

# County Commission Passes Budget In Emergency Meeting

by Doris Cherry

Tuesday night, Lincoln County Commissioners approved the 1998-99 final budget during an emergency meeting held in their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

Commission chairman L. Ray Nunley opened the emergency meeting held at 6 p.m. Tuesday by saying he called the county attorney Alan Morel for his opinion whether the commission was within legal rights to hold an emer-

gency meeting for the budget approval. Nunley said Morel told him that the commission could hold the emergency meeting legally to approve the budget. Nunley said he then sought an opinion from another attorney who provides legal counsel for another county. Nunley said that attorney also said the commission was within legal rights to hold an emergency meeting to approve the budget.

Four of the five commissioners were in attendance, and

acting county manager Martha Guevara said she was unable to contact commissioner Monroy Montes. The county gave notice to the media on Monday about the emergency meeting on Tuesday night. By the commission's own open meeting resolution, they must give at least 24 hour notice on any emergency meeting. Emergency meetings can only be held when there is threat to the health, welfare and safety of the county.

Commissioner Wilton

Howell commented, "This is a self inflicted emergency meeting." He went on to say that when he left the special meeting on August 25, called to approve the final budget which commissioners failed to do, "I was angry, and I've been angry since then. That is not a good feeling."

Howell said the reason why he was angry was because he felt the process had been circumvented. "Not just the DWI process," he added. "We challenged the finance officer

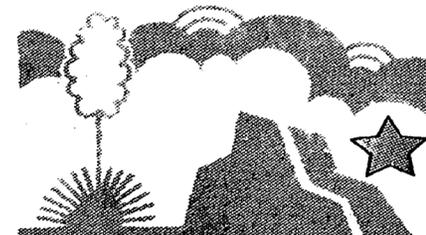
and manager and I don't think that was right," Howell continued.

Howell said one reason he was angry last week was because he believed he had not received a copy of the final budget before the meeting. He said a copy of the budget was delivered to his place of business in Ruidoso where his office is being remodeled. "I found the (agenda) packet in my office," Howell said. "It had fallen between the desk and the file

cabinet."

"I apologize," Howell said. "It made me think of a lot of things." Howell said he had questioned commissioner Rex Wilson's seeking information about the budget before the meeting. "His questions made us uneasy about passing the budget then, which we were not more than 15 minutes away from passing," Howell continued. "But I wanted a

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## CrimeStoppers Seek Information About Murder Suspects

Lincoln County/Ruidoso CrimeStoppers are offering a \$1,000 reward for information leading to the arrest of individuals suspected in the murder of a Ruidoso convenience store clerk last weekend.

According to a press release from Ruidoso Police Department, at 3:47 a.m. August 29, officers of the Ruidoso Police Department responded to a report of suspicious activity at the Allsup's store located at 127 Highway 70 west Ruidoso. Upon arrival, officers were unable to locate the clerk on duty and began a search of the store. The clerk was located in the men's restroom, an apparent victim of homicide.

The Lincoln County Major Crime Scene Unit, consisting of members of the Ruidoso Criminal Investigation Division, state police, and Lincoln County Sheriff's Office, was activated and responded to the scene.

The identity of the victim is (SEE PAGE 3)



**MURDER SUSPECTS.** The above sketch is of two suspects believed to be involved in the homicide of the Allsup's clerk in Ruidoso on August 29. The male, left, is described as Hispanic, 34 years old, 5'9" tall, medium build, black short hair with a mole on his right lower cheek. The sketch on the right is of the female suspect, 28 years old, 5'4", 115 pounds, medium brown colored hair. Anyone seeing persons fitting these descriptions can call Lincoln County CrimeStoppers, at Ruidoso police department at 257-7365 or Lincoln County Sheriff's Office at 648-2341.

## Special LCSWA Meeting Cancelled

by Doris Cherry

A special meeting of the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority was cancelled Monday, after a member questioned the legality of notification and the use of proxy votes.

According to Capitan Village Trustee Debra Ingle, who represents the village of Capitan on the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority (LCSWA) board, she did not receive proper notice of the meeting which she had believed to be set for Tuesday, September 1. Ingle said at the August 17 LCSWA meeting, members agreed to meet every two weeks until Ruidoso had completed its transition from the authority. Figuring this, she believed the next meeting was to be Tuesday, Sept. 1.

Ingle said that no notice of the Monday meeting was called, mailed, delivered or faxed to her home or place of business or to Capitan village hall which she considers the proper place for notification of meetings to be delivered. Capitan Village Clerk Deborah Cummins said LCSWA did not fax or deliver any notice of the meeting to village hall. Cummins said LCSWA has not delivered meeting notices or agenda packets to village hall since Ingle was appointed to represent the village on LCSWA.

THE NEWS received a

faxed notice of the meeting. The notice states it was posted at 3:30 p.m. on August 26 by LCSWA office/personnel manager Beverly Foote.

But Ingle said they had agreed to meet on Tuesdays, and she had arranged her working schedule at her business, Smokey Bear Restaurant in Capitan, so she could attend the Sept. 1 meeting.

When she learned of the Monday meeting, Ingle said she requested Capitan Mayor Norm Renfro to attend with her proxy vote. Renfro and Capitan trustee Benny Coker did arrive at the Monday meeting, but the meeting had been canceled. Ingle was told that Renfro could not carry her proxy. Renfro was out of town and unavailable for comment at press time.

Ingle is also questioning the legality of the proxy vote, since Capitan, Ruidoso Downs and Carrizozo have only one voting member on the LCSWA board. "I'm bothered by the proxy vote, and I questioned our village attorney who also thinks the proxy vote is illegal since it can only be given to another member of the board," Ingle said. "Ruidoso has five members on the board and the county has two so one can give a proxy vote to another easily. None of the rest of the entities have that ability. So I questioned this."

Ingle has also requested a copy of the LCSWA Open

Meetings Resolution but as of Wednesday afternoon neither she or the village attorney Dave Thompsen had received a copy.

LCSWA manager Jerry Wright was out of town and unavailable to comment on Wednesday. On Monday, Wright told THE NEWS that the meeting had been canceled because of the questions about the legality of the proxy vote and proper notice of meeting.

## Carrizozo And Hondo Schools Receive State Funding For Construction

Two Lincoln County school districts were awarded Public School Capital Outlay funding to be used for necessary construction projects.

Carrizozo School District was awarded \$600,000 and Hondo School District was awarded \$500,000 from the New Mexico Public School Capital Outlay Council. The council announced the awards on Wednesday, according to a release from Senator Pete D. Campos, D-Las Vegas.

The Public School Capitan Outlay Council is comprised of nine members including representatives from the legislative branch, executive

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## Capitan Special Bond Election September 15

by Doris Cherry

On Tuesday, September 15, the qualified voters in the Village of Capitan will be asked to vote on three bond issue questions totaling \$965,000.

Village Trustees authorized the bond issue election to raise funds to make needed improvements to the municipal water system, to acquire road equipment and to make improvements to public buildings. The village has been very successful in obtaining Community Development Block Grants (CDBGs) to finance several needed projects, including street paving, water storage tanks, waste water wetlands, fire hydrants and another well. Also the village has received Co-op funds from the New Mexico Highway Department for gravel on village roads. While the village plans to continue to seek these federal and state funds, some projects do not qualify for these programs. For example, the CDBG program will not fund improvements to village hall.

On the ballot, voters will find three questions to which

they may answer for or against. The first is: "Shall the Village of Capitan issue up to \$515,000 of general obligation bonds in one series or more for the purpose of enlarging, improving, extending or acquiring the municipal water system, including acquisition of water or water rights, necessary real estate or rights of way, bridges and easements and necessary apparatus for a water system, or any combination of the foregoing?" The question asks voters to approve up to \$515,000 in bonds so the village can finance the drilling of a new water well and/or installation of one or two additional 100,000 gallon storage tanks to regulate pressure and water flow to the subdivisions.

Question two is for road equipment: "Shall the Village of Capitan issue up to \$200,000 of general obligation bonds for the purpose of purchasing heavy equipment for use in laying off, opening, constructing, repairing and otherwise improving municipi-

## Carrizozo 5th Annual Labor Day Street Fair

Long time Carrizozo and Lincoln County resident and town historian Johnson Stearns is the parade marshal for the 5th Annual Labor Day Street Fair in Carrizozo on September 7.

Sponsored by the Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce, the street fair begins with the parade at 10 a.m. that will travel south on 12th Street. The parade ends at McDonald Park where there will be live entertainment, booths, a car and motorcycle show and politicians. Live entertainment includes "The Magic Guy" Jamie O'Hara of Las Cruces and music from the KGB Blues Band from Ruidoso featuring Gary and Kathy Stamper and friends.

Candidates for the November election have been invited to participate in the parade and make short speeches in the park afterwards.

Along with parade marshal Johnson Stearns, other dignitaries in the parade include Carrizozo Mayor Manuel Hernandez and District 1 Lincoln County Commissioner Rex Wilson. Vehicles for the dignitaries will be furnished by Sierra Blanca Motors in Ruidoso.

The winner of the "Employee of the Year" award, chosen from nominations made by chamber businesses, will be announced following the parade. The winner will receive the "floating" plaque to hang in the winner's place of employment until next year's fair.

Vendors will also be set up in McDonald park after the parade.

Parade entries and vendors are still welcome. Call 648-2975 for more information, or contact a chamber member.

# County Budget Passed

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opportunity to vote on the budget."

"Wilson had every right to ask those questions," Howell said.

Howell went on to say that, "Things were said about the manager and finance officer that should not have been said."

As for questions about the budget, Howell said the commissioners need to work through the process and get answers to their questions

before meetings. "I've gone over the budget several times since that meeting," Howell continued. "We asked a lot of departments to cut their budgets. Two departments we asked hard—maintenance and the clerk's."

He went on to say that the clerk has continued to live within her budget and has turned back money at the end of the fiscal year, even though the clerk's office budget has been cut nearly \$9,000 from

two fiscal years before. The only department not cut was the sheriff's office.

"We've asked many to sacrifice, except the commission," Howell continued. The commissioners budget increased \$3,000 this fiscal year from last fiscal year from \$90,000 in 1997-98 to \$93,000 in 1998-99. "If we ask others to tighten their belts, then it's time for us to tighten ours." He proposed cutting commissioners mileage and per diem from the \$10,000 listed to \$5,000 or \$1,000 per commissioner.

