

County manager Reports Decrease in PILT Funding

by Patrice Brazie

In his March report to the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners, county manager Tom Stewart addressed the probable budget changes the county will face due to a reduction in PILT funding. Payment in Lieu of Taxes (PILT) monies are intended to compensate the county for the property and other taxes made unavailable from federal land. The funding reduc-

tion stems from budget cuts imposed by President Bush's administration and the United States Congress, according to Stewart, and represent a 25 percent loss to the county this year with another 15 percent cut next year.

PILT monies awarded to Lincoln County are expected to be received in June and will amount to \$1,013,685, Stewart said.

The proposed 2007 cut is

expected to affect the county's budget by about \$152,000. The manager said his preparation of the next year's budget will reflect the PILT reduction, but he has written to the New Mexico congressional representatives asking them to support maximum PILT payments to all counties.

Good news regarding the budget is that Lincoln County's volunteer fire depart-

ments were awarded an additional 10 percent of their annual funding, to be specifically applied toward heating and fuel costs. The bonus payment brings an additional total of \$42,569 to the county for support of its fire depart-

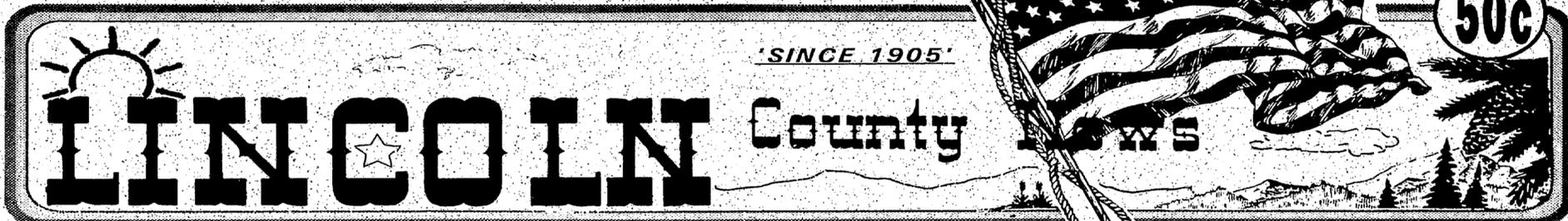
ments; any funds not used by the end of the fiscal year will be returned to the New Mexico State Fire Marshall.

Stewart reported that he is in the process of coordinating what might be the final meeting with Presbyterian Health-

care Systems (PHS) and Lincoln County Medical Center (LCMC) representatives before the presentation of a draft contract agreement.

Stewart said that he is considering making a request for a special meeting of the

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The Honorable C.O. Rominger II, Town of Carrizozo Municipal Judge (left) is shown swearing in City Clerk/Treasurer Leann Weibrecht at ceremony last week.

Also sworn in were Chief of Police Mike Howard (right), and newly elected mayor LeeRoy Zamora Sr., and trustees Max Saucedo and Van Shamblin.



Mayor Nunley Speaks to County Commission

by Patrice Brazie

Former Lincoln County Commissioner and recently elected mayor of Ruidoso, L. Ray Nunley, made an unannounced visit to the March 21st meeting of the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners. Nunley said he was there to "extend an olive leaf" to the county officials.

"I want to ask that we work together; I want to ask that we try to get along for the next four years, without sharing each other's revenues; that we work together for common issues that affect us all," Nunley said. He told the commissioners that one of his campaign issues had been the need to establish a regional water study, and said that he thought such a study was something that his administration and the county commissioners should work on together.

Nunley also told the county commissioners that there was a need to get back to work on the extra-territorial zone (ETZ) issues. "We need to get that brought-up to the satisfaction of both bodies, to the benefit of the people who live in the ETZ, to make it easier for them to exist," Nunley said, "and make it easier for the County of Lincoln and the Village of Ruidoso to administer." He told the county's attorney, Alan Morel, that he would like to start working on ETZ issues sometime in the next 60 to 90 days, and said that he would like to retain his seat on Ruidoso's ETZ board. "That's probably the most significant thing going on in

Lincoln County right now," Nunley said. He told the county commissioners that it was important to establish a program and a task force that would be beneficial to the long-term users of water in Lincoln County.

The Ruidoso mayor asked the county commissioners to help in creating a unified government in Lincoln County, and suggested setting-up some joint meetings to discuss county-wide issues.

Eleven Candidates Declare for Three Commission Seats

Tuesday, March 21st, was the day for those seeking county offices to declare their candidacies. Of 11 people running for three county commission seats, only one is an incumbent and only two are women.

County commissioner Maurice St. John, the Republican incumbent who represents the voters of District 2, will face Donald Williams in that party's primary. Democrat Paul Vordermann is also running for the District 2 seat.

Two Republicans and one Democrat will face-off in the run to represent District 4 and assume the post of commissioner Earl Hobbs who will not seek re-election. The Republican candidates are Dave Parks and Frank Higgins, and the Democrat candidate is Leighton (Tony) Davis, Jr.

In District 5, five candidates are hoping to fill the vacancy that will be left by county commission chair Rick Simpson who, after completing two consecutive terms on that board, is ineligible to run again. The candidates for the District 5 seat are four Republicans, Montroy Montes, David Stevens, Dennis Nosker and Jackie Powell. Ralph Romero is the only Democrat running for that office.

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New C'zozo Mayor Presides at Meeting

In his first action as mayor of the town of Carrizozo, LeeRoy Zamora agreed to the appointments of Wes Lindsay as mayor pro-tem, Leann Weibrecht as city clerk/treasurer, Mike Howard as chief of police and David

Stevens as the town's attorney.

The council accepted a \$4,942 bid, from Stan's Electric in Tularosa, for repairs to the municipal swimming pool's bathhouse, and approved a grant agreement

with the New Mexico Department of Transportation's Aviation Division for reconstruction of the runway and turnaround, and electrical and lighting upgrades, at the municipal airport.

Bob Hemphill was ap-

pointed as the chair of the planning and zoning committee.

All who attended the March 14th meeting were invited to share cake and punch with the officials after adjournment.

Forest Service To Clean Up and Restore Jicarilla

A recent U.S. District Court Partial Summary Judgment and U.S. District Court Consent Judgment affirmed federal ownership and management of public lands in the Jicarilla Mining District of the Lincoln National For-

est. The judgment ordered the unauthorized occupants to remove personal possessions on the public lands, and they have complied with the order. The unauthorized occupancy caused a variety of

damages to public lands and prevented general public use of the National Forest. The initial clean up will remove trash and debris and will provide for the safeguarding or appropriate disposal of any

remaining property in this area. A local contractor from Ruidoso, N.M., will begin clean up operations that involve trucks, trailers, loaders, roll-off dumpsters, and hand crews.

Once the initial work has been completed, the Forest Service will consider options for the long-term rehabilitation of the area. The Forest Service will evaluate all potential significant historic structures before formulating any plans involving future management. The area has been recognized by Lincoln County as having historic value. The Lincoln National Forest will consult with the State Historic Preservation Officer and Lincoln County.

The Lincoln National Forest has imposed a temporary closure order of the area but allows through traffic on Forest Service Road 72. The order provides for safety of the public while the Forest Service mitigates known hazards and completes a general clean-up of the area. The Smokey Bear Ranger District appreciates the public's understanding and patience during this process.

Capitan Council Appoints Police Chief and Attorney

by Patrice Brazie

Capitan village trustees unanimously approved the re-appointment of Robert Bird as chief of police at a special meeting on March 16th. Other town officials, the village clerk, deputy clerk and one trustee were appointed at the first meeting mayor Sam Hammons presided over, on March 10th.

Hammons said that he had postponed the chief's appointment because he was awaiting Bird's return from a vacation.

The council approved the resignation of Matt Patterson from the Capitan Water Advisory Board, referring to Patterson's statements that he was too busy to serve and that his career as a well-driller might be viewed as a potential for conflicts of interest. The mayor and newly elected trustees have tabled any other actions regarding the village's active boards, the water, planning and cemetery boards, until the new officials become more acquainted with the members

and actions of those groups.

