMPLETE SETTLEMENT OF THE ESTATE AND DISCHARGE OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: DEBORAH L. CROOM, VICKI LLORA, and LISA M. WADE, and to ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JO ANN LINDSAY WADE, and ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO HAVE OR CLAIM ANY INTEREST IN THE ESTATE OF JO ANN LINDSAY WADE, DECEASED, OR IN THE MATTER BEING LITIGATED IN THE HEREIN MENTIONED HEARING.

Hearing on the undersigned Personal Representative's Petition for an Order Approving Final Account, Payment of Personal Representative's and Attorney's Fees, Distribution and Complete Settlement of the Estate and Discharge of Personal Representative will be held at the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, sitting in Carrizozo, New Mexico, on the 28th day of January, 1993, at 9 o'clock, a.m., at which time, the Court will consider the aforesaid Petition, which seeks approval to the final account of the Estate, the

distribution of the Estate, the award and payment of attorney's fees and Personal Representative's fees, the complete settlement and discharge of the Personal Representative from further claims or demands of any interested person.

Pursuant to Section 45-1-101, notice of the time and place of hearing is given you once each week for two (2) consecutive weeks.

VICKI LLORA, Personal Representative, LAW OFFICES OF MEL B. O'REILLY, BY: Mel B. O'Reilly, 2730 San Pedro, NE, Suite E, Albuquerque, N.M. 87110 (505) 351-7678 Attorney for Personal Representative

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GARRIZOZO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Section 10-15-1(B) of the Open Meetings Act (Sections 10-15-1 through 10-15-4 NMSA 1978) states that, except as may be otherwise provided in the Constitution of the provision of the Open Meetings Act, all meetings of a quorum of members of any board, commission or other policy making body of any state agency held for the purpose of formulating public policy, discussing public business or for the purpose of taking any action within the authority of such board, commission or other policy making body, are declared to be public meetings open to the public at all times; and

WHEREAS, any meetings subject to the Open Meetings Act at which the discussion or adoption of any proposed resolution, rule regulation or formal action occurs shall be held only after reasonable notice to the public, and

WHEREAS, Section 10-15-1(C) of the Open Meetings Act requires Carrizozo Soil and Water Conservation District to determine annually what constitutes reasonable notice of its public meetings; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Carrizozo Soil and Water Conservation District on this 5th day of January 1993 that:

1. Regular meetings of the Carrizozo SWCD shall ordinarily be held each month at 7:00 p.m. on the first Tuesday at the Soil Conservation Service Office, Lincoln County Courthouse Annex, Central Ave., Carrizozo, N.M. A proposed agenda will be available from Sue Stearns, District Clerk, at the above address. Notice of regular meetings will be given seven days before the meeting to parties who request it in writing.

Notice of regular meetings will be released at least four days before each regular meeting to the Lincoln County News.

2. Special meetings of the Carrizozo Soil and Water Conservation District may be called by the chairman or a majority of the members upon three days notice. Parties who have requested notice of meetings in writing will be notified by telephone. Notice of special meetings will be posted at the Carrizozo SCS office. The area broadcast station will be notified by telephone.

3. Emergency meetings of the Carrizozo SWCD are meetings called under circumstances which demand immediate action by the Board of Supervisors. Although the Board of Supervisors would avoid emergency meetings whenever possible, such circumstances may occasionally arise, and may be called by the chairman or a majority of the members upon four hours notice. Parties who have requested a notice of meetings in writing will be notified by telephone. Notice of emergency meetings will be posted at the Carrizozo SCS office.

4. Pursuant to Section 10-15-1(E) NMSA 1978, the Carrizozo SWCD may close a meeting to the public if the subject matter of such discussion or action is included in Subsection E of the Open Meetings Act, Section 10-15-1 NMSA 1978: If any Board of Supervi-

ors meeting is closed pursuant to Section 10-15-1(E), such closure:

(1) If made in an open meeting, shall be approved by a majority vote of a quorum of the Board of Supervisors and authority for the closure shall be stated in the motion calling for the vote on a closed meeting. The vote on a closed meeting shall be taken in an open meeting and the vote of each individual member is to be recorded in the minutes. Only those subjects announced or voted upon prior to closure by the Board of Supervisors may be discussed in a closed meeting; and

(2) If called for when the Board of Supervisors is not in an open meeting, the closed meeting shall not be held until public notice, appropriate under the circumstances, stating the specific provision of law authorizing the closed meeting, is given to the members and to the general public.