Last year commissioners spent \$7,018 for mileage and per diem, excluding airplane tickets. According to finance officer Punkin Schlarb, Wilson requested reimbursement of \$1,994, commissioner Bill Schwettmann requested \$1,559, Nunley requested \$2,365, Montes \$100 and Howell nothing. According to the a commission resolution, commissioners are entitled to mileage if they meet outside their commission district. "I think part of being a county commissioner is coming to the meetings," Howell said. He said that the resolution establishing mileage and per diem reimbursements states that each commissioner's district is the place where we do business. "But I think the place of doing business is the courthouse, since we are required by law to meet here at least four times a year," he said.

Howell then made a motion to reduce the per diem and mileage to \$5000. He got no second.

Schwettmann said that some don't realize that some of "us" are in the courthouse three to four days a week. "You're seldom here except for meetings," Schwettmann said to Howell. "I'd like to see the

attorney fees for the last six months per individual," Schwettmann said. He went on that he had no apology for taking the mileage. "Now if you had said give back the salaries, or per diem, I'll do that," Schwettmann continued. "But some of us use it and use it well."

Schwettmann then offered to provide a complete list of his mileage and per diem reimbursements for the last 5.5 years. He then said how Howell takes an extra \$5,000 for health benefits on his salary when he takes no benefits. "It all balances out. I'm getting tired of this goody, goody stuff which is all air and no substance," Schwettmann said.

"I believe you missed the point," Howell responded. "You might be better off if you did consult the attorney for his services."

"What are you talking about?" Schwettmann wanted to know from Howell.

"The point is," Howell responded, "We asked a lot of departments to take cuts. We need to cut. I'm not trying to pinpoint who, we just need to cut expenses and I'm trying to talk about setting examples."

Nunley then interrupted and directed discussion back to the budget resolution. "Didn't we already approve the budget?" Schwettmann asked.

But commissioners had not approved the final budget. Nunley asked if county treasurer Joan Park had any comments about the budget. Park who was unable to attend the emergency meeting had left notes for her staff member Glenna Robbins who said that Park had gone over the budget with Schlarb.

Schlarb said after all the changes were made last week, she doubled checked finding some errors. One area in question was the 414 fund for facilities expenditures where a purchase order had been issued to pay for the radio repeaters on Buck Mountain. Schlarb said the purchase order for the two repeaters is still outstanding and not paid. The generator was paid for in the last fiscal year which was shown in the 414 fund audit.

Schlarb said the contractor advised her Monday that the repeaters were up.

Wilson also questioned \$8,651 in data processing, which Schlarb said was for the Global Information System used in the assessor's office.

Howell again tried to reduce the mileage and per diem for commissioners by \$2,000 by offering to not take the \$2,000 budgeted for himself. "As I don't intend to take mine this year," he said.

Lincoln County Clerk Martha Proctor suggested the budgeted mileage and per diem for Howell be used as a savings account to be carried over to the next fiscal year.

County resident E. J. Fouratt asked what the ending balance from last year is, which Nunley said has been several different amounts ranging from \$300,000 to \$160,000. Schlarb said for all departments and funds the ending unspent, unbudgeted balance is \$3,502,162.96. For the general fund, the ending unspent, unbudgeted balance is \$199,647.06, Schlarb said.

Fouratt suggested commissioners give the vehicles to the sheriff's office and employees a three percent raise beginning October 1. "You've got the money and these are righteous expenditures," Fouratt said.

Schlarb then said that she had called each of the commissioners to ask if they had any changes to make to the budget before the meeting and each of them had said they had no questions. "So I request you approve the budget now, as presented," she said.

Wilson made the motion to approve the final 1998-99 budget as presented, Schwettmann seconded the motion. Before they voted, Janice Silva, sheriff Tom

Sullivan's administrative assistant asked on behalf of Sullivan, who was unable to attend the meeting because of a flat tire, to allow a transfer to the county fund to allow purchase of a four-wheel drive four door vehicle. "This will not affect the final balance," Silva said.

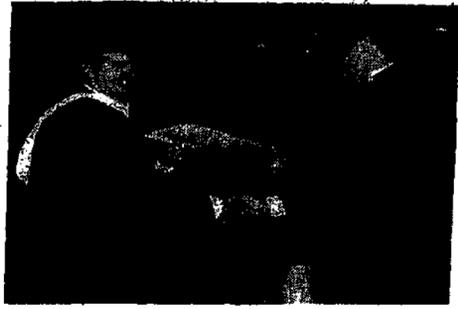
Nunley then tried to make a motion to allow this, but the motion to approve was on the floor. Nunley then suggested amending the motion, but Schwettmann said they had "massaged this till our tempers are raw. The budget is an estimate of money received and spent. It is a calculated guess of the cost to do business. We know we will make budget adjustments. We need to get this budget approved, or DFA will come down here and they'll run the departments."

With that Nunley asked for the roll call vote required for resolutions. Nunley, Schwettmann and Wilson voted yes, Howell voted no. Then they adjourned at 9:28 p.m.

The 1998-99 final budget approved lists general fund expenditures of \$3,156,652 and general fund revenues of \$3,717,906, with an ending cash balance of \$793,391.48. The required cash reserve for the general fund is \$769,162.91.

The grand total budgeted expenditures for all funds including general fund, grants and special programs including Lincoln County Medical Center (LCMC) and Carrizozo Health Clinic and the special remodeling project at LCMC, are \$10,246,558. Revenues for all funds and programs are budgeted at \$8,254,493.

## Carrizozo Chit Chat



Hollis Graduates

Troy Reagon Hollis of Ft. Worth graduated from Southwestern Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth May 16 with a Master of Arts in religious education.

Joshua 3-year old twins, and Braden age 2.

Troy is a graduate of Carrizozo High School. His parents are Richard and Julia Hollis, formerly of Carrizozo.

Stock Car Winners

Troy and his wife, Kara, left Aug. 30 for Guinea, West Africa to serve as missionaries with the International Service Corp. Their four children are Natalie age 5, Rebecca and

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# Capitan Special Bond

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**FIRST AND THIRD MONDAYS**  
 —Writers' Group 7 p.m. Carrizozo Rec Center.  
**FIRST & THIRD TUESDAYS**  
 —Craig Hipple of the District II Office of the State Engineer will be at Ruidoso Village Hall from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

**THURSDAYS**  
 —Lincoln County Adult Singles Group 6:30 p.m. Call 354-2635 or 258-3201 for information and location. Or e-mail at [www.nogal.com/lcag](http://www.nogal.com/lcag).  
 —Alcoholic Anonymous 8 p.m. Carrizozo Senior Citizens Center. Call 648-1145 for information.  
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**FRIDAYS**  
 —Alcoholics Anonymous big book open discussion 7-8 p.m. Capitan Senior Center 354-4032 for information.

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3**  
 —Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District annual meeting, 6 p.m. Lincoln County Fair building in Capitan.

**SATURDAY-MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5-7**  
 —Ruidoso Public Library closed for Labor Day weekend.

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, LABOR DAY**  
 —No school, public offices closed.  
 —5th Annual Carrizozo Labor Day Street Fair. Parade 10 a.m. 12th Street, car and motorcycle show, speeches and booths in McDonald Park after parade.

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8**  
 —Ruidoso Utility Council, 9:30 a.m. convention center.  
 —Special Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority meeting 2 p.m. LCSWA offices Ruidoso Downs.  
 —Carrizozo Town Council 6 p.m.  
 —Ruidoso Village Council 8:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9**  
 —Ruidoso Library Board, 12 noon, library.  
 —Eagle Creek Water Board 6:30 p.m. Ruidoso village hall.  
 —Carrizozo Lodge #41 AF&AM 7:30 p.m.

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10**  
 —Ruidoso Arts Commission, 4 p.m. village hall.  
 —Capitan School Board 6 p.m.  
 —Libertarian Party of Lincoln County 7 p.m. TNM Power Co. in Ruidoso.

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11**  
 —Lincoln County Commission meeting, 9 a.m. commissioners room in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo. Meeting includes public hearings at 1 p.m. for proposed revisions to the ordinance that created the Ag and Rural Affairs Advisory Committee, proposed revisions to the Lincoln Historic Preservation Ordinance and proposed revisions to the ordinance that created the Public Land Use Advisory Council (PLUAC) and public hearing at 3 p.m. to take input for CDBG project.

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12**  
 —Carrizozo School-Community Workday 8 a.m. until noon. Bring yard tools, donation items such as grass seed, bedding plants. Lunch provided.  
 —Community First Aid and Safety classes. Adult, infant and child CPR and First Aid, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call 1-888-622-4370 for location in Ruidoso.  
 —Ruidoso Eastern Star #65 officer installation 2 p.m.

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**  
 —Republican Party of Lincoln County 6 p.m. El Paisano Restaurant in Capitan. RSVP to 354-2206. Speaker Clint Hardin, NM Sec. of Labor.  
 —Capitan Village Trustees, 6:30 p.m. public hearing, 7 p.m. regular meeting.

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**  
 —Special bond election in Capitan. Polls open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at fairgrounds office.  
 —Carrizozo School Board 7 p.m. administration building.

pal alleys, streets, public roads and bridges?" The village is seeking to purchase road equipment such as a blade, roller and water truck needed to continue to provide maintenance for village streets. Village gravel roads could benefit from the use of a steel roller to smooth out "washboards," said the village road supervisor during the last trustee meeting.

Question three is for public building improvement bonds: "Shall the Village of Capitan issue up to \$230,000 of general obligation bonds for the purpose of constructing, purchasing, rehabilitating, or remodeling, or any combination thereof, public buildings, including additions and improvements thereto?" The village proposes to use the funds to improve village hall with offices, storage, handicapped access restrooms, meeting room and conference room.

Village hall is in need of improvements. The facility has had little done to it since it became village hall in the 1980s. Anyone who has attended a village trustee meeting knows there is limited space for the public to sit. Sometimes residents stand in the back of the room, with no space left to place another chair.

According to a brochure produced by the Bond Counsel, approval of all \$963,000 in bonds will increase the village property tax rate by \$2.00 per \$1,000 of assessed, taxable property valuation. The current tax rate is \$9.092, and if all three bonds are approved the new tax rate will be \$11.092. During the meeting where trustee authorized the bond election, bond counsel said if only two of the three bond questions are approved, property owners could realize no increase of taxes over the current level. This is due to

an old bond that expired in July. If voters turn down all the bond questions, they will see their taxes decrease by \$2 per thousand dollars of taxable value from the current rate.

