

Ruidoso Water Supply Holding

by Doris Cherry

Despite the prolonged drought, the water supply for the Village of Ruidoso is holding steady, and residents can continue to spray irrigate outdoors once a week under the Phase II water restrictions.

During the Ruidoso Village Council meeting Tuesday, June 11, coun-

cilors reviewed the village water conservation measures, to determine if there was a need to consider more restrictive water measures. Councilors left the Phase II restrictions in place after they heard a report that village water storage levels had recovered from the Memorial Day demand to about three to five feet below the

maximum capacity in the village's two half-million gallon tanks.

The village is able to stay in Phase II due to the addition of about 500,000 gallons of treated water per day coming into the upper side of the village water system from Grindstone treatment plant. Larry Grasmick, village water director, said the

Hollywood (well) connection is also working very well and has prevented the village from having to go into the Phase III of the water conservation ordinance.

At the May 28 village council meeting, village manager Alan Briley reported the village had connected and was now pumping treated water

from Grindstone up to the large storage tanks. By doing this about half million gallons of water a day is being added to the distri-

bution system for the upper side of the village. Briley said village water production was keeping up with demand. "So we're going to rest the Eagle Creek wells," Briley added.

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Capitan Pays LCSWA Bill

by Doris Cherry

Capitan village trustees approved the hiring of Steven Minner as police officer at the village council meeting Tuesday, June 11.

Following a very short executive session to discuss personnel, trustees unanimously accepted the recommendation of police chief Chuck George to hire Minner, whom George said was the best of four applicants. Minner formerly worked at a lumber company in Ruidoso and is not currently certified as a police officer. Non-certified officers can work up to one year before attending the police academy and becoming certified.

Following the action Capitan Municipal Judge Jack Johnson swore Minner in as an officer.

As a way to attract certified officers, George requested the trustees consider adopting the Public Employee Retirement Act (PERA). He said some certified officers from agencies with PERA inquired into the Capitan police officer openings but lost interest when they learned the village does not have PERA. To switch to PERA all employees must agree to do so. Currently the village has another provider for retirement and some long time employees

could lose up to 35 percent of their retirement accounts if they were to go to PERA.

Trustees tabled the request and instructed George and village clerk Kathryn Griffin to develop a cost analysis to compare the cost to the village for the existing retirement plans and for PERA.

As a way to keep kids off the streets and "off drugs" two 10th grade students approached trustees with an idea for a youth park, especially a skate park. Andrew Silva and James Shelby requested help from the village to create a "place for kids to hang out". The students proposed doing fund raisers and doing band "gigs" to help raise money for the

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Valley Of Fires Recreation Area To Close For Paving

The Valley of Fires Recreation Area four miles west of Carrizozo on Highway 380 will be closed for up to 90 days beginning June 18 while paving is completed. The asphalt paving will include about a mile of road and parking and campsites areas.

Valley of Fires is operated by the U.S. Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and is adjacent to the Malpais Lava Flow which is between 1,500 and 2,000 years old. This is the youngest lava flow in the continental United States, between four and six miles wide and is 160 feet deep at its thickest point.

MOVING MEMORIES AT THE MOVING WALL. The Vietnam Veterans Memorial "Moving Wall" was opened for public viewing on Tuesday, June 11 at the Russ DeKay Soccer Field west of the Wool Bowl in Roswell. The Moving Wall, which is a half size replica of the Vietnam Memorial Wall in Washington, DC will be open 24 hours a day until 8:00 p.m. Monday, June 17 when an official closing ceremony will be held. (Below) Magil Duran, a Vietnam veteran reads the names of Lincoln County men who were killed in Vietnam -- Glen A Chavez of Glencoe, Chester D. Dale of Capitan, Robert G. Montoya of Ruidoso, Henry Nunez of Picacho, John S. Oldham and Willie J. Sandfer both of Tinnie, Carlos Zamora Jr. of Carrizozo and Jerome D. Klein of Hollywood/Ruidoso Downs. Names of New Mexicans killed in Vietnam are read at noon every day. There is no charge to view the Moving Wall which was brought to Roswell through the efforts of the Roswell Hispano Chamber of Commerce and several Roswell veteran's organizations.

Fire Ban Continues

by Doris Cherry

As drought conditions worsen, Lincoln County Commissioners extended their burning ban for another 30 days.

Meeting Friday, June 7 in their chambers in the

Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, county commissioners on a three to one vote re-approved their resolution that bans all open burning, except for campfires in designated areas, without a

county permit. The resolution also bans certain types of display fireworks and discourages use of fireplaces and disposal of unquenched ashes.

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Old Water Taps Are Grandfathered In

by Doris Cherry

The Village of Capitan will provide water to five households that have been tapped into the old water line from Bonito Lake since 1957.

At the Tuesday, June 11 Capitan village trustees meeting, trustees on a two to one vote authorized the village attorney to draft water service agreements with all five customers on the Bonito Lake water line based on the premise the five are "grandfathered" onto the village water system. Trustee John Whitaker voted no because he was concerned how this would affect the moratorium against outside water taps.

The issue with the five taps began when the City of Alamogordo in February notified Capitan by letter that Alamogordo was going to shut off the raw Bonito Lake water to the old Capitan water supply line. Even though the village has not gotten raw water from Bonito Lake for more than 10 years, five taps on the line continued to get the Bonito Lake water under provisions of a 1957 agreement. All five taps are located outside the village, however Capitan bills the five for water at one and a half times the rate charged water customers within the village. Such rate is used for all Capitan "extraterritorial water taps."

Capitan mayor Steve Sederwall said he met with officials in Alamogordo about taking over the five water taps as instructed by the village trustees at their May meeting.

"They (Alamogordo) said no, don't even think about it," Sederwall said. "They have other customers (on the Bonito Lake line) but no intention to pick up these five."

"Give them water," said resident Fred Cheney who summarized the thoughts of many at the meeting.

But at issue was whether providing these five water would violate the moratorium, imposed by resolutions, against any new wa-

ter taps outside of Capitan. Another issue was the cost to supply the five taps water. Capitan would have to purchase a \$6,000 pump and pay the cost of electricity to operate the pump to keep the line filled with water.

Trustee Bobbi Shearer said in her opinion the five Bonito Lake water customers were "grandfathered" because of the 1957 agreements, except for a tap done in 1988 for Don Brewer.

But Whitaker said the original agreements stated the five taps would have taps as long as there was Bonito water. As for the Brewer tap she considered it illegal because it was done after the 1994 moratorium on new outside taps was imposed. Whitaker later said the Brewer tap was a condition for easement on Brewer land for the village water storage tanks.

Sederwall reminded trustees that the moratorium was done by resolution, not ordinance.

Village attorney Don Dutton said a resolution is merely a suggestion or intent, while an ordinance is a law.

Trustees debated the issue for nearly an hour, while the five people who have the Bonito Lake water line taps waited with little comment. Finally 94 year old Cora Dutton said Capitan would not have had water in 1957 if she and the others had not given easement for the water line. "I believe we are grandfathered," Cora Dutton said.

Also during discussion about the situation, trustees debated whether the village should lift the

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T-Ball Meeting Sat., June 15

Anyone wanting to participate or help out with this year's T-Ball league in Carrizozo are invited to attend this meeting on Saturday evening at 6:30 p.m. at Spencer Park to make final preparations for the season.

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County Approves Election Canvass

by Doris Cherry

The 2002 June primary election is now official.

Lincoln County Commissioners approved the official canvass of the June 4 primary election votes at the county commission meeting held Friday, June 7 in their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

Lincoln County Clerk Martha Proctor commended all the poll workers for their work at the election, and volunteers from the Sheriff's Posse

who delivered sealed ballot boxes from the polls to the county clerk's office on election night.

Before making the final tally official, Proctor presented county commissioners with one "fail safe" paper ballot used by a poll worker whom Proctor called at the last moment to replace a sick poll worker. That person was unable to go to her home poll Precinct 8A to vote so she was allowed to vote on the "fail safe" ballot at the Precinct 9 poll where she was working.

County commissioners

counted the fail safe ballot and added the numbers to the already tallied totals from all voting machines and the absentee voting. But even with the additional vote from the fail safe ballot, there was no change in the outcome of any race in the county.

Proctor said on election night the absentee ballots were not completely tallied until about midnight. She said the primary election voting was very complex with all the new legislative, state and congressional districts which required more voting machines. This was the first election the early in person absentee voting was done on electronic voting machine.

Also for the primary election, Ruidoso voters had different polling places.

"There was surprising little confusion in Ruidoso," Proctor said about the change in the Ruidoso polling places. For the last six years voting for all Ruidoso precincts was at the Ruidoso Convention Center.

In May voters had been mailed new voter identification cards indicating their new polling places, districts, etc. Proctor said about 2,000 of those cards were returned to her office with improper addresses. She said she also did several public announcements in the newspapers and radios about the changes in polling places.

"I'm not sure if confusion over polling places and new districts contributed to the low to medium voter turn out for the primary," Proctor added.

According to final tallies presented by Proctor, 43.11 percent of the registered Republicans in Lincoln County voted in the primary election and 29.38 percent of the registered Democrats voted in the primary election. Total vote tallies per precinct were also provided to county commissioners and public.

Earl Hobbs, winner of the Republican nomination for County Commission District 4, said he had been advised there was chance Frank Higgins, who lost by seven votes, would request a recount. Hobbs said he was interested what a recount would involve.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Kibbe of Des Moines NM announce the engagement of their daughter, Kasi, to Brad Holland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mell Holland of Alto. Kasi is a 2001 graduate of Eastern New Mexico University with a bachelor's degree in communicative disorders. She is currently pursuing a master's degree in speech pathology. Brad is a senior at ENMU where he is working towards a degree in physical education and coaching. Kasi is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Holleyman of Corona. Kasi and Brad will be married on Saturday, July 13, 2002 at 6:00 p.m. at the Central Christian Church in Portales.

Fire Ban Continues

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County manager Tom Stewart advised commissioners that fire conditions continue to be extreme, especially in the forests which have closure restrictions. Stewart also said he sent to all county fire departments a letter and copies of the county burn permits which can be issued with approval of the county manager and/or the local fire department chiefs.

County commissioner Rick Simpson voted against continuing the ban without much comment. However, during discussion Simpson said he was concerned about the large electrical signs placed along the major highways leading into Lincoln County that state "no smoking."

(Editor's note: The signs were placed along the highways by the US Forest Service to advise about forest closures and no

smoking outdoors. Smoking outdoors is not permitted in the Village of Ruidoso. However the county has no such no outdoor smoking ban.)

Simpson asked whether the county resolution should include "no outdoor smoking" but he got no support from the other county commissioners.

Last month Simpson voted against the burn ban based on concerns for orchard owners who needed to burn pruning and other agricultural debris while orchard fields were green from irrigation.

The resolution will be in effect for 30 days, unless county commissioners rescind it.

For more information about the burning permits and the fire restrictions, call the office of the county manager at 648-2385 or 1-800-687-2705.



Clouds will bring some shade and relief to the heat through this weekend, with chances of thunderstorms especially in the mountains and higher elevations of Lincoln County.

The following weather forecast is based on information from the National Weather Service web site.

Forecast for Carrizozo, Lincoln, Hondo Valley and lower elevations of Lincoln County:

Today, Thursday, June 13: Partly cloudy with a slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms. Winds becoming northeast 10 to 20 miles per hour. Tonight, partly to mostly cloudy and becoming windy with a chance of thunderstorms. Low of 59.

Friday, June 14: Windy in the morning then partly cloudy and cooler with very slight chance of thunderstorms. High to 89, lows to 57.