ENOLLENE McDANIEL, Chairman, Carrizozo Soil & Water Conservation District.

Dated 5 January 1993 This resolution passed upon motion by Bob Hemphill and second by Howard Harkey.

Vote as follows: Enollene McDaniel, Absent. Bill Hightower, Absent. Billy Bob Shafer, Yes. Gordon Barham, Yes. Bob Hemphill, Yes. Howard Harkey, Yes.

ATTEST: SUE STEARNS, Admin. Assistant DATE: 1-5-93

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UPPER HONDO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT OPEN MEETINGS RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Section 10-15-1(B) of the Open Meetings Act (Sections 10-15-1 through 10-15-4 NMSA 1978) states that, except as may be otherwise provided in the Constitution of the provisions of the Open Meetings Act, all meetings of a quorum of members of any board, commission or other policy making body of any state agency held for the purpose of formulating public policy, discussing public business or for the purpose of taking any action within the authority of such board, commission or other policy making body, are declared to be public meetings open to the public at all times; and

WHEREAS, any meetings subject to the Open Meetings Act at which the discussion or adoption of any proposed resolution, rule regulation or formal action occurs shall be held only after reasonable notice to the public, and

WHEREAS, Section 10-15-1(C) of the Open Meetings Act requires Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District to determine annually what constitutes reasonable notice of its public meetings; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District on this 7th day of January 1993 that:

1. Regular meetings of the Upper Hondo SWCD shall ordinarily be held each month at 4:00 p.m. on the first Thursday at the Soil Conservation Service Office, Highway 380 West, Captain, New Mexico. A proposed agenda will be available from Sue Stearns, District Clerk, at the above address. Notice of regular meetings will be given seven days before the meeting to parties who request it in writing.

Notice of regular meetings will be released at least four days before each regular meeting to the Lincoln County News and Ruidoso News. 2. Special meetings of the Upper Hondo SWCD may be called by the Chairman or a majority of the members upon three days notice. Parties who have requested notice of meetings in writing will be notified by telephone. Notice of special meetings will be posted at the Captain SCS office. The local broadcast

station will be notified by telephone.

3. Emergency meetings of the Upper Hondo SWCD are meetings called under circumstances which demand immediate action by the Board of Supervisors. Although the Board of Supervisors would avoid emergency meetings whenever possible, such circumstances may occasionally arise, and may be called by the chairman or a majority of the members upon four hours notice. Parties who have requested a notice of meetings in writing will be notified by telephone. Notice of emergency meetings will be posted at the Captain SCS office.

4. Pursuant to Section 10-15-1(E) NMSA 1978, the Upper Hondo SWCD may close a meeting to the public if the subject matter of such discussion or action is included in Subsection E of the Open Meetings Act, Section 10-15-1 NMSA 1978: If any Board of Supervisors meeting is closed pursuant to Section 10-15-1(E), such closure:

(1) If made in an open meeting, shall be approved by a majority vote of a quorum of the Board of Supervisors and authority for the closure shall be stated in the motion calling for the vote on a closed meeting. The vote on a closed meeting shall be taken in an open meeting and the vote of each individual member is to be recorded in the minutes. Only those subjects

announced or voted upon prior to closure by the Board of Supervisors may be discussed in a closed meeting; and

(2) If called for when the Board of Supervisors is not in an open meeting, the closed meeting shall not be held until public notice, appropriate under the circumstances, stating the specific provision of law authorizing the closed meeting, is given to the members and to the general public.

JOHN A. COOPER, Chairman, Upper Hondo Soil & Water Conservation District.