Examples of what will happen to property taxes if voters approve all three bond questions are: if the full value of a property is \$25,000, then the increase in tax per \$1,000 of assessed value of the property (which is one-third of the actual value) is \$16.67 a year; if the property is valued at \$50,000 the tax will increase by \$33.33; if the property is valued at \$75,000, the property tax will increase by \$50; if the value is \$100,000, the

property tax will increase by \$66.67; if \$125,000 the property tax will increase by \$83.33; and if \$150,000 the property tax will increase by \$100 a year.

Trustees authorized the bond issue based on actual need. They realized that without the extra funding, the village cannot afford to upgrade the water system, or upgrade its village hall facilities or purchase road equipment. Upgrading village hall and purchasing road equipment are not eligible for CDBGs or state funds. Village trustees expect to sell the approved general obligation bonds in November.

How many bonds, if any, will be sold is now up to the voters.

On the special election day, Tuesday, September 15, polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Lincoln County Fairgrounds office. Only registered voters who reside within

the village, or Lincoln County residents who own property within the village, can vote. Lincoln County residents who own property in Capitan, but do not live there, can cast a ballot by requesting and filling out a non-resident form. The forms are available from the village clerk at village hall anytime during regular working hours.

Voters may also cast absentee ballots. The deadline for absentee voting in the special general obligation bond election is at 5 p.m. Thursday, September 10. Absentee applications are available from the village clerk at village hall or by writing PO Box 246, Capitan, NM 88316.

For more information about the bond election, including how to obtain a non-resident form, call Village clerk Deborah Cummins at 354-2247, or stop by village hall during regular business hours.

## Carrizozo and Hondo Schools

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branch, state department of public education, the state school board and the school boards association. School districts that are indebted more than 75 percent are eligible to apply for the grants from the council.

Funding for the capital outlay projects comes from legislative appropriations from the state general fund, the sale of severance tax bonds, lottery proceeds and the proposed sale of general obligation bonds that will be on the November ballot.

## CrimeStoppers Seek

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being withheld at this time pending notification of his next of kin.

Police have released sketches and identities of two suspects believed to be involved in the homicide. The male is described as Hispanic, 34 years old, 5'9" in height and 195 pound medium build with short black hair cut above the ears. The subject had a mole on his right lower cheek. The female is described as white, 28 years old, 5'4", 115 pounds with medium length brown colored hair.

Anyone seeing or having information about the two suspects, or the incident, should contact Lincoln County CrimeStoppers or Ruidoso Police at 257-7365, or the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office at 648-2341.

## OBITUARIES

### JUAQUINTA N. GOMEZ

Funeral Mass for Juaquinta N. Gomez, 88, of Glencoe was August 21, at St. Jude's Catholic Church with Fr. Richard Catanach officiating. Burial followed at St. Jude's Catholic Cemetery.

Mrs. Gomez died August 18 at her home. She was born January 10, 1910 at Tinnie. She lived in Lincoln County most of her life, also living in Roswell from 1942 until 1966. She was a member of St. Jude's Catholic Church.

She married Florencio Gomez on August 26, 1926 in Roswell and he preceded her in death on December 6, 1975.

She is survived by a son, Isidro V. Gomez of Denver, CO; three daughters, Vitalia Gomez of Albuquerque, Frances Saiz of Capitan and Irene Sanchez of San Patricio; 11 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two sons Manuel and Leo Gomez. Two grandchildren, Veronica Saiz and Joe Esquivel and a great grandson, Adidas Gonzales.

Arrangements were under the direction of LaGrone Funeral Chapel of Ruidoso.

### DANIEL "Berne" WILLIAMS

Daniel "Berne" Williams, 99, of Capitan died August 16 at the Ruidoso Care Center. Mr. Williams was born July 26, 1899 in Madege, Oklahoma Territory. He moved to Pine Park, NM in 1925 with his wife Verna Marie Overton who preceded him in death.

He is survived by his son, Duane H. Williams of Capitan; two grandchildren; and sister Winnie Long of Vallejos, CA.

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**THOUGHTS**

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

**Judges may appear**

By Ruth Hammond

The Lincoln County Commissioners meeting Friday, Sept. 11 should be very interesting. One agenda item could be for the judges to address the statements made by county commissioner Wilton Howell at the June 29, 1998 county commission meeting. All the judges, including the four district judges from the 12th Judicial District, the two Lincoln County magistrate judges, and three or four of the municipal judges in municipalities in Lincoln County may be at the meeting. Plan to attend if you want to know what happens, what subjects will be discussed, and who gets mad again.

Another agenda item will be the grant funded senior programs as requested by county commissioner Morroy Montes. If you care about continuing the senior programs in Lincoln County you should be at the meeting and tell the county commissioners. The senior programs provide a necessary service for senior citizens and should not be jeopardized because someone is mad about something else.

Keeping private business separate from public business is one thing all elected officials need to do. Private grudges should not be the basis for making any decisions that affect the public they were elected to represent. When an elected official uses his or her office to "get even" with someone or some group, the entire democratic process is tarnished. When an elected official uses his or her office for revenge the public is deprived of a fair and just government.

Effective government can be achieved only if elected officials do the job they were elected to do. Approving a budget each fiscal year, and spending taxpayer money in a prudent manner is one of the most important jobs facing county commissioners. Tuesday the 1998-99 fiscal year budget was finally approved at an emergency meeting. We fail to see why it was an emergency to approve the budget Tuesday and wonder how approving the budget qualifies as a threat to the health, welfare and safety of the county, which is supposed to be the basis for an emergency meeting. The budget could easily have been approved at the August 25 meeting or it could have been approved at a special meeting later this week, instead of calling an emergency meeting just to approve the budget.

Cooperation was the main factor in reaching an agreement on the budget. Cooperation will also be a main factor in reaching agreements on other important county issues and that cooperation can be achieved only if business is conducted properly instead of the bickering that has been evident in recent county commission meetings. Disagreements are one thing, but bickering in public?

Actions taken by the county commission affect the residents and one of the most important actions commissioners may take soon is deciding where to build a new jail. We don't know when the report from the consultants will be released but there are many rumors that the decision has been made in advance. Some people insist the evidence is in favor of building the new jail in Carrizozo and others say the new jail will be built in the Grindstone Dam area in Ruidoso, while some think it will be built on Fort Stanton mesa.

Recommending a location and methods to pay for building a new jail and suggestions for management of the jail are supposed to be in the report with estimated costs. The county commission is supposed to make the decision based on those recommendations.

Everyone with concerns about Lincoln County should plan to attend the county commission meeting Friday, September 11 in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo at 9 a.m. Agenda items could include judges, senior programs and maybe the new jail.

Your presence may help

**LETTERS**  
to the editor

**Letter to the Commissioners: OF LINCOLN COUNTY**

On August 11, 1992, I met with an inmate at the Lincoln County Detention Center who presented to me that he was happy that his schizophrenia was coming out of his ankle. I asked him if he would mind showing me, and he immediately pulled down the three tube socks he was wearing, exposing a two-inch open, weeping infection in his ankle. He was happy, again explaining that he was sure this wound was the evil mental illness leaving his body. Medical attention was immediately sought by the Detention Center Administrator, then Wayland Hill. This was my first time in the detention center, and I was overwhelmed by how this facility was underserved in the needs of the mentally ill population, and that services were mere, at best. At that time six years ago, I have made a commitment in serving the county as a mental health crisis intervention professional.

I find it to be a sad day when six years later, my credentials are in question, and not only are my qualifications questioned, I was not afforded the courtesy of a phone call or letter to address this. Rather, I read about it in the newspaper. I am enclosing a copy of my transcripts from Graduate School, as well as copies of my diplomas from both undergraduate and graduate school. I am also enclosing my resume, proof of professional liability insurance, which was effective the same day I opened my private practice. I am also providing a copy of my business license, as well as my Independent Social Work License. I would like to take this opportunity to remind you that I did include all of these documents to you when I first applied for the contract with you in July, 1996.

When I attended the preliminary budget hearing as you requested in May, 1998, I was commended on the job I do for the County, stating "... You save lives in our county," and I was informed that the letter of commendation from the Sheriff's department that included me was read aloud at your previous meeting. I was asked if I was being paid enough, and again asked if I needed any more money, which I declined, adding that I am satisfied with my contract just as it is. I added that if anything was changed, I would like to be considered for Health Insurance Benefits, at which time I was reminded that I am not a County employee, so this was not an option. I was content with that decision.

Since I began my private practice, Better Days: Treatment & Crisis Management in December, 1996, I provided mental health counseling, substance abuse assessment/referral within the detention center, and crisis intervention

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**Inside The Capitol**

by Jay Miller

**SANTA FE:** Lt. Gov. Walter Bradley says he doesn't know of any other governor- lieutenant governor relationship, at least back to the 1970s, that was as good as the one Gov. Gary Johnson and he have.

I agree. And most of the credit probably goes to Bradley for understanding the role of a lieutenant governor. Johnson has demonstrated an inability to get along with the other two branches of government. In an unprecedented action, the state Supreme Court declared him in contempt. Democrat legislative leaders hold a similar contempt. Republican leaders often are unhappy with him, but keep their feelings to themselves. And the governor has fired members of his personal staff and cabinet who have disagreed with him.

Gov. Bruce King's last term was marked by an amazingly stable staff and cabinet — and the most unstable relationship between a governor and lieutenant governor the state likely has ever seen. That includes the days when governors and lieutenant governors ran separately and sometimes were of opposite parties.

Lt. Gov. Casey Luna's problem was that he couldn't wait to be governor. Like Johnson, he'd been his own boss for so many years that not being the top dog really bothered him. Luna viewed the lieutenant governor's job as being a deputy governor, the governor's top aide, who would participate in running government and who outranked everyone on the governor's staff.

But that's not the way our founders envisioned the job. Lieutenant governors were to preside over the Senate and to take over when the governor left the state or if he died. It wasn't until 1971, when Lt. Gov. Roberto Mondragon talked his old legislative buddies into making it an optional full-time job, that lieutenant governors even came to Santa Fe except for the legislative session.

