

Redistricting Time Coming Soon

by Patrice Brazie

New Mexico State Senator Rod Adair made a stop in Carrizozo on August 17th to attend that day's meeting of the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners and talk about the upcoming redistricting process.

Adair told the county commissioners that the only given reason for the constitutionally mandated 10 year census in the United States is for the reapportionment of

the U.S. House of Representatives, but court cases over the years have led to Supreme Court decisions expanding the scope of the application of districting.

"That means, not only is it for the United States House of Representatives, but also the State House of Representatives and the State Senate, and the county commissions, village councils, school boards and virtually anything else that government decides to create," Adair explained. "People have to be

equally represented."

Once the U.S. Census Bureau has completed the compilation and analysis of the 2010 census data, information will be passed down to state legislatures which are responsible for not only redistricting the state, but how the U.S. congressional districts will be defined as well.

"New Mexico is not going to gain a seat and probably won't until 2030, if then, because our population growth is not at the pace of the

rest of the country," Adair said.

Census data for redistricting purposes will be released to the state legislature by precinct beginning in about May of 2011, Adair said, and a series of public hearings will then take place across the state to give the citizens a chance to weigh in on proposed district boundary changes. The state legislature will likely hold a special session in September of 2011 and counties will begin the redistricting process in October of that year, he said.

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BONITO VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER Lisa Bartley showed her skills in backing a fire truck through a tight space during an emergency vehicle driver's training exercise last week at the county's new emergency operations center at Cooper Ridge. (Courtesy photo by Joe Arcure)

County Firefighters Train for Emergency Driving

Thirty two Lincoln County volunteer firefighters from Bonito, Glencoe and Hondo participated in emergency vehicle driver's training on Saturday and Sunday, August 14-15. The 12-hour classroom and behind-the-wheel training ends with the firefighters being certified emergency vehicle operators.

Travis Atwell, Lincoln County Emergency Services Director, explained that this is a requirement every two years by the Volunteer Firefighting Insurance Service (VFIS) provided to Lincoln County. Atwell and Joe Kenmore, Lincoln County Emergency

Services Coordinator, are both certified instructors for the course.

Classroom training was held at the new Lincoln County Emergency Operations Center at Copper Ridge, the building behind the Copper Canyon Fire Station on Highway 37.

The center is also a substation for the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office, and houses the county's fire administration and emergency management offices.

The behind-the-wheel portion of the certification was held at the Sierra Blanca Regional Airport on Sunday and consisted of a com-

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CARRIZOZO GRIZZLY junior halfback, Cole Hubbard, gets a good block from teammate and breaks free for one of his four touchdowns in Saturday's game against the Roswell JV in their season opener, that saw Carrizozo drop a hard fought contest 26-29. See related story on page 7. (Courtesy photo by C. Stone)

Parade Kicks off Street Fair

Carrizozo's Labor Day Street Fair starts at 10 a.m. Monday, September 6, with the traditional parade down 12th Street. This year there will be bagpipers AND Mountaineer's marching band followed with music all day in McDonald Park by Paul Pino & the Tone Daddies, No One Cares and special guest Fantasia.

In addition to music, there will be a variety of food, arts, crafts, cakewalks, games for kids of all ages, a huge rock climbing wall, a community scholarship award, Street Fair t-shirts and more to keep everyone busy seeing what's next to check out.

This year's obstacle course will feature The Gauntlet and other notorious impediments to challenge a kid's fortitude. Trophies made by Mike Lagg will be awarded for the two best times.

Still just a dollar a ticket, this year an Endurance Challenge will be introduced to the course. Sponsors can pledge \$1 for each pass their 'agent' completes throughout the day. Sponsorship includes VIP seating so you can watch your agent's progress. There's no limit to the number of sponsors a kid can have or the number of kids you can sponsor! All proceeds will benefit the Continuing Education Scholarship Fund.

Also, the annual biggest goahead contest will again be held. Come see if Micah wins the award for finding the biggest one for the third year in a row!

Since the Street Fair's main goal is to raise funds for scholarships, there is now a Carrizozo Community Scholarship. Folks can drop in their nickels, dimes and dollars or donate \$25 and get a free recycled t-shirt as well as sign the brag board showing their support!

This year's go green campaign has asked artists to produce items made from recycled materials. The auction for these items will

be held Saturday, September 4, at the Valle Del Sol Golf Course. Free munchies will be available at 5 p.m. as folks look over the displayed items. The auction will start at 6 p.m. with Frank Walker doing the honors.

If you're not into auctions, a golf scramble with prizes will be held at the Valle del Sol Golf Course Saturday morning at 8 a.m. Four teams for 18 holes of golf will cost \$160 per team (\$40 per person). Hungry players can enjoy breakfast and/or coffee at the restaurant before starting off their weekend with a hole in one while supporting Carrizozo scholarships!

Details are online at . . .

www.carrizozostreetfair.org or you can contact chairman J'Lane Zamora at 575-648-2802. Come join the fun! And check out our owly bird mascot created by Mike Lagg from recyclables! He'll be watching over the events from the Sponsor's seating at the Obstacle Course. Remember, since we're going green, watch for and use the recycling containers to toss your plastic bottles and cans into!

And one last thing: The Street Fair does plan to have a bike rally near the end of October so bikers can enjoy the beautiful aspen trees in full bloom! Watch for more information!



On a recent afternoon in Lincoln County the end of this rainbow was in Nogal, reaching across Hwy. 37 to the Mountains. (Photo by Patrice Brazie)

Street Paving In Progress In C'zozo

The Carrizozo Street Improvement project continues with work currently taking place on Airport Street from B Avenue to Schlarb Road.

FNF New Mexico, LLC, the construction company doing the paving has announced that Airport Road from B Avenue to Schlarb road will be closed to facilitate excavation and installation of new curb and gutter and road widening. Airport Road in this area will remain closed until about September 15.

Residents in the area where the road is closed should be aware that only one lane will be open, and it will be one way. This one way, one lane is for residents only.

Others are urged to use Drexel Street and Industrial Drive to get to the detention center.

Airport Street from E Avenue to Central near the fire station will be closed from Thursday, September 9 until Tuesday, September 14.

Motorists are asked to use caution when near the work area. Workers, equipment and traffic control devices will be present. As always, drive safely.