Dated January 7, 1993

This resolution passed upon motion of Ernest McDaniel and second by Fred Pfingsten.

Vote as follows: John Cooper, Yes. Mary Shanks, Yes. Ernest McDaniel, Yes. Robert Boebinger, Yes. Alfred Gonzales, Yes. Fred Pfingsten, Yes.

ATTEST: SUE STEARNS, Admin. Assistant DATE: 1-7-93

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on December 29, 1992, Lincoln Valley Land Company, 500 N. Main, Suite 400-L, Roswell, New Mexico 88201, filed application No. 01405 with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change point of diversion and place of use of 1.3 acre-foot per annum of surface waters of the Rio Bonito River by ceasing the diversion of said waters via the Los Chozas Ditch, which presently has a point of diversion located in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 12, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., and ceasing the irrigation of 0.4 of an acre of land located in the E 1/4 of Section 13, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., and commencing the use of a new point of diversion located in the SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 29, Township 10 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., for the purpose of continuing rights for the diversion of up to 1.3 acre-foot per annum of surface waters for the irrigation of 10.0 acres of land described as follows:

Table with 5 columns: SUBDIVISION, SEC., TWSP., RGE., ACRES. Row 1: Pt. SW 1/4 SE 1/4, 29, 10 S., 17 E., 10.0. Row 2: Pt. NE 1/4, 32, 10 S., 17 E., 10.0.

Additional rights are to be moved in under concurrent applications filed under State Engineer Office File Nos. 01913-B and 01405 for a full day of water on the 10.0 acres.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the state of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objections shall be in writing and shall set forth all protestant's or objector's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Eluid Martinez, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201, within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice.

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NOTICE is hereby given that on December 29, 1992, Lincoln Valley Land Company, 500 N. Main, Suite 400-L, Roswell, New Mexico 88201, filed application No. 01913-B with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change point of diversion and place of use of 20.8 acre-foot per annum of surface waters of the Rio Bonito River by ceasing the diversion of said waters via the E. Fritz Ditch, which presently has a point of diversion located in the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 34, Township 9 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., and ceasing the irrigation of 6.4 acres of land located in the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 34, Township 9 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., and commencing the use of a new point of diversion located in the SE 1/4 NE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 29, Township 10 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., for the purpose of continuing rights for the diversion of up to 20.8 acre-foot per annum of surface waters for the irrigation of 10.0 acres of land described as follows:

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on December 24, 1992, Alto Lakes Water Corporation, P.O. Drawer 166, Alto, New Mexico 88312, filed application No. E-719 et al into E-787 & H-804, with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to temporarily change location of well and place of use of 10.0 acre-foot per annum of shallow ground water by ceasing the diversion of said waters from the following shallow wells:

Table with 5 columns: WELL NO., SUBDIVISION, SEC., TWSP., RGE. Rows include H-719, H-719-S, H-719-S-2, H-719-S-3, H-719-S-4, H-719-S-5, H-719-S-6, H-719-S-7, H-719-S-8, H-719-S-9, H-719-S-10, H-719-S-11, H-719-S-12, H-719-S-13, H-719-S-14, H-719-S-15, H-719-S-16, H-719-S-17.

and commencing the use of existing shallow wells described as follows:

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for the diversion of 10.0 acre-foot per annum of shallow ground water for domestic use on 400 acres of land located in the SE 1/4 of Section 25, Township 10 South, Range 13 East, at a condominium complex in Alto, New Mexico.

This temporary application is for a period of 5 years with all rights to revert to the original place and purpose of use on December 31, 1997, or sooner upon written request from the applicant.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the state of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objections shall be in writing and shall set forth all protestant's or objector's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Eluid Martinez, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201, within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice.

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Sheriff's report

Three sheriff's deputies responded to a multi-car pile up on Highway 380, west of Carrizozo in Socorro County, about 8 a.m. Monday, Jan. 11.

Ice and dense fog, with visibility less than 100 feet, contributed to the accident at mile-marker 40. Deputies, as well as New Mexico State Highway Dept. personnel, assisted with traffic at the scene.