Former Lt. Gov. Tibo Chavez, a Belen lawyer, used to joke that his duty as lieutenant governor consisted of calling Santa Fe every morning to inquire about the governor's health and upon finding that Gov. Ed Mechem was still in fine shape, he could roll over and sleep a little longer.

Gov. Garrey Carruthers and Lt. Gov. Jack Stahl had a congenial relationship. Stahl didn't take the full-time option and drove up from Albuquerque to Santa Fe only

for cabinet meetings and to take over when the governor left the state. Carruthers said Stahl contributed many excellent ideas at meetings. But Stahl was much more conservative than Carruthers.

The philosophical rift never showed except for the time that Democrat senators rigged the vote on a budget bill supported by Carruthers so that Stahl had to break the tie. Stahl voted against the measure, forcing a controversial special session.

Gov. Toney Anaya and Lt. Gov. Mike Runnels had an amazingly good relationship considering their fiery personalities. Runnels was a very active lieutenant governor, indicating the two had carefully hammered on the areas in which Runnels would work.

Gov. Bruce King's two terms with Lt. Gov. Roberto Mondragon exhibited few outward signs of tension — until Mondragon ran against King as a Green candidate for gov-

ernor many years later.

Gov. Jerry Apodaca and Lt. Gov. Bob Ferguson had a good relationship. Ferguson stayed in Artesia, tending to his considerable business interests and didn't take the full-time option, thereby lessening opportunity for a clash. At the end of their term, Ferguson competed with former Gov. Bruce King for the Democrat gubernatorial nomination, with Apodaca's strong support.

Lt. Gov. E. Lee Francis wasn't Gov. Dave Cargo's choice for a running mate. This was before the full-time option so Francis wasn't in Santa Fe often, which probably was just as well.

Republican Gov. Ed Mechem got along reasonably well with his two Democrat lieutenant governors but was much happier when he could serve with Republican Tom Bolack, who later appointed Mechem to the U.S. Senate.

**Free Parking At Bonito Lake To Be Eliminated**

by Doris Cherry

The Lincoln National Forest will begin reconstructing the road around Bonito Lake in early November.

The reconstruction is intended to widen the road to make it safer and to benefit the riparian area of the lake by retaining the crumbling and eroding lake side below the road. But the end result will take away the free parking areas currently used by people who fish the lake and by many who just park and enjoy the views.

While parking areas were listed as alternatives for the project in the US Forest Service Lincoln National Forest draft environmental assessment, that alternative was dropped in favor of "drop off areas," said Lincoln National Forest District Ranger Jerry Hawkes. The drop off areas will be located along the half mile stretch from Littleton Canyon to where Bonito River enters the lake. City of Alamogordo, that owns the lake and surrounding properties, plans to construct stairs for access from the drop off areas to the lake side.

No fee will be charged for persons who briefly stop to sightsee or to drop off people to fish in those drop off areas, Hawkes added. But long term parking by the lake will be allowed only in a designated parking area at the mouth of Kraut Canyon, owned by the

City of Alamogordo, where a fee will be charged. The parking lot is about a half mile from the lake side.

Notice of the intent to reconstruct the road around Bonito Lake was published in the Alamogordo Daily News on July 7. The public was given 30 days to comment on the project, but no comments were received. Hawkes said the notice was published in the Alamogordo Daily News because the project was approved by the forest supervisor whose office is located in Alamogordo.

The project was brought to the attention of THE NEWS by Robert Runnels whose family has owned property above Bonito Lake for generations. Runnels is concerned about the city of Alamogordo's plan to charge fees to park, especially since the city raised

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**Food And Nutrition Classes**

The Lincoln County Cooperative Extension Service food and nutrition program is offering two free nutrition education classes in Capitan and Ruidoso Downs. There are openings in both classes which began at the end of August.

The class in Capitan will be held at the Capitan Senior Citizens Center on Mondays and Wednesdays from 1 p.m. until 3 p.m. and continue through Sept. 28.

The class in Ruidoso Downs will be held at the Ruidoso Downs Senior Citizens Center on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1 p.m. until 3 p.m. and continue through Sept. 29.

The class includes information about meal planning, food budgeting, nutrition and food safety. The class will also prepare a recipe using low cost foods. For more information contact the Extension office at 648-2311.

**Mescalero Housing Grant**

The Mescalero Apache Housing Authority has been awarded a \$2.1 million Indian housing block grant. U.S. Senator Pete Domenici said the block grant funding, which is awarded by the Department of Housing and Urban Development through the Native Americans Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996, will be used to improve housing conditions at the Reservation.

**Zia Senior Centers**

The Zia Senior Centers at Capitan, San Patricio, Ruidoso Downs, Corona, and Carrizozo will be closed Sept. 7 to observe Labor Day. These same centers will be closed October 12 to observe Columbus Day.

The Carrizozo Senior Center invites everyone interested in Lincoln County to attend a video presentation featuring Aileen Lindamood and other "old timers" at the Carrizozo Senior Center Friday, Sept. 25 at 1 p.m. A discussion segment will follow to allow for additional input from the audience. For additional information call 648-2121.

There will be a fund raiser Sept. 18 and 19 at the Capitan Senior Center between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Congratulations go out to all the seniors who participated in the Lincoln County Fair and the Senior Olympics.

Blood pressure checks are given every Friday at the Carrizozo Center, and art classes are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays after lunch. The game of "42" is also played after lunch on Tuesdays and Thursdays in Carrizozo.

by Bartley McDonough

**Completes Course**

Marine Pfc. Michael Perkins, son of David Perkins of Ruidoso Downs, recently completed the Basic Engineer Equipment Operator Course at Fort Leonard Wood, MO. He is a 1997 graduate of Ruidoso High School.

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# Capitan Trustees Split Vote Over Well Bids

by Davis Cherry

The Village of Capitan has a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) to drill another water well and to install 15 new fire hydrants.

But when the bids came in on the well project both exceeded the costs estimated by

the village and its engineer. Trustees, during a special meeting Monday, considered then rejected on a two to one vote the two bids it received from K.D. Huey Drilling of Capitan and Beylik Drilling of Rio Rancho. Huey had bid \$156,990 and Beylik bid \$172,500. Included in the bids

were alternates in case the drill site does not produce water.

The engineer's estimate on the project was \$115,000, but only after village staff worked with the firm to reduce the estimated costs of several

items. Originally the engineering firm had estimated the cost of the well from \$150,000 to \$175,000.

Trustee Leroy Montes, who works for Alto Water Company, said his company drilled a similar high volume well for

thousands less than the bids. "I think the bids are over stacked," Montes said. He thought the engineer's specifications were too extreme.

Trustees then asked the opinion of village water department supervisor Terry Cox. The second well will be used alternately with the existing well, Cox said. He too thought the engineering firm had too much information, but he defended the bidders who had to work with the specifications given by the engineer. Cox thought trustees could negotiate the bids to a lower price on several options, such as the size of the casing and testing. "I feel a lot of stuff could have been done differently," Cox said.

However, the village must have an engineer for all CDBG projects. Because of problems with the engineer's estimates, the village had postponed bid openings three times.

Village clerk Deborah Cummins said there were

areas in the engineer's estimate they thought were too high and that was why they had worked with the firm to lower the estimates.

Trustee Benny Coker said the testing could be done by the state environment department to save money.

Cummins suggested trustees accept the low bidder then negotiate to bring down the prices. If they could reach no agreement with the lowest bidder, then they could negotiate with the second bidder. If then no satisfactory price could be reached, trustees could reject the bids and advertise for more bids.

But trustees wanted a lower well bid, so any funds left from the well project could be applied to installing additional fire hydrants. The village has the \$268,000 from the CDBG plus the \$13,400 village match for the well and hydrant projects. The engineering firm, Dennis Engi-

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## Letters to

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to Lincoln County with no contract until August, 1996. During that time, I provided about \$13,000 worth of services with no compensation, and never asked for any. I was awarded the Mental Health Contract for \$10,000, and continued to provide services. At the end of the 1996-97 fiscal year, I provided figures indicating that I had provided more than \$23,000 worth of services, requesting my contract be considered for increase to \$20,000. This request was approved, and I continued to provide services for this past year.

No, I did not offer figures to you at the end of this past fiscal year, and I was never asked to. In answer to the concerns of "some of the commissioners," (Monroy Montes and Wilton Howell) regarding who monitors my work, I would answer that the Detention Center, Sheriff's department, Magistrate courts/judges, District court/judge, District Attorney's office, Public Defender office, and family members of suicidal/mentally ill individuals all monitor the work I do. If I was not doing my job, you would be the first to be informed. Since I read the article in The Lincoln County News, I have compiled figures to indicate how many hours I worked to fulfill this last year's contract, which I have enclosed. In the process of putting this together, I realized how many more hours I (again) provide to the county with no compensation, this year nearly \$9,000 over the contract limits. It is for this reason I do not bill the county at the set hourly rate, as I would run out before the end of the fiscal year. Since the hourly rate was also mentioned, let me remind you the competitive hourly rate runs between \$65-90 for my colleagues with the same credentials. The hourly rate I charge the county does not take into consideration that I am on call 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 52 weeks of the year. I am called out on emergencies in the middle of the night, weekends, and holidays, for which there is no extra compensation, not to mention the fact that I am required to be AVAILABLE AT ALL TIMES.

In general, the clientele I serve is typically defensive and skeptical to begin with. I do not need for two of the commissioners to publicly discredit the work I do and the services I provide. If you have personality problems regarding me, I would ask that in the future, you keep your personal problems to yourself. If you have any further PROFESSIONAL questions or concerns that I have failed to address, please feel free to contact me by telephone or letter.

Respectfully,  
MARY SATONICA, LISW  
DBA Betty Days: Treatment & Crisis Management

## Vetoes Hurt Lincoln County

EDITOR: In 1994 a majority of Lincoln County voters voted for Gary Johnson for governor and he showed his gratitude by closing Fort Stanton Hospital and Training School; the second largest industry in Lincoln County. He also closed Camp Sierra Blanca Corrections. This action was unwarranted because the "Jackson lawsuit" did not mandate the closing of the facility. Gov. Johnson did this with a "smirk" and without remorse.

The closing of the two facilities which employed over 200 citizens of Lincoln County, hurt the county's tax base, gross receipts, as well as the business communities.