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--Free GED classes 6 to 8 p.m.
Carrizozo School Library
- TUESDAYS**
--Capitan Public Library pre-school story hour 4:00 p.m.
- WEDNESDAYS**
--Corona Public Library story hour 4:00 p.m.
--Carrizozo First Baptist Church takes orders for Angel Food Ministries 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
- THURSDAYS**
--Gambler's Anonymous open meeting 7:15 p.m. at Mescalero Reformed Church, 336 Wardlaw Drive in Mescalero. Call Mike at 575-682-6200 for information.
- EVERY THIRD THURSDAY**
--Village of Corona Public Library 4 p.m. pre-school story hour, themed stories, activities, crafts, snacks. Call Betty Ann at 849-3277 for info.
- FIRST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH**
--Representative from State Engineer's office is at Ruidoso Village Hall from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.
- FIRST THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH**
--Roadrunner Food Bank in Carrizozo at Assembly of God Church for general public 1-3 p.m. and 4-6 p.m.
- SECOND TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH**
--Food pantry for those age 55 and older at Assembly of God church in Carrizozo 12 noon to 2:00 p.m.
- THIRD SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH**
--American Legion Post #11, Wells Fargo Bank in Carrizozo 9:00 a.m.
- FOURTH TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH**
--Food pantry for age 54 and younger at Assembly of God Church in Carrizozo 12 noon to 2:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- EACH FRIDAY**
--Al Anon family group for families and friends of alcoholics, noon at Methodist Church in Carrizozo, bring lunch.
- TODAY, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2**
--Regular meeting of the Ruidoso Branch Community College Board 6:00 p.m. at ENMU-Ruidoso.
- Business Retention GRT forum 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Gateway Church, 415 Sudderth in Ruidoso, sponsored by Democratic Party of Lincoln County. Public invited. For info contact Maria @ 575-937-8394.
- FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3**
--First Friday Adult Lectures at Capitan Public Library at 7:00 p.m. Michael Oman, author of I Love My Life, tell about his book and his life. Refreshments after the program. If there are questions, call 354-3035.
--Carrizozo Grizzlies FB team travels to Ft. Sumner, 7pm game.
- SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4 and SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5**
--Gun and Western Collectable Show 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Ruidoso Convention Center.
- MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6 LABOR DAY**
--Carrizozo Labor Day Street Fair activities all day starting with parade at 10 a.m., fun all day at McDonald Park.
- TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7**
--Lincoln County Land and Natural Resources Advisory Committee (LANRAC) meeting cancelled due to lack of agenda items.
- THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9**
--Carrizozo Woman's Club 6 p.m.

County Firefighters Train . . .

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petency driving course of 8 different obstacle courses. These included backing within 18 inches of an object, backing and forward driving through a serpentine course, parallel parking, confined space turn around, off-set alley, and driving through a narrowing area with a braking exercise.

Robby Hall, Bonito Assistant Chief and Rick Hall, Bonito Safety Officer, also helped score the drivers on the obstacle course on Sunday. Two additional two-day sessions are planned so that all Lincoln County volunteer firefighters can obtain certification.


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Film Lincoln County NM, as part of its promise to promote Lincoln County to the film industry, will be attending the annual conference of the Association of Film Commissioners International in California.

This event is called Cineposium and we have purchased one minute of time in a 15 minute advertising loop for the opening reception which will be held in conjunction with Film Independent's Filmmaker Forum closing reception, at the Directors Guild of America.

Hundreds of independent filmmakers are expected to attend and mingle with this year's Cineposium attendees.

During opening reception, a video will loop continuously in 15 minute segments on a huge plasma screen. We want to showcase our locations, and tell the story of why these filmmakers should consider working with Film Lincoln County NM.

It doesn't stop there! The winning film will be available for the 6 months following on the AFCI website that is visited by thousands of entertainment professionals every month. Here are the rules:

You must be a Lincoln County Resident to enter.

The video must be 60 seconds in length total.

The video must

use the Film Lincoln County NM Logo

The video must use the theme of "Our Magic. Your Lens"

The video must include our web address www.filmncnm.org

The video must promote the diverse

locations in Lincoln County NM.

Every reference to Film Lincoln County NM must include "NM" (there are 49 other Lincoln Counties in the country)

The videos will be judged by the Film

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"We know there's going to be a shift toward the Rio Grande valley," he said. "It's as if the population is kind of pouring out of, say, Clayton and Portales and Clovis and Tucumcari, toward the center of the state; toward Santa Fe, Rio Rancho, Albuquerque, Belin and Los Lunas, and toward Las Cruces. The state is shifting representation in the same way. We'll have to do that," he said. "You'll probably see the Rio Grande corridor gain three, maybe four, house of representative seats and maybe two senate seats, but that

will be at the expense of the outer edges of the state, mainly the east side of the state."

Adair told the county commissioners that their decisions about redistricting in Lincoln County will be directed by any population shifts within its precincts. He said it is most likely that the county will see a higher concentration of the population in the south-central area around Ruidoso, Alto and Ruidoso Downs.

"You will undergo the same kind of dynamic, in terms of going precinct to precinct and drawing

lines around approximately 5,000 people, so that everybody in the county is represented equally," Adair said.

"In 2000, when Lincoln County approached this challenge of redistricting, there were only 13 precincts. We could not redistrict Lincoln County without creating some separate polling places and separate subsections of precincts; you cannot break up a precinct because of a requirement that they remain whole for the purpose of state representatives and state senate and U.S. Congress redistricting," he said. "But, as long as you maintain the integrity of the outer boundary of each precinct, you can carve out parts of them so they may apply to a county commission, a school board or whatever else needs redistricting."

Adair used the towns of Tinnie, San Patricio and Lincoln as examples of separate polling places that are currently designated as precincts A, B or C, for example, within a numbered precinct. He said there is an initiative underway across the state to eliminate subsection precincts.

"As you move forward to 2011 redistricting, the county clerk has to submit to the Census Bureau a map which takes Lincoln County to 20 precincts," Adair said. "The reason for this is to give you greater flexibility. There is a great deal of pressure from the Census Bureau, the Secretary of State and so on. We're trying to get away from the 12A, B, C, the 1A, 6a, all of those kinds of things we have around the state and counties. You'll just have precincts one through 20."

He said that the increased number of precincts will give the county commissioners more flexibility in ensuring equality among the populations of each precinct.

Adair went on to explain that some school boards hold elections for at-large positions that represent the school district as a whole rather than a district because of an exemption in the law.

"It may be because of the size of the school board; it may be because no law suits or court challenges have ever been made because of under-representation of a particular community or a particular ethnic group," Adair said.