One person was transported by Carrizozo Ambulance to Lincoln County Medical Center (LCMC) in Ruidoso, with injuries sustained in the accident.

Undersheriff Bobby Miller and a deputy assisted Ruidoso Police secure the scene of a fatal shooting on Mechem Drive in Ruidoso Sunday.

The following information was taken from dispatch records at the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office in Carrizozo.

JAN. 5
 12:25 p.m.—Ruidoso Police reported an open door and possible breaking and entering at a residence in Cedar Creek. At 1:05 p.m. the responding deputy advised the house was secure, no forced entry.

12:42 p.m.—an accident without injuries was reported on Highway 48 between Gaviilan Canyon Road turnoff and the Ski Run Road turnoff. New Mexico State Police (NMSP) were advised.

3:29 p.m.—a dumpster fire was reported in Hondo at mile-marker 284 on Highway 70. Hondo Fire Dept. responded.

7:44 p.m.—criminal damage to property was reported at a White Oaks residence. A vehicle ran into the corner of the garage. The responding deputy and Carrizozo Police arrested a person.

8:30 p.m.—a grass fire was reported in the orchard next to Hondo School. Hondo Fire Dept. advised the fire was pretty much under control by 9:09 p.m. and no further assistance was needed.

JAN. 6
 Animal control was requested in Capitan. The neighbor's dog kept coming in the complainant's yard and getting into the trash. The complainant's husband went out to try to run the dog away and the dog turned on him, but did not bite him.

11:57 a.m.—Ruidoso Downs Police advised a gentleman came into their station and needed a report about some stolen steps.

1:17 p.m.—Ski Apache requested Alto Ambulance. No one from Alto was scheduled, so

Ruidoso Advanced Life Support (RAIS) was dispatched to transport a 48 year old man on a back board and in a c-collar.

8:15 p.m.—keys were reported stolen at an RV Park in the Alto area.

JAN. 7
 1:59 p.m.—Ski Apache requested RAIS.

8:15 p.m.—Capitan ambulance was dispatched to Capitan School to transport a person to LCMC.

9:01 p.m.—Capitan City Hall reported a broken window on the back side of Capitan Elementary School.

10:21 p.m.—Ft. Stanton Ambulance transported a 64 year old man from Capitan to LCMC.

JAN. 8
 10:26 a.m.—a wrecker was dispatched to milemarker 6 on the Ski Run Road.

3:08 p.m.—Zia Natural Gas Company reported solar panels and battery stolen off an installation north of Capitan on Forest Road 72A. A deputy responded.

3:40 p.m.—a Maggado Creek Estates resident reported a big white pig tore up a water line. Dispatch called the possible owner of the pig, who advised she would send someone to pick up the pig and talk to the complainant about the damage.

At 6:54 p.m. the complainant called and advised that when he tried to run the pig off, his dog bit up its ear. The pig's owner's brother advised they were even on the damages. A deputy was to follow up.

4:16 p.m.—An auto company in Carrizozo requested an officer to help keep the peace while repossessing a vehicle. One deputy on the case advised

it was a civil situation. A second deputy advised the company should make an attempt to repossess the vehicle, if the people give them problems, then go to the judge and file on the people.

6:59 p.m.—a motorist assist was requested on Highway 380. At 7:17 p.m. Carrizozo Police located the vehicle about eight miles east of town, but no one was around.

8:43 p.m.—Capitan Ambulance was dispatched to Smokey Bear Cafe in Capitan for a 16 year old girl who had passed out.

9:08 p.m.—a walk away was reported at Fort Stanton Hospital. The 37 year old female client had walked away before.

At 9:15 p.m. dispatch called NMSP who advised he was on the line with the hospital. At 9:42 p.m. the hospital advised the woman was located on the grounds.

11:22 p.m.—Ruidoso Police advised of an accidental shooting with a .22 caliber Ruger. The subject was getting out of his pickup when his holstered pistol fell out and shot him in the hip. By 1:15 a.m. Ruidoso Med I was en route with the subject to Eastern New Mexico Medical Center South in Roswell.