Hammons nominated himself for a position on the board of the Lincoln Solid Waste Authority (LCSWA), stating that he held landfill and roll-off operations certificates when he retired from his position as an environmental superintendent for Eddy County. "If the board will approve me," Hammons said, "then I'd like to serve." The council approved Hammons' appointment unani-

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Kindergarten Registration and Child Screening in April

There will be five child find developmental screening, kindergarten registration and Head Start registration in April in Lincoln County.

Children who are birth through five years of age are invited to a free screening for the developmental areas of speech, language, vision, hearing, motor, dental, nutrition and classroom readiness for kindergarten.

Kindergarten registration is for children who will be five years old before September 1, 2006. Documents to bring are birth certificate, immunization record, and Social Security card. Public health will immunize those who bring their records.

Schedule of child find developmental screenings and location:

Wednesday, April 5 at Ruidoso Convention Center from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Friday, April 7 at Capitan Cummins Gym at the school from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

Tuesday, April 11 at Corona Schools auditorium from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Wednesday, April 12 at Carrizozo High gymnasium from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

Friday, April 21 at Hondo Schools multipurpose room from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

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As the LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS goes into its 102nd year of being in existence (1905-2006), we will be randomly publishing articles that have been published in the NEWS from old files. The following articles appeared in the "Lincoln County News".

Poverty or Conservation

by Jay N. Darling
President, National Wildlife Federation

(Continued from Last Week)

At Stake, A Standard of Living.

When these resources are further depleted, as they have vanished from vast areas on other and older continents, prosperity, standards of living and social contentment among our people will vanish.

Edisons and Fords, Carrels and Lindberghs do not appear in the bleak and exhausted wastes of the Gobi Desert or Arabia. You cannot conceive of the Valley of the Nile becoming an industrial empire.

Devices of civilization, machines, money and credit, require a constant flow of raw materials from the land or they cease to function.

I ask you, may there not be a relationship between eleven millions unemployed and one third of our resources pulled out from under us?

Few are aware of the incalculable cash losses which have been ignored by the people of this continent through the persistent habit of calling everything profit which we rip from the soil.

We have left no debit slip in our national cash drawer for the exhausted resources which have gone forever when we harvest and remove any considerable crop from the soil of this continent.

A ship which takes a load of wheat to Europe, takes with it 60,972.96 pounds of Nitrogen; 11,618.79 pounds of Phosphorus; 13,520.00 pounds of Potassium, and 11,824.44 pounds of Calcium, all drained away from our top soil.

No ship even brings them back.

Probably it is true that we could make good our silly boast and produce enough so that "America could feed the world" -- for a while.

But since we, with ten per cent of the world's population, have in the brief period of two hundred years used up 80 per cent of our forests, 33 1/2 per cent of our soil and abused our aquatic resources even more than our land and forests, we can roughly guess about how long America could feed the world.

It would not be for long.

And if we did feed the world at the cost of exhaustion of our natural resources, though we accumulated in the exchange all the gold in the world, how rich would we be -- or would we be poor?

We have already distilled a surprisingly large part of our resources into money. This money we have drained off into great financial reservoirs and the problem of what to do with it is giving all our economic doctors a headache.

If anything further were required to emphasize these facts it has been tragically eloquent, in these late years of great economic distress, to discover suddenly that the people of this continent can no longer turn back to our water and our wooded hills, which have heretofore served to sustain us with food and profitable employment.

Nature's cushion is no longer there to break the fall when our artificial structures of civilization crash.

If nature's pantry has been wisely guarded, our relief rolls would have been a fraction of their present appalling magnitude.

We have set our standards of living in the United States on the basis of this

Friday, March 23, 1939



- ### CALENDAR OF EVENTS
- by Patrice Brazie
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- This coming August, the Capitan Public Library will celebrate its 10th anniversary and its staff of volunteers have decided that it's time to
- FIRST AND THIRD TUESDAYS**
--Juan Hernandez from the District II Office of the State Engineer is at Ruidoso Village Hall from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.
--Fibromyalgia Syndrome Support Group meets every third Tuesday, 6 p.m. K-Bob's in Ruidoso. Call 354-3046 for info.
- MONDAYS**
--Open GED class 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Otero County Electric Cooperative building on 12th Street in Carrizozo. Free.
- TUESDAYS**
--Capitan Public Library preschool reading hour at 1 p.m.
--Alcoholics Anonymous, 6:30 p.m. Carrizozo First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.
- WEDNESDAYS**
--Open GED classes 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Otero County Electric building on 12th Street in Carrizozo. Free.
--Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m. Capitan Senior Citizens Center.
- Tic Tac Youth Outreach program, 6 p.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church, open to all 7th to 12th graders. Includes meal, fun and interaction. Call 648-2037 for info.
- FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH**
--U.S. Marine Corps League Zia Detachment invites all Marines to their monthly meeting on the first Saturday of each month in Lincoln or Otero County. For more information, call Al Goddard at 437-3045.
- TODAY, THURSDAY, MARCH 23**
--Capitan School Board meeting at 6:30 p.m.
--Lincoln Historic Preservation Board meeting at 7 p.m. Community Church in Lincoln.
--Free consumer debt/bankruptcy workshop at 5:30 p.m. in the Terrace Gallery of the Branigan Memorial Library in Las Cruces. Call 1-800-876-6227 for details.
- SATURDAY, MARCH 25**
--Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority will place a dumpster at Nogal Fire Station from 8 a.m. to 12 noon for spring clean up. Bring a copy of your current trash bill.
--Antique and estate auction at Big Blue Auction House, 500 Central in Carrizozo, 10:09 a.m.
- SUNDAY, MARCH 26**
--Free gospel concert at First Baptist Church of Carrizozo, presented by Mike and Lee Roy Howard, 10:55 a.m. The concert will include a variety of music. Everyone welcome.
- TUESDAY, MARCH 28**
--Staff members of U.S. Senator Pete Domenici will be at Capitan village hall from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. to meet with people and relay messages to Sen. Domenici.
--Federated Republican Women of Lincoln County meets at 12 noon at Alto Lakes Country Club. Guest speakers are Kent Evans and Earl Greer.
--Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority (LCSWA) board meets at 2 p.m. in LCSWA offices in Ruidoso Downs.
--Ruidoso village council meeting at 6 p.m.

Lincoln County Lodgers Tax Appropriations

by Patrice Brazie

With the arrival of spring, requests for event and advertising funding from Lincoln County lodgers tax monies begin to pick-up. Recent allocations by the Lincoln County Commissioners at their regular meeting Tuesday, include \$2,000 for the Capitan Public Library to promote the village and a live fund-raiser auction in celebration of the library's 10th anniversary. The First Presbyterian Church of Ruidoso was awarded \$500 to promote its Blooming in June arts and crafts event, which is in its fifth year. The event organizers plan to use profits from the event to support a variety of community needs, including EMS training, English as a second language tutoring and instruction, and an emergency shelter for the Nob Hill Elementary School. The annual art studio tour, Art Loop, also received \$3,000 for advertising.

Capitan's annual Smokey Bear Days, sponsored by the Capitan Chamber of Commerce, received \$3,000 for advertising. The event is reported to have attracted about 5,000 people to the village in 2005, primarily due to internet promotion and print advertising.

The Lincoln County Overland Stage Company also received \$2,300 to pay for the printing of 25,000 advertising rack cards. The stagecoach began operations six years ago and has been called the most authentic stage ride in the west. The stagecoach has been featured in several national magazines and on television, according to its owners, and its image has been used by the New Mexico Department of Tourism to promote the state nationally and internationally.

Members of the Lincoln County Lodgers Tax Committee are: Jerry Jordan, Van Shamblin, Judy Benson, Barbara Culler and Kay Durden.

Sen. Domenici Staff Will Be In Capitan Tuesday, March 28

Staff members of U.S. Senator Pete Domenici will be at Capitan village hall on Tuesday, March 28 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Anyone who is experiencing difficulty with a federal agency who would like the Senator Domenici's assistance is welcome to visit with the senator's staff.

Anyone who would like to convey an opinion to the senator is welcome to do so.

