

# Lincoln County Voters Make Their Choices

by Ruth Hammond

Lincoln County voters turned out to make their choices known in the midterm election Tuesday, with many casting early or absentee votes. Tallies show that more than 57 percent of the 13,149 registered voters in Lincoln County cast votes.

The unofficial tallies for Lincoln County are:

**US Representative District 2**  
 (D) Harry Teague 2,179  
 (R) Steve Pearce 5,183  
**Governor/ Lt. Governor**

(D) Diane D. Denish/ Brian S. Colón 1,979  
 (R) Susana Martinez/ John A. Sanchez 5,508  
**Write-In/Kenneth A. Gomez 27**  
 (machine total only, votes must be verified)

**Secretary of State**  
 (D) Mary Herrera 1,861  
 (R) Dianna J. Duran 5,581

**State Auditor**  
 (D) Hector Balderas 2,510  
 (R) Errol J. Chavez 4,767

**State Treasurer**  
 (D) James B. Lewis 2,230  
 (R) Jim D. Schoonover 5,018

**Attorney General**  
 (D) Gary K. King 2,541  
 (R) Matthew E. Chandler 4,922  
**Commissioner of Public Lands**  
 (D) Ray Bennett Powell 2,168  
 (R) Matthew D. Rush 5,146

**Judge of Court of Appeals Position 1**  
 (D) Robert E. Robles 2,044  
 (R) Ned S. Fuller 5,149

**Judge of Court of Appeals Position 2**  
 (D) Linda M. Vanzi 3,536

**Judge of Court of Appeals Position 3**  
 (D) Tim L. Garcia 3,560

**State Representative District 56**  
 (R) Zach J. Cook 2,134  
**State Representative District 57**  
 (R) Dennis J. Kintigh 3,127

**State Representative District 59**  
 (D) Ellen E. Wedum 1,32  
 (R) Nora Espinoza 414

**Public Regulation Commissioner District 2**  
 (D) Stephanie L. Dubois 503  
 (R) Patrick H. Lyons 1,193

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**ANDREA REED**, Lincoln County Community Health Council Coordinator, addressed the county's board of commissioners during its October meeting to update the commissioners on the health council's programs and roster for the coming year. (Photo by Patrice Brazie)

## Electric Rate Increase on County Agenda

by Patrice Brazie

During a special meeting this Friday, the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will have another look at a cooperative agreement to protest a proposal by the Public Service Company of New Mexico, (commonly PNM) to increase electricity rates in its southern territory. The agreement failed to meet full approval of the county commissioners in October because of some legal questions posed by county attorney Alan Morel.

During the commissioners' meeting of October 20, county

manger Tom Stewart reported that PNM had filed a request with the Public Regulatory Commission (PRC) in June for an overall 21 percent increase in rates that could result in rates as high as 25 percent in some instances. He said that estimates from the mayor of Ruidoso indicate that the increase could cost that village as much as \$119,000, and, although the county has fewer facilities receiving power from PNM, a 25 percent increase would add almost \$9,000 to its annual electricity costs.

Stewart provided the county commissioners with copies of a press release stating that mayors and elected officials from Ruidoso, Ruidoso Downs, Tularosa, Alamogordo, Silver City and Lordsburg met on September 22, and committed to forming a local government action committee to "ensure that a fair, transparent and equitable process be followed, and that any increase be wholly justified and held to a minimum". According to the press release, Alamogordo Mayor Ron Griggs was elected to serve as chairman of the group; Ruidoso Mayor Ray Albom will co-chair.

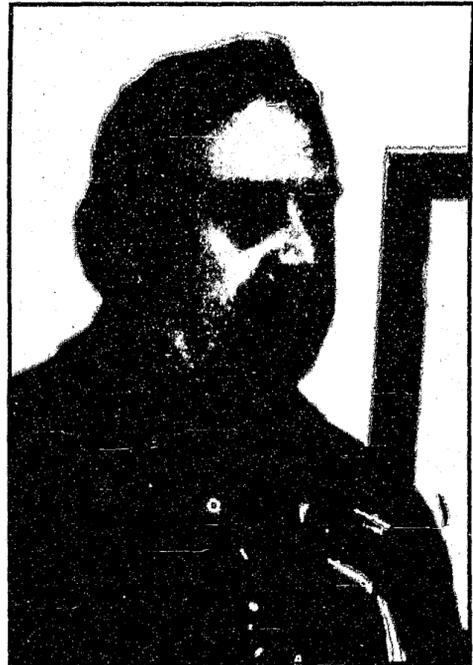
Ruidoso resident Rick Albers told the county commissioners that he has been

researching the proposed increase and urged them to add their names to the memorandum of cooperative agreement signed by the officials that met on September 22nd.