Gov. Johnson has piled up a whopping 150 vetoes just in southern New Mexico counties. This is legislation voters ask their Legislators to pass for them and their districts, and this is what Gov. Johnson did to you and your Legislator and your districts. Listed are the vetoes for Lincoln County.

- IN 1995
  - \* \$24,000 vetoed for "Computers" in Capitan.
  - \* \$74,200 vetoed for "Gavilan Adolescent Alternative Program" in Ruidoso.
  - \* \$225,000 vetoed for the "Income Support Division of the Human Services Department" to expand the project forward program.
- IN 1996
  - \* \$66,000 vetoed for "Parents as Teachers Program" in Ruidoso Municipal Schools.
  - \* \$75,000 vetoed for "Gavilan Canyon Adolescent Day Treatment Center" in Ruidoso Municipal School.
- IN 1998
  - \* \$75,000 vetoed to "improve streets in Carrizozo".
  - \* \$15,000 vetoed to "improve streets in Corona".
  - \* \$45,000 vetoed to "improve Gavilan Canyon Road".
  - \* \$30,000 vetoed for "Museum of the Horse".
  - \* \$100,000 vetoed for "Hondo Valley Health Clinic".

Gov. Johnson vetoed lots of good legislation that would have helped our teachers, students, senior citizens, ranchers, and health care workers and their patients, as well as badly needed road repairs in our county.

As voters we should educate ourselves better politically as to which party best represents the working families in New Mexico. Three things as a voter I have learned, you cannot legislate morals and values. It has to be taught by parents and churches; tax loopholes are for the rich, those who make \$200,000 or more a year; and, you do not have the right to complain if you do not vote.

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# FOOTBALL

Many high school football teams across the state will kickoff their 1998 season this weekend, while others had their season openers last week, including Carrizozo, Capitan, Ruidoso, Corona,

and Hondo in Lincoln County.

Carrizozo and 1st year Grizzly coach Pat Ventura will kickoff their season by traveling to Corona and battle the Cardinals in a six-man

football contest tomorrow (Friday), with game slated to start at 6:00 p.m.

The rest of the 1998 schedule for the Grizzlies includes a home game Sept. 11 vs. Vaughn at 7:00 p.m.; Sept. 18 vs. Tatum in Carrizozo 5:00-7:00 p.m. (includes Jr. High); Sept. 23 vs. Floyd in Carrizozo 5:00-7:00 p.m. (includes Jr. High); Oct. 3 at Ramah 1:00 p.m.; Oct. 17 at Mountainair 5:00-7:00 p.m. (includes Jr. High); Oct. 23 vs. Pine Hill in Carrizozo 5:00-7:00 p.m. (includes Jr. High). District Games are against Ramah, Mountainair, and Pine Hill.

The complete Jr. High schedule is as follows: Sept. 18 at home vs. Tatum, 5:00 p.m.; Sept. 25 at home vs. Floyd, 5:00 p.m.; Oct. 9 at home vs. Clovis Christian, 5:00 p.m.; Oct. 17 at Mountainair, 5:00 p.m.; Oct. 24 at home vs. Pine Hill, 5:00 p.m.

\* Carrizozo will compete in Dist. 1 that includes Carrizozo, Mountainair, Pine Hill, Ramah, and newcomer Hondo, which will compete as an independent for the 1998-99 school year.

\* Corona will compete in Dist. 2 along with NM School for the Deaf, Roy, Vaughn, and newcomer Desert Academy also, competing as an independent their first year.

\* Dist. 3 includes Floyd, Lake Arthur, Melrose, Tatum, and newcomer Hondo competing as an independent this year.

\* Capitan's Tiger 11-man football team, started their season with an easy 42-12 romp over Hatch last Friday, and will compete in Class A this year in Dist. 4A along with Hagerman, Jal, and Loving. Dist. 3A includes Animas, Cloudcroft, Lordsburg, Reserve, and newcomer Mescalero which will be competing as an independent during their first year. District 2A includes Dulce, Escalante, Navajo Pine, and Navajo Prep. District 1A has Ft. Sumner, Questa, Springer, and Texico.

\* To the south of us Tularosa will compete in Class AA, Dist. 4AA along with Dexter, Eunice, Hatch, and Hot Springs. The Wildcats kicked off their season by dumping Animas 20-8 last week.

\* Ruidoso's Warriors showed a lot of offense and a strong defense in their season opening win over Capital 44-0 last Friday, and will compete in Class AAA in one of the toughest districts in the state (Dist. 4AAA), regardless of classification, which includes Artesia, Lovington, and Portales.

\* Alamogordo will compete in Class AAAA football, Dist. 3AAAA along with Deming, Gadsden, Las Cruces, Mayfield, and Onate.

Some interesting scores from last week included: Roswell Goddard beating up on Las Cruces 32-0, Mayfield dumping Roswell High 20-6, Artesia all over Robertson 66-8, Ruidoso whitewashing Capital 44-0, Socorro losing to Belen 33-6, Hot Springs getting waxed by St. Pius 51-12, Santa Rosa edging Menaul 32-28, Lovington rolled Eunice 42-0, Clayton beating Pojoaque 34-13, Dexter over Jal 18-6, Ft. Sumner dumped Tucumcari 29-14, Hagerman topping Cloudcroft 28-13, and Tularosa handling Animas 20-8.

## Volleyball

Volleyball season for girls

is also on the menu this weekend, with the Lady Grizzly Varsity seeing their first action last night (Wednesday) at Ruidoso 'C', and following that up with a match in Quemado on Sat., Sept. 5 at 1:00 p.m., and on Sept. 10th will travel to Alamogordo and face the Alamo 'C' squad at 6:00 p.m. The Lady Grizzlies will be coached by Tylic Traylor this year.

Carrizozo will compete in Class A - Region D, Dist. 3A, which includes Corona, Hondo, Mountainair, and Vaughn. Other notables in Class A include Mescalero in Dist. 5A along with Hagerman, Lake Arthur, and Lov-

ing; Dist. 6A is loaded with Dora, Elida, Floyd, Melrose, and Tatum, as is Dist. 7A with Grady, House, Logan, and San Jon; Dist. 1A has Des Moines, Maxwell, Mosquero, Roy, Springer, and Wagon Mound.

Capitan's Lady Tigers will be in Class AA - Region G; Dist. 6AA along with Cloudcroft, Dexter, and Tularosa; Dist. 5AA has Animas, Hatch, and Lordsburg; Dist. 7AA has Eunice, Ft. Sumner, Jal, and Texico; Dist. 8AA has Cimarron, Clayton, Mora, and Santa Rosa; Estancia is in Dist. 4AA along with Hope, Laguna-Acoma, Menaul, and Sandia Prep.

# Capitan Tigers Win Big Over Hatch, 42-12

by Bartley McDonough

The Capitan Tiger football team got their season off to a good start last Friday night, in Capitan, defeating the Hatch Bears 42-12.

Justin Joiner scored first for the Tigers following a couple of nifty runs by Raymond Harris. Harris added the PAT. The next series of plays featured a good "hit" by Robert Page. Harris and Tacey looked good but there was no further scoring in the 1st quarter.

Joiner gained 23 and 14 yards before completing a pass to Patrick Hansell to the opponents 11 yard line. Harris then took the pigskin up the middle for the score. The PAT was good giving the Tigers a temporary two TD lead.

Bryan Rosser of Hatch took the ensuing kick off and raced 95 yards for a Bear TD. With 9:43 left in the 2nd period the Bears narrowed the Tiger lead to 14-6.

Six minutes later Hatch recovered a Tiger fumble setting up Rosser's 12 yard TD run around right end. The PAT attempt was blocked. It was Capitan 14, Hatch 12. Seconds later Tacey raced 80 yards for a Tiger score. Capitan 20, Hatch 12.

Joiner and Harris hooked up on a series of pass plays with Harris fighting hard for the next Tiger tally 19 seconds before halftime. Capitan 25, Hatch 12.

Moments before the 3rd period ended Joiner went 20 yards to pay dirt. The snap from center was fumbled but Harris pick up the ball and got two points the hard way. Robinson and Tacey looked good during this series. Capitan 36, Hatch 12. Later the Bears refused to punt on 4th down and Tigers took over on the Bears 31 yard line. Joiner got the final yard for the score, after nice efforts by Harris and Tacey. PAT was no good.

## NFL SCHEDULE and PICKS (In bold type)

**SUNDAY**  
Atlanta at Carolina  
Detroit at Green Bay  
Jacksonville at Chicago  
New Orleans at St. Louis  
Pittsburgh at Baltimore  
Seattle Philadelphia  
Tampa Bay at Minnesota  
Tennessee at Cincinnati  
Washington at NY Giants  
Arizona at Dallas  
Buffalo at San Diego  
Miami at Indianapolis  
\* NY Jets at San Francisco  
(\* Upset of the Week)  
Oakland at Kansas City  
**MONDAY NIGHT**  
New England at Denver

Capitan stopped a Bear drive on the Tiger 1/2 yard line just before game ended. **FINAL, Capitan 42, Hatch 12.**

The Tigers travel to Ft. Sumner this Friday and face a tough opponent in the Foxes, a 29-14 winner over Tucumcari in their season opener.

# Obituaries

## NORA NUNEZ SALCIDO

Funeral Mass for Nora Nunez Salcido, 71, of Hondo was August 28, at St. Jude's Catholic Church with Fr. Richard Catanach officiating. Burial followed at St. Jude's Catholic Cemetery.

Mrs. Salcido died August 24 in Albuquerque. She was born October 26, 1926 in Roswell and had lived most of her life in Lincoln County. She was a member of St. Jude's Catholic Church and was a very active member and was also a member of the Ladies Guild at the church. She was a homemaker.

She married Albert Salcido on November 16, 1946 in Carrizozo.

She is survived by her husband Albert of Hondo; four sons, Frank of Roswell, Albert of Albuquerque, Andrew of Dallas, and Ron of Albuquerque; four daughters, Edna Salcido of El Paso, Irene Montez and Becky Drake both of Hondo, and Gail Boyer-Seale of Odessa, TX; brother Tommy Nunez of Roswell; two sisters, Gloria Varela of Roswell, and Lea Nunez of Flori-

da; 17 grandchildren and 27 great grandchildren.

Arrangements were under the direction of LaGrone Funeral Chapel of Ruidoso.

## JOHN WHITFIELD DUNCAN III

Memorial service for John Whiffeld Duncan III, 60, of White Oaks was August 31 at Santa Rita Catholic Church in Carrizozo with Fr. Dave Bergs officiating.