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THOUGHTS
FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Strange Spring Weather

By Ruth Hammond

This week was the first week of official spring, which usually is pleasant and mild. What happened? Did Mother Nature decide to give everyone a last winter blast? Or is this crazy weather an indication of some of the political battles that may occur during these next few weeks before the primary election June 6? Yes, we do need moisture, but it would have been nice if it had been spread out a little more during the year to ease drought conditions.

Another bit of snow and much rain will be needed to end the drought. Some people assume that even a little moisture will ease the High fire danger but it won't. The experts say it would take several years of rains to increase the moisture level and alleviate the drought conditions.

Not all news is drought related though. This week a press release stated that the Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee (HSGAC) has jurisdiction over the Postal Service. Here all these years we thought the Postal Service was under the jurisdiction of the U.S. Government, not a governmental committee.

Then it snowed on the first day of spring and things started changing. Daylight Savings time begins in 10 days and that will be another change. Hopefully there will be rain in the forecast for an even better change for us all.

And let us not forget the primary election in June and the abundance of candidates for the three commission seats that will be on the ballot. Only people living in those commission districts will vote for those candidates.

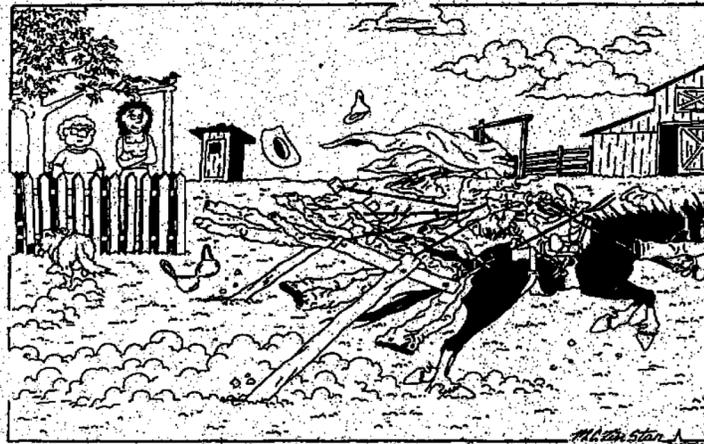
Luckily, the winners will be selected by the voters, not by random or haphazardly, because Mother Nature won't have anything to do with the election. A few years ago it did snow on election day and many people did not go to the polls, and now more people are casting votes early.

Instead of being ambivalent about the election, if your party has more than one candidate, you have time to ask each one about their reason for running for office and if they have anything special they plan to do if elected.

Zero in on everything you want to know when asking questions because your vote will count. Being informed is important before going into the polling booth to cast your vote. One of the best things about elections is that none of the votes are counted until after the polls close. Many years ago in Missouri when we went to vote the poll workers were counting the votes on an issue while we were voting. One poll worker was loudly reading off the yes votes for another poll worker to tally. The no votes were read off very quietly. And the yes votes won.

Early and absentee votes will not be counted until after the polls close. Those results, just as the results from each poll, will be tallied after polls close and then publicized. That is different from the unexpected snow we have had.

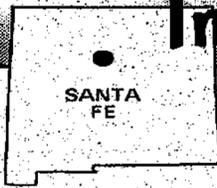
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Inside the Capitol



SANTA FE -- The spaceport buzz continues, with legislative leaders helping out as cheerleaders despite lingering reservations on the part of some of their colleagues and many of their constituents.

Those misgivings likely will be heard when communities begin debating an increase in gross receipts taxes to provide the local support the Legislature wants to see.

A spaceport is an exciting prospect but many are asking whether a state as poor as ours should be making what amounts to venture capital investments in movies, Eclipse airplanes and a spaceport.

Perhaps it is a justifiable use of our burgeoning permanent funds that are some of the largest in the nation. Just collecting interest off them may not be the way to ever get us out of our hold. Maybe it's wise to venture into areas that promise high wage jobs and income to the state.

We know we won't be alone in the spaceport business. Gov. Jeb Bush was traumatized to lose Virgin Galactic's business to New Mexico. He has since invited owner Richard Branson to Cape Canaveral and extracted comments from him that he envisions some flights from there. Bush is now asking his legislature for \$55 million to offer incentives and build structures for commercial use.

Then came the announcement that Space Adventures, the company that sent the first two passengers to the International Space Station, plans to build a \$265 million spaceport in the United Arab Emirates, which will make an initial investment of \$30 million in the project.

But enough of that. It appears this flight is on its way and the hoopla has begun. Actress and cosmetics tycoon Victoria Principal stood next to Gov. Bill Richardson in Santa Fe and announced that she has bought a ticket on the first of Virgin Galactic's space shots. The announcement was well covered by movie magazines and TV shows.

Principal noted that she goes in for daredevil adventures. She's a hang glider, paraglider, bobsledder and race car driver. We need to hook her up with our former governor, Gary Johnson, who is recovering from a paragliding accident.

In her announcement, Principal said she isn't worried about g-forces or the effects of weightlessness. Her main concern is what to wear for an event that she knows will be very well publicized.

Other celebrities who have expressed interest are expectant parents Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie, William Shatner, Sigourney Weaver, Paris Hilton and physicist Stephen Hawking.

There's also another way to get into space. Several companies are now launching space funerals, and they're becoming more affordable. Although Captain Kirk hasn't plunked down his money yet for a ride on Virgin Galactic, Star Trek creator, Gene Roddenberry's ashes were shot into space along with 23 others in 1997. And Scotty will be beamed up later this month.

With so many companies getting involved in the space-funeral business, one of them is sure to want to locate eventually at New Mexico's spaceport.

The rocket races we talked about

last month received some excellent publicity in the February issue of Popular Science. The races are designed to be as much like NASCAR races as possible, including several pit stops in every race.

The rocket racers will debut in October at the X-Prize competition at the Las Cruces airport and in 2007 will begin racing at venues around the country in 2007. The championship will be in Las Cruces.

New Mexico's Harrison Schmitt, the only geologist to walk on the moon, still is pushing his idea of mining the lunar surface for fuel. He now has a book, "Return to the Moon: Exploration Enterprise and Energy in the Human Settlement of Space." While on the moon, he collected a sample of helium, which he says has a unique structure that can be converted into fuel for nuclear fusion.

Although New Mexico's spaceport will be at Upham, north of Las Cruces, Truth or Consequences is doing its best to get into the act. It now has signs at each end of town proclaiming itself the future site of the spaceport and directing traffic to its two Interstate-25 exits.

Sayings of Notables!

Napoleon Bonaparte: How doth the little busy B improve each shining hour!

Eve: A little knowledge is a dangerous thing.

Custer's last words: "Where'd all them Indians come from?"

Also, the famous last words of the mayor of Hiroshima: "What the heck was that?"

Achilles: Don't put your foot into it!

Samson: The most unkindest cut of all!

The immortal last words of the captain of the Titanic, who said: "Where is all the water coming from?"

To the person who left their picture at the NEWS, instead of a regular job application; sorry but at this time we have no openings to fit your qualifications... been there, done that!

But keep trying, you have the right idea of what you qualify for. As for the likeness... you wish!!

Our congratulations to all the municipal elections winners in the county. And to those who didn't get elected, thank you for putting your head on the chopping block and giving us (the voters) a choice.

peter aguilars



Psychic

Judi Christopher
257-2996

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Aries (March 21-April 19) A trip is what you need but don't take your ego. Take only your heart and the child inside you that needs to come out & play. Have fun.

Taurus (April 20-May 20) Can you hear it? Your mind churning so much that your heart and soul don't know which way to go? Stop the madness. Get sleep.

Gemini (May 21-June 20) Your world as you know it will grow and grow. Watch for the pitfall of thinking others know what you feel. Ask question and learn.

Cancer (June 21-July 22) The stars are on your side but you keep changing your mind so much that they don't know which way to fly. Watch what you wish for.

Leo (July 23-Aug 22) Too much work and not enough love makes you grouchy. Sing, dance do something to make yourself happy. Go on a date or a movie.

Virgo (Aug 23-Sept 22) Do you ever feel like someone is watching you even though you can't see someone there? They have a way of doing that, don't they?