County clerk Rhonda Burrows corrected Adair's comments by reporting that the county will actually be drawn into 21 precincts.

Adair told the county commissioners that, although they have to work with existing divisions of land, their goal should include making precinct boundaries as close to rectangular as possible.

"Some of them can be very crazy, and it gives the public the perception that you've somehow gone out there and drawn a line around something, which you didn't do at all," Adair said. "You just worked with the existing building blocks, and if the blocks

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Thank You

Gene Chavez's wife Donna, would like to thank everyone in the community for their prayers and support during Gene's last days and the difficult time following his departure from this life. The outpouring of love in the form of cards, flowers, food and phone calls, were greatly appreciated.

May God Bless you back as much as you have blessed us in our time of sorrow.

Donna, Eric, Troy

OBITUARY

ALVIN "Bob" HARCROW

Alvin "Bob" Harcrow, 86, died at his home in Ruidoso August 28 after a long illness.

Bob is survived by his wife, Jan; daughters, Marilyn Lane and her husband Joe of Alamogordo, and Frances Traylor and her husband Hub of Capitan; stepsons, Doug Perea and his wife Terri of Parker, AZ and Jory Perea of Carlsbad; sister, Aliene Cooper of Roswell; brother, Donald Harcrow and his wife Della of Artesia; six grandchildren, seven great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. Bob was preceded in death by his father, Alvin Harcrow, his mother, Mary Lafferty Harcrow; brother Earl Harcrow; his first wife, Marjorie Latham Harcrow and grandson, Bobby Lane.

Bob was born June 19, 1924 in Roswell. Bob was six years old when his mother died and he was raised by his grandparents. Bob grew up in Capitan and graduated from high school there in 1942. As soon as Bob turned 18 he joined the Army Air Corps and served in the South Pacific as a nose gunner on a B29. He completed 35 combat missions and received the Air Medal with two Oak Leaf clusters, Good Conduct Medal, Asiatic-Pacific Theater Campaign Medal with six Service Stars (bronze) and one Service Star (silver), Philippine Liberation Ribbon with one Service Star (bronze) and one Overseas Service Bar.

He married Marjorie Latham in 1945 and in 1949 went to work for the N.M. State Highway Dept. Marjorie died in 1975 and in 1978 he married Jan Perea. Bob retired from the N.M. State Highway Dept. in 1979 as the district maintenance superintendent.

A memorial service will be held at the First Christian Church in Ruidoso on Friday, September 3, at 10:00 a.m.

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WEATHER REPORT

by JEFF HAMMOND

Once again there is a cold front moving into New Mexico from the east. Look for cooler temperatures, and occasional gusty winds.

Here in Lincoln County we can expect a slight chance for showers and thunderstorms on a daily basis, with partly cloudy skies from today until Sunday afternoon.

The Labor Day forecast for Carrizozo is mostly sunny skies with temperatures in the mid to high 80s, so come one out and celebrate at the Carrizozo Street Fair.

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

Today, Thursday, Sept. 2

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a high near 93, calm wind becoming northwest around 5 mph, night: A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a low around 57, south wind 5 to 10 mph becoming east between 15 and 20 mph.

Friday, September 3

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy and breezy, with a high near 83, night: A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, mostly cloudy, with a low around 53.

Saturday, September 4

A fair chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a high near 84, night: A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a low around 56.

Sunday, September 5

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a high near 87, night: A fair chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a low around 56. Labor Day,

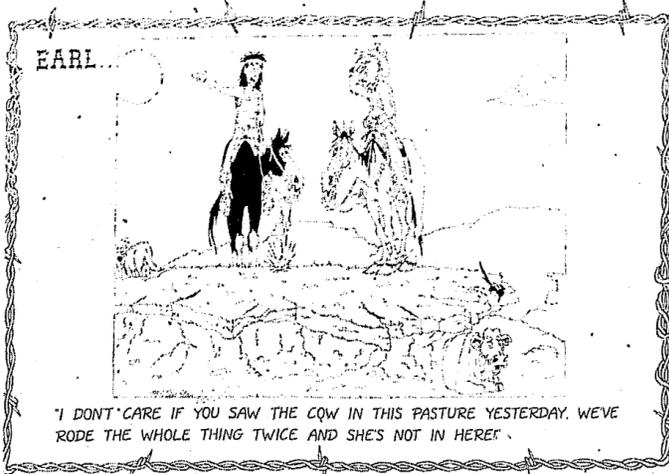
Monday, September 6

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a high near 88, night: A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a low around 55.

Tuesday, September 7

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy,

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* Inside the Capitol

By Jay Miller, Syndicated Columnist

Battleship NM Was Present At Japanese Surrender

SANTA FE -- On September 2, 1945, a formal surrender was signed by the Japanese, aboard the USS Missouri, in Tokyo Bay. This year (today) marks the 65th anniversary of that event ending World War II.

The Japanese delegation, unable to find any vessel seaworthy enough to take them into the bay, boarded an American destroyer to take them on the 16-mile journey.

An impressive 258 Allied warships filled the bay, making it one of the most formidable displays of naval power ever assembled in one anchorage. Many more could have joined them, but it was an invitation-only event for warships that had distinguished themselves in Pacific battles.

The Battleship New Mexico was there, honored for her service in the Gilberts, Marshalls, Solomons, Marianas, Philippines and Okinawa. In her last two battles, she suffered three kamikaze hits, killing a total of 83, including the commanding officer, and injuring 206.

Also present was Gen. Jonathon Wainwright, the beloved commanding officer who remained in the Philippines after MacArthur left.

Wainwright, who had endured all the prison camp atrocities experienced by his troops and looking like a skeleton, was quickly rescued from a prison camp in China and brought to the ceremony.

He took a place of honor, near MacArthur and reportedly received the first ceremonial pen when MacArthur signed the surrender document as the Supreme Commander of Allied Powers in Japan.

The Navy was not impressed that MacArthur became supreme commander or that he would conduct the surrender ceremonies. MacArthur's promotion made it appear that the Army had won the war in the Pacific and not the Navy.

Obviously, it took both but neither wanted to admit it because the two services were completely separate entities. Had Japan not created the same problems for itself, our divided command would have caused us even more problems.

And the only reason the Air Force wasn't part of the argument was that it wasn't created until 1947.

The solution to the Navy's

displeasure was to have MacArthur conduct the ceremony aboard a Navy ship. And to get President Harry Truman's cooperation in the deal, the vessel chosen for the surrender ceremony was the Battleship Missouri.