Saturday, June 15: Partly cloudy with a slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms. Highs to 85, lows to 58.

Sunday through Tuesday, June 16-18: Clear to partly cloudy with very slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms. Highs to 95, lows to 65.

Forecast for Ruidoso, Capitan, Corona and the higher elevations of Lincoln County:

Today, Thursday, June 13: Partly cloudy with a slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms. Winds becoming northeast 10 to 20 miles per hour. High of 82 in Ruidoso. Tonight, partly to mostly cloudy and becoming windy with a chance of thunderstorms. Low of 49.

Friday, June 14: Windy in the morning. Partly to mostly cloudy and cooler with a slight chance of thunderstorms. Highs from 74.

Saturday, June 15: Partly cloudy with a chance of afternoon thunderstorms. Highs from 77, lows to 40.

Sunday through Tuesday, June 16-18: Clear to partly cloudy with a slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms. Highs from 77, lows to 45.

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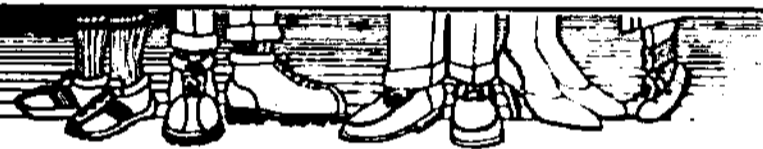
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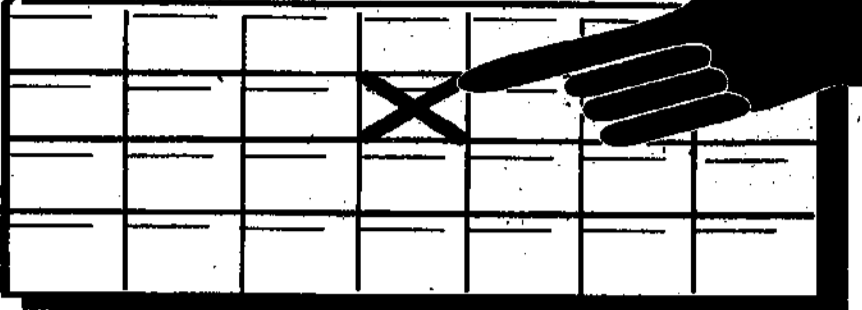
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FIRST THURSDAYS

--Democratic Party of Lincoln County, 5:30 p.m. Call 354-2673 for locations.

SECOND MONDAYS

--Kairos Outside and Emmans Community meeting, 6:30 p.m. Trinity United Methodist Parsonage on E. Ave. Carrizozo.

FIRST AND THIRD TUESDAYS

--Jalayne Spivey of the District II Office of the State Engineer is at Ruidoso Village Hall from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

TUESDAYS

--Fibromyalgia Syndrome Support Group, each Tuesday, 6 p.m. K-Bob's in Ruidoso.

WEDNESDAYS

--Alcoholics Anonymous, 6-7 p.m. Carrizozo Zia Senior Citizens Center.

--Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m. Capitan Senior Citizens Center.

THURSDAYS

--Lincoln County Adult Singles Group 6:30 p.m. Call 354-2635 or 258-3201 for information and location.

--Capitan Chamber of Commerce Bingo, doors open 6:30 p.m.

TODAY, THURSDAY, JUNE 13

--Ruidoso Arts Commission 4 p.m. Ruidoso Village Hall.
 --Capitan School Board 6 p.m. school administration building.
 --Corona Village Trustees 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, JUNE 15

--Lincoln Masonic Foundation Annual Family Day starts at 9 a.m. in Lincoln Park in old Lincoln. Noon lunch, entertainment.

--Storyteller for Summer Reading Program at Capitan Public Library 10:30 to 12 noon.

--Lincoln County Historical Society presentation by Bill Thorp on "guns that won the west" 2-4 p.m. San Juan Church in Lincoln. No charge.

--Janice Herd Memorial Roping, all day Lincoln County Fairgrounds in Capitan.

MONDAY, JUNE 17

--Lincoln County-Ruidoso Extraterritorial Zoning Commission 6:30 p.m. Ruidoso village hall.

TUESDAY, JUNE 18

--Capitan Public Library Summer Reading Program "Chick City" 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon.

--Ruidoso P&Z Commission 2 p.m. Ruidoso village hall.

--Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority 2 p.m. LCSWA offices in Ruidoso Downs.

--Carrizozo Board of Education 7 p.m. school library.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19

--Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) 1:30 p.m. Ruidoso village hall.

JUNE 27

--Lincoln County Highway 70 Advisory Task Force meets at 6:30 p.m. at Hondo School cafeteria.

Tully / Mitchell Named Top Scholar



The United States Achievement Academy announced that Jessica Tully - Mitchell from Glencoe, has been named a United States National Award Winner in History & Government, and Science, and further has been named All-American Scholar.

The award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes fewer than 10 percent of all American high school students.

Jessica, who attends Capitan High School and will be a senior this fall, was nominated for these national awards by Mrs. JoBeth Vinson, English Teacher; Ed Davis, Science Teacher; Myrum Whitaker, History & Government Teacher, and Gerald Montes, Counselor, at Capitan High School.

In addition to the academic honors, Jessica has lettered each high school year in four different sports: basketball, volleyball, track and rodeo. She has been All District / All Tourney in basketball since her freshman year, and All District / All Tourney in volleyball since her sophomore year, and has qualified for state in track since her freshman year in several events. She also won the Chaves / Lincoln County Youth and 3D buckles and qualified for World in the NBHA.

She is the Sports Liaison for Student Council, on the Mediation Team, member of FCA, selected for

Presidential Classroom and the National Youth Leadership Conference, honored in Who's Who, Who's Who in Sports, national Honor Society and is a National youth Leader. She further will represent New Mexico for the second year at the NFHS/NMAA Student Leadership Conference in Indianapolis, Indiana this summer.

Jessica will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, which is published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly, United States Achievement Academy winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are the student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and co-operative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Jessica is the daughter of Gary Mitchell and Tricia Tully from Glencoe. Her grandparents are Gerald and Wynema Tully of Glencoe, and Manon Mitchell of Ruidoso Downs.

Briton Goad Selected For Summer Internship With Domenici In D.C.



Briton Goad of Carrizozo has been selected to serve as a summer intern in U.S. Senator Pete Domenici's Washington, D.C. office. Goad, a junior international business major at Abilene Christian University in Abilene, TX, will be among eight college students whose five week internship begins July 8 and continues through August. Goad is a graduate of Carrizozo High School. His parents are Dr. and Mrs. Dale Goad of Carrizozo.

Historical Society To Host Gun Talk Saturday, June 15

Well known history buff, collector and Lincoln County Historical Society member Bill Thorp will present a talk on Guns That Won the West at 2-4 p.m. Saturday, June 15 at San Juan Church in Lincoln.

Thorp will share his vast knowledge of weaponry and will have some antique rifles and pistols similar to those used by Billy the Kid, Geronimo, ranchers, outlaws, and others who had to defend themselves during rough times of the New Mexico frontier.

Refreshments will follow the program which is co-sponsored by Lincoln State Monuments. For more information call 505-653-4372 or 653-4921.



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THOUGHTS

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Overstepping Bounds

By Ruth Hammond

Back in the good old days it was fairly simple to be able to tell the good guys from the bad guys because the good guys wore white hats and the bad guys wore black hats. Then someone started wearing pastel colored hats and now the world is in confusion. And all because of the hats.

Instead of judging guys by the color of their hats, how about judging them on honesty and character and some of those other worthwhile traits people are supposed to have? You do need to take into account that some of those guys that are supposed to be good do things they think are correct, even if they are wrong. Take for instance the tale that is being told about how Carrizozo Police have code enforcement jurisdiction three miles outside the city limits or three and a half miles outside the city limits or two miles outside the city limits, depending on which officer speaks.

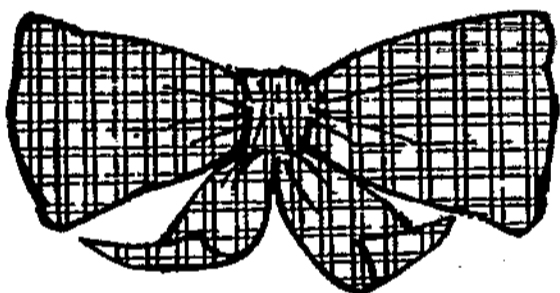
Get the idea? The Carrizozo Police are supposed to be the good guys; assisting little old ladies across the street, finding lost children, and being courteous to everyone, not going under the assumption they have authority to enforce codes outside the city limits. According to state statutes sections 3-21-2, NMSA 1978, the three mile limit is only for municipalities having a population of 200,000 or more persons. Albuquerque might qualify but not Carrizozo. The two mile limit is for municipalities having a population of 20,000 or more. That ain't Carrizozo either. The one mile limit is for a municipality having a population of 1,500 or more but not more than 20,000. That still ain't Carrizozo.

Lincoln County would also have to be in agreement with Carrizozo for there to be an extraterritorial zone, which is what areas in the county that are outside a municipality are called if in fact an extraterritorial zone is established. And according to state statute 3-21-2 (B)(4) the limits of an extraterritorial zone around Carrizozo would end at the city limits because Carrizozo has a population of 1,500 or less. We realize that it was probably an oversight that Carrizozo police assumed they had jurisdiction for code enforcement three miles outside the city limits, but Carrizozo is not, nor will it ever be Albuquerque. And rules can't be assumed.

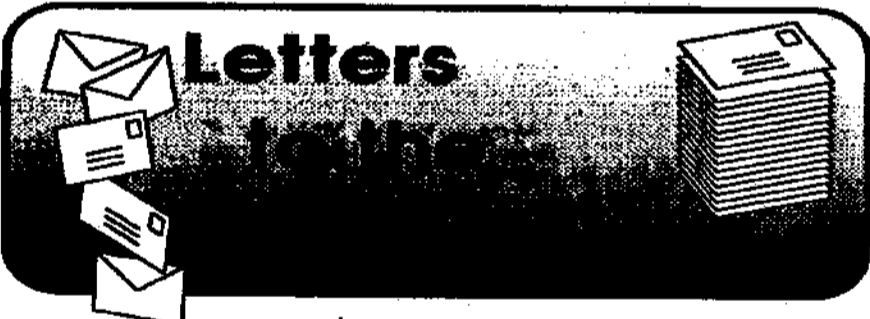
It is interesting what you can learn by reading. Yes, it does take an attorney to decipher some of the things that are in the state statutes, but portions of the state statutes, while not having a plot, can catch your attention. It even makes you wonder why they use some of the terminology they do, such as: 3-21-1 (A) For the purpose of promoting health, safety, morals or the general welfare. . . . Now wouldn't it be nice if any state statute or rule or law could promote morals? Is it not possible with some people?

Even if you can't judge a person by hat color, you gotta admit that was much easier than trying to make certain a person does not overstep the bounds. And overstepping the bounds of city limits could cause many problems for people. It could give them the impression they are being treated the same way the Gestapo treated people. And that is not the way anyone should be treated. Maybe the state has a good idea promoting morals, that is if it promotes good morals and courtesy and respect and honesty. Yeah!

Promote what morals?



Letters



EDITOR: Concerning the \$10,000 pay raise for County Manager Tom Stewart, and large pay increases for the deputies, and dispatchers -- while they may certainly be deserving, it seems like the handful of other county employees who will be getting less than a one percent (1%) pay increase and the budgets of the County Departments were sacrificed for the others.