Mr. Duncan died August 21 at his home. He was born October 21, 1937 in Los Angeles, CA. He moved to Lincoln County six years ago from San Cristobal. He was an artist, musician, and writer. He was a member of Santa Rita Catholic Church. He married Palla Tice on July 18, 1997 in Carrizozo.

He is survived by his wife Pall of White Oaks; three sons, Toby, Brian, and Thomas Duncan; daughter, Katie Duncan; two step-sons, Francis and George Ellis; step daughter, Monique Foster; sister, Bonnie MacKenzie and a grandson.

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# CORONA NEWS

Showers Wednesday and Thursday evenings last week for a total of 1.3 helped Corona and certain areas east, but the grasses west are yellowing.

Denise Byrd and Hazel Burton are attending a three day meeting or conference on aging at Glorieta this week. Johnnie Faye Harless is helping out for Mrs. Byrd and Cathy Yancey is helping out part time.

Shirley Heisch of Portales and daughter Gretcha of Phoenix spent Monday with the Sharps. Wayne and Patsy Tubbs went home to Roswell Monday. Patsy still recovering from her 4-wheeler spill.

Corona del Rey Chapter of Women's Aglow will meet at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 5 in the school auditorium. The speaker is to be Sharon Vealey of Silver City. She is married with two children, was reared in a Catholic family, has completed an original Christian music tape and is active in the First Baptist Church in Silver City. She performed in a concert last year and is looking forward to her trip to Corona. Everyone is welcome to hear her speak of "Response of the Bride to the Bridegroom".

Evalyn Thaylor of Bandera, TX spent two weeks recently with her grandparents, Suzie and Lloyd Manes, while her parents, Andy and Randy Thaylor were on vacation. Evalyn's cousin, Lane Nichols of Roswell, joined them for a week. His parents are Barbara and John Paul Nichols.

When the Byron Yanceys stayed several days in Farmington earlier this month they visited with Mr. and Mrs. David McCloud in the rehab center there. David is recovering from a stroke, and Clodell from a broken hip again. They expected to stay in the center for about six weeks.

Marsha and Mitch Adamson have had a busy few days during which they sold their mobile home to the school, held a yard sale, went to Cedarvale to attend a farewell supper party hosted by the Quilting Club, packed a u-haul trailer, said their good-byes and departed for their home in Holden, UT. During their few years here Mr. Adamson was employed by the REA.

Wilburn Lackey stopped by Monday morning to deliver some vegetables from Fred's garden here. Wilburn had spent the night on the home place after visiting his father in Lordsburg where he says that Fred is adjusting fairly

well to his new life and three good meals a day that he does not have to cook. Wilburn went on to his home in Plainview, TX where his classes were to start Wednesday.

At this point in writing last Tuesday Geraldine Perkins caught her foot on a chair leg, fell, and spent three days in an Albuquerque hospital being treated for pneumonia. She came home late Friday. During her absence Corona is reported to have received another 0.8" rain. More is needed, especially toward the west.

Mrs. Josie Alirez was taken to an Albuquerque hospital last week with breathing problems.

Mila Pounds was hospitalized over the weekend with abdominal pain. She expected to go to the home of a son, Marvin for a few days.

Mrs. Lillis Hampton of Melrose fell and broke a shoulder in her home Thursday. Monday Mr. and Mrs. Byron Yancey took Mrs. Bernice McCord over to spend a week with her sister-in-law. The Yanceys then went to Clovis to see how much Zack Perkins has grown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Huey are the parents of seven pound Brandon Michael born August 12. Brandon has a brother, Jordan, who started kindergarten last month, and a sister, Allysanne.

Corona has hired three new teachers for the 1988-89 school year. The elementary second grade teacher is Mrs. Crystal Bell. Crystal replaces Irma Bryan who retired in the spring after 24 years of loyal service to the Corona school district. Crystal is married to local rancher, Dan Bell, and they have one child, a beautiful seven month old daughter named Saige. Crystal previously taught two years at the elementary school in Vaughn. She is a graduate of NMSU.

The new science teacher is Steve Orr. He is originally from Jal, NM and a graduate of ENMU in Portales. Steve will also be the coach for boy's basketball, track, and assistant activity director.

Norm Avila is the new business teacher. He is married and has two children. He and his wife own a home in High Rolls, NM. Norm taught at a private school last school year in Alamogordo. He is a graduate of WNMU in Silver City. Norm will be Corona's football coach for the fall season.

Welcome to our new teachers from the school staff and

## community!

Erdine Behunin was in Albuquerque to attend a retirement dinner for Richard Johnson at the State Highway Department District three office. She visited with many old friends including George and Martha Sanchez, formerly of Carrizozo. She went to Tatum for the Corona-Tatum FB game and visited her daughter, Bethany Brasil and family. She also had to watch three of her grandsons play against each other. Rocky and Draw Bagley played for Corona, and Joseph Brazil play for Tatum, so she just cheered for everyone.

## BONDS-STAWARCZIK WEDDING

On August 10 Lindsey Bonds and Wesley Stawarczik exchanged wedding vows in a beautiful candlelight ceremony at St. Rose of Lima Church in Lake City, CO. The church was decorated all in white, a large arrangement of white gladiolus with eucalyptus and trailing plumosis adorned the altar along with seven branch candelabras. The church pews and candelabras were decorated with large bows of white satin ribbon, tulle and greenery.

Lindsey was escorted down the aisle by her father, John Bonds, of Duran to the singing of "Ave Maria", which was sung by her aunt Claire Jesse and accompanied by Keri Shafer of Carrizozo and Mary Ann Underwood on the pianos. Ms. Jesse and Mrs. Underwood are both from Lake City. Testament readers for the ceremony were Janie Blawvelt of Missouri City, TX and Claire Jessee. During the lighting of the unity candle Patsy Usinger of Albuquerque read a love poem. Dinah Frick of Borger, TX sang "The Heart Goes On" accompanied on the flute by Claire Jessee.

Lindsey chose a designer gown of white satin and pearls with a cathedral train. Her veil was of illusion with a crown of pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of fresh white roses, stephanotis with pearls, sprays of orchids, trailing ivy and plumosis.

Amy Reed of Lubbock, TX, sister of the bride, was the matron-of-honor. Bridesmaids were Debbie Bond, Katie Hightower and Callie Gnatkowski, all from Ancho, Meridith Mote from Alto, and Dinah Frick of Borger. They wore dresses in a beautiful spruce green color and carried fresh cascade bouquets of stargazer lilies, burgandy and three contrasting shades of pink roses, ribbon streamers of pink and burgandy satin picot ribbon. The flower girl was Jessica Jessee of Bogate, TX. Her dress was spruce green and she carried a white flower girl basket of stargazer lilies, pink and burgandy mini carnations, roses, babies breath and complimenting ribbon streamers.

Wesley chose a white evening tuxedo w/tales and wore a boutonniere of two white stephanotis and a white David, groomsmen Brandon Falls, Kyle Stawarczik, all of Lake Jackson, TX, Rusty Reid of Lubbock, Aaron Carper of Artesia, ring bearer Trevor Jessee of Bogate, all wore after-five white tuxedos and wore a burgandy rose boutonniere. John Jessee was the wedding party usher and wore a suit with a rose boutonniere.

There were guests and family members represented from eight states: New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, Texas, Missouri, Illinois, Kansas and Utah. The Corona area guests were Rick, Bessie, Hannah and Josh Gage, Dick and Judy Byrd, Betty Ann Bell, Sarah Gnatkowski, Babe and Elmo Tracey, Jeanene Gibbs, and

Edie Porter. Jeanene also made wedding motif mints in a variety of flavors and assisted Edie Porter, professional floral designer, with all the wedding flowers.

The reception was held at the Lakefork Restaurant, which had the most marvelous view of the Colorado Mountains. The tables were decorated with beveled mir-

rors and held burgandy candles and fresh flowers. The doorways were draped with garlands of plumosis greenery and burgandy and white tulle.

The buffet dinner was roast loin of pork, tossed green salad, twice baked potatoes, green beans with almonds and sourdough bread. The wedding cake decorated with fresh flowers

and groom's cake was served for dessert by bridesmaids. Champagne toasts were made by the best man, father of the bride, and bride's grandmother Edna Carper of Artesia. After the traditional first dance by the bride and groom the couples family and friends joined in. It was a wonderful evening enjoyed by all.

## Free Parking To Be Eliminated

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its rates for picnicking and camping this year. Runnels said Bonito Road is in bad shape and needs work, especially below the lake and above the lake to Bonito Stables, but the road around the lake where the project is planned is in good shape.

Hawkes told THE NEWS that the Forest Service only owns the rights of way to the road around the lake and not for the three miles from Highway 37 to the dam. Two years ago, the forest service, City of Alamogordo and County of Lincoln were negotiating to upgrade the three miles from Highway 37, but negotiations deteriorated and were never resumed.

The Bonito Lake road reconstruction project does include widening the steep section of road that climbs up from the river valley to the dam, but does not include the section of road that goes to the forest service owned South Fork Campground. Hawkes said eventually the forest service plans to redo the road to South Fork Campground.

Money for the road project is coming from a Lincoln National Forest budget special fund for road construction and riparian improvement.

Hawkes said currently the forest service does not charge to camp or picnic on forest owned lands except at the developed South Fork Campground. However, the service plans to start charging fees to picnic and camp on forest lands, including Argentine Canyon, under the Fee Demonstration Project. Hawkes did not say when the Fee Demonstration project will begin.

The Fee Demonstration Project returns 90 percent of all revenue collected back to the area to be used for improvements. So far this year the forest service has collected about \$30,000 from fee demonstration areas. Hawkes continued. Currently he is working on a list of projects the public wants, such as handicapped access and showers at South Fork Campground.

Elsewhere in the Lincoln National Forest the service is

reworking the parking and viewing area at Windy Point and reconstructing the road and camping areas at Oak Grove both located off the Ski Run Road.

For more information about the Bonito Lake road reconstruction project, contact Hawkes at the Lincoln National Forest Smokey Bear Ranger Station in Ruidoso at 505-257-4095.