Libra (Sept 22-Oct 22) Money matters but so does others feelings. If you think you can buy that then it's gong to cost you more than money later on. Be happy.

Scorpio (Oct 23-Nov 21) What once was in never to be again. Good news is: It can be even better the second time around if you have learn from your mistakes.

Sagittarius (Nov 22-Dec 21) Don't fight it. Your angels are trying to save you from the ring of fire that you're going through. Step back and detour another way.

Capricorn (Dec 22-Jan 19) Happy go lucky is what others see in you, but what does the person in the mirror say? Who is fooling whom? Got truth?

Aquarius (Jan 20-Feb 18) You may see a lot of road in front of you. It's not the trip it's the journey you need to feed your mind, body and soul. Search with in.

Pisces (Feb 19-March 20) Temper? Don't let them see you sweat or a tear drop fall. Get by yourself and then feel the feelings you have. Then let go of for good.

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County Manager Reports

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county's board of commissioners as soon as the coordination with PHS and LCMC is complete, which Stewart expects to happen early next month.

In recognition of Earth Day and both National and Global Youth Service Days, the Sierra Blanca Service Corps is planning two days of youth-oriented community service activities. The Sierra Blanca Service Corps and Cornerstones Community Partnership are inviting area youth and adult partners to

participate in several community-building projects. Those projects include restoration work in Fort Stanton Cave, along public walking and equestrian trails and at the Fort Stanton stables, as well as wetlands restoration on the Rio Bonito and litter pick-up along some roadways. The activities are scheduled for April 21st and

22nd, with a team leader orientation on Friday morning and a celebration of accomplishment on Saturday evening. The service corps provides young people with jobs, education, skills training and the opportunity to serve and connect with the community. For registration information, answers to questions or to pledge support, interested youth, families and community members and organizations should contact Ted Allen at 505-937-5714 or Stephen Carter at 505-808-1204.

The county manager reported that a space-utilization agreement with the state's Property Control Division would allow Sierra Blanca Service Corps and Cornerstones to begin the complete restoration of the Fort Stanton stables. Finalization of that agreement is expected next month, according to Stewart.

"Jack, dear," she murmured. "I hardly know how to tell you, but -- soon -- soon -- there will be a third sharing our little love-nest."

"My darling," he cried. "are you certain?"

"Positive," she replied. "I had a letter from Mother this afternoon, saying she's coming to live with us next week."

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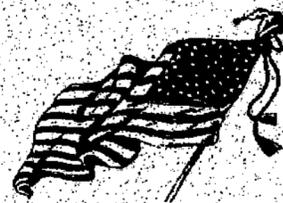
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DISTRICT COURT
CALENDAR
The Calendar for District Judge Karen Parsons

Monday, March 20
8:00 a.m.
Jose Cordova; CR-2004-195 (Wills/Rafkin) (Plea)
Kalene Robinson; CR-2005-217 (Schryer/Mitchell) (Plea)
8:30 a.m. Miquel Flores; JR-2000-22 (D-Hrg.)

Tuesday, March 21
8:15 a.m. Telephone Conference, Beddow v. Silva; CV-2004-259 (Cosby/ProSe) (PT)
8:30 a.m. CYFD

JQ-2005-12 (Adj)
JQ-2004-01 (PJR/Perm)
JQ-2002-05 (PJR/Perm)
JQ-2005-05 (Perm)
JQ-2005-01 (TPR)
JQ-2005-06 (Pre-Perm Mtg)
11:00 a.m. SA-2006-01 (Schneider-Cook/Jessen) (FD)
1:30 p.m. Jury Orientation - Alamogordo
Darrell Brantley
1:00 p.m.

Jennifer Miranda v. Faustino Miranda; DV-2006-18 (Term)
Elyse Ward v. Timothy Ward; DV-2005-106 (Term)
Michelle Bellos v. Steven Powell; DV-2006-32 (New)
2:00 p.m. Dinah Almeida v. Johnny Flores; DV-2006-10 (Term)

Wednesday, March 22
8:00 a.m. Alamogordo - Div. II Courtroom
Anderson v. Anderson; DM-2003-427 (Martwick/Jordon) (Merits)

Thursday, March 23
8:00 a.m. Alamogordo - Div. II Courtroom
Anderson v. Anderson; DM-2003-427 (Martwick/Jordon) (Merits)
4:00 p.m. Albuquerque - Civil Rules Comm. Meeting

Friday, March 24
8:15 a.m. Telephone Conference, Russell Waide; CR-2004-109 (Plea)
8:15 a.m. Docket Call
Juan Gonzales; CR-2004-228
Rodney Lilly; CR-2003-106
Robert Jessie; CR-2003-141
Thomas Muldowney; CR-05-32

8:30 a.m. Criminal Day
First Appearance:
Francis Ochoa; CR-2006-35
Leslie Ackerman; CR-2006-36
Donovan Baca; CR-2006-42
Dustin Sultemeier; CR-2006-43
Josue Soto; CR-2006-44
Julian Williamson; CR-2006-23
Jaime Hernandez; CR-2006-41
Kenneth Gardner; CR-2005-57
Paul Salas; CR-2005-127
Samuel Zamora; CR-2002-15
Mark Plumeri; CR-2005-52
Harvey Vanwinkle; CR-2006-22
Eric Gallegos; CR-2006-25
Joseph Vigil; CR-2006-26
Jimmy Chavez; CR-2006-29

Other:
April Lacy; CR-2004-119 (JI)
Cindy Vanderhyden; CR-02-63 (Early Discharge)
Charles Niederstadt; CV-06-55-58 (Compet)
Nathan Medina; CR-03-246 (Status)
Rodney Lilly; CR-2003-106 (PT)
Ross Beaver; CR-2004-158 (JI)
Abel Avila; CR-2005-22 (Mot)

Change of Plea:
Chris Beltran; CR-05-248 (Mot)
Ray Quinonez; CR-2005-250
Fabian Archuleta; CR-2005-235
Patrick Yorston; CR-05-193
Dameon Powers; CR-2005-179
Chris Watts; CR-2005-177 & 185
Jacob Graham; CR-2005-162

Sentencing:
Julian Orosco; CR-2003-200
Jimmy Fugitt; CR-2005-82

Matthew Lee; CR-2005-180
Greg Jolly; CR-2005-188
Chris Telles; CR-2005-206
Creighton Westerfield; CR-05-40
11:00 a.m. Denise Duran; CR-04-87 (PTR)
1:00 p.m. SA-2005-05 (Final) (Nelson)

1:30 p.m.
Jose Magallanes; CR-2004-132 (Mot.) (Key/Smith)
Sylas Apachito; CR-2005-110 (Evidentiary) (Page/Vigh)
Adolph Herrera; CR-2005-224 (Page/Denson) (Mots)
Robert Jessie; CR-2005-236 (Mot/Dsm) (Ceballes/Mitchell)
Charles Soto; CR-2005-207 (Wills/Mitchell) (Mot Suppress)

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Sarah Ball, Instructor

'Zozo Track Team

The Carrizozo track team attended their first track meet of the season on Friday the 17th in Dexter. Sixteen out of the 19 varsity boys attended, and all seven of the varsity girls attended, along with two eighth graders: Alison Comstock and Tessa Hendricks. For the first time out, our track team did excellently.

The boys did stupendously. Overall, they came in third place out of 20 or more teams. Some individuals also exceeded in their fields of expertise. Eric Koroscil placed first in the 100 meter dash, with a state qualifying time of 11.4 seconds; placed second in the 200 meter dash; and placed third in long jump. Johnny Beltran placed second in the 110 meter hurdles; with a state qualifying time of 17.34 seconds. Jeremy Zamora placed third in the high jump, and Mark LeBlanc placed third in the 400 meter run. The relay teams placed second in the 400 meter relay, with a state qualifying time of 46.6 seconds; placed third in the 1600 meter

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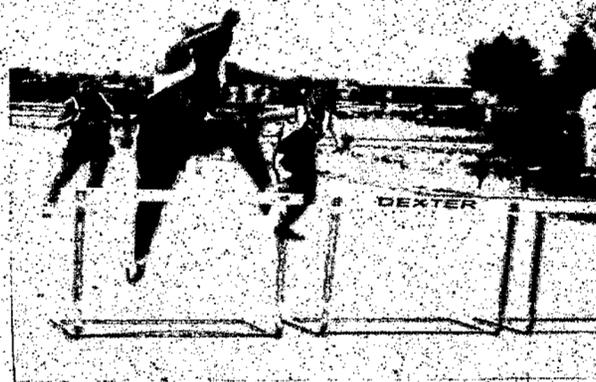
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relay, with a state qualifying time of 3 minutes and 47.58 seconds; placed fifth in the 800 meter relay; and sixth in the 1600 medley relay.