By the time the taxes and other deductions are taken from this, it will amount to about one half of one percent pay increase. Why not just donate this to a good charity?

All county employees have different jobs, and all are important. Commissioners forget that the employees are the backbone of the county.

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PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS FOR THE NEW MILLENNIUM



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Gemini: (May 21 - June 20)
A good time to start something new! Take the trip that you have always wanted, or start the dream, that you have been dreaming about. Plan Ahead.

Cancer: (June 21 - July 22)
Watch what door you walk in or out of. Life has a way of letting you go, places, good and bad! You have a Free choice. Be sure of what it is.

Leo: (July 23 - Aug 22)
When it gets too hot in the kitchen, then get out, or find out why tempers are high. You can't afford to lose good energy on others that are in a bad mood.

Virgo: (Aug 23 - Sept 22)
Check out what is being said, by what they do, not by what they want you to do. The truth is in their actions. Words can come and go. Actions are forever.

Libra: (Sept 22 - Oct 22)
It wouldn't hurt for you to take a break from almost everyone. Read a good book, go to the show. Do something that will bring back good energy.

Scorpio: (Oct 23 - Nov 21)
Your money and your time, could be tested. Don't let anything go without questioning. Where? What? When? Why? And How much? Take charge now.

Sagittarius: (Nov 22 - Dec 21)
Even tho you can't see what's up ahead, that doesn't mean you can't start getting ready for it now. Save money, and find out where you want to go!

Capricorn: (Dec 22 - Jan 19)
Your good mood, could be taken away by others that don't want to see you happy. Wave by-by, and be around thoughtful & caring people.

Aquarius: (Jan 20 - Feb 18)
Touchy! Your feelings are sticking out! Others don't understand you when you're hurt, they just think you're in a bad mood, and want to stay away.

Pisces: (Feb 19 - March 20)
The answers are right on the tip of your tongue! Speak from the heart, and tell the truth as you know it to be. Be the best you can be. Go from there.

Aries: (March 21 - April 19)
You can't expect others to look at your back side, and know what you're thinking. Come clean. Your good energy is going down. Talk it out.

Taurus: (April - May 20)
You will stay the same, until you decide to do what needs to be done, to do it the right way. You're going to be on your own. Others can't help anymore.

USFS Seeks Comments On River Protections

by Doris Cherry

Public comment is needed before July 1 on proposed amendments to the Lincoln National Forest Plan to incorporate guidelines on how the forest service will protect areas of rivers in the forest that have potential for wild and scenic designation.

US Forest Service (USFS) is seeking comments on proposed changes to the Lincoln National Forest Plan to incorporate Forest Service Handbook 1909.12, Chapter 8.12 and 8.2, which prescribes procedures for conducting inventory and eligibility assessment of river segments or areas for potential designation as Wild and Scenic Rivers.

Written comments can be mailed to Lincoln National Forest, Attention Ron Hannan, 1101 New York Ave., Alamogordo, NM 88310-6992, or comments can be emailed to rhannan@fs.fed.us. Hannan, or Johnny Wilson, Lincoln National Forest Recreation and Lands Staff Officer in the forest headquarters in Alamogordo, will also answer questions about the proposed amendments by calling 605-434-7200.

According to a letter from USFS supervisor's office, signed by Nancy Taylor for supervisor Jose Martinez, the amendment will incorporate the forest service handbook guidelines into the current Forest Plan and "gives better assurance that outstandingly remarkable characteristics for eligible river segments are protected."

"This action is not a Wild and Scenic River suitability analysis nor does it recommend any Wild and Scenic River designations to Congress," the letter states.

Wilson told THE NEWS the proposed amendments are the result of a settlement agreement for a 1997 lawsuit filed by the Center for Biodiversity and Amigos Bravos against the US Forest Service. The lawsuit alleged the Lincoln National Forest (LNF) Land and Resource Management Plan (Forest Plan) did not adequately follow procedural requirements of the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act. Wilson said the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act was

passed by Congress in 1988 to preserve "free flowing navigable rivers", and was not something "the forest service did."

Protection of these identified potential river areas is considered "maintaining the existing qualities of the areas as they were in 1988," Wilson added.

When the LNF management plan was done in 1988 it did not include the Wild and Scenic Rivers guidelines. "We just put in a hand written note that we didn't think the rivers in the Lincoln National Forest qualified because they have so little or no flowing water," Wilson said. "We saw the intent of the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1988 to protect free flowing navigable rivers," Wilson added. "Then we said we don't have any of those."

But the 1997 lawsuit changed that thought. As a result of the lawsuit, in 1999 LNF conducted and completed an inventory and eligibility assessment of river segments and areas based on the Forest Service Handbook guidelines for wild and scenic rivers. From this inventory several rivers were identified as having segments "eligible for suit-

ability analysis as Wild and Scenic Rivers."

As a result of the 1999 inventory under the guideline of Forest Service Handbook 1909.12, 8.2., in the Smokey Bear District of Lincoln National Forest (mostly Lincoln County) the North Fork Rio Ruidoso, Three Rivers and South Fork Rio Bonito have been inventoried as "Recreational Rivers." Duran Canyon and Hale Canyon are listed as "Wild Rivers" and Pancho Canyon (Capitan Mountain area) is listed as a "Scenic River."

Rivers identified in the Sacramento Ranger district include Monument Canyon, Fresno Canyon, Dog Canyon, Upper Penasco, Sacramento River. In the Guadalupe Ranger District rivers include Sitting Bull Falls, Last Chance Canyon, Turkey Canyon, Upper Dark Canyon, Big Canyon, North McKittrick Canyon.

Wilson said the only segments of the rivers that are inside established "wilderness areas" are eligible for "wild" designation. All other segments will be considered as scenic and recreation.

"We agreed in the law-

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DOMENICI MEETS WITH LINCOLN COUNTY COMMISSIONER L. RAY NUNLEY

WASHINGTON -- U.S. Senator Pete Domenici recently met with Lincoln County Commissioner Ray Nunley (far right), who promoted a number of issues important to southern New Mexico.

Domenici and Nunley primarily discussed the National Forest County Partnership Restoration Program, which aims to reduce the risk of forest fires through forest restoration efforts. The Federal Payment in Lieu of Taxes Program and the future of Fort Stanton, an historic landmark, were also addressed.

The Commissioner was accompanied to Washington by his wife, Mary Lee Nunley, and his son, Lon Nunley, who currently resides in Arizona and serves in the National Guard.

Sheriff's Report

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

June 3:
 11:51 a.m. request for ambulance at location on Pinos Altos for male shot in the leg. Ruidoso Med 1 Ambulance transported to Lincoln County Medical Center (LCMC) in Ruidoso.
 3:09 p.m. request for deputy at White Oaks School. Deputy responded.
 3:34 p.m. request for ambulance at location on ranch in Border Hills area for patient with possible heart attack. Hondo ambulance transported the patient to the hospital in Roswell.
 5:25 p.m. abandoned vehicle, blue pick up, at mile marker 28 on State Road 246.
 5:26 p.m. report of burglary, breaking and entering at location on Pinos Altos. Deputy assigned.
 9:38 p.m. report of subject smoking at Cedar Creek.
 10:24 p.m. burglar alarm sounding at business location on Ski Run Road, activated during closing.
 11:35 p.m. 911 report that a patient with asthma attack was being taken by private vehicle to the hospital. State police, Ruidoso Police and deputies were advised.
 June 4:
 1:26 a.m. 911 request for ambulance for 80 year old female who fell and hit her head and could not get up. She advised that her door was locked and she could not get to it. Carrizozo ambulance and police responded and gained access through a back window. The patient was transported to LCMC.
 1:15 p.m. Children Youth and Families Department (CYFD) requested a deputy for a referral in Alto.
 2:40 p.m. K-9s running at large on Sandanista Drive in Ranches of Sonterra.
 2:49 p.m. theft at location at mile marker 270 on Highway 70.
 4:33 p.m. domestic violence at location on Tombstone Court in Rancho Ruidoso. Responding deputy requested ambulance which the patient refused.
 9:59 p.m. threats at Sierra Blanca Trail.
 June 5:
 9:30 a.m. lost cell phone in Alto.
 CYFD notified the Sheriff's Office of an investigation at a ranch school in White Oaks, assisted by state police.
 12:14 p.m. dog bite at location on Spring Road. Ruidoso Downs Police advised they would handle the case.
 2:30 p.m. request for deputy for threats at location on Center Street. The reporting party did not want Ruidoso Police to respond.
 6:13 p.m. Otero County Sheriff's Office advised it was responding to a report of a suicide attempt at Three Rivers. Since it was in Lincoln County, a Lincoln County deputy also responded.
 11:28 p.m. anonymous caller reported excessive noise at Teepee and Tomahawk.
 June 6:
 8 a.m. breaking and entering at a business in Corona. Deputy responded.

1:30 p.m. vandalism at trailer park east of Ruidoso Downs.
 3:39 p.m. Ruidoso swimming pool requested ambulance for child who fell and hit head. Med 1 transported to LCMC.
 6:25 p.m. bear killing chickens at location on Gavilan Canyon Road. Dispatch called NM Game and Fish Department in Santa Fe which was to contact the local Game and Fish officer.
 9 p.m. CYFD requested a deputy to do a welfare check of a 16 year old boy in the White Angel Mesa area.
 June 7:
 9:30 a.m. report of six horses not being fed in Lincoln.
 1:07 p.m. possible restraining order violation on Gavilan Canyon Road.
 4:56 p.m. \$200 of criminal damage at location on Dean Road west of Capitán.
 7:13 p.m. accident with injuries at Gavilan Canyon Road and Homestead Estates Road. Request for ambulance was canceled.
 8:08 p.m. damage to property on Spring Road.
 8:23 p.m. request for ambulance at senior living facility for elderly male. Carrizozo ambulance responded.
 9:23 p.m. fire on Juniper Springs in Loma Grande. Nogal fire Department, Lincoln Zone, deputy and state police notified.
 10:13 p.m. request for ambulance for patient with cardiac problem at location on Gavilan Canyon Road. Med 1 transported the patient to LCMC.
 11:56 p.m. request for officer for theft/larceny at location on AO48.
 June 8:
 6:40 a.m. request for ambulance at location on Pine Ridge Road in Loma Grande. RALS transported to LCMC.
 1:37 p.m. request for deputy at possible domestic at trailer park east of Ruidoso Downs to separate parties.
 4:01 p.m. door open on vacant house next door on Big Bear.
 4:03 p.m. confidential information in Hondo area.
 June 9:
 7:58 a.m. harassment at location on E023 in the Hondo area; someone put sharpened rebar spikes on a two track road, causing tires to blow out.
 9:38 a.m. request for ambulance for patient with back and leg pain at a church camp in Angus. Med 1 transported to LCMC.
 10 a.m. kids on ATVs on Franklin Street in Corona.
 11:12 a.m. Smokey Bear Ranger Station Fire Officer requested a deputy for a subject who was in the forest at mile marker 6 on State Road 246. Deputy responded.
 12:43 p.m. detention center reported harassment.
 2:15 p.m. 911 request for ambulance at location at Spring and Harris for 18 year old female with pain in arms and hands. RALS transported to LCMC.
 7:45 p.m. 911 report of shots fired in Hondo. The calling couple had been shot when they were stuck in the valley.
 June 10:
 7:30 a.m. request for ambulance for patient who fell. Med 1 transported to LCMC.