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| TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8     |                  |
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| Corona Post Office       | 12:30-2:30 p.m.  |
| Carrizozo Otero Electric | 4-6:30 p.m.      |
| WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9   |                  |
| Carrizozo Otero Electric | 7:30-8:30 a.m.   |
| Nogal Store              | 9-10 a.m.        |
| Capitan Smokey Bear Cafe | 10:30-11:30 p.m. |
| Fort Stanton             | 12:10-1:40 p.m.  |
| Hondo Store              | 2-3:00 p.m.      |
| Lincoln Post Office      | 3:30-4:30 p.m.   |
| Capitan Public Library   | 5:00-6:00 p.m.   |

## Church Directory

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| <p><b>Trinity Baptist Church</b><br/>BILL JONES, pastor<br/>Sunday School..... 10:00 am<br/>Church Services..... 11:00 am</p> <p><b>Spirit of Life Apostolic Pentecostal Tabernacle</b><br/>ALLAN M. MILLER, pastor<br/>209 Lincoln Ave., Capitan, NM 354-2025<br/>Tuesday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm<br/>Sunday School..... 10:00 am<br/>Sunday Evening..... 8:00 pm</p> <p><b>First Baptist Church</b><br/>HAYDEN SMITH, pastor<br/>314 10th Ave., Carrizozo, NM 648-2668 (church) or 648-2107<br/>Sunday School..... 9:45 am<br/>Worship Service..... 10:25 am<br/>Sun. Evening..... Training at 8:15 pm<br/>Evening Worship..... 7:15 pm<br/>Wednesday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm</p> <p><b>Carrizozo Community Church (A/G)</b><br/>JOHNIE L. JOHNSON, pastor<br/>Corner of G Ave. &amp; Thirteenth, 648-2186<br/>Children's Church..... 10:30 am<br/>Worship Service..... 10:30 am<br/>Thursday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm</p> <p><b>Santa Rita Catholic Community</b><br/>FR. DAVE BERGS, pastor<br/>213 8th, Carrizozo, NM, 648-2853<br/>SATURDAY:<br/>Capitan Sacred Heart..... 5:00 pm<br/>C'ozo Santa Rita..... 6:30 pm<br/>SUNDAY:<br/>Capitan Sacred Heart..... 8:00 am<br/>C'ozo Santa Rita..... 11:00 am<br/>Corona St. Theresa..... 4:00 pm</p> <p><b>Church of Christ</b><br/>PAUL WETZEL, minister<br/>Ave. C at 12th, Carrizozo, NM, 648-2998<br/>Sunday School..... 10:00 am<br/>Worship Service..... 11:00 am<br/>Evening Worship..... 8:00 pm<br/>Wednesday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm</p> <p><b>St. Matthias Episcopal Church</b><br/>FR. A. TRIPP, priest<br/>Corner of E Ave. &amp; 6th, Carrizozo, NM 1-257-2356<br/>Holy Eucharist..... 9:00 am Sunday</p> | <p><b>United Methodist Churches</b><br/>BOB BOYD, pastor / Trinity - Carrizozo<br/>1000 D. Ave., 648-2893 / 648-2948<br/>Sunday School (All Ages)..... 10:00 am<br/>Worship Service..... 11:10 am<br/>Choir Practice (Thursday)..... 8:30 pm<br/>United Methodist Women Every 3rd Wednesday..... 1:00 pm<br/>Fellowship Dinner 4th Sun. of Mo. 12:30 pm</p> <p>—CAPITAN—<br/>Adult Sunday School..... 8:30 am<br/>Worship Service..... 9:15 am<br/>Children's Sunday School..... 9:30 am<br/>Fellowship Time..... 10:15 am<br/>Adult Sunday School..... 11:00 am<br/>Choir Practice (Tuesday)..... 7:00 pm<br/>Fellowship Dinner Every Third Sunday<br/>Handmaidens (Ecumenical Women's Group) 1st and 3rd Tuesday..... 6:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>Mountain Ministry Parish, Sierra Blanca Presbytery</b><br/>DON &amp; MARJORIE DANIELS, co-pastors / 648-2850<br/>Nogal Presbyterian Church:<br/>Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.<br/>Worship..... 11:00 a.m.<br/>Ancho Community Presbyterian Church:<br/>Worship..... 9:00 a.m.<br/>Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.<br/>Corona Presbyterian Church:<br/>Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.<br/>Worship..... 11:00 a.m.<br/>Adult Bible Study &amp; Youth Fellowship..... Wednesdays 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Christ Community Fellowship</b><br/>ED VINSON, pastor (inter-denominational)<br/>514 Smokey Bear Blvd./Capitan<br/>Sunday School..... 9:30 a.m.<br/>Sunday Morning Worship..... 10:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>Capitan Church of Christ</b><br/>LESLIE EARWOOD, minister<br/>5th &amp; Lincoln / 336-4627<br/>Sunday Bible Study..... 10:00 a.m.<br/>Worship Service..... 11:00 a.m.<br/>Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.<br/>Wednesday Bible Study..... 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>Trinity Southern Baptist Church</b><br/>REX BERTSFORD, pastor<br/>Capitan (South on Hwy 48) 354-2925<br/>Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship..... 11:00 a.m.<br/>AWANA Wednesday..... 6:30 p.m.</p> |
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Plaintiffs,

THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THIRKFIELD A. BONNELL, DECEASED, R. D. BONNELL, EVA LYNN BONNELL AND BERTHA D. BONNELL, if living or deceased, THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS, AND ALL PERSONS HAVING INTERESTS ADVERSE TO PLAINTIFFS,

Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS GREETINGS:

BE ADVISED THAT THE ABOVE NAMED Plaintiff has filed the above referenced action naming you as a party defendant in the above referenced Court. The general object of the action is to quiet title to real property, the legal description of which is detailed in the complaint in said cause and is located in Lincoln County New Mexico, being a part of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 36, Township 10S, Range 16 E, N.M.P.M.

The Plaintiff's attorney is Hennighausen, Olsen & Stevens, L.L.P., David M. Stevens, Attorney at Law, P.C., 106 Rio Street, Ruidoso Street, Ruidoso, New Mexico 86345. Please be advised that unless you file a responsive pleading or motion within thirty (30) days of the date of the last publication of this Notice, judgment or other appropriate relief will be rendered in said cause against you by default.

Witness my hand and seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico this 19th day of August, 1998.

EUGENIA VEGA, Chief Deputy District Court Clerk Twelfth Judicial District Lincoln County, New Mexico

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

CV-98-44

MATRIX FEDERAL SERVICES, a federal savings bank,

Plaintiff,

MELVIN H. NELSON and CARLA JO NELSON, husband and wife, MICHAEL WILLIAMS, and REBECCA MONCRIEF, Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above-named Plaintiff filed a Complaint for Foreclosure in the above Court on March 13, 1998, against the above-named Defendants. The general object of the Complaint is to foreclose a lien of Plaintiff against certain real property located in Curry County, New Mexico, commonly known as 702 Harris, Ruidoso, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows:

Lot 6 Block 5 of VALLEY VIEW SUBDIVISION, Ruidoso Downs, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, August 1, 1949.

and to foreclose the interests of the Defendants and any other parties bound by the notice of his pendens concerning the Property, all as more specifically stated in the Complaint filed in this cause of action.

FURTHER, the above-named Defendants Melvin H. Nelson and Carla Jo Nelson reherby notified that she has thirty (30) days from date of completion of publication of this Notice in which to file an answer or other pleading responsive to the Complaint and should they choose not to file an answer or other responsive pleading to the Complaint within the thirty (30) day period, judgment or other appropriate relief may be rendered against the above-named Defendants.

Richard M. Leverick of the law firm of Leverick and Musselman, L.L.C., whose address and phone number is 6120 San Francisco Rd., NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109, (505) 858-3303 is the attorney for the Plaintiff.

WITNESS the hand of Karen L. Parsons District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the seal of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of Lincoln County, this 30th day of July 1998.

ALICE RACA BAXTER Clerk of the Court

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo has scheduled Public Hearings for Tuesday, September 8, 1998 at 5:00 p.m. and Tuesday, September 22, 1998 at 5:00 to take public input on the following:

It is proposed that the Town of Carrizozo establish a long term fire safety program. This program, to be administered by the Carrizozo Volunteer Fire Department, will reduce the probability of fire and reduce the probability of loss of life and damage to property in the event of fire. This program would progress from public education and courtesy inspections of town buildings, local businesses and private homes, to culminate with the adoption and enforcement of the National Fire Protection Association's Life Safety Code (NFPA 101).

The public is encouraged to attend Public Hearings. Agendas will be posted in accordance with Resolution 1997-15 Twenty-Four (24) hours prior to meeting date and made available to the public.

If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language inter-

preter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing or meeting, please contact Carol Schlarb or Margaret LaBelle at 648-2371, City Hall, Carrizozo, New Mexico at least one week prior to the meeting or as soon as possible.

CAROL SCHLARB, CMCAAAE Town Clerk - Treasurer

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

CV-98-179

HOWARD D. HUGHES a.k.a. HOWARD HUGHES and PATRICIA E. HUGHES a.k.a. PATRICIA HUGHES,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

GROUP I: THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSONS, IF LIVING; IF DECEASED, THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS;

R.L. KAY a.k.a. R.L. MAY and RUTH KAY a.k.a. RUTH MAY, husband and wife; and GARY R. TURNER and JUDITH A. TURNER, husband and wife; GROUP II: ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF,

Defendants.

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO THE FOLLOWING NAMED DEFENDANTS:

THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSONS, IF LIVING; IF DECEASED, THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS: R.L. KAY a.k.a. R. L. MAY and RUTH KAY a.k.a. RUTH MAY, husband and wife; and GARY R. TURNER and JUDITH A. TURNER, husband and wife; AND ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF.

GREETINGS: You are hereby notified that Howard D. Hughes and Patricia E. Hughes, Plaintiffs, have filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, Civil Docket No. DV-98-179 Div. III, wherein you are named as Defendants and wherein said Plaintiffs seek to obtain constructive service upon you.

The general subject matter of said action is to quiet title to certain real estate, which is the subject matter of the above-captioned and numbered cause of action and is described as follows:

Lot 7, Block 8 of Mt. Capitan Subdivision, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, on the 5th day of February, 1965 in Plat Tube No. 210.

AND Lot 46, Block 3 of HIDEAWAY HILLS, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County of June 7, 1971, in Tube 410.

SUBJECT TO Restrictive Covenants and Easements of record.