Instead of being conducted on the broad fantail of the Missouri, the signing took place on a narrow quarterdeck, around a worn table from the ship's galley, covered by a coffee-stained green tablecloth. The ceremony was short, which pleased both MacArthur and the Japanese.

Another indication of evident downplaying of the ceremony was that the American officers wore khaki uniforms. The British wore shorts. Our other allies wore dress uniforms. The Japanese wore top hats and tails. That's an interesting progression from those who had the most to do with winning the war to those who lost.

Although the ceremony was simple and understated, it was followed by a massive show of strength, as 1,900 Allied aircraft came roaring overhead.

Following the August 15 surrender declaration by Emperor Hirohito, it took two weeks before the first American soldiers landed in Japan. Air drops to prison camps, containing New Mexico troops, had been occurring and agents from the Office of Strategic Services had parachuted into prison camps to keep order until troops arrived.

One of the first tasks of the soldiers who landed was to get to the airfields to remove propellers from Japanese aircraft. There still was unrest among many of the military and a fear that mutinous kamikaze pilots might make a last-minute bid for immortality during the surrender ceremonies.

The first stage of the occupation was to provide for the care of Allies who had been held captive. It was accomplished as quickly as possible because our troops were clamoring to get out and families back home wanted to know of their loved ones.

The Battleship Missouri can be visited in Honolulu by going to Pearl Harbor and taking a shuttle. Tours are conducted of various parts of the ship. Or one may go directly to view the surrender location and listen to a recording of MacArthur's words.

THOUGHTS

From the Editor's Desk

Fun Activities for Labor Day Weekend

by Ruth Hammond

There are many opportunities to have fun this long Labor Day weekend. The 20th annual All American Fun and Western Collectable Show will be held Saturday and Sunday at the Convention Center in Ruidoso. Activities will be held all day Monday for the Carrizozo Labor Day Street Fair.

Right now you are probably thankful that these events have been scheduled and you may be in the process of making plans. The main thing is to enjoy because cooler weather will be here soon. Years ago the Labor Day weekend was the last long weekend of the year. Youngsters had the opportunity to cram as much fun in as possible. Back then school started the next day. Nowadays it is anyone's guess as to when school starts.

It seems that year round schools are more of a possibility than they had been. The advantage is that vacations can be at anytime, not just in the summer. The disadvantage is that you have no idea if the youngsters you see out in public are on hiatus from school or are truant. Some parents object to irregular school days and vacations because of finding daycare for their youngsters.

But all these issues will be moot when the tads get older. Childcare will not be necessary and parents will be more concerned with where the youngsters are and what they are doing. And by then the parents will be wishing for the good old days when childcare was their main concern. And it shall come to pass that some of these parents will remember their own parents comments about, "Just wait until you have children of your own."

Until you have your own children and have the same situations your parents had, you have no idea what your parents meant. It is at this time that your parents can snicker and think to themselves, "I told you so." And now you do know.

Then again you may have an ideal child and be completely unaware of what it is like to have a child be normal. One person had an ideal child and took it for granted until a decade later a monster type youngster arrived. Lipstick was used to paint walls, toys were scattered, and this child had more energy than a dozen ideal children.

Eventually this parent learned to cope but it was fun watching. This weekend you may have the chance to watch many parents cope at any or all of the fun activities. Drive carefully and be safe.

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Lincoln County Medical Center welcomes Lynn Taylor, MSN, CNP, to our growing family of providers. Ms. Taylor is a dedicated healthcare provider in the ER Fast Track, which treats patients who have non-emergent and non-urgent cases, allowing for care in a timely, efficient manner. She has more than 30 years of nursing experience and has been a Certified Nurse Practitioner for the past eight years.

Ms. Taylor received her bachelor's degree in nursing from the State University of New York in Albany. She obtained her master of science degree in nursing from Rutgers University in New Jersey. Prior to joining LCMC, Ms. Taylor worked in both clinical and emergency department settings in Las Vegas and Albuquerque.

Ms. Taylor provides care in the LCMC ER, Friday through Monday, 12 p.m. to 10 p.m.

LINCOLN COUNTY MEDICAL CENTER
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LEGAL NOTICE

ALTO LAKES SPECIAL ZONING DISTRICT

On the 14th day of September, 2010, there will be held for the Alto Lakes Special Zoning District an election for the purpose of electing members of the Zoning Commission.

The polling precinct for this Election will be as follows:

Voting District	Polling Place	Precinct Board Members
Alto Lakes Special Zoning	Lincoln County Clerks Office	Lincoln County Clerks Office Staff

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

Absentee voting will be permitted in the manner authorized by Section 1-6-1 et seq., NMSA 1978; provided, however, that pursuant to Section 1-22-19, NMSA 1978, qualified electors may also vote absentee in person at the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, 300 Central Ave, Carrizozo, NM, during the regular hours and days of business from 8:00 a.m., August 20, 2010 being the twenty-fifth day preceding the Election, until 5:00 p.m. September 10, 2010, being the Friday immediately prior to the Election. Absentee ballots shall be mailed or, if requested, electronically transmitted to each such applicant or registered voter who is a federal qualified elector and overseas voter, not later than September 9, 2010 being the Thursday immediately prior to the date of the election as provided in Section 1-6-5 NMSA 1978.

The following persons have declared their candidacy for the Board as follows:

- Position 1**, a two year term commencing September 23, 2010
Terry M Porter
- Position 2**, a two year term commencing September 23, 2010
Lucas Dale McLaughlin
- Position 3**, a two year term commencing September 23, 2010
Donna S Hastey
- Position 4**, a two year term commencing September 23, 2010
James R Abbott
- Position 5**, a two year term commencing September 23, 2010
Mary M Santos

THIS NOTICE IS PUBLISHED IN MY CAPACITY AS PRINCIPAL FILING OFFICER FOR THE ELECTION.

BY: RHONDA B BURROWS
LINCOLN COUNTY CLERK

(SEAL OF THE COUNTY CLERK)

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DISTRITO ESPECIAL DE ZONA

En el día 14 de Septiembre, 2010, tomará lugar una elección para el Distrito Especial de Zona, Alto Lakes, con propósito de elegir miembros de la Comisión de Zona.

El recinto de la interrogación para esta elección será como sigue:

Districto de Votación	Districto Especial de Zona, Alto Lakes
<u>Colegio Electoral</u>	oficina del Clérigo del Condado de Lincoln
<u>Miembros del Consejo del Recinto</u>	oficina de los vendedores de condado

Los lugares de votar estarán abiertos entre las hora de las 7 de la mañana y 7 de la tarde el día de la elección.