8:51 a.m. request for escort in Tinnie.
 9:30 a.m. Chaves County Sheriff's Office requested assistance to serve a restraining order at location on Mechem Drive in Ruidoso. Deputy responded.
 3:35 p.m. request for ambulance at Carrizozo clinic for transfer. Carrizozo ambulance transported to LCMC.
 4:30 p.m. possible battery, at Lincoln County Fairgrounds, Capitán police took report.

Ruidoso Water

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Under the Phase II restrictions outdoor spray irrigation is allowed between the hours of 3 p.m. to 10 a.m. every Tuesday. Outdoor watering with hand held hoses or buckets for potted plants, flower beds and tree wells is allowed any day from 3 p.m. to 10 a.m. under all phases.
 Councilors also authorized the newly formed village Water Task Force to review the existing village water ordinance. Grasmick recommended the council revise the village water conservation ordinance to prohibit outdoor watering between 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and to prohibit watering when wind exceeds 20 miles per hour. The purpose of the Water Task Force is to come up with ways for water conservation. Members of the Water Task Force who were appointed at the May 28 meeting include Rick D'Iaco, Dick Wisner, Pete Thompson, Bill Midkiff, Myrtle and T.E. Arrington, Rose Peebles, Frank Potter, Harvey Foster, Jim Masters, Ken Mosley and councilors Ron Hardeman and Debra Byars who requested the task force.
 Recommendations from the Water Task Force will be brought to the council for consideration.



Correction:

The photo on the front page of June 6, 2002 issue of Lincoln County News of individuals at the June 4 election night returns incorrectly listed the name of a person in a picture as Jan Perry. The person is Jolene Biggs, wife of Jim Biggs, candidate for magistrate judge. Our apologies to you Jolene.

Mel Holland To Be In Carrizozo This Next Fall

Carrizozo teacher and coach Mel Holland will be returning to Carrizozo Schools for the 2002-2003 school year.
 THE NEWS previously reported Holland had resigned. According to a spokesperson at Carrizozo School, Holland had resigned as head boys basketball coach only. Holland will continue to be a physical education instructor and football and track coach.

Scholarships Awarded To Capitán Graduates

Capitán High School class of 2002 earned several thousand dollars in scholarships, announced at the May 27 graduation exercises in Tiger Stadium.
 Salutatorian was Rocky H. Burrows II and Valedictorian was Patrick Britt Ventura.
 Scholarships awarded:
 Stephanie Barnett; \$500 First Christian Church; \$1,000 Ruidoso Rotary Club.
 Michael Becker; \$800 NM State University Opportunity; \$200 Santa Rita Catholic Church; \$500 Capitán High School Rodeo Team; \$150 Capitán National Honor Society.
 Ryan Brewer; \$500 Capitán High School Rodeo Team.
 Cole Brooks; \$745 renewable Eastern New Mexico-Roswell; \$500 Capitán High School Rodeo Team.
 Rocky Burrows; \$3,716 renewable for four years NMSU Regents Plus; \$2,000 renewable four years lottery New Mexico Tech Copper; \$2,000 renewable four years Hubbard Foundation; \$300 one time Capitán FFA; \$300 one time First Federal Bank; \$150 one time Capitán National Honor Society.

Ashlee Carner; \$800 renewable lottery NMSU-Opportunity; \$1,000 renewable Zia Natural Gas; \$250 one time with plaque Wells Fargo Bank Citizens Award; \$500 one time Special Events Resource Group (SERG).
 Jena Clayton; \$800 renewable lottery NMSU-Opportunity.
 Lisa Garcia; \$800 renewable lottery NMSU-Opportunity.
 Tyler Haughness; \$2,000 renewable lottery NM Tech-Copper; \$8,000 renewable Austin College state fellowship; \$200 one time Capitán Football Club (for three sport athlete); \$500 Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce.
 Brad Huddleston; \$672 renewable lottery Mesalands Community College Bridge; \$400 one time Mesalands Community College Talent; \$500 Capitán High School Rodeo Club.
 Marley Menefee; \$500 one time Lt. Womack Memorial.
 Colten Moor; \$500 renewable lottery NMSU-Opportunity; \$500 Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District.
 Andrew Murtaugh; \$150 one time Capitán Student Senate; \$1,000 one time Capitán Alumni Association.

Jessica Neal; \$3,716 renewable four years NMSU-Regents Plus; \$500 one time Ruidoso Evening Lions Club; \$300 one time Capitán Chamber of Commerce; \$500 SERG.
 Thomas Pruitt-Hall; \$3,216 renewable four years NMSU-Regents.
 Sonia Rivera; \$800 renewable lottery NMSU-Opportunity; \$500 Kenneth C. Brooks Memorial.
 Natasha Saiz; \$500 one time Alto Country Club Employee.
 Doug Smith; \$800 renewable lottery NMSU-Opportunity; \$500 Capitán High School Rodeo Team.
 Riley Switzer; \$750 one time Foxworth-Galbraith; \$500 one time Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce.
 Jannah Turner; \$800 renewable lottery NMSU-Opportunity; \$250 renewable Herbert Lee and Alice Traylor Memorial.
 Chance VanWinkle; \$672 renewable lottery Mesalands Community College Bridge; \$600 one-time Mesalands Community College Talent; \$500 Capitán HS Rodeo Team; \$250 Billy the Kid Pageant.
 Brit Ventura; \$1,000 renewable lottery University of New Mexico Bridge;

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Church Directory



MOUNTAIN MINISTRY PARISH, SIERRA BLANCA PRESBYTERY

Nogal Presbyterian Church:
 BILL SEBRING, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Worship 11:00 a.m.

Ancho Community Presbyterian Church: SCOTT KING, Pastor / 648-2024

Worship 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Corona Presbyterian Church:

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Worship 11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church

HAYDEN SMITH, Pastor
 314 10th Ave., Carrizozo, NM
 648-2988 (Church) or 648-2107
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:55 a.m.
 Sun. Evening Training at 6:15 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:15 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Carrizozo Community Church (AIG)

JOHNNIE L. JOHNSON, Pastor
 Corner of C Ave. and Thirteenth, 648-2186
 Children's Church 10:30 a.m.
 Sun. Service 10:30 a.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

Santa Rita Catholic Community

FR. DAVE BERGS, Pastor
 213 Birch, Carrizozo, NM, 648-2853
 SATURDAY:
 Capitán Sacred Heart 5:00 p.m.
 Carrizozo Santa Rita 7:00 p.m.
 SUNDAY:
 Capitán Sacred Heart 9:00 a.m.
 Carrizozo Santa Rita 11:00 a.m.
 Corona St. Theresa 4:00 p.m.

Church of Christ

TOM POINDEXTER, Minister 354-3135
 Ave. C at 12th, Carrizozo, NM
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 1:15 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

St. Matthias Episcopal Church

REV. CANDON JOHN PENN, Rector
 Corner of E Ave. and Sixth, Carrizozo, NM
 1-505-257-2356
 Holy Eucharist Sunday 9:30 a.m.

Claunch Community Church

TONY SCACCIA, Minister
 849-1402
 Second Sunday of Each Month 9:00 a.m.

United Methodist Churches

JOHANNA ANDERSON, Pastor
 1000 D. Ave, 648-2893 / 648-2846
 Carrizozo, NM 88301
 Sunday School (All Ages) 10:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 Choir Practice (Tuesday) 6:30 p.m.
 United Methodist Women
 Every 3rd Wednesday 2:00 p.m.
 Fellowship Dinner on
 4th Sunday of Month 12:30 p.m.

CAPITAN:

Adult Sunday School 8:30 a.m.
 Worship Service 8:15 a.m.
 Children's Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Fellowship Time 10:15 a.m.
 Adult Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
 Choir Practice (Tuesday) 7:00 p.m.
 Fellowship Dinner Every Third Sunday
 Handmaidens (Ecumenical Women's Group)
 1st and 3rd Tuesday 9:30 a.m.

Christ Community Fellowship

ED VINSON, Pastor (Inter-denominational)
 514 Smokey Bear Blvd., Capitán, NM
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

Capitán Church of Christ

LESLIE EARWOOD, Minister
 5th & Lincoln / 336-4627
 Sunday Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Trinity Southern Baptist Church

MEL GNATKOWSKI, Pastor / 648-2530
 Phone 354-2044
 Capitán (South on Hwy. 48)
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church of Corona

CAL WEST, Pastor / 849-7975
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
 Fellowship Dinner 1st Sunday of Month

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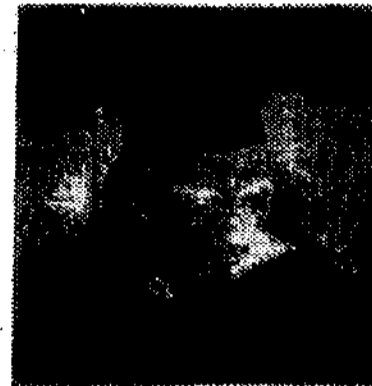
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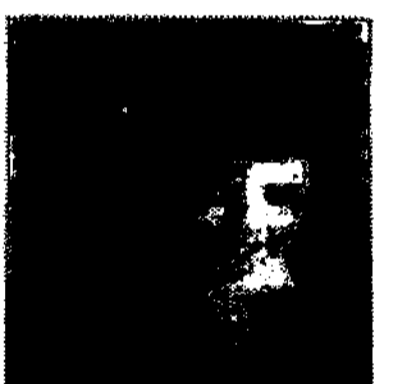
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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on April 30, 2002, the State Engineer, Brenda Archuleta, P.O. Box 203, Lincoln, New Mexico, Application No. 0826, 01300 & 01301, approved the STATE ENGINEER for partial point of diversion and place of use of 4,992 acre-feet per annum of surface water of the Rio Ruidoso via the Ambrosio Ch. Ditch, which diverts at a point in the SE1/4SE1/4 of Section 5, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., and ceasing the irrigation of 1.56 acres of land located in the W1/2W1/2W1/2NE1/4SE1/4 of Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M. The applicant proposes to commence the use of a river pump located in the SW1/4NE1/4SE1/4 of Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., for the diversion of up to 4,992 acre-feet per annum of surface waters for the irrigation of 1.6 acres of land located in the W1/2W1/2W1/2NE1/4SE1/4 of Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M.

The move from point of diversion, move-to point of diversion, and place of use are located in Honda, New Mexico.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The objections or protests shall be in writing and shall set forth specific reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Thomas C. Turney, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201, not later than ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. If no valid objection or protest is filed, the state engineer will evaluate the application for impairment to existing water rights, public welfare of the state, and conservation of water within the state.

cc: Santa Fe

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LEGAL NOTICE

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
NO. 01-02-025**

"Independent Contractor Services
for Misdemeanor
Compliance Program"

Due: Wednesday, July 10, 2002
at 2:00 p.m. MDT

The County of Lincoln is requesting competitive sealed proposals for an independent contractor to administer the "Misdemeanor Probation Program" for the Lincoln County Magistrate Court, Lincoln County, New Mexico. Full details of the program and the services required of the contractor are provided in the Proposal Packet.

Copies of the Request for Proposal can be obtained in person at the Office of the County Manager, 300 Central Ave., Carrizozo, NM or will be mailed upon written or telephonic request to Jane Williams (505) 648-2385.

All proposal responses must be clearly marked on the outside of the sealed envelope with the Proposal Title, Proposal Number, and Date and Time of Opening. If the proposal is sent by mail, the sealed envelope shall have the notation "Sealed Proposal" along with the Proposal Number. Proposals received after the due date and time will be returned unopened.

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will review the proposals and make their final determination at a County Commission meeting on July 18, 2002.