JAN. 9
 9:51 a.m.—a Capitan resident advised a man shot her dog, and it was bleeding to death. Capitan police responded and the owner took the animal to the vet.

12:35 p.m.—a breaking and entering was reported at White Oaks Bar. The complainant thought two bottles of liquor were taken. Two hours later the complainant advised they had

found footprints to match those at the bar and requested a deputy respond to their residence in Carrizozo. A deputy responded.

2:38 p.m.—a female walk-in requested an emergency medical technician at a residence in Carrizozo. The complainant advised her friend cut his arm while loading dishes in the dishwasher and requested the EMT to advise whether the cut needed stitches. The responding EMT advised the subject will take him to LCMC by a private vehicle.

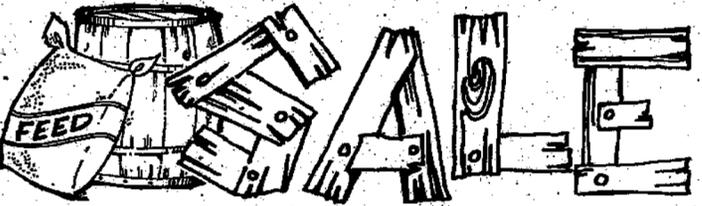
4:42 p.m.—Alto Ambulance was dispatched to Ski Apache to transport a patient to LCMC.

8:27 p.m.—Capitan School Superintendent reported kids with fireworks at Capitan Gym. Capitan Police advised juveniles were in the superintendent's custody. The juveniles were from out of town, at a game in Capitan.

JAN. 10
 12:06 a.m.—a disturbance was reported on Drexel Ave. in Carrizozo. Carrizozo Police responded and at 12:22 a.m. arrested Pete Maldonado, 22, Carrizozo for probation violation.

1:35 a.m.—what was reported as a fight in Capitan resulted in a hit and run on Second Street. Capitan Police and ambulance were dispatched to the scene. The complainant received a call from her daughter about a fight. Capitan police ascertained the incident was a vehicle-pedestrian accident, where the victim had been dragged by a pick up 20 feet or so and sustained serious injuries as a result. The vehicle's driver and other subjects fled to the driver's residence in the Hondo area. The victim, Paul Hernandez, was taken to LCMC. Ruidoso Police dispatch later received a call from the driver, Daniel Salcido, 20, who

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CARRIZOZO SCHOOLS CLIPBOARD

A weekly school column from Carrizozo Municipal Schools that serves as a bridge to parents, businesses and community groups who welcome knowing more about their school. News about student, staff, and board members will be highlighted.

STUDY OF CAREERS—Hal Marx, Carrizozo Municipal Airport manager, was guest speaker last Friday for 5th and 6th grade students who are participating in a career unit. Teacher Ruby Armstrong is teaching the project as part of her Social Studies class. "Across the curriculum" is how Armstrong explains how Language Arts, Science, Math and Art are involved in this project that teach the study of careers.

Marx spoke to the 38 students about aviation and qualifications for becoming a pilot. His presentation generated many questions from the inquisitive students. Marx, a retired Marine captain, first got hooked on flying through his grandfather; a farmer who owned an old "Jenny" aircraft. He went on to become a pilot during World War II in the South Pacific. "Flying is a disease," Marx told his audience as he recalled his career, which included 25 years as a Marine. He gave each student a Lindbergh commemorative coin of the 40th anniversary of commercial aviation in New Mexico.

Armstrong plans to invite other local career people to speak to her classes. These will include the county manager, a rancher, an engineer, and a cosmetologist. Other fields investigated will include forest service, banking, soil conservation, mental health services and crafts. In addition to learning about the skills of each career,

the students will have future career choices. Each student will be required to do a research report on a particular career before the study unit is completed. Field trips around the community will be planned to tie in with the career project.