El votar en ausencia se permitirá según Sección 1-22-19, NMSA 1978, con tal que, según Sección 1-22-19, NMSA 1978, electores calificados tambien pueden votar ausente en persona en la oficina del Clérigo del Condado de Lincoln, durante días y horas normales desde las 8 de la mañana, día 20 de Agosto, 2010, el día veinticinco antes de la elección. Se enviarán por aire, o electrónicamente se se pide, boletas a cual elector aplicante quien es elector calificado federal y transmar, antes día 9 de Septiembre, 2010, el Jueves antes de la elección, según sección 1-6-5 NMSA 1978.

Las personas siguientes han declarado su candidatura para el tablero como sigue:

- Posición 1**, término de dos años, para comenzar el día 23 de Septiembre, 2010
Terry M Porter
- Posición 2**, término de dos años, para comenzar el día 23 de Septiembre, 2010
Lucas Dale McLaughlin
- Posición 3**, término de dos años, para comenzar el día 23 de Septiembre, 2010
Donna S Hastey
- Posición 4**, término de dos años, para comenzar el día 23 de Septiembre, 2010
James R Abbott
- Posición 5**, término de dos años, para comenzar el día 23 de Septiembre, 2010
Mary M Santos

ESTE ANUNCIO SE PUBLICA EN MI CAPACIDAD COMO OFICIAL PRINCIPAL DE LA LIMADURA PARA LA ELECCIÓN.

POR: RHONDA B BURROWS
CLERGO DE CONDADO DE LINCOLN

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on July 29, 2010, the Village of Capitan, P.O. Box 246, Capitan, New Mexico 88316-0246, filed applicaiton No. H-685-POD-7 with the STAE ENGINEER for permit to supplement the diversion of up to 287.18 acre feet per annum of groundwater by drilling a well approximatgely 500 feet in depth and 15 inches in diameter at a point in the NE1/4SW1/4NE1/4, Section 18, Township 9 South, Range 15 East, N.M.P.M.

The applicant proposed to supplement the following described wells:

WELL NUMBER	SUBDIVISION	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE
H-685	S1/2SW1/4NW1/4	8	9 South	14 East
H-685-S	Block 24, Original Capitan Town Site	10	9 South	14 East
H-685-S-2	NE1/4SW1/4NE1/4	18	9 South	15 East
H-685-S-4	NE1/4	18	9 South	15 East
H-685-POD6	NW1/4NW1/4NW1/4	18	9 South	15 East

for municipal purposes within the Village of Capitan, and at the following locations described as follows:

SUBDIVISION	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE
SW1/4	17	9S	14E
NW1/4	9	9S	14E
SW1/4	7	9S	14E
SE1/4	7	9S	14E
SW1/4	3	9S	14E
SW1/4	3	9S	14E
SW1/4	3	9S	14E
SW1/4	3	9S	14E
NE1/4	10	9S	14E
NE1/4	10	9S	14E
SE1/4	9	9S	14E
SE1/4	4	9S	14E
SW1/4	7	9S	14E
SW1/4	5	9S	14E
SW1/4	3	9S	14E
SW1/4	18	9S	14E
SE1/4	34	8S	14E
SE1/4	33	8S	14E
SE1/4	33	8S	14E
NE1/4	21	9S	13E
NW1/4	22	9S	13E
NE1/4	22	9S	13E
NE1/4	23	9S	13E
NE1/4	23	9S	13E
SW1/4	13	9S	13E
SW1/4	18	9S	14E
SW1/4	12	9S	14E
NW1/4	14	9S	14E
SW1/4	10	9S	14E
NW1/4	10	9S	14E
SE1/4	10	9S	14E
SE1/4	12	9S	14E
NW1/4SW1/4	34	8S	14E
SW1/4NW1/4	34	8S	14E

Applicant seeks emergency authorization pursuant to NMSA 1-6-5 to supplement the diversion of up to 287.18 acre feet per annum of groundwater by drilling a well located approximately three miles east of the Village of Capitan, New Mexico. All are in 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 tha the objector sows how they will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment you must specifically indicate the rights; and/or (2) Public welfare/conservation of water; if public welfare/conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show you will be substantially affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with John R. D'Antonio, Jr., P.E., State Engineer, 1900 West Second Street, Roswell, New Mex-

ico 88201, within ten (10) days after the date of last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (fax) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protest can be faxed to Office of the State Engineer, (575) 623-8559. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Section 72-2-16, 72-5-6, and 72-12-3.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED ORDINANCES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the governing body of the Village of Capitan will consider for adoption at its regular meeting scheduled for Tuesday, September 14, 2010 at 6:30 PM at the Village Hall, ordinances for:

1. Ordinance 2010-___ Amending Title 9, Chapter 1, Section 5:C(1): Late Fee; Water Meter Turn Off; Charges; Title 9, Chapter 2, Section 3:A: Size of Service Tap; Title 9, Chapter 2, Section 6:A(1) and 6:B: Removal and Installation of Meter; Tap Fee
2. Ordinance 2010-___ An Ordinance Adopting the New Mexico Uniform Traffic Ordinance By Reference: The 2010 Compilation of the New Mexico Uniform Traffic Ordinance, Comprising Sections 12-1-1 through 12-13-6 inclusive, and all changes through July 2, 2010, are herewith adopted by reference, pursuant to Section 3-17-6 NMSA 1978.

Kay Strickland, CMC
Village Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners is hereby accepting nominations for appointment to the Lincoln Historic Preservation Board for one (1) member to serve on the Board.

The prospective member(s) shall be a property owner in the Lincoln Historic District and must be domiciled and registered to vote within the County of Lincoln.

Nominations shall be made in writing to the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners for appointment to the Lincoln Historic Preservation Board. In making the appointment to the Board, the Commission shall give consideration to maintaining the balance of interests and skills of the Board, and to the individual qualifications of the candidates, including their interest, experience and knowledge in community and cultural traditions.

Nominations will be accepted by the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners at the Lincoln County Courthouse, P.O. Box 711, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301, until 8:00 A.M., September 20, 2010.

John J. Gutvara
Administrative Assistant/
Human Resources

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Weather . . .
(Con't. from P. 4)

with a high near 85, night: A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a low around 55.