"It appears that we're only talking a few pennies per kilowatt hour here and there," Albers said, "but PNM

just finished part two of their first increase for PNM north and the second phase involves four-tenths of one penny. They implemented that two weeks early. They actually implemented it on March 15th and it was supposed to be implemented on April 1st. In that two week time

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**Ruidoso resident Rick Albers** recently appeared before the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners to ask for support in challenging a proposed increase in electric rates. The issue will be revisited during a special meeting of the board on Friday. (Photo by Patrice Brazie)

## USGS Water Study Continues

by Patrice Brazie

Michael Darr, hydrologist and the new project chief for the United States Geographic Survey (USGS) and Lincoln County's cooperative water mapping project, updated the board of county commissioners last week on the status of the project.

"I'm extremely pleased to be here in Lincoln County," Darr said. "I've done a number of projects here in Lincoln County in the past, have been working here in New Mexico for 15 years, and am committed to doing the best job possible for Lincoln County on defining the hydrology of the upper Hondo basin," he said.

"The objectives of the USGS multi-year study are to get information to assist Lincoln County to plan

for sustainable management of the ground water, the spring flow and water quality, to provide this basic information and knowledge to give you the information that you need to make informed decisions about the water resources and the water availability in the county," Darr continued.

Characterization of the area's precipitation, surface water or stream flow and ground water, as well as the end result of a creation of some kind of clear data that can be assessed and analyzed top the goals of the USGS in the Hondo water project, Darr explained.

"In order to characterize the precipitation, we've installed a new weather station on top of Capitan Mountain," he said. "That weather station has been in operation since 2009. We've been also working with

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## Health Council Roster Approved

by Patrice Brazie

Andrea Reed, Lincoln County Community Health Council Coordinator, presented that organization's roster to the county's board of commissioners on Tuesday, along with some updates on the group's activities.

Reed said that the health council has three active subcommittees, one for dealing with access to care and resources, one to work toward improving public transportation and another subcommittee on affordable housing in the area. She said that the health council realizes the importance of the transportation issue, is in the

process of assessing that issue, and will come back before the new board of county commissioners in January to discuss the issue further.

"As far as the affordable housing issue, we've really worked to think outside of the box on this," Reed said. "What we're proposing is that we find the owner of a dilapidated building who would be willing to enter into an agreement, and possibly bring in members of the construction trade and civic organizations or church organizations that would be willing to refurbish a dilapidated building."

She said that an agreement to repair a building to make it suitable for housing would include

contractual requirements for maintenance of an affordable rate of rent.

The council's substance abuse committee is working with middle and high school students "to connect youth with community, develop leadership and the skills so that they can mentor back in their schools and within the community." A committee on domestic violence and sexual assault recently held a workshop for students at the Eastern New Mexico University campus in Ruidoso regarding healthy relationships and the issues of domestic violence.

The health council's month-

ly mobile food pantry feeds 80-100 families per month, Reed said. The committee on substance abuse collaborates with several other drug prevention agencies and organizations to bring awareness programs to school-aged children. It has recently received funding for a five year Good Behavior Game program for primary school kids, beginning with first-graders and adding a grade each year. An application for funding for suicide prevention programs is pending.

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners unanimously approved the membership roster for the Lincoln County Community Health Council.

# Lincoln County Voters Make . . .

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## LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**MONDAYS and WEDNESDAYS**  
--Free GED classes 6 to 8 p.m.  
Carrizozo School Library

**TUESDAYS**  
--Capitan Public Library preschool story hour 1:30 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 3 to 4 p.m. pre-school story hour, 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 rrfriends of alcoholics, noon

at Methodist Church in Carrizozo, bring lunch.

**TODAY, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4**  
--Democratic Party of Lincoln County meets at 5:30 p.m. for volunteer appreciation dinner at Democratic headquarters, 618 Sudderth Dr. in Ruidoso. Public invited.