WILDLIFE SHOW—Monday, students in grades K-7 enjoyed an indoor educational program about wildlife conservation. Arrangements were made by Julia Hollis, school librarian. The presentation, given by volunteers from Albuquerque's Rio Grande Zoo included a slide show and bio-facts. The students petted or observed live animals, reptiles and amphibians. There was a marine toad, a California King snake and a leopard gecko. Julio, a blue and gold macaw, displayed his talking and nut cracking skills. Shorty, a short-tailed Brazilian opossum and Bandit, a domesticated ferret were escorted around the room by docents, Josephine Zdeb and Dorann Herring.

REGION IX MEETING—Karen Brown, speech therapist, represented the Carrizozo Schools District at a Region IX meeting in Ruidoso on Jan. 8. Those present included administrative personnel, educational diagnosticians, speech language pathologists and occupational therapists from this area. The year-long series of meetings are designed to develop regional policies and procedures to maintain compliance with the new Standards of Excellence for New Mexico Schools sponsored by the State Department of Education and the federal regulations set forth in the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). Both of these compliance documents address the needs of exceptional children. Region IX districts are developing policies and procedures on a regional or cooperative basis in hopes of accommodating student movement from one district to another.

PARENT/SENIOR MEETING—High school seniors and their parents will meet on Jan. 21 at 7 p.m. to dis-

cus graduation plans and senior trip details. Sponsor Linda Brown is seeking a kindergarten group picture of the class for use at graduation.

MUSIC CONFERENCE—On Jan. 7 and 8 Richard Brown attended seminars on elementary music and workshops that focused on different instruments such as the bass clarinet. The New Mexico Music Education Association

(NMMEA) met for the annual conference in Albuquerque. NMMEA meet in January, for two reasons: for participation in workshops and seminars on the latest in music education and for the yearly gathering of the All-State Ensembles. On Jan. 9, Brown attended All-State concerts from 10 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. Polly Chavez is the Carrizozo Schools news coordinator.

Sheriff's report . . . (Con't. from P. 11)

was at home and requested an officer take a report. At 2:41 a.m. NMSP police went to Salcido's home and escorted him to Ruidoso Police Dept. At 6:01 a.m. Capitan Police picked up Salcido at Ruidoso Police Dept.

1:13 p.m.—a dumpster fire was reported at Enchanted Forest on Highway 48, Bonito Fire Dept. responded.

1:40 p.m.—a deputy provided a motorist assist to a woman by giving her a ride to Corona where she called her family in Alamogordo to come up and tow her vehicle.

The following persons were booked into the Lincoln County Detention Facility in Carrizozo: **JAN. 5**

Robert James Mattson, 38, Hondo; possession of drug paraphernalia; \$5,000 bond posted Jan. 6.

Eddie Romero, 45, Ruidoso; DWI, careless driving, possession of marijuana; \$2,000 bond posted same day.

Johnny Kimbrell II, 41, Carrizozo; DWI 2nd or more, no drivers license, no insurance, leaving accident; \$2,300 bond posted Jan. 11.

Samuel Mermella, 33, Ruidoso Downs; parole violation; released on order of probation officer Jan. 11.

JAN. 6
Brian Vigil, 27, Carrizozo; aggravated battery; \$2,000 bond; released on order by Magistrate Judge Gerald Dean Jr. on Jan. 7.

Florentino Ramirez, 32 and Jimmy Brown, 26, both held for Camp Sierra Blanca state minimum security prison.

Greg A. Jolly, 18, Capitan; forgery, conspiracy; \$25,000 bond. **JAN. 8**

Cain Florez, 32, Roswell; warrant for failure to appear; released on order by Dean Jan. 11.

Victor Gallegos, 28, held for Camp Sierra Blanca.

Robert A. Stokes, 34, Williamsburg, N.M.; DWI 3rd, driving on revoked license; court commitment of 96 hours by Magistrate Judge Jim Wheeler, released Jan. 12 after time served.

Kevin G. Duren, 37, Ruidoso; court commitment of 48 hours; released Jan. 10 after time served.

Timothy L. Valentine, 33, San Patricio; assault; \$500 bond, posted Jan. 8.

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