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

JANE WILLIAMS
Purchasing Agent

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 28, 2002, Sun Valley Sanitation District, P.O. Box 151, Alto, NM 88312, filed application No. H-785-S-5 with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to drill a well 10 3/4 inches in diameter and approximately 1000 feet in depth at a point in the SE1/4NE1/4NW1/4 of Section 28, Township 10 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M., for the purpose of supplementing the following existing shallow wells:

WELL NO.	SUBDIVISION	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE
H-785	SW1/4SW1/4NE1/4	28	10S	13E
H-785-S-1	SE1/4NE1/4NW1/4	28	10S	13E
H-785-S-2	SE1/4NE1/4NW1/4	28	10S	13E
H-785-S-3	NW1/4SW1/4NE1/4	28	10S	13E
H-785-S-4	SW1/4NE1/4NW1/4	28	10S	13E
H-756	SW1/4SW1/4NE1/4	28	10S	13E

For the continued diversion of up to 56.0 acre-feet per annum of shallow groundwater for domestic use in a subdivision.

The points of diversion are located approximately one mile northwest of Alto, off Highway 37, and approximately one mile west where Highway 37 crosses over Little Creek, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The objections or protests shall be in writing and shall set forth specific reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Thomas C. Turney, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201, not later than ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. If no valid objection or protest is filed, the state engineer will evaluate the application for impairment to existing water rights, public welfare of the state, and conservation of water within the state.

cc: Santa Fe

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LEGAL NOTICE

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
IN THE MAGISTRATE COURT
Case No. M32-CV-2001-0269**

Ruidoso Tool Rental & Paint, Inc.,
Plaintiff,

vs.
James Bundy d/b/a Howden & Bundy,
4 Pinon Drive, Alto, NM
Defendant.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of execution issued on the above entitled matter, the Sheriff of Lincoln County has levied on the right, title, and interest of James Bundy in the below described property of James Bundy.

- 1 -- 1980 Ford Pickup, Vin# F25GRGG2199
- 1 -- 1991 Dodge Pickup,
Vin# 1B7KMZ6Z5MS250262

Pursuant to NMSA 39-4-9, the Sheriff of Lincoln County has levied on the right, title and interest of James Bundy in the above described property. The judgement in the above action was rendered on September 20th, 2001. The judgement in the above action was for a debt in the amount of \$255.49.

Public sale will be held on the 18th day of June 2002 at the Lincoln County Sheriff Department at 300 Central Ave., Carrizozo, New Mexico at 10:00 AM, pursuant to the above cited statute.

TOM SULLIVAN, SHERIFF
Lincoln County, New Mexico

By: Kenneth D. Jones
Deputy Sheriff

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LEGAL NOTICE

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
CV02-60**

GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION,
Plaintiff,

vs.
JONATHAN D. NOWELL,
Defendant.

**NOTICE OF SALE
ON FORECLOSURE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property situated in Lincoln County, New Mexico, commonly known 15-7 Chisholm Trail, Alto, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 15, BLOCK 7, OF RANCHO RUIDOSO VALLEY ESTATES, 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 NOVEMBER 30, 1982, IN CABINET D. SLIDE NOS. 99 TO 103, BOTH INCLUSIVE.

The sale is to begin at 10:00 a.m. on June 27, 2002, outside the east entrance of the Lincoln County Courthouse, City of Carrizozo, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the Judgment in favor of Plaintiff, GMAC Mortgage Corporation.

GMAC Mortgage Corporation was awarded Judgment on May 8, 2002, in the principal sum of \$17,705.85, plus outstanding interest due on the Note through May 1, 2002, in the amount of \$734.37 and accruing thereafter at the rate of 8.2500% per annum (\$4.00 per diem); plus late charges in the amount of \$157.75, plus escrow advances in the sum of \$113.63, plus preservation and inspection fees in the amount of \$48.90, plus attorney fees in the sum of \$900.00 and costs through May 15, 2002, in the sum of \$849.55, with interest thereon at the rate of 8.2500% per annum until paid.

The sale is subject to a one (1) month right of redemption in favor of the Defendants as specified in the Judgment filed herein.

Michael LaValle, Special Master
c/o Leverick & Musselman
5120 San Francisco NE
Albuquerque, NM 87109

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LEGAL NOTICE

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
No. CV-02-43-Div. III**

**BANC ONE FINANCIAL
SERVICES, INC.**
Plaintiff,

vs.
**DEBORAH BURGESS and
DAVID BURGESS,**
Defendants.

NOTICE OF SUIT

**TO: DEFENDANT(S): DEBORAH BURGESS
and DAVID BURGESS**

You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you in the said Court and County by the afore-named Plaintiff, in which the said Plaintiff prays for debt, foreclosure and redemption for the real property located in the City of Ruidoso, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico and being more particularly described as 113 Porr Dr., Ruidoso, NM 88345. And you are further notified that unless you enter or cause to be entered your appearance in said cause on or before July 17, 2002, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by default and the relief prayed for will be granted.

Attorney for the Plaintiff: RHODES & SALMON, P.C. (William C. Salmon), 1801 Lomas Blvd., N.M., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87104 (505) 247-0328.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE KAREN L. PARSONS, District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court, State of New Mexico, and the seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, on this 10th day of May, 2002.

JAN PERRY
Clerk of the District Court

By: Mickie L. Vega
Deputy

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LEGAL NOTICE

**TWELFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
No. PB-2002-18**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
GINA MARIE LaBROSSE, Deceased.**

**NOTICE OF HEARING
BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

**TO: ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO
HAVE OR CLAIM ANY INTEREST IN THE
ESTATE OF GINA MARIE LaBROSSE,
DECEASED, OR IN THE MATTER BEING
LITIGATED IN THE HEREINAFTER MEN-
TIONED HEARING.**

Hearing on the Petition for Adjudication of Intestacy, Determination of Heirship, Appointment of Personal Representative, and Appointment of Guardian ad Litem (the "Petition") filed by the undersigned Petitioner will be held at the Lincoln County Courthouse, in Carrizozo, New Mexico, on the 26th day of June, 2002, at 8:15 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable Karen L. Parsons, District Judge. You are hereby notified that at the hearing the Court will consider the request by the petitioner that:

1. The Court adjudicate the intestacy of the Decedent;
2. The Court determine the heirs of the Decedent;
3. The Court appoint CLARK E. LaBOSSÉ as Personal Representative of the estate; and
4. The Court appoint Jefferson R. Rhodes, Attorney at Law, as guardian ad litem for Aaron Charles Simrell, the minor child of decedent.

A copy of the Petition is on file with the Court in the above-captioned cause and is available for your review.

Pursuant to NMSA 1978 45-1-401, notice of the time and place of hearing of the Petition is hereby given you by publication, once each week, for two consecutive weeks.

DATED: June 3, 2002.

CLARKE E. LaROSSE, Petitioner
3121 West Indian Trail Road
Spokane, WA 99208

Attorney for Petitioner:
Archie A. Witham
P.O. Box 83
Nogal, NM 88341
(505) 354-7401

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LEGAL NOTICE

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
No. CV-02-116
Division III**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF
SHELDON L. BROWN FOR THE CHANGE
OF NAME OF HIS DAUGHTER,
KRISTINE MARGARET CALOZ, a/k/a
KRISTINE MARGARET BROWN**

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF SURNAME

Notice is hereby given that SHELDON L. BROWN has filed a Petition in the above Court for a change of the surname of his daughter to Brown. Said Petition will be heard by the Honorable Karen L. Parsons, District Judge, Division III, on the 1st day of July, 2002, at 8:15 A.M.

ALAN P. MOREL, P.A.

By: **ALAN P. MOREL**
Post Office Box 1030
Ruidoso, New Mexico 88355-1030
(505) 258-2202
Attorney for Petitioner.

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Obituaries

CLARA C. PORTER

Clara C. Porter, 82 of Corona and part-time resident of Stanley died June 8 in Albuquerque. She was born on May 11, 1920 in Stanley to Alvin and Berdie Mae Den- nisson.

She has lived in Corona for the last 30 years and was a school bus driver for students in the Corona area. Clara is survived by her husband, Charles L. Porter of the home; three sons, James L. Young of Garrison, TX, Dennis Porter of Capitan and Ronnie Porter of Nogal; six daughters, Pat Cofer of California, Dorris Cole of Gallup, Cindy Sisneros of Santa Fe, Linda Joy Greer of Nogal, Lori Pritt of Nogal, and Brenda Mansfield Tutor of Nogal; a sister, Annie Clement of Susan City, CA; 44 grandchildren, 45 great-grandchildren and 11 great-great-grandchildren.

Cremation has taken place and memorial services were held at the Presbyterian Church in Corona June 12. Arrangements were with Harris-Hanlon Mortuary of Moriarty.

**Mrs. STANSELL
"LEAH" JONES**

Services for Mrs. Stan- sell "Leah" Jones, 88, of Ruidoso, were held June 5 at Gateway Church of Christ with burial follow- ing in Forest Lawn Ceme- tery. Officiating was Jimmy Sportsman.

Mrs. Jones died June 1 in Nashville, TN. She was born July 21, 1913 at Quana, TX. She married Stan- sell Jones on January 14, 1934 and he preceded her in death in 1985.

She is survived by two daughters, Jane Jones Dye of Nashville, TN and Ginger Bentley of Ruidoso; a sister, Mabel Thacker of Birmingham, AL, six grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

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

**Domenici Receives
International Award At
Conference In Russia**

U.S. Senator Pete Domenici was awarded an international humanitarian award for his work on nonproliferation issues while on a trip to Russia recently. He delivered the keynote address to kick off the nonproliferation conference in Moscow May 26.

**Capitan School
Reunion To Be
Held July 26 & 27**

Capitan High School Alumni will hold their annual High School Reunion on July 26 and 27 at the high school gym.

The class of 1952 will be honored for their 50th anniversary. A dinner and dance are planned on July 28. On July 27 are fun games, lunch and business meeting. Special class reunions are scheduled for that afternoon.

For more information or to sign up your "talent" call Doyle at 626-359-8638 in California.

LEGAL

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

NOTICE is hereby given that the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will hold a Special Meeting at 9:00 A.M. on Thursday, June 20, 2002, to be held at the Lincoln County Courthouse, (Commission Chambers) in Carrizozo, New Mexico. The purpose of this meeting is to consider bid proposals, fire restrictions, and other proper business that comes before the Board.

Copies of the agenda for the June 20, 2002 meeting will be available at the office of the County Manager prior to said meeting.

Auxiliary aides are available upon request; please contact Martha Guevara at 505/648-2385 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting to make any necessary arrangements.

MARTHA GUEVARA
Assistant County Manager

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NOTICE OF MEETING

NOTICE is hereby given that the Lincoln County Lodgers Tax Committee will hold its regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday, June 26, 2002, at 10:00 a.m., at the Watson House in Lincoln, New Mexico.

Copies of the agenda for the June 26, 2002, meeting will be available at the office of the County Manager prior to said meeting.

Auxiliary aides are available upon request; please contact Martha Guevara at 648-2385 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting to make any necessary arrangements.

MARTHA GUEVARA
Assistant County Manager

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LEGAL NOTICE

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT**

No. CV-02-101

CHASE MANHATTAN MORTGATGE CORPORATION,
Plaintiff,

vs.
**DEBORAH L. INGRAM and
RANGER INSURANCE COMPANY,**
Defendants.