The girls also did an outstanding job, especially for having so few girls on the team. Whitney Whittaker placed first in long jump, with a state qualifying distance of 15'6 feet; placed third in javelin; and sixth in 100 meter hurdles. Kaitlyn Vega placed third in discus, and Jessica Ward placed sixth in the 200 meter run.

The next track meet will be held in Hagerman on Friday, March 24.

Autumn Kratochvil

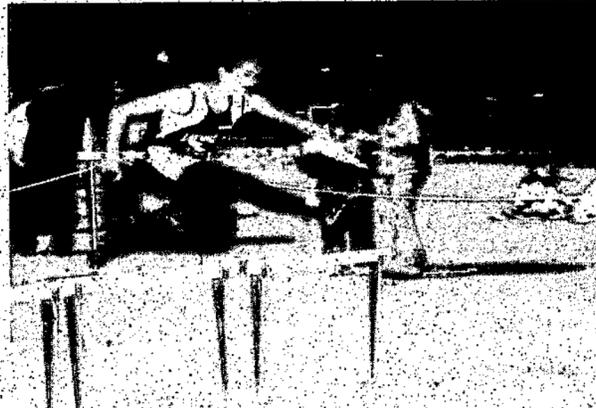


Whitney Whittaker clears hurdle.

(Photos by Journalism Class)



Troy Koroscil and Jeremy Zamora



Jennifer Shafter / 300m hurdles

"Are your neighbors honest?" the old farmer was asked.
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"But you keep that loaded shotgun near your hen coop."
"Yes, dat's to keem 'em honest."

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Sheriff's Report

The following information was taken from dispatch records in the Lincoln County Sheriff's office, located in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, March 13

1:18 a.m. Medical call at location on Franklin Street in Corona, ambulance dispatched.

8:10 a.m. Residential structural fire reported on Hitching Post in Palo Verde, Advanced Life Support (ALS) ambulance and deputy dispatched.

9:27 a.m. Domestic battery

reported at location on Hwy 380 in Capitan, police and deputy dispatched.

9:57 a.m. Fire/burning without permit reported near mile marker 286 on Hwy 70 in Hondo, deputy dispatched.

12:10 p.m. Auto burglary reported at location on Gavilan Canyon Road in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

1:45 p.m. Motor vehicle theft reported from residence on Goodnight Loving Trail in Rancho Ruidoso Valley Estates, deputy dispatched.

2:44 p.m. Fire/burning without permit reported on FR 107 in Bonito, deputy dispatched.

4:52 p.m. Fight reported at business on West Hwy 70 in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

5:34 p.m. Domestic dispute/related or not reported at Grand Vista Ranch in White Oaks, deputy dispatched.

5:44 p.m. Fire/burning without permit reported at business on Hwy 48 in Alto, deputy dispatched.

March 14

6:10 a.m. Alarm reported at location on Jacks Peak Loop in Capitan, deputy dis-

patched.

9:08 a.m. Motorist assistance requested on Hwy 54 approximately 10 miles south of Corona, deputy dispatched.

1:07 p.m. Warrant service requested at location on Hwy 380 in Capitan, deputy dispatched.

3:38 p.m. Animal reported running loose on Chavez Canyon Road in Hondo, deputy dispatched.

4:46 p.m. Agency assistance requested at historical marker on Hwy 54 in Carrizozo, deputy dispatched.

6:15 p.m. 911 hangup from location on CR C022 in Capitan, deputy dispatched.

8:08 p.m. Domestic battery reported at location on CR 22 in Capitan, deputy dispatched.

March 15

8:18 a.m. Accident reported by OnStar at mile marker 295 on Hwy 70 in Picacho, ambulance and deputy dispatched.

9:03 p.m. Fire reported at mile marker 46 on Hwy 246 in Capitan, deputy dis-

patched.

10:48 p.m. Temporary Restraining Order (TRO) issued to person at residence in Ruidoso Downs, deputy dispatched.

9:36 a.m. Medical call at location on E Avenue in Carrizozo, ambulance dispatched.

7:19 p.m. Larceny/theft reported at Grand Vista Ranch in White Oaks, deputy dispatched.

7:23 p.m. Follow up report at location on Reynolds in Ruidoso Downs, deputy dispatched.

March 16

12:00 a.m. Found property at business on Hwy 54 in Carrizozo, deputy dispatched.

8:36 a.m. Police presence/stand by requested at Grand Vista Ranch in White Oaks, deputy dispatched.

12:32 p.m. Telephone offenses reported at location on Mesas Heights in Alto, deputy dispatched.

2:01 p.m. Medical call at location near Hwy 267 and Hwy 70 intersection, ALS and deputy dispatched.

2:36 p.m. Suspicious activity by subject reported on Forest Road in Capitan, deputy dispatched.

4:55 p.m. Criminal damage to property reported at location on FR 120 in Alto, deputy dispatched.

5:15 p.m. Missing or lost person from residence on 6th Street in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

5:19 p.m. Fire/burning without permit reported near Hwy 37 and Hwy 48 intersection in Alto, deputy dispatched.

5:23 p.m. Criminal damage to property reported by Ruidoso police at location on Eagle Creek Court in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

5:44 p.m. Criminal damage to property reported at main entrance to Rancho Ruidoso Valley Estates, deputy dispatched.

7:12 p.m. Suspicious activity/other by subject on Mogul in Alto, deputy dispatched.

7:51 p.m. Domestic dispute/related or not reported near mile marker 286 on Hwy 70 in Hondo, deputy dispatched.

March 17

2:55 a.m. Animal reported running loose and barking on 2nd Street in Capitan, police dispatched.

5:03 a.m. Accident with injury reported on Hwy 54 north of Carrizozo, ambulance dispatched.

7:57 a.m. Children Youth and Family referral at location on El Valle Loop in San Patricio, deputy dispatched.

8:31 a.m. Funeral escort requested on Bonita Park Road in Alto, deputy dispatched.

9:02 a.m. Accident reported at business on Hwy 48 in Alto, deputy dispatched.

9:33 a.m. Medical call at Carrizozo Health Center on E Avenue, ambulance dispatched.

1:30 p.m. Medical call at location on Ski Run Road in Alto, ALS dispatched.

2:38 p.m. Traffic offenses reported on 8th Street in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

3:20 p.m. Abandoned vehicle reported on Redhawk in Alto, deputy dispatched.

March 18

12:01 a.m. Peace-keeping presence requested at Grand Vista Ranch in White Oaks, deputy dispatched.



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continent at its peak of virgin riches. We then produced, with axe, scoopshovels, dredges and over-mining of the soils, to pull the sustaining foundation from under it -- and expect our standards of living to remain the same. The resources of this continent are not inexhaustible, and to continue to consider them as everlasting in our national bookkeeping is to invite bankruptcy, which we are jolly well heading for at the present moment.

In our human expansion, we have now spread out until we have reached our continental horizons. There are no more frontiers. We must sit down and eat and live on what we have left.

The time will surely come -- indeed if it is not already here -- when the widening fringe of unemployment and hunger will threaten the stability of our social institutions as it has upset other governments and other nations before us, when bulging populations have burst through their geographic and legal boundaries and involved themselves and their neighbors in bloody warfare.

Japan has already passed the crossroads. If she had stayed within her boundaries she would have starved.

Between war and hunger she chose war, and all the laws and covenants of human kind have broken down before the instinctive demand for self-preservation.

Why did the Roman legions of Mussolini invade Ethiopia?