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5**  
--Special meeting of Lincoln County Commissioners 9:30 a.m. to canvas votes.

--Electronic recycling in Carrizozo. 9 a.m. to 12 noon at city hall. Free!

--Capitan Public Library First Friday lecture series to honor veterans of all branches of the US military.

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6**  
--Electronic recycling in Lincoln County, Free! 9 a.m. to 12 noon at Sierra Mall in Ruidoso for obsolete electronics, TV sets, pots and pans, computer peripherals, small electronics, circuit boards, toner cartridges, household appliances, copiers, printers, cell phones, radios, etc.

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7**  
--Daylight Savings Time ends. Set clocks back one hour.

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8**  
--Carrizozo Town Council 6:00 p.m.

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9**  
--Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce 12 noon at Four Winds.  
--Capitan Chamber of Commerce 1:00 p.m. at Visitor Center.  
--Ruidoso Village Council 4:30 p.m.

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11**  
--Veteran's Day. Most governmental offices closed.

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12**  
--All Veterans and their spouses are invited to a complimentary breakfast at Trinity United Methodist church across street from Carrizozo High school 7:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. sponsored by Carrizozo Junior Rotary.

**Public Regulation Commissioner**  
**District 5**  
(D) Bill McCamley 2,056  
(R) Ben L. Hall 3,522  
**District Judge**  
**12TH Judicial District**  
(R) Bill Brogan 5,511  
**Magistrate Judge**  
**Division 1**  
(R) Martha McKnight Proctor 5,396  
(I) Tony Seno 1,484  
**Magistrate Judge**  
**Division 2**  
(D) Salvador L. Beltrán 2,593  
(R) Lorena M. LaMay 4,754

**Constitution Amendment 1**  
Yes 5,496 No 1,476  
**Constitution Amendment 2**  
Yes 969 No 5,938  
**Constitution Amendment 3**  
Yes 3,904 No 2,804  
**Constitution Amendment 4**  
Yes 4,226 No 2,588  
**Constitution Amendment 5**  
Yes 1,265 No 5,466  
**Bond Question A**  
Yes 3,103 No 3,624  
**Bond Question B**  
Yes 2,967 No 3,773  
**Bond Question C**  
Yes 3,598 No 3,198  
**Bond Question D**  
Yes 2,864 No 3,909

All tallies are unofficial until approved by the canvass. The Lincoln County Commissioners will meet in special session tomorrow, Friday, November 5 to consider the canvass but if all overseas/military ballots have not been received the county commission may recess and reconvene Monday, November 8 to complete the canvass. Overseas/military ballots have until Saturday, November 6 to arrive in their respective precincts in the state according to a consent decree with the Department of Justice.

**County Commissioner**  
**District 2**  
(R) Mark R. Doth 860  
**County Commissioner**  
**District 4**  
(R) Kathryn L. Minter 1,371

**County Commissioner**  
**District 5**  
(R) Jackie M. Powell 879

**County Clerk**  
(R) Rhonda B. Burrows 5,991

**County Treasurer**  
(R) Glenna N. Robbins 5,835

**Retain**  
**Charles W Daniels**  
Yes 4,156 No 1,724

**Retain**  
**Petra J Maes**  
Yes 3,635 No 2,154

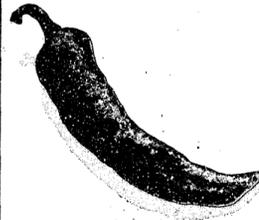
**Retain**  
**Michael D Bustamante**  
Yes 3,782 No 2,006

**Retain**  
**Celia Foy Castillo**  
Yes 3,646 No 2,1

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## Capitan Library to Honor Veterans

by Patrice Brazie

The Capitan Public Library's First Friday Adult Lecture Series, held on the first Friday of each month, will this month honor the veterans of the five branches of the U.S. military.

An announcement issued by Pat Garrett, president of the library's volunteer forces, explains that local veterans are invited and encouraged to attend.

"We look forward to sharing a time of remembering those who made it possible for us to enjoy living in our country, recalling the meaning of the Pledge of Allegiance, appreciating the sacrifices that have been made by vet-

erans and their families, and hearing inspiring patriotic music," Garrett said, and suggested that veterans bring any pictures along that they might like to share.

November's First Friday lecture, a tribute to United States of America veterans, will feature speaker John Wilson who will offer his perspective on the meaning of Veterans Day.