NOTICE OF SUIT

TO: All Defendants

You are hereby notified that a civil action has been filed against you in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, by Plaintiff Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation, (hereinafter referred to as "Chase"), in which Chase prays for foreclosure on its Note and Mortgage on real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and the property described in the claim in said cause against Defendants named above, that the said real property be sold according to law and practice of this Court to pay the lien of the Plaintiff, and that the interest of the Defendants, and each of them, and all persons claiming under or through them and all other persons bound by these proceedings be barred and foreclosed of all rights, interest of claims to said real property, and for such other

and further relief as the Court may deem just and proper.

The property involved is the real estate and improvements located at 108 Bethel Court, Capitan, New Mexico 88316, and more particularly described as:

Lots 5, 6 and 17, Block 3 of MT. CAPITAN SUBDIVISION, Capitan, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, February 5, 1965, in Tube No. 210, including any improvements, fixtures, and attachments, such as, but not limited to, mobile homes.

You are further notified that unless you enter or cause to be entered your appearance or file responsive pleadings or motions in said cause on or before July 17, 2002, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you and each of you by default, and the relief prayed for will be granted.

The name of the attorney for Chase is Elizabeth Drantel of Rose Little & Associates, P.C., 3803 Arisco Blvd. NW, Suite A, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87120, Telephone: (505) 833-3036.

WITNESS the Honorable Jerry H. Ritter, Jr., District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Lincoln County this 30th day of May, 2002.

JAN PERRY

Clerk of the District Court

(SEAL)

By: Elizabeth Ysasi
Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners has received the following road review request:

1. Request to vacate portions of Taos Road, Sun Valley Subdivision, Lot 7, Block 1. Petitioner is Anse Campbell.
2. Request to abandon a portion of Alpine Road (renamed Coronado) that was never built, Loma Grande Acres, Block 3, between Lots 13 & Tract D. Petitioner is Ms. Joyce Harter.
3. Request to Close County Road #E038, off State Road #368 the Arabela Highway, 1.05 miles to private ranch house, George Sisneros is the petitioner.

Pursuant to Section 67-6-9, N.M.S.A., the Board of Commissioners has appointed a Road Review Committee which will meet at 8:00 A.M. on Wednesday, June 26, 2002. The Road Review Committee will meet at the Sun Valley, Post Office at Alto, and proceed to view the locations.

The report of the Road Review Committee will be presented to the Board of Commissioners during their regular meeting on July 18, 2002.

Anyone wishing to make comments or recommendations may do so at any of the above mentioned meetings.

REX WILSON, Chairman
Lincoln County Board
of Commissioners

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on November 6, 2001, Village of Ruidoso, c/o Atkins Engineering Associates, Inc., P.O. Box 3156, Roswell, NM 88202-3156, filed application No. H-300, H272-S-9, H-272-S-11, 3871 & H-272 et al combined with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to add three wells to supplement the diversion of credits for leakage from Grindstone Reservoir on an instantaneous basis. The three proposed supplemental wells are located as follows:

WELL NO.	SUBDIVISION	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE
H-272-S-9	NW1/4NE1/4NE1/4	23	11S.	13E.
H-272-S-11	NW1/4NE1/4SE1/4	25	11S.	13E.
H-300	SW1/4SW1/4	19	11S.	13E.

These wells will be used as supplemental points of diversion to the existing surface water point of diversion on the Rio Ruidoso, located in the SW1/4SW1/4 and the NE1/4SW1/4, both in Section 19, Township 11 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M., and the following existing municipal wells:

WELL NO.	SUBDIVISION	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE
H-272	NW1/4NE1/4SW1/4	36	11S.	13E.
H-272-S	SE1/4SW1/4NE1/4	25	11S.	13E.
H-272-S-2	SW1/4SW1/4NE1/4	2	11S.	13E.
H-272-S-3	SW1/4NE1/4SE1/4	2	11S.	13E.
H-272-S-4	NW1/4NE1/4	11	11S.	13E.
H-272-S-5	NE1/4NW1/4SW1/4	14	11S.	13E.
H-272-S-6	NW1/4NE1/4NE1/4	15	11S.	13E.
H-272-S-7	SW1/4NE1/4SE1/4	10	11S.	13E.
H-272-S-8	SE1/4NW1/4SW1/4	14	11S.	13E.

Wells H-272-S-9, H-272-S-11, and H-300 will be used as additional points of diversion to divert credits based on leakage from Grindstone Reservoir. The State Engineer Office originally issued a permit on July 23, 1997, allowing the Village of Ruidoso to divert credits for leakage from Grindstone Reservoir on an instantaneous basis.

The quantity of water to be diverted under Permit No. 3871 and H-272 et al from all combined points of diversion cannot exceed 3 cfs.

Well No. H-272-S-9 will be limited to a diversion of up to 325 AF/AN from a combination of rights found under File No. 0275-A & H-272 et al, 3038, and 3871 & H-272 et al.

Well No. H-272-S-11 will be limited to a diversion of up to 1000 AF/AN from a combination of rights found under File No. 0275-A & H-272 et al, 3038, 3038-accrued, and 3871 & H-272 et al.

Well No. H-300 will be limited to a diversion of up to 500 AF/AN from a combination of rights found under File No. 0275-A & H-272 et al, 3038, 3038-accrued, and 3871 & H-272 et al.

The diversion of water from these wells will be used for municipal use. The place of use of this water will be the Village of Ruidoso.

The points of diversion are located within the Ruidoso Village Limits, Lincoln County, New Mexico, N.M.P.M. A map of the Village of Ruidoso is available for viewing at the Office of the State Engineer in Roswell, New Mexico.

Any person, firm corporation or other entity objecting to the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm, corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objections shall be in writing and shall set forth specific reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed in triplicate, with Thomas C. Turney, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second Street, Roswell, New Mexico 88201, not later than ten (10) days after the last date of publication of this Notice. Valid objections or protests must be legible, signed and include a complete mailing address. If no valid objection or protest is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application for impairment to existing water rights, public welfare of the state and conservation of water within the state prior to final disposition of the application.

cc: Santa Fe

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USFS Seeks Comments

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suit to do the eligibility analysis," Wilson continued. "The proposed amendments to the current Forest Management Plan will include our plan on how we will protect these areas until the new revised Forest Management Plan is completed, probably within two years."

Revision of the forest plans are supposed to be done every ten years, but LNF is lagging behind in the new plan because of funding, Wilson said.

"All of this is being done to comply with the settlement agreement for the lawsuit. We took the existing forest guidelines for protecting these areas of rivers right out of the handbook, which we use every day."

"The only decision to be made now is how Lincoln National Forest will amend its current Forest Plan," Wilson emphasized. "If we don't do this the lawsuit becomes effective again."

Wilson said only Congress can act on a river designation.

The proposed Amendment 10 to the Lincoln National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan, Management Prescriptions (applicable to all areas), section A01, F02 lists the specific river segments eligible for suitability analysis as Wild and Scenic Rivers by Ranger District. (Those are as listed above), and section J12,T01 which outlines how LNF will protect the river corridors identified in the National River Inventory or otherwise identified for suitability study. LNF proposes to protect these rivers with management that protects existing characteristics through the study period or the designation is released from consideration (FSM 2354.21); managed to maintain their outstanding values (FSM 1924.03); allow USFS to control stream impoundments and diversions so free flowing characteristics of the identified river cannot be modified (FSH 1909.12.8.12); protect and enhance outstanding remarkable values of the identified river area; assure management and development of identified river cannot be modified so eligibility or classification would be affected. "The protection requirements will continue until a decision is made as to the future use of the river and adjacent lands." Con-

gressional authorized rivers will be protected, as specified in Section 12(a) of the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act, until the Congress takes action.

Specific management guidance for each river classification can be found in the revised USDA-USDI Guidelines of Eligibility, Classification, and Management of River Areas (Chapter 9), and in the additional statements for study river assessments and management in Section 8.2 of Forest Service Handbook 1909.12, Appendix G: Appendix G guidelines for the Recreational Rivers, FSH 1909.12.8.2, would allow timber harvesting, existing water supply diversion works and other minor structures. It would prohibit new water structures or development of hydroelectric power facilities. It would prohibit new flood control structures, but allow existing ones. New mining claims will be allowed subject to regulations. Roads could be constructed on one or both riverbanks, and bridge crossings and river access points will be allowed. Areas may also be managed for a full range of agricultural uses to the extent currently practiced.

Campgrounds can be established close to the rivers and small communities will be allowed with new structures. Motorized travel may be permitted, prohibited or restricted.

Wild River guidelines prohibit tree cutting in the direct designated area, and management for visual quality within the visual corridors of the designated area. All water supply dams and major diversions will be prohibited as are flood control works. No new mining claims will be allowed within a quarter mile of the river. Valid claims will not be abrogated. No new road construction allowed. Livestock grazing will be limited to current practice with no row crops allowed. All major campgrounds or facilities must be outside the wild river area.

Scenic Rivers guidelines allow a wide range of silvicultural practices, (timber production) provided there is no substantial effect on the river and immediate environment, with emphasis on visual quality. No supply dams or major diversions for water supply are allowed, no hydroelectric facilities allowed, no flood control dams or levees.

Already there are concerns about the possible effect of the river guidelines on watersheds for the City of Alamogordo and Village of Ruidoso. Wilson said they have been unable to find any support documentation to indicate the river rules will apply to wells that feed into the river system. But it could be a possibility for future lawsuits, Wilson acknowledged.

Wilson also said he did not think any of the proposed amendments will affect current recreational or agricultural practices. However, the prolonged drought has caused the LNF to go into drought management where the number of grazing live-

Scholarships Awarded

(Con't. from P. 5)

\$370 one time Jesse Fay Scholarship; \$1,000 one time National FFA-Burlington/SF RR; \$150 Capitan National Honor Society; \$150 Capitan Student Senate; \$500 Lincoln County CrimeStoppers; \$500 Ruidoso Board of Realtors; \$500 SERG; \$500 Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District.

Melena White; \$150 one time Capitan Student Senate.

Nathan Wierwille; \$1,000 one time Alto Country Club Employee.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 14, 2002, S.T. Spencer of Bar W. Ranch, Inc., P.O. Box 36, Carrizozo, NM 88301, filed application numbered T-1757 into T-4093 with the State Engineer for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Tularosa Basin in Lincoln County by abandoning the use of well T-1757, located in the SW1/4SW1/4NW1/4 Section 29, Township 7 South, Range 11 East, N.M.P.M., and transferring 3 acre-feet per annum for livestock use into permitted well T-4093 with an approximate depth of 120 feet and an outside diameter casing of 6 inches, on land owned by the applicant in the SW1/4SW1/4NW1/4 Section 29, Township 7 South, Range 11 East, N.M.P.M., for continued livestock use. Old Well T-1757 has collapsed and will be plugged.

Well T-1757 and the proposed replacement well site, T-4093, can be found by traveling approximately 2 miles north on US Highway-54 from Carrizozo then east on unimproved dirt road for approximately 1.7 miles.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objection shall be in writing and shall set forth all protestant's or objector's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, P.O. Box 729, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004-0729 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. If no valid protest is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application for impairment to existing water rights, public welfare of the state, and conservation of water within the state.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on April 26, 2002, Ramon and Cornelia S. Prudencio, Box 52, Hondo, NM 88336, filed application No. 02673 & H-48-Comb-B-A with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change point of diversion and place and/or purpose of use of 1.6 acre-feet per annum of surface waters of the Rio Ruidoso via the Ambrosio Chavez Ditch, which diverts at a point in the SE1/4-SE1/4NE1/4 of Section 5, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., and supplemental shallow wells H-48 and H-48-S, both located in the NW1/4NW1/4SW1/4 of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., and ceasing the irrigation of 0.5 acre of land located in the NW1/4SW1/4 of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M. The applicant proposes to commence the use of a river pump located in the SW1/4SW1/4SW1/4 of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., and drilling a well eight inches in diameter and approximately 100 feet in depth at a point located in the SW1/4SW1/4SW1/4 of Section 11, Township 11

South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., for the diversion of up to 1.6 acre-feet per annum of surface waters and supplement shallow groundwater for the irrigation of 0.5 acre of land located in the SW1/4SW1/4SW1/4 of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M.