The people of Italy, could no longer live on the depleted soils within her boundaries.

Why does Hitler today threaten the peace of Europe?

In his own words, "Germany will be fed."

Colonies, with new and undepleted resources, must be added to Germany's realm, even if it takes war to accomplish it.

To them, death in war -- with the hope of victory -- is better than eternal misery on the part of the whole nation.

Bread from wood-fibre and butter from coal tar may be endured for the day, but it is a farm that breeds envy, bitterness and war.

They call the war in Spain a struggle between Fascism and Social Democracy but the fact remains that if the disappearance of sustaining resources in Spain had not crowded a considerable portion of the populace toward a dangerous margin of hunger, there would have been no tinder-box of discontent, from which has sprung the present conflagration.

Let us recognize and accept the established historic fact that no government can long endure when any considerable portion of its population goes continually underfed.

The rule applies as well to monarchy, dictatorship, communism, socialism or democracy, no matter how benevolent its expressed intent. It applies to new continents as well as old.

Lost: One Frontier

I do not wish to convey the idea that we in America are in any danger of going comprehensively hungry for many generations. Social calamity will not wait for that. But if we allow a hungry margin of our people to go continuously underfed and do not prevent that margin from growing wider, the jackals of discontent will be at our doors.

There was a time when population pressures on this continent were easily relieved by opening up new lands.

But today, the question of what to do with eleven million of unemployed citizens in the United States, poorly clothed and hungry, is threatening the established social and political mechanism which has sustained us in the United States for a hundred and fifty years.

In our confusion we blame the government, we blame Wall Street, we blame Capitalism and exhaust the vituperative vocabulary in our effort to blame the other fellow, but we never seem to take into consideration the fact that in approximately 200 years we have bled away the youthful vigor of our continental resources, the fountain-

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Church Directory

MOUNTAIN MINISTRY PARISH, SIERRA BLANCA PRESBYTERY

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

Ancho Community Presbyterian Church: **TERRY AIELLO, Pastor / 849-0105**

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

Corona United Presbyterian Church:
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Worship 11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church

HAYDEN SMITH, Pastor
 314 10th Ave., Carrizozo, NM
 648-2868 (Church) or 648-2107

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:55 a.m.
 Sun. Evening 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday, Sept. - April
 AWANAS 6:00 p.m.

Carrizozo Community Church (A/G)

JOHNIE L. JOHNSON, Pastor
 Corner of C Ave. and Thirteenth, 648-2186

Children's Church 10:30 a.m.
 Worship 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:
 Capitan Sacred Heart 5:00 p.m.
 Carrizozo Santa Rita 8:30 p.m.

SUNDAY:
 Capitan Sacred Heart 9:00 a.m.
 Carrizozo Santa Rita 10:30 a.m.
 Corona St. Theresa 1:00 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. JOHN HUFFMAN, RECTOR
 Corner of E Ave. and Sixth, Carrizozo, NM
 608-267-2358

Holy Eucharist Sunday 9:30 a.m.

Claunch Community Church

TONY SCACCIA, Minister
 649-1402

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 9:15 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., Capitan, NM.

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

Capitan Church of Christ

LESLIE EARWOOD, Minister
 5th & Lincoln / 338-4627

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 / 848-2530
 Phone 354-2044
 Capitan (South on Hwy. 48)

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church of Corona

OAL 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

Angus Church of the Nazarene
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RICK HUTCHINSON, Pastor / 336-8032
 Southwest Corner of Hwy. 48 & 37 Junction
 Between Ruidoso and Capitan, NM

Sunday
 Sunday School for all ages 9:30 a.m.
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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
No. D1226CV200500326

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.,
SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO
WELLS FARGO HOME MORTGAGE,
INC., FKA NORWEST MORTGAGE,
INC.

Plaintiff,

vs.

DANNY KEITH DAWSON; SALLY
D. DAWSON; JIMMY GAFFORD;
SYLVIA GAFFORD.

Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on April 11, 2006, at 8:30 A.M., Lincoln County Courthouse, 300 Central, Carrizozo, NM 88301, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title, and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State:

LOT 8, BLOCK 3 OF DEL NORTE ADDITION, UNIT 4, RUIDOSO, LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN BY THE REPLAT OF LOTS 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 AND 13, BLOCK 3, DEL NORTE ADDITION, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF LINCOLN COUNTY, AUGUST 6, 1982, IN CABINET D, SLIDE 86.

The address of the real property is 614

Del Norte, Ruidoso, NM 88345. Said sale will be made pursuant to the Decree of Foreclosure entered on February 16, 2006, in the above entitled and numbered cause, which was a suit to foreclose a mortgage held by the above Plaintiff and wherein plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien against the above-described real estate in the sum of \$64,142.01, plus interest from March 15, 2006 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.75% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair.

Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

At the date and time stated above, the Special Master may postpone the sale to such later date and time as the Special Master may specify.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a pay off, a reinstatement or any other condition that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, at the time of sale, this sale will be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgage giving this notice shall not be liable to be successful bidder for any damages.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above-described real property subject to rights of redemption.

Dated: February 24, 2006.

Peter Baca, Special Master
c/o Castle Meinhold & Stawiariski
13725 Struthers Road, Suite 201
Colorado Springs, CO 80921
(800) 286-0013 / (719) 634-4868

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LEGAL NOTICE
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
No. CV-06-50
Division III

APRIL M. CHAVEZ, DAVID R. CHAVEZ, AND DWAIN CHAVEZ,
Plaintiffs,

vs.

GROUP I: PETER HOWARD BENSON AND JUDITH ELLEN BENSON;
GROUP II: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THE FOLLOWING NAMED DECEASED PERSONS: JOHN B. BLEA, SR., FLORINDA C. BLEA, AND HOMER C. BLEA,

GROUP III: THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSONS, IF LIVING, IF DECEASED, THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS, AND THE UNKNOWN SPOUSES OF THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSONS, IF LIVING, IF DECEASED THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS: ROBERT C. BLEA, KAREN L. BLEA, PAULINE BLEA DE TAREN, AND BONNY B. REE,
GROUP IV: ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFFS.

Defendants.

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO THE ABOVE NAMED OR DESIGNATED DEFENDANTS:

GREETINGS: You are hereby notified that the Plaintiffs, April M. Chavez, David R. Chavez and Dwaine Chavez, have filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, Civil Docket No. CV-06-50 Div. III, wherein you are named as Defendants and wherein said Plaintiffs seek to obtain constructive service upon you.

The general subject matter of said action is to quiet title to certain real estate, which is the subject matter of the above-captioned and numbered cause of action and is located at 101 and 103 John West Lane (formerly known as White Cat Road), San Patricio, New Mexico, and further described by metes and bounds in the Complaint filed in said action.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance, plead or otherwise respond in said cause on or before April 24, 2006, judgment will be rendered against you by default and the relief prayed for in the Complaint will be granted to Plaintiffs in conformity with the allegations of the Plaintiffs' Complaint.

The name and address of the attorney for the Plaintiffs is: Archie A. Witham, (505) 354-7104, P.O. Box 83, Nogal, New Mexico 88341.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on this the 7th day of March, 2006.

JAN PERRY
Clerk of the District Court

(SEAL)

By: Jolene Biggs
Deputy

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LEGAL NOTICE

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

No. JQ-2005-05
Div. III

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ex rel.
CHILDREN, YOUTH AND
FAMILIES DEPARTMENT

In the Matter of J.G.R., a Child,
And Concerning Charity Walker and
Jose G. Ramirez, Respondents.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

TO THE ABOVE NAMED RESPONDENT:

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action has been filed against you in the above named Court and County by the State of New Mexico in which the State of New Mexico has filed a petition alleging that you have abused and neglected J.G.R., a child. The above proceeding could ultimately result in the termination of your parental rights.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that unless you enter your appearance or file a written answer to this petition on or before May 1, 2006, with the Children's Court Division of the Twelfth Judicial District Court in Lincoln County, you will be in default and the matter will proceed without you.

WITNESS my hand and the Seal of the District Court of the State of New Mexico.