Forecast for Ruidoso, Capitan and Corona and most of the Hondo Valley:

Today, Thursday, Sept. 2

A fair chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a high near 83, north wind between 5 and 10 mph, night: A fair chance of showers and thunderstorms, mostly cloudy, with a low around 49, southeast wind between 5 and 15 mph.

Friday, September 3

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, mostly cloudy, with a high near 74, night: A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, mostly cloudy, with a low around 46.

(Con't. on P. 8)

ENJOY THE LABOR DAY

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No. D-1226-CV-201000104

PNC MORTGAGE, A DIVISION OF PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO NATIONAL CITY MORTGAGE A DIVISION OF NATIONAL CITY BANK,

Plaintiff,

v.

BRIAN J. KIESER; ALTO LAKES GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB, INC.; CHRISTIAN CONSTRUCTION; OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE NAMES ARE UNKNOWN, IF ANY,

Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 14, 2010 at 10:00 AM, front Entrance to the Lincoln County District Court, 300 Central Ave Carrizozo, NM, 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 42, BLOCK 3, LAKESIDE ESTATES, UNIT 1, LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN BY THE PLAT THEREOF FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK AND EX-OFFICIO RECORDER OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, JUNE 12, 1964.

The address of the real property is 302 Lake Shore Dr, Alto, NM 88312.

Said sale will be made pursuant to the Decree of Foreclosure entered on July 29, 2010 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 \$464,145.80 plus interest from May 18, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.305% 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 mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the 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: August 13, 2010.

Peter Baca Special Master
c/o Castle Meinhold & Stawiariski
999 18th St., Suite 2201, Bin 1
Denver, CO 80202
(800) 286-0013 (303) 285-2222
10-0499 FC01 P736056

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No. D-1226-CV-201000050

BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP,

Plaintiff,

v.

MARIA TOVAR; OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE NAMES ARE UNKNOWN IF ANY; THE UNKNOWN-SPOUSE OF MARIA TOVAR, IF ANY,

Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 21, 2010 at 10:00 AM, front Entrance to the Lincoln County District Court, 300 Central Ave Carrizozo, NM, 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 7, BLOCK 7, TOWN & COUNTRY ESTATES, RUIDOSO, LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN BY THE PLAT THEREOF FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK AND EX-OFFICIO RECORDER OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, ON NOVEMBER 20, 1963.

The address of the real property is 213 Hanson, Ruidoso, NM 88345.

Said sale will be made pursuant to the Decree of Foreclosure entered on August 9, 2010 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 \$113,603.31 plus interest from June 18, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 5.250% 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

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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 mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the 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: August 23, 2010.

Peter Baca Special Master
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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No. D-1226-CV-201000019

US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE TO WACHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR BANC OF AMERICA FUNDING CORPORATION SERIES 2004-1,

Plaintiff,

v.

RAYMOND D. COULTAS; VICTORIA S. COULTAS; OCCUPANTS, WHOSE TRUE NAMES ARE UNKNOWN, IF ANY; MOUNTAIN TOP, INC.,

Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on September 21, 2010 at 10:00 AM, front Entrance to the Lincoln County District Court, 300 Central Ave Carrizozo, NM, 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 10, Block H, of RUIDOSO ACRES, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the Amended Plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on August 29, 1929.

The address of the real property is 1133 Main Road, Ruidoso, NM 88345.

Said sale will be made pursuant to the Decree of Foreclosure entered on August 9, 2010 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 \$207,029.40 plus interest from July 16, 2010 to the date of sale at the rate of 7.625% 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 mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the 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: August 23, 2010.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE
ICIP WORKSHOP**

The Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village of Capitan will hold a public workshop on Tuesday, September 14, 2010 at Village Hall at 114 Lincoln Avenue in Capitan, NM at 6:00 PM.

The purpose of the workshop is to create the Village's 2012-2016 Infrastructure Capital Improvement Plan.

The Public is encouraged to attend and participate in deciding on the needed capital improvements of the community.

Kay Strickland, Village Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on April 20, 2010, Charles and Carole Collins, P.O. Box 233, Tinnie, New Mexico 88351, filed application No. RA-9137-B with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change location of well by ceasing the use of well No. RA-9137 located in the NE1/4NW1/4SE1/4 of Section 5, Township 9 South, Range 18 East, N.M.P.M.

The applicant proposes to drill a replacement well approximately 300 feet in depth and 5 inches in diameter at a point in the NE1/4NW1/4SE1/4 of Section 5, Township 9 South, Range 18 East, N.M.P.M., for the continued diversion of 70.0 acre-feet per annum of shallow groundwater for domestic and livestock watering purposes and the irrigation of 23.33 acres of land described as the S1/2NW1/4SE1/4 and S1/2N1/2NW1/4SE1/4 all in Section 5, Township 9 South, Range 18 East, N.M.P.M.

The proposed new well is to be located within 100 feet of the original well.

Emergency Authorization is requested.

The above described points of diversion are located approximately 2 1/2 miles southwest of Arabela, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public welfare/conservation of water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show you will be substantially affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with John R. D'Antonio, Jr., P.E., State Engineer, 1900 West Second Street, Roswell, New Mexico 88201, within ten (10) days after the date of last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (fax) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is sent within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protest can be faxed to Office of the State Engineer, (575) 623-8559. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with Sections 72-2-16, 72-5-6, and 72-12-3.

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NOTICE OF RESCHEDULED BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners has rescheduled their Regular Commission Meeting, September 21, 2010 to Friday, September 24, 2010, 8:30 a.m., to be held in the Commission Chambers at the Lincoln County Courthouse, in Carrizozo, New Mexico due to County Clerk voting space requirements.

This meeting will also include the canvassing of the September 21, 2010 Special Election for the Gross Receipts Tax.

BILLIE-JO GUEVARA
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT/
HUMAN RESOURCES

Published in the Lincoln County News on Thursday, September 2, 2010.

LEGAL NOTICE

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

Cause No: DM-2005-172
Division III

ANDRA FISH,
Petitioner,

vs.

SERGIO RAMIREZ,
Respondent.

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

TO: SERGIO RAMIREZ

Notice is hereby given to SERGIO RAMIREZ that ANDRA FISH has filed an Amended Petition to Dissolve Common Law Marriage, Adjudicate Paternity, Custody Support, Visitation and to Change the Name of the Minor Child in the Twelfth Judicial District Court in Lincoln County, New Mexico.

The attorney for Petitioner is BRYANT, SCHNEIDER-COOK LAW FIRM, P.A., Angie K. Schneider-Cook, 159 Mescalero Trail, Suite 8, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345, telephone number 575.258.5546.