The move-from and move-to points of diversion and the move-from and move-to places of use are located one mile west of Tindie, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objection shall be in writing and shall set forth all protestant's or objector's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, P.O. Box 729, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004-0729 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this notice. If no valid protest is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application for impairment to existing water rights, public welfare of the state, and conservation of water within the state.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 17, 2002, Josephine Emilia Gutierrez, P.O. Box 162, Hondo, NM 88336, filed application No. 0826, 01300 and H-47-Comb-B with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change place of use of 7.87 acre-feet per annum of surface waters of the Rio Ruidoso, via the Ambrosio Chavez Ditch, which diverts at a point located in the SE1/4SE1/4NE1/4 of Section 5, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., and supplemental shallow well H-47 located in the NW1/4SE1/4NE1/4 of Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., by ceasing the irrigation of 2.46 acres of land located in part of the W1/2NE1/4SE1/4 of Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., and commencing the diversion of said 7.87 acre-feet per annum of surface waters and supplemental shallow groundwater for the irrigation of 2.46 acres of land located in part of the W1/2NE1/4SE1/4 of Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M.

The move-from and move-to places of use are located in Hondo, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on November 6, 2001, Village of Ruidoso, c/o Atkins Engineering Associates, Inc., P.O. Box 3156, Roswell, NM 88202-3156, filed application No. 3871 & H-272 et al accrue with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to accrue leakage credit from Grindstone Reservoir not diverted on an instantaneous basis and divert the accrued credits when substantial flow exists in the Rio Ruidoso.

Accrued leakage credit will be diverted from the Rio Ruidoso, which has points of diversions located in the SW1/4SW1/4 and the NE1/4SW1/4, both in Section 19, Township 11 S., Range 13 East, N.M.P.M., and the following supplemental wells.

WELL NO.	SUBDIVISION	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE
H-272	NW1/4NE1/4SW1/4	36	11S.	13E
H-272-S	SE1/4SW1/4NE1/4	25	11S.	13E
H-272-S-2	SW1/4SW1/4NE1/4	2	11S.	13E
H-272-S-3	SW1/4NE1/4SE1/4	2	11S.	13E
H-272-S-4	NW1/4NE1/4	11	11S.	13E
H-272-S-5	NE1/4NW1/4SW1/4	14	11S.	13E
H-272-S-6	NW1/4NE1/4NE1/4	15	11S.	13E
H-272-S-7	SW1/4NE1/4SE1/4	10	11S.	13E
H-272-S-8	SE1/4NW1/4SW1/4	14	11S.	13E
H-272-S-9	NW1/4NE1/4NE1/4	23	11S.	13E
H-272-S-11	NW1/4NE1/4SE1/4	25	11S.	13E
H-300	SW1/4SW1/4	19	11S.	13E

Under this permit, the Village of Ruidoso will divert accrued credits for leakage from Grindstone Reservoir with in the accounting year, which is from November 1st thru October 31st.

The Village of Ruidoso will comply with minimum flow conditions that were permitted under Permit No. 3038-Accrue. During the irrigation season from May to October, the Village of Ruidoso may only take Grindstone Leakage effluent credit when the instantaneous flow in the Rio Ruidoso at the Hollywood Gauge exceeds 6 cfs. During the irrigation season of November through April, the Village will take Grindstone leakage effluent credit when the instantaneous flow in the Rio Ruidoso at the Hollywood Gauge exceeds 4 cfs.

Well No. H-272-S-9 will be limited to a diversion of up to 325 AF/AN from a combination of rights found under File No. 0275-A & H-272 et al, 3038, and 3871 & H-272 et al.

Well No. H-272-S-11 will be limited to a diversion of up to 1000 AF/AN from a combination of rights found under File No. 0275-A & H-272 et al, 3038, 3038-accrue, and 3871 & H-272 et al.

Well No. H-300 will be limited to a diversion of up to 500 AF/AN from a combination of rights found under File No. 0275-A & H-272 et al, 3038, 3038-accrue, and 3871 & H-272 et al.

The diversion of water from these wells will be used for municipal use. The place of use of this water will be the Village of Ruidoso.

The points of diversion are located within the Ruidoso Village Limits, Lincoln County, New Mexico, N.M.P.M.A. map of the Village of Ruidoso is available for viewing at the Office of the State Engineer in Roswell, New Mexico.

Any person, firm, corporation or other entity objecting to the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm, corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objections shall be in writing and shall set forth specific reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed in triplicate, with Thomas C. Turney, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second Street, Roswell, New Mexico, 88201, not later than ten (10) days after the last date of publication of this Notice. Valid objections or protests must be legible, signed and include a complete mailing address. If no valid objection or protest is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application for impairment to existing water rights, public welfare of the state and conservation of water within the state prior to final disposition of the application.

cc: Santa Fe

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Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The objections or protests shall be in writing and shall set forth specific reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Thomas C. Turney, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201, not later than ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. If no valid objection or protest is filed, the state engineer will evaluate the application for impairment to existing water rights, public welfare of the state, and conservation of water within the state.

cc: Santa Fe

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LEGAL NOTICE

**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

No. CV-02-121
Div. III

TDP CAPITAL ACCESS, LLC,
a Colorado Limited Liability
Company

PLAINTIFFS,

vs.

**JAMES L. McLAUGHLIN and
LINDA L. McLAUGHLIN**

All Unknown and Claimants of Interest
in the Premises Adverse to Plaintiff's.

DEFENDANTS.

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF
SUITE TO QUIET TITLE**

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO THE FOLLOWING NAMED DEFENDANTS AGAINST WHOM CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE IS HEREBY SOUGHT TO BE OBTAINED, James L. McLaughlin and Linda L. McLaughlin; All Unknown Heir and Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to Plaintiff.

GREETINGS:

You are notified that suit has been filed against you by TDP Capital Access, LLC, a Colorado Limited Liability Company, as Plaintiff, in the above-named Court. The general object of this suit is to quiet the Plaintiff's fee simple title in the real estate described in the Complaint being a tract of land located in Lincoln County, more particularly described as follows:

Lot 18 Block 3 Hillway Hills Subdivision to the Village of Ruidoso as the same appear on a map of plat in the office of the County Clerk for Lincoln County, New Mexico.

SUBJECT TO easements, patent reservations and restrictions of record.

The Plaintiff's attorney is Michael S. Line, P.O. Box 519, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88355.

You and each of you are hereby notified that unless you enter your appearance in this cause on or before the 25th day of July, 2002, judgment will be rendered against you in this cause by default.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of this Court this 27th day of May, 2002.

JAN PERRY
District Court Clerk

BY: **Mickie L. Vega**
Deputy

(SEAL)

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LEGAL NOTICE

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT**

CV02-61

**MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.**

Plaintiff,

vs.

MAXINE HERNANDEZ, a single woman
Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

TO: Defendant Maxine Hernandez:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above-named Plaintiff filed a Complaint for Foreclosure in the above Court on March 20, 2002, against the above-named Defendant, the general object of which is to foreclose a lien of Plaintiff against certain real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, commonly known as 200 East Circle, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 15, BLOCK 3 OF RUIDOSO DOWNS HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION, RUIDOSO DOWNS, LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN BY THE PLAT THEREOF FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF LINCOLN COUNTY, MARCH 26, 1957, IN TUBE 151.

and to foreclose the interests of the above named Defendant and any other parties bound by the notice of lis pendens filed in the County records with respect to this case, all as more specifically stated in the Complaint filed in this cause of action.

FURTHER, Defendant Maxine Hernandez is hereby notified that she has twenty (20) days from date of completion of publication of this Notice in which to file an answer or other responsive pleading to the Complaint and should she choose not to file an answer or other responsive pleading or motion to the Complaint on or before the 5th day of July, 2002, judgment or other appropriate relief may be rendered against the above-named Defendant.

Richard M. Leverick of the law firm of Leverick and Musselman, L.L.C., whose address and phone number is 5120 San Francisco Rd., NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109, (505) 858-3303, is the attorney for the Plaintiff.

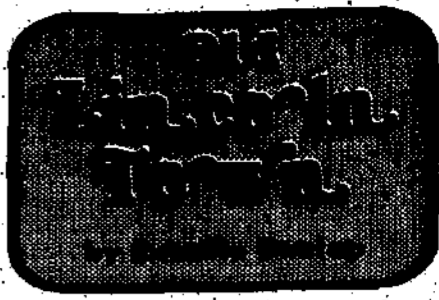
WITNESS the hand of JERRY H. RITTER, JR., District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the seal of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of Lincoln County, this 1st day of May, 2002.

JAN PERRY
Clerk of the Court

By: **Elizabeth Ysasi**
Deputy

Seal of the Court

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I received word this morning that Ralph arrived in Tashkent Uzbekistan and was on his way to Chirkick where he and his coworker Amos Bourgo will be working for the next two weeks. He left early Saturday morning from Albuquerque. He had a long flight, 20 hours of actual flying time and 12 hours of lay overs.

The tree cutting workers have been busy the past week or so trimming the trees around the power lines.

Dee and Lucy Galt of Las Cruces were overnight guests of Rosalie Dunlap Saturday.

Bert and Louise Shrecongost of Albuquerque were weekend visitors in Lincoln. Sunday afternoon they were accompanied by Rosalie Dunlap and their niece, Shawna Shrecongost, to the Angus cemetery where Bert did some work on his mother's (Betty Shrecongost) headstone. Later, they enjoyed a short trip to Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. Norvin Parr returned to their home in Alpine, TX Monday. They had been helping at the Wortley Hotel.

Good news, Michael Francis was seen in Roswell. He is in for a long haul of rehab, but is doing great. He saw his wrecked car and wonders how he survived at all.

Lt. Col. Sam Hammond, and his son Brent, Hinesville, GA, have been visiting Sam and Beverly Hammond at Picacho. The two Sams are father and son.

The Carrizozo Lodge #42 are holding their annual meeting and picnic in Lincoln Wednesday and Saturday. The picnic Saturday, June 15, will be held at the Lincoln Park. This is a family day for all interested Masons and friends. Come and enjoy a good barbecue, visit and enjoy the atmosphere of Old Lincoln Town.

Bill Thorpe will present *Guns That Won the West* Saturday, June 15 at the San Juan Church in Lincoln from 2-5:00 p.m. He is sponsored by the Lincoln County Historical Society and co-sponsored by the Lincoln State Monuments. Refreshments will be served following the program.

While all the participants in the Masonic picnic and the LCHS program are in Lincoln be sure to visit the Hugh and Linda Fox exhibit, *Child's Play* at the Tunstall Store.

Four generations of the oldest daughter of the Emilio and Francisca Miranda family were visiting Frances and Joe Gallegos this past week. They were Nellie Miranda Trujillo, daughter of Marcu Medina, her son Pablo Medina, Stacy, and their son Cipriano. They all live in Espanola, NM. Also visiting was the youngest Miranda family member, Gustavo Miranda of Al-

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park. Mayor Steve Sederwall said the village has applied for a grant from the Hubbard Foundation for a youth project, but the application is one of 74 others.