JAN PERRY
Clerk of the District Court

(SEAL)

by: Gloria LaMay
Clerk

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER:

Lynne Jessen, P.O. Box 2,
Alamogordo, NM 88301
(505) 434-5950

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 15, 2006, Eleverto and Veronica Gutierrez, P.O. Box 462, La Luz, 88337, filed application No. H-47-S with the STATE ENGINEER FOR PERMIT TO SUPPLEMENT THE DIVERSION OF 77.68 acre-feet per annum of shallow groundwater by drilling a shallow well approximately 10 inches in diameter and 300 feet in depth at a point in the SW1/4NE1/4NE1/4 or NW1/4NE1/4NE1/4 of Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M.

The applicant proposes to supplement shallow well No. H-47 located in the NW1/4SE1/4NE1/4 of Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M. for the irrigation of 23.9 acres of land described as Pt. NE1/4NE1/4 of Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M.

Currently two applications are pending before the State Engineer under water right file No. 01384 & H-47. Application 47-S is contingent upon approval or denial of application No. 01384 & H-47 into 0275-A & H-272 et al. If the Application No. 01384 & H-47 into 0275-A & H-272 et al is approved, then the subject water right would have been moved to the Village of Ruidoso and the supplemental Permit No. H-47-S would no longer be a valid point of diversion for the water right, and said Permit No. H-47-S would then be cancelled.

The above described wells and places of use are located in Hondo, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

Any person or other entity shall have standing to file an objection or protest if they object that the granting of the application will:

- (1) Be detrimental to the objector's water right; or
- (2) Be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state, provided that the objector shows how they will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application.

A valid objection or protest shall set forth the grounds for asserting standing and shall be legible, signed, and include the complete mailing address of the objector. An objection or protest must be filed with the State Engineer not later than 10 calendar days after the date of the last publication of this notice. An objection or protest may be mailed to the Office of the State Engineer, 1900 West Second, Roswell, New Mexico 88201, or faxed to 505-623-8559 provided the original is hand-delivered or postmarked within 24 hours after transmission of the fax. The State Engineer will take the application up for consideration in the most appropriate and timely manner practical.

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The red neck says: "If your wife wasn't here I'd knock your block off." With that his wife left the room. A sporting jesture?

Husband -- (arriving home late). Bet you can't guess where I've been?
Wife -- I can, but I'll me your story!

A millionaire says it's easy to get rich if you spend less than you make. I'd rather make more than I spend.

"Is this village lighted by electricity?"
"Only when there's a thunderstorm."

He -- I'm groping for words.
She -- Well, you don't expect to find them around my neck, do you?

"I'm looking for a new car," said the prosperous looking citizen.

"Well, you've come to the right place, sir," replied the car dealer.
"Any new improvements in the late models?"

"Oh, yes sir. We are now installing phonographs in all our cars."

"For why?"
"Well, you see, sir, the noise produced by the phonograph prevents you hearing the engine when it knocks."

Sheriff's Report

(Con't from P. 7)

12:30 a.m. Medical call at business on Hwy 54 in Carrizozo, ambulance dispatched.

7:29 a.m. Suspicious activity by subject in vehicle reported on Ski Run Road in Alto, deputy dispatched.

9:38 a.m. Fraud reported at location on Leon Road in Corona, deputy dispatched.

10:38 a.m. Vandalism reported at location on Sun Valley Road in Alto, deputy dispatched.

2:00 p.m. Harassment reported at mile marker 281 on Hwy 70 in San Patricio, deputy dispatched.

3:45 p.m. Suspicious activity by subject in vehicle reported at mile marker 107 on Hwy 54, deputy dispatched.

9:13 p.m. Welfare check requested at residence on Aspen Street in Capitan, police dispatched.

9:18 p.m. Emergency message delivery to Capitan school bus barn, deputy dispatched.

11:20 p.m. Welfare check requested at residence on Wild Rose Circle in Bonito, deputy dispatched.

March 19

12:15 a.m. Accident reported on Gavilan Canyon Road in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

10:59 a.m. Motorist assistance requested on Hwy 70 in Glencoe, deputy dispatched.

12:47 p.m. Counterfeit money(s) reported at business on Hwy 380 in Capitan, deputy dispatched.

1:02 p.m. Medical call at business on Hwy 380 in Lincoln, ambulance dispatched.

1:18 p.m. Medical call at residence on Birch in Carrizozo, ambulance dispatched.

1:46 p.m. Fire/burning without permit reported at location on Bonito Camp Road, deputy dispatched.

2:14 p.m. Agency assistance requested by New Mexico Fish and Game at location near Bonita lake, deputy dispatched.

3:11 p.m. Domestic dispute/related or not reported at location northeast of White Oaks, deputy dispatched.

7:36 p.m. Gas skip from business on Hwy 48 in Alto, deputy dispatched.

7:47 p.m. Fire reported at business on Hwy 70 east of Ruidoso Downs, Glencoe fire department, and deputy dispatched.

7:52 p.m. Medical call at residence on Buck in Capitan, ambulance and police dispatched.

9:40 p.m. Agency assistance requested at location on Hwy 70 in Ruidoso Downs, deputy dispatched.

9:48 p.m. Suspicious activity by subject on Eagle Creek in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

10:08 p.m. Warrant service at location on Gavilan Canyon Road in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

March 20

8:04 a.m. Medical call at residence on G Avenue in Carrizozo, ambulance dispatched.

8:20 a.m. Peacekeeping requested at Grand Vista Ranch in White Oaks, deputy dispatched.

10:23 a.m. Burglary reported near mile marker 140 on Hwy 54 outside Carrizozo, deputy dispatched.

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**LEGAL NOTICE
CALL FOR BIDS**

The Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority will open Sealed Bids at 2:00 p.m. on March 30, 2006 at the Authority's office, 222 2nd Street, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico 88346; on the following

**Base Course and
Non-expansive Fill Material**

Bid Forms and Specifications may be obtained from the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority's Office, 222 2nd Street, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico 88346. Mailed Bids should be addressed to the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority, P.O. Box 2405, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico 88346; with the envelope clearly marked: Base Course and Non-expansive Fill Material on the lower left hand corner of the submitted envelope. It shall be the responsibility of the bidder to see that their Bid is delivered to the Authority's Office by the date and time set for opening. If the mailed or delivery of said Bid is delayed beyond the opening date and time, Bid thus delayed will not be considered. A public opening will be held on March 30, 2006 at 2:00 p.m., any bidder or their authorized representatives are invited to attend.

The Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority reserves the right to reject any/or all Bids submitted.

**LINCOLN COUNTY
SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY**
Debra Ingle,
Operations Supervisor

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LEGAL NOTICE

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT**
No. CV-05-194

**CHASE HOME FINANCE LLC,
SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO
CHASE MANHATTAN
MORTGAGE CORPORATION,**
Plaintiff,

vs.
**RONALD H. FOX AND
PATRICIA L. FOX,**
Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that on March 28, 2006, at the hour of 1:00 p.m. the undersigned Special Master, or his designee, will, at the front entrance of the Lincoln County Courthouse, at 300 Central, Carrizozo, NM 88301, sell all of the rights, title and interest of the above-named Defendants, in and to the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 100 Juniper Spring Road, Nogal, New Mexico 88341, (if there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control) and is more particularly described as follows:

**TRACT 49 AND AN UNDIVIDED
1/58TH INTEREST IN TRACTS 35
AND 36 OF LOMA GRANDE
ESTATES LINCOLN COUNTY NEW
MEXICO AS SHOWN BY THE
AMENDED PLAT THEREOF FILED
IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY
CLERK OF LINCOLN COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO, MARCH 14, 1969 IN
TUBE NO. 331,**

including any improvements, fixtures, and attachments, such as, but not limited to, mobile homes. Subject to all taxes, utility liens and other restrictions and easements of record, and subject to one (1) month right of redemption by the Defendants, the foregoing sale will be made to satisfy a foreclosure judgment rendered by this Court in the above-entitled and numbered cause, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above-described property. The Plaintiff's judgment is \$338,201.35, and the same bears interest at the rate of 7.3750%, which accrues at the rate of \$68.34 per diem, commencing on January 1, 2006, with the Court reserving entry of final judgment against Defendant Ronald H. Fox for the amount due after foreclosure sale, for costs and attorney's fees, plus interest as may be assessed by the Court. The Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale all of its judgment amount and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of the judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

The Court's decree, having duly appointed Peter Baca, as its Special Master to advertise and immediately offer for sale the subject real estate and to apply the proceeds of sale, first to the costs of sale and the Special Master's fees, then to pay the above-described judgment, interest, and costs of sale, and to pay unto the registry of

the Court any balance remaining to satisfy future adjudication of priority mortgage holders;

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that in the event that said property is not sooner redeemed, the undersigned will as set forth above, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash or equivalent, the lands and improvements described above for the purpose of satisfying, in the adjudged order of priorities, the judgment described herein and decree of foreclosure together with any additional costs and attorney's fees, costs of advertisement and publication, a reasonable receiver and Special Master's fee to be fixed by the Court. The total amount of the judgment due is \$338,201.35, plus interest to and including date of sale of \$5,945.58 for a total judgment plus interest of \$344,146.93. Sale is subject to the entry of an order of the Court approving the terms and conditions of this sale.