If you do not file an answer or other responsive pleading within twenty (20) days from the last date of publication of this Notice, Petitioner will request the court to grant her the relief sought in the Amended Petition.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico on this the 20 day of August 2010.

/Jan Perry
District Court Clerk

/Gloria LaMay
By:Deputy

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**THINK
RAIN.**

Grizzlies Lose Close One (26-29) to Roswell JV in Season Opener

by C. Stone

The Carrizozo Grizzly Varsity Football team traveled to Roswell for its season opener and took on the Roswell High JV Coyotes at the Wool Bowl Saturday last. Both teams' offenses seemed to be in mid-season form and had no trouble lighting up the scoreboard as the Grizzlies lost a hard

fought contest to the young Coyotes 26-29.

In the first minutes of the first quarter the Coyotes took the lead 6-0, but a Cole Hubbard TD, Grizzly Jr. running back, tied the score 6-6.

Roswell added two more scores before halftime and the visiting Grizzlies added another score of their own with Hubbard scoring his 2nd TD. Halftime score

had the Coyotes leading 21-12.

The second half saw both teams take turns finding paydirt and Roswell led 29-20 going into the final period.

With just a little over 10 minutes left in the fourth quarter, the Grizzlies were making headway down the field when Senior, Joel Ferguson dislocated his knee and was taken by

ambulance to the local hospital. When play resumed, Cole Hubbard ran for his fourth touchdown of the day bringing the score 29 Coyotes, 26 Grizzlies.

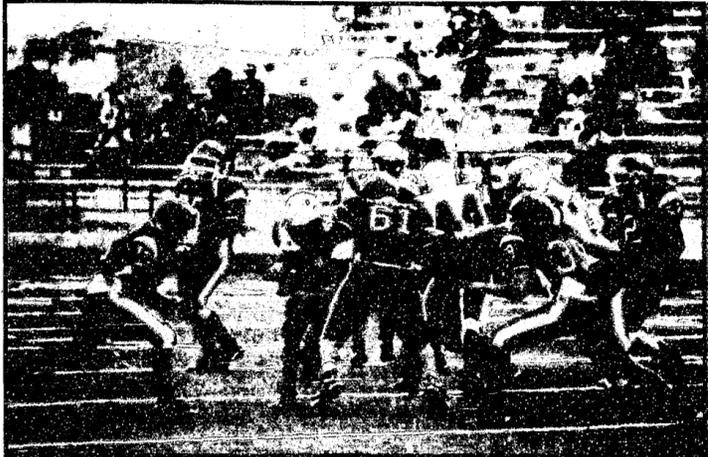
With about a minute and a half left in the game the Coyotes intercepted a Grizzlies pass and ran it inside the five yard line, but the Grizzly defense held, making final score 29 to 26 Coyotes.

Congratulations to the Grizzly team for a hard fought game that saw them outnumbered at least 3 to 1 and saw the host team constantly substituting fresh players, with temperatures in the 90s most of the game.

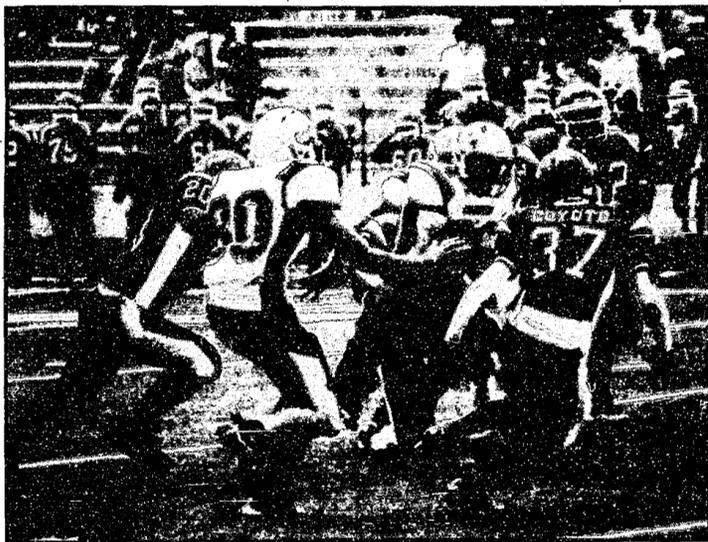
Next game for the local team will be this Friday as they travel to Ft. Sumner on Friday to battle the Foxes. Kickoff set for 7:00 p.m.

The Jr. High football team will travel to Mescalero on Saturday for a 10:00 a.m. game.

Volleyball teams (Varsity, JV and Jr. High) will host Magdalena today (Thursday) with matches starting at 4:00 p.m., and then travel to Vaughn on Tuesday (Varsity and Jr. High) with matches set to start at 5:00 p.m.



Junior Cole Hubbard (with ball) lowers shoulders and gets ready for some contact from Roswell JV defender. Carrizozo lost its season opener 26-29 as both teams lit up the scoreboard at the Wool Bowl in Roswell. (Courtesy photo by C. Stone)



Carrizozo Grizzly fullback Marshall Wilson (Sr.) finds a nice hole and gains some good yardage against Roswell JV defense. (Courtesy photo by C. Stone)

GRIZZLY SPORTS CALENDAR

Varsity Football

Friday, Sept. 3rd -- 7:00 p.m.
CARRIZOZO at FT. SUMNER

Jr. High Football

Saturday, Sept. 4th / 10a.m.
at Mescalero

Girl's Volleyball

Today, Thurs., Sept. 2nd -- 4:00 p.m.
MAGDALENA at CARRIZOZO
Varsity - JV and Jr. High

Tuesday, Sept. 7th -- 5:00 p.m.
CARRIZOZO at VAUGHN
Varsity and Jr. High

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Carrizozo Community Connection

School Superintendents' Report

I know that many of you have passed by the school campus wondering what is going on with all the construction. First of all, I would like to thank the community/parents of Carrizozo for all of the support you give our students, staff, and the school in general. This community continues to overwhelm me with the tireless effort it invests in educating our kids, (your kids) our future. We are still somewhat a ways from my vision for this campus; we are hiring the best qualified teachers we can find to teach at our school, a school that will offer both the best in facilities available and the best in technology.

Many of you are wondering how does our school continue to function with this economic downfall that you're hearing about in the news with schools across New Mexico, the lay offs, the closings, cut backs, et cetera. Our goal is to make sure that this economic downturn affects the education of our students as little as possible, we are making cuts we see as necessary, making sure our prime directive (giving our students the best education possible) stays in tact. Along with supporting our schools, we want to make sure we continue to support legislators that support education not only with words, but with actions that make a difference for our kids.