Trustee George Tippin said the park could be a project of a Park and Recreation Committee, which he suggested be appointed soon. Trustee Bobbi Shearer, who had volunteered to draft a proposed ordinance to create a Parks and Recreation Committee, said she would get to work on the proposed ordinance. Village attorney Don Dutton finally said he would research issues and costs of such a park with the New Mexico Risk Management which provides liability insurance for the village. Trustees suggested Sederwall meet with the school about use of school property for such a park.

Sederwall will meet with the school board at its meeting June 13 to discuss a cooperative effort to install two flashing lights for the school zone on Highway 380 in front of the high school. The state highway department is willing to provide some of the equipment and the signs if the village will install the flashing lights and pay for the electricity to operate the lights during morning, noon and afternoon busy school times.

Trustees also:
--Unanimously approved paying \$10,071.43 to Lincoln County Solid Waste

Authority (LCSWA) for past due trash collection services for the village. Shearer said she thinks the mayor has an obligation to uphold the ordinances, while trustees have an obligation to pay the village bills. "I think we should pay this because I believe it is our obligation," said trustee John Whitaker, who is the village's member on LCSWA. --Designated Amanda Vega as deputy clerk. In designation only, the title carries no additional salary or benefits.

--Approved allowing the fire department to purchase a new 2003 Ford truck from Ruidoso Ford, the only bid received in response to an advertisement.

--Accepted the recommendation from the village cemetery board to award a contract, renewable for three years subject to funding, with Cliff Holcomb for maintenance of the Capitan Cemetery at \$1,800 a year. Also trustees approved a one-time \$200 compensation to Holcomb for extra work he did under the current \$1,000 a year contract. Cemetery board chairman Wayne Mason said Holcomb did much more than \$200 worth of additional work at the cemetery.

--Authorized the village to enter into a quit claim deed for the south end of White Oaks Street, which was never built, in order to resolve an issue before it goes to court. The village voted in 1998 and in 1997

to vacate its interests in the old street, in exchange for access to village water improvements. According to the old townsite plat, once the village vacates any land that land goes back to the Alamogordo Improvement Company. Dutton said that company has given a quit claim deed for the land.

--Tabled action on a request from Stan and Jan Cox to vacate an alley until village attorney Don Dutton can review the surveys and plats to see if there is an old village alley.

--Heard Dutton, at the end of the meeting when the agenda came to the "interaction between mayor, trustees and public" read an opinion from the New Mexico Attorney General about the "right" of the public to participate in the public meetings. According to the AG opinion the public is invited to attend meetings and listen. Village officials may limit public response and do not have to allow debate from the public. Dutton also said the village has a policy and plan in effect if a member of the public has a complaint, that person must file a complaint form which will be processed and investigated. "It was brought to my attention," Dutton said. "There might be people here who want to discuss personnel in the open meeting."

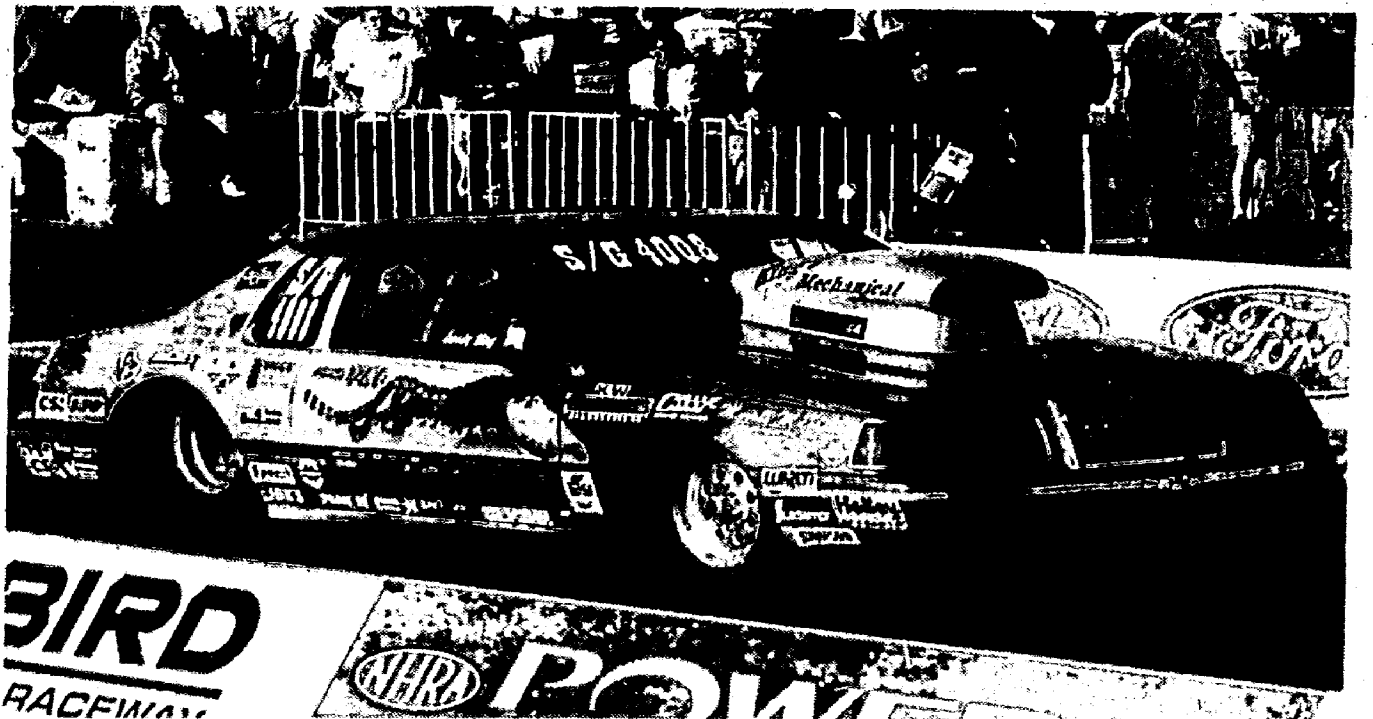
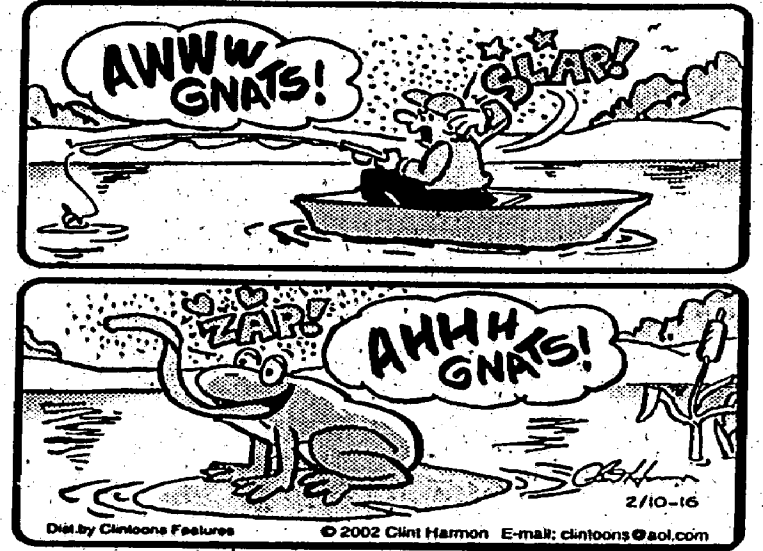
Dutton said it is a "privilege" not a right for the public to be allowed to

participate in the public meetings. "And it is village policy that no personnel matters be discussed in open meeting."

After Dutton's comments resident Mary Brothers commended the street department for the good work on Valley View Drive then asked for police patrol because of the speeding motorists.

Resident Anna Gail Grasse asked if the village could have a marquee to announce public events. She said a recent ranch rodeo got very little attendance because people did not know about it. She

was told the school has a marquee which the Capitan Chamber of Commerce helped purchase.



GORDY KING RECAPTURES WINNING WAYS -- Nine grueling rounds of competition ended with Gordy King taking the \$3000 purse in Roswell on May 26. His 565 cubic inch Pontiac powered Thunderbird performed excellently to gain the victory in the 1/8 mile Big Bucks Bash against a field of over 100 entries. His final round win came with an elapsed time of 5.70 seconds on a 5.69 dial, against his opponents 9.68 breakout time on a 9.71 dial. The victory is the first in several months and Gordy is hopeful it is a return to some winning ways. Gordy and his wife Helen of Boles Acres are former residents of Carrizozo and have family in Lincoln County.

MEAT SALE

Caesar Salad Asstd. Dole Complete 10 oz. pkg 1.99		Sno White Mushrooms 8 oz. pkg 1.99	
Hass Avocados Salad Size 4 for \$1.99		Pork Roast Fresh Boston Butt Small Pack \$1.19	
RED RIPE ROMA Tomatoes 5 FOR \$1.99	LARGE SNO WHITE Cauliflower EA. 99¢	FRESH CRISP Celery EA. 89¢	TROPICAL Coconuts EA. 99¢
SPICY Jalapeños LB. 99¢	FRESH JUICY Kiwifruit 4 FOR \$1.99	FRESH APRICOTS EA. 99¢	CALIFORNIA Peaches LB. 69¢
LARGE GREEN Bell Peppers 3 FOR \$1.99	FRESH GREEN Cabbage 3 LBS. \$1.99	DUNCAN HINES ASSORTED Cake Mixes 15.7-18.25 OZ. 99¢	GREEN Cabbage 3 LBS. \$1.99
Q&Q Vermicelli 5 OZ. 4 FOR \$1.99	16 OZ. BBQ BRISKET OR 12 OZ. FAJITA Claude's Sauce YOUR CHOICE 1.69	REG./HOT NO BEANS OR REG. W/BEANS Hormel Chili 19 OZ. CAN. 1.19	NATURE'S GRAINS ASSTD. Bagels 6 COUNT PKG. 2.99

Bath Tissue Angel Soft A roll pkg. 1.89	Tomato Ketchup Del Monte 24 oz. bot. 79¢
General Mills Cereal 14 oz. Cinn. Toast Cr. or 15 oz. Cheerios for 2.94	Doritos Chips Assorted 9 13.5 oz. bag Reg. \$3.29 size for 2.94
White Grapes New Crop Seedless 99¢ lb.	Leg Quarters Fresh Fryer 10 lb. bag 2.25
Fryer Breasts Split Family Pack 99¢	Beef Chuck Roast Preferred Trim Boneless Small Pack 1.69
Chuck Steak Preferred Trim Boneless Beef Family Pack 1.89	Top Sirloin Beef Steak Preferred Trim Boneless Small Pack 2.79
Meat Items COVERED WAGON 19 LB. BOX Sliced Bacon EA. 9.99	Beef Patties 4.99

BANQUET ASSORTED Frozen Dinners 6.7-11 OZ. 99¢	GOLD MEDAL ALL PURPOSE Flour 5 LB. BAG 99¢
BLUE BUNNY ASSTD. ICE CREAM Sandwiches 10-12 COUNT 3.49	SHEDD'S SPREAD ASSORTED Country Crock 48 OZ. TUB 1.99
ASSORTED BUGLES, CHEX MIX, GARDETTOS OR WAHOOS Snacks 6.5-8.75 OZ. 3 FOR 3.94	MR. P'S Pizzas Mr. P's Assid. 6.5 oz. 2.99
SHURFINE BUTTERMILK OR BUTTER FLAV. Jumbos Biscuits 10 OZ. CAN 79¢	MR. P'S Pizzas 10 OZ. CAN 2.99

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