PETER BACA,
Special Master
P.O. Box 215
Carrizozo, NM 88301
Telephone: (505) 648-9925
E-mail: sale@littledrانتel.com

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LEGAL NOTICE

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT**
No. CV 05-194

THE JAPHET MARITAL TRUST, LTD.,
Petitioner,

vs.
**MIRTA A. LOPEZ and CLEMENTE
NAVARETTE,** if living, and if deceased,
the unknown heirs of **CLEMENTE
NAVARETTE,** deceased.
Respondents.

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL
MASTER'S SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will, on the 11th day of April, 2006 at 10:30 a.m. at the northeast entrance to the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, sell and convey all right, title and interest of the above-named Defendant(s) in and to the following described real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico:

Apartment Number 406 in Building 4 of **WHISPERING BLUFF CONDOMINIUMS,** together with an undivided 1.8867% interest in the common areas of Whispering Bluff Condominiums, all as shown on the plat thereof filed in the Office of the Lincoln County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on March 5, 1982, in Cabinet D at Slide 62 and as amended by that certain Affidavit dated October 13, 1983, recorded October 14, 1983, in Book 88, Miscellaneous Records of Lincoln County, page 682; commonly called Apartment 406, Whispering Bluff Condominiums.

Said sale will be conducted pursuant to the ORDER entered February 27, 2006, in the above-entitled and numbered cause, which was a suit to partition the above-described real property, and whose value the Court determined to be \$98,500, and which the Court ordered to be sold for cash in an amount of no less than two-thirds (2/3) of the value of said real property.

Said sale will be made to the highest bidder for cash.

DATED this 7th day of March, 2006.

**Peter Baca
SPECIAL MASTER**

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LEGAL NOTICE

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
IN THE PROBATE COURT**
PROBATE NO. 2126

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
CHAS.E. DAVIDSON III**

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned have been appointed personal representatives of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two (2) months after the date of the first publication of this notice, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, located at the following address:

ress: P.O. Box 338, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301-0338.

Dated: March 7, 2006.

Joanne Davidson **Dan Davidson**
Box 448 Box 726
Ozona, TX 76943 Ozona, TX 76943
(325) 392-2094 (325) 392-3776

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**LEGAL NOTICE
TWELFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**
CV-05-119

**JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, AS
TRUSTEE FOR THE REGISTERED
HOLDERS OF TERWIN MORTGAGE
TRUST, SERIES TMTS 2003-6HE,
ASSET BACKED PASS-THROUGH
CERTIFICATES,**
Plaintiff,

vs.
**HUMBERTO MALDONADO, DONNA
B. MALDONADO, SUN WORLD
FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK,
TAXATION AND REVENUE
DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE
OF NEW MEXICO**
Defendants.

**AMENDED NOTICE OF SALE
ON FORECLOSURE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to see the real property (the "Property") situated in Lincoln County, New Mexico, commonly known 205 Stetson Road, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico, and more particularly described as follows:

**LOTS 24 AND 25, BLOCK 3 OF
PALO VERDE SLOPES
SUBDIVISION, LINCOLN COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN BY THE
PLAT THEREOF FILED IN THE
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK
LINCOLN COUNTY, MARCH 11,
1958, IN TUBE NO. 164.**

The sale is to begin at 3:00 p.m. on April 14, 2006, on the front steps of the Lincoln County Court House, Main entrance, 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 granted JPMorgan Chase Bank, as Trustee for the registered holders of Terwin Mortgage Trust, Series TMTS 2003-6HE, Asset Backed Pass-Through Certificates.

JPMorgan Chase Bank, as Trustee for the registered holders of Terwin Mortgage Trust, Series TMTS 2003-6HE, Asset Backed Pass-Through Certificates was awarded a Judgment on January 4, 2006, in the principal sum of \$134,486.05, plus outstanding interest through October 7, 2005, in the amount of \$7,961.81 and accruing daily thereafter at a rate of \$43.71 per day, plus escrow advances of \$951.51, plus late charges of \$820.05, plus property preservation fees of \$447.86, less a suspense credit of \$713.82, plus attorneys fees through October 7, 2005, in the sum of \$900.00 and costs through October 7, 2005, in the sum of \$470.17, with interest on the late charges, appraisal fees escrow advances, attorney's fees and costs of this suit at the rate of 8.99% per annum.

The sale is subject to a one (1) month right of redemption in favor of the Defendants and to a nine (9) month right of redemption of Taxation and Revenue Department of the State of New Mexico, as specified in the Judgment filed herein.

Prospective purchasers at the sale are advised to make their own examination of title and the condition of the property and to consult their own attorney before bidding.

Faisal Sukhyani
Special Master
2222 Parkwest Drive
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102

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The little bit of snow Sunday night was a nice surprise. The moisture received in New Mexico to date is at "Drought conditions," water restrictions are starting to be enforced in areas all around the state, and subsequently fire conditions are in the HIGH range. No outside fires, and smoking only in enclosed vehicles and designated areas.

The winds are going to continue to be an issue during the daylight hours, wind speeds lessening in the evening hours, and mild, wind free nights are expected for the next several days.

With the small amount of moisture coming at close to dew levels, BLACK ICE has been reported on roadways all across New Mexico, so please take extra care driving in early morning hours especially in shady places where the sunlight doesn't hit anytime during the day. Icy conditions can exist.

Forecast for Carrizozo, Hondo and high plains of Lincoln County:

Today, Thursday, March 23
Mostly sunny, with a high near 63, night: Mostly clear, with a low near 28.

Friday, March 24
Mostly sunny, with a high near 65, night: Mostly clear, with a low around 34.

Saturday, March 25
Mostly sunny, with a high around 69, night: Mostly clear, with a low around 35.

Sunday, March 26
Mostly sunny, with a high near 71, night: Mostly clear, with a low near 42.

Monday, March 27
Mostly sunny, with a high around 69, night: Mostly clear, with a low near 40.

Tuesday, March 28
Mostly sunny, with a high around 68, night: Mostly clear, with a low near 38.

Forecast for Ruidoso, Capitan and Corona:

Today, Thursday, March 23
Mostly sunny, with a high near 57, night: Mostly clear, with a low near 25.

Friday, March 24
Mostly sunny, with a high near 62, night: Mostly clear, with a low around 30.

Saturday, March 25
Mostly sunny, with a high near 65, night: Mostly clear, with a low around 33.

Sunday, March 26
Mostly sunny, with a high near 67, night: Mostly clear, with a low near 41.

Monday, March 27
Mostly sunny, with a high around 63, night: Mostly clear, with a low near 40.

Tuesday, March 28
Mostly sunny, with a high around 64, night: Mostly clear, with a low near 40.

The above information was taken from the National Weather Service Website. For more up to date weather reports, which are updated every four hours, go to www.srh.noaa.gov/abq/ on the internet.

For up to the minute road conditions, the New Mexico Highways Department has a toll-free number you can call for road closures and driving conditions; the number is 1-800-432-4269.