The question is, how do we explain cutting staff and yet keeping our construction projects going? The answer is actually quite simple. The money that we get from the state, federal, or from bonds, to run our schools, is categorized. There are many categories for example, we cannot pay our staff salaries from money that is there to maintain our buildings, it is a different category, we cannot pay staff from bond money, it is a different category, we cannot buy supplies for the school from our Cafeteria's money, it is a different category. They are all in their own category and can only be used for that specific reason. I hope that this explanation helps clarify any question you might have had.

As you can see we are making the grounds as maintenance free as possible. The following are things we have done and have left to do. We have planted approximately 150 trees with a drip irrigation system. There will be rock all around those trees with the exception of the two sections north of the Gazebo and the one section south, it will be grass with a sprinkler system. We also have a big grizzly that we will be placing across from the bell tower that we have yet to put up. We have safety and directional signs we will be putting up throughout the campus. We are looking for white sand to finish the sand volleyball court. We also want to paint the new gym along with many of the other buildings needing it. We also have the Solar Project grant and we are in the process of choosing a company to take on that project. It is approximately eighty solar panels that will be set up just north of the new gym. It will create enough electricity to save the school about \$100,000 a month on electric bills.

I ask that you continue to encourage your children to take care of these facilities that we are now so proud to have. Also, let them know that when facilities are damaged, it cost tax payers (you and I) money to fix. Again, I can't Thank You enough for all that you do to support Carrizozo Municipal Schools.

Sincerely,
ROBERT COBOS
Superintendent,
Carrizozo Municipal Schools

Old Lincoln

September is here and it looks like the first hurricane is on its way to the east coast. We will all be watching it.

How many were able to watch Glen Beck's gathering at the Lincoln Memorial Saturday? We were unable to watch it but it must have been very inspiring. Some of the photos were very touching.

There have also been some great meteorite showers the first part of August.

The Creative Memories group met at Ft. Lone Tree over the weekend. It is a great time to catch up on your photo albums. Several of the women were working on family weddings. Somehow I left all my paper, etc. in Las Cruces so got to do a lot of visiting.

There are so many new paper and stickers, etc. it is hard to choose what you want to have. The group will meet again November 5,6,7, 2010.

It rained Saturday morning but the weather was beautiful, especially after the hot weather in Las Cruces. The country is so pretty and green. The grass is starting to mature and of course there are also lots of weeds.

Hello Mark. Your son, Rev. Travis Bennett tells me you are a reader of my column and love Lincoln plus other areas of NM. Rev. Bennett is the new minister of the Morning Star Methodist Church and is new to New Mexico.



Redistricting Time . . .

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look more like blocks, then the public will have greater confidence that what you're trying to do is to keep together communities of interest, and parts of the county that have something to do with each other and some sort of mutual interest in public policy," he said.

County commissioner Eileen Sedillo asked Adair whether or not the census counted people who are living in the area illegally, alluding to a migration of illegal residents to the Ruidoso that could skew the population figures, and was told that the census counts everyone. He said that seasonal or migratory workers are counted in the location that they consider to be home, where they collect their mail or where they live for at least six months of the year.

Adair told the county commissioners that New Mexico's 33 counties employ a variety of methods when it comes to redistricting. In eight or 10 counties, he said, the county commission takes an active role in making decisions from the start, but in most counties the county clerk takes the lead role. He said that former Lincoln County Clerk Tammie Maddox took the initiative in 2001.

After holding a series of public hearings to better know the wishes of its constituents, the final decision always rests on the county commission, Adair added.

Magistrate Judge Martha Proctor told Adair that some counties hire a research and polling firm to do a lot of the work associated with redistricting, but she preferred to do

the work in-house when she served as county clerk.

"It was very expensive, so I chose to work on this myself, with the help of many people," Proctor said. "There's a lot more logic since we do understand exactly what Lincoln County is about, rather than when we hire an outside company to come in and do this for us. To me, it was very rewarding to know that we did it to the best of our ability."

She encouraged the county commissioners to roll up their sleeves and do as much of the work in-house as possible, and stressed the importance of public hearings.

Burrows said that one research and polling firm holds a contract with the state to create the districting maps that the county will work with in the redistricting process.

"We did receive what they call a shape file," Burrows said. "The precincts have, for all intents and purposes, been drawn. We had to have those done by June because the Census Bureau required it."

She said that Lincoln County presents particular challenges when it comes to trying to keep the boundaries somewhat rectangular because the lines are often drawn based on geographical elements for practicality, so people don't have to drive around a mountain to get to a polling place, for example. Using roads as dividing lines can too often divide communities or force the people on one side of the street to drive a great distance to vote when their neighbors can vote nearby.

60 Second Film Contest . . .

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Weather Report . . .

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Saturday, September 4
A fair chance of showers and thunderstorms, mostly cloudy, with a high near 78, night: A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, mostly cloudy, with a low around 49.

Sunday, September 5
A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, mostly cloudy, with a high near 79, night: A fair chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a low around 49.

LEGAL NOTICE
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Cause No: DM-2005-172
Division III

ANDRA FISH,
Petitioner,

vs.
SERGIO RAMIREZ,

Respondent.

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

TO: SERGIO RAMIREZ

Notice is hereby given to SERGIO RAMIREZ that ANDRA FISH has filed an Amended Petition to Dissolve Common Law Marriage, Adjudicate Paternity, Custody Support, Visitation and to Change the Name of the Minor Child in the Twelfth Judicial District Court in Lincoln County, New Mexico.

The attorney for Petitioner is BRYANT, SCHNEIDER-COOK LAW FIRM, P.A., Angie K. Schneider-Cook, 159 Mesalero Trail, Suite 8, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345, telephone number 575.258.5546.

If you do not file an answer or other responsive pleading within twenty (20) days from the last date of publication of this Notice, Petitioner will request the court to grant her the relief sought in the Amended Petition.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico on this the 20 day of August 2010.

/Jan Perry
District Court Clerk

/Gloria LaMay
By:Deputy

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Labor Day, Monday, September 6
A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a high near 80, night: A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a low around 49.

Tuesday, September 7
A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a high near 78, night: A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy, with a low around 48.

The above information was taken from the National Weather Service Website. For up to date weather reports, go to www.srh.noaa.gov/abq/ on the internet. This website is up-dated every four hours.

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