Excepting all minerals heretofore reserved or excepted by owners' predecessors in interest.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance, plead or otherwise respond in said cause, on or before October 6, 1998, judgment will be rendered against you by default and the relief prayed for in the Complaint will be granted to Plaintiffs in conformity with the allegations of the Plaintiffs' Complaint.

The name and address of the attorney for the plaintiffs is: Archie A. Witham, P.O. Box 83, Nogal, New Mexico 88341.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on this the 20th day of August, 1998.

ALICE RACA BAXTER Clerk of the District Court

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

No. CV-98-57, Div. I

ACCUBANC MORTGAGE CORPORATION,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ALBERT CAMHI, ROBYN E. CAMHI, INNSBROOK VILLAGE COUNTRY CLUB, INNSBROOK VILLAGE CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION 143A, BETTY J. GRUBE as TRUSTEE OF THE BETTY J. GRUBE REVOCABLE TRUST, ROBERT E. GRUBE as TRUSTEE OF THE ROBERT E. GRUBE REVOCABLE TRUST,

Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will, on the 1st day of October, 1998, at 9:00 a.m. on the front steps of the Lincoln County Courthouse, in Carrizozo, New Mexico, sell and convey all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendants in and to the real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and further described, to wit:

Unit 222 of INNSBROOK VILLAGE CONDOMINIUM PROJECT, situate on Lot 143-A of the replat of Lots 138, 139, 142 and 143 of the replat of Innsbrook Village, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the replat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, January 8, 1978, in Tubes 625 and 626, and as said Unit is established and identified by the Declaration and By-Laws of the Innsbrook Village Condominium Project dated July 28, 1978, recorded August 7, 1978 in Book 54 of Miscellaneous Records, pages 925 to 980, inclusive, and Supplemental Declara-

tions dated February 27, 1981, recorded March 2, 1981 in Book 53 of Miscellaneous Records, pages 44 to 50, inclusive.

TOGETHER WITH said Unit's undivided interest in the common area and facilities of the Innsbrook Village Condominium Project attributable to said Unit.

Said property has a mailing address of 222 Innsbrook Villa, Ruidoso, New Mexico.

This sale is made pursuant to an Order of Default Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure entered in the above-entitled cause of action in order to foreclose and satisfy said Judgment and any and all liens and encumbrances said realty may be subject to, and in the proper priority of same as set forth in said Judgment.

The Judgment for the Plaintiff in the above-entitled and captioned action was entered on or about July 10, 1998, in the approximate amount of \$87,959.18 plus pre-judgment interest from June 25, 1998 to July 10, 1998, at the rate of \$20.15 per day, plus post-judgment interest on said judgment from July 10, 1998 at the rate of 12.25% until the date of the foreclosure sale, plus costs of sale and notice of publication.

Said sale shall be completed to the highest and best bidder for cash and the Plaintiff shall be allowed to bid all or part of its judgment plus costs of sale and disbursements for taxes and insurance and said Judgment and costs and disbursements shall be applied to the purchase price. "Cash" for the purposes of this sale shall mean cash or other immediately available funds. Said sale shall be subject to property taxes, easements and restrictions and covenants of record and rights not foreclosed in the aforesaid judgment and rights of redemption of the Defendants. The Special Master shall have all rights and powers pursuant to the laws of the State of New Mexico, including the power to postpone said sale in his discretion.

SPECIAL MASTER Spencer A. Hall P.O. Box 13 Lincoln, NM 88338-0013 (505) 653-4451

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IN THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

No. CV-98-151

JAMES D. LINDBERG and EVANGELINE LINDBERG,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

ROBERT C. NELSON; LEONARD A. YANEZ; GLORIA YANEZ; VILLA MADONNA CORPORATION, a New Mexico corporation; MISS SUGAR GORDON; CAMELOT RELEASE; THE BANK OF RUIDOSO; DEL NORTE, INC.; SURETY SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, a Texas corporation; JAVIER THOME; YOLANDA S. THOME; DAVID WEAVER; CAMELOT OF RUIDOSO, INC., a New Mexico corporation; HUGH FREDERICK, JR.; CAMELOT, INC., a New Mexico corporation; WATTS, NU JOINT VENTURE; A. WARREN KERNER; HENRY JURADO; and any and all unknown heirs and claimants of interest in the premises adverse to Plaintiffs,

Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Robert C. Nelson; Leonard A. Yanez and Gloria Yanez; Villa Madonna Corporation; Miss Sugar Gordon; Camelot Release; The Bank of Ruidoso; Surety Savings Association; Javier Thome; Yolanda S. Thome; David Weaver; Camelot of Ruidoso, Inc.; Hugh Frederick, Jr.; Watts Nu Joint Venture; A. Warren Kerner; Camelot of Ruidoso, Inc.; and Camelot, Inc., and any and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to Plaintiffs.

I, Alice Raca Baxter, Court Clerk of the Twelfth Judicial District Court in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, do hereby cause to be issued this Notice of Pendency of Suit, for the purpose of service of process on Robert C. Nelson; Leonard A. Yanez and Gloria Yanez; Villa Madonna Corporation; Miss Sugar Gordon; Camelot Release; The Bank of Ruidoso; Surety Savings Association; Javier Thome; Yolanda S. Thome; David Weaver; Camelot of Ruidoso, Inc.; Hugh Frederick, Jr.; Watts Nu Joint Venture; A. Warren Kerner; Camelot of Ruidoso, Inc.; and Camelot, Inc., and any and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to Plaintiffs by publication.

The names of the Plaintiffs, Defendants, and the Court in which said cause is pending and the civil cause number are set out hereinabove.

The above-named Defendants are the defendants against whom service by publication is sought to be obtained, and any and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to Plaintiffs.

The general object of this action is to quiet and to set at rest the title of Plaintiffs in and to the lands described herein against any adverse claims of the Defendants and that the Defendants be barred and estopped from having or claiming any lien upon, any right or title to the estate of Plaintiffs in and to said lands, or any portion thereof, adverse to the Plaintiffs.

The property which is affected and concerned by this pending action is located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Tract 1: Lot 8, Block 1, of Basin Valley Subdivision, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the official plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County New Mexico on September 10, 1974, in Tube No. 528.

Tract 2: Lot 14, Block A, of Villa Madonna Subdivision, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on May 11, 1965, in Tube No. 219.

Tract 3: Amended Lot 16, Block 8 of CAMELOT SUBDIVISION, Unit 1, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the amended plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico on August 21, 1973, in Tube No. 432.

Tract 4: The W/2 of the SE/4 of the NE/4 of the SW/4, of Section 19, Township 9 South, Range 14 East, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County, New Mexico.

Tract 5:

Lot 10, Block 2, of the Pine of Gavilan, Unit 1, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on June 21, 1984, in Cabinet D, Slide No. 270 and 271.

Tract 6: Amended Lot 24, Block 5, of Camelot Subdivision, Unit 1, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on August 21, 1973, in Tube No. 432.

Tract 7: Lot 20, Block 1, of Western Hills Subdivision, Unit One, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on December 31, 1958.

Tract 8: Lot 3, Block 51, of Camelot Subdivision, Unit 1-Amended, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on August 21, 1973, in Tube No. 432.

The name of the Plaintiff's attorney is as follows: Dana M. Kyle of Miller, Stratvort & Torgerson, P.A., P.O. Box 1209, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004, (505) 528-2481.

The above-named Defendants, and any and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to Plaintiffs, against whom constructive service is sought to be obtained, are hereby notified that unless they file a responsive pleading or motion with this Court within twenty (20) days after the date of the fourth and last publication of this notice, judgment or other appropriate relief will be rendered in such suit against them by default.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL this 1st day of September, 1998.

ALICE RACA BAXTER Court Administrator

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo will hold their Regular Scheduled Meeting on Tuesday, September 8, 1998 at 6:00 p.m., City Hall Conference Room, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301.

AGENDA WILL BE POSTED in accordance with Resolution 97-15, Twenty-Four hours prior to meeting date and made available to the public.

If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing or meeting, please contact Carol Schlarb or Margaret LaBelle at 648-2371, City Hall, Carrizozo, New Mexico at least one week prior to the meeting or as soon as possible.

CAROL SCHLARB, CMCAAAE Town Clerk, Town of Carrizozo

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Village of Capitan Board of Trustees will hold a public hearing on September 14, 1998 at 6:30 p.m. for the purpose of amending Criminal Code Ordinance 81-1, repealing Criminal Code Ordinances 83-4, 83-5, 84-2, 78-7, 80-1, 80-4, 87-3, 87-6, 87-7, 83-12, 94-2, 94-1, 96-3, 96-5, 97-1, 97-2 and 98-1. This will establish the new Criminal Code Ordinance 98-6. Discussion of items to be changed are the criminal code. This Ordinance 98-6 will be considered for adoption at the regular meeting of September 14, 1998 at 7:00 p.m. at the Village Hall Bldg. The public is encouraged to attend.

/s/ Deborah Cummins Clerk-Treasurer, CMC Village of Capitan

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Village of Capitan Board of Trustees will hold a public hearing on September 14, 1998 at 6:30 p.m. for the purpose of amending Water Ordinances 81-1, repealing Water Ordinances 83-0, 87-1, 91-5, 94-6, 95-1, 95-4, 97-3, Water Restrictions Ordinance 98-4, amending Sewer Ordinances 81-1, repealing Sewer Ordinance 97-10, amending Trash Ordinances 81-1, repealing

Trash Ordinances 78-5, 91-7, 94-5, 94-7. These Ordinances will be combined to establish a Utility Ordinance 98-5. Discussion of items to be changed are late fees, penalties, dates when payments are due, water restriction times, meter tampering. This Utility Ordinance 98-5 will be considered for adoption at the regular meeting of September 14, 1998 at 7:00 p.m. at the Village Hall Bldg. The public is encouraged to attend.

/s/ Deborah Cummins Clerk-Treasurer, CMC Village of Capitan

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INVITATION TO BID

Formal bids for Demolition Services will be opened at Presbyterian Healthcare Services, Materials Management Department for Lincoln County Medical Center on October 2, 1998 at 11:00 A.M.

Lincoln County Medical Center District Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to accept any or all bids, and to waive all technicalities.

Specifications may be obtained at the Materials Management Department at 101 Mountain Road NE, Albuquerque, NM 87102 c/o Kim Keay (505) 246-6725.

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