The event begins at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, November 5th, and is free to the public. Refreshments will be served.

The library is located across the intersection from the Capitan Village Hall at 102 East Second Street. For more information, call the library at 354-3035.



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# Looking Back Through Our Old Files'

As the LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS goes into its 106th year of being in existence, we will be randomly publishing articles from old NEWS files. The following article appeared in the LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS on . . .

Friday, July 27, 1956

## Ramblin' Around Lincoln County

Interviews with people who helped build Lincoln County

My name is Grace E. Comrey. I was born May 22 1872, in Rutland County, Vermont. My parents were Steven L. and Thirza Buxton. My great-grandparents came to America from England. My mother was a descendant of a Church of England missionary by the name of Hoadley.

My parents moved from Vermont to Iowa when I was under five years of age. My father was a farmer and also did some freighting. He passed away in 1906 and is buried in Iowa. Three years later my mother and I moved to New Mexico. We homesteaded on the Carrizozo flats, what is now the Walter Snell ranch. I was 36 years of age at the time. I had completed my education at the Atheneum Business School in Chicago and taught school a few years in Iowa.

In New Mexico in the early days whenever the people of a school district had enough money they'd hire a teacher and have a few months of school. Sometimes the money would run out and the teacher had to have some resources in order to live. It was not common to have to wait eight months to get paid and I've known teachers to have to wait two years.

My first school was down at Tinnie. It was a one-room adobe. The building had been used for a goat corral and the centipedes used to crawl out of the walls. There were about fifty pupils in that one room. I taught out of any kind of book they brought. Some of them, 18 or 19 years old, had just learned to count. One girl, who herded sheep, could count to ten, that was all. Before that term of six months was over she could add and subtract. From that time on I did not have to make application for a school.

When I taught at a school in the Tucsons there were usually fourteen saddles in the school room. The horses were staked out around the schoolhouse. One boy who wanted to show off came to school with a six-gun strapped on. He took it off and laid it on his desk. I walked up to him and took hold of his collar from the back and applied the pressure. I was pretty strong in those days. I got the gun.

My first marriage was to Alfred C. DeNisson in 1892. My second marriage was to Harry Comrey in 1920. We met under strange circumstances. My name had been submitted for nomination for county superintendent of public schools on the Republican ticket, subject to the county convention. Harry Comrey, who was then living in White Oaks controlled the White Oaks delegation to the convention. That was in 1916. Two of us were running for the office and after five ballots the vote was deadlocked.

Harry Comrey, whom I had never seen before, said: "This had gone on long enough. I'm supporting Mrs. DeNisson." I received the nomination but lost the election.

I was told that the night Mr. Comrey supported me at the convention he said to friend: "Here's a hundred dollar bill I'll marry that woman!" At every precinct meeting Harry Comrey was there. He proposed at a precinct meeting in the Jicarillas. We were married in 1920. I had two daughters, Mrs. Wm. B. Wagner who now lives in Albuquerque and Mrs. Judy E. Hale, widow of Bob Hale, who was raised in Lincoln County. Mrs. Hale lives in California.

Ed Comrey came to White Oaks in 1878. He was a stamp man at the Old Abe. Harry came to Las Vegas in 1880 from Pennsylvania. A pump company that Harry had been working for in the oilfields in Pennsylvania sent him to Las Vegas to find out why their water pump wouldn't work. He experimented with the pump for several days and then one day he got mad, jumped on the pump, and it started.

At that time there were freight trains, hauled by oxen, going from White Oaks to Las Vegas. Harry found out from the freighters that his brother Ed was in White Oaks so he went there. The two brothers went into the freighting business. Then they got into mining. They leased the Vera Cruz mine in Nogal one year and dropped \$3,000. They turned to the Jicarillas, had lots of prospects and hired many men, but they went broke in the early eighties.

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# Electric Rate Increase . . .

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frame, they collected \$336,000," he said. "That's how quickly a few tenths of a cent, or a few pennies, can add up to millions."

Albers said that this area already pays two cents more per kilowatt hour for electricity than the regional average of about nine cents. The proposed increase could see the local cost for electricity climb to as much as 13 cents per kilowatt hour.

"What that means is, in the southern rate district, they would essentially remove somewhere near 12 millions dollars a year from our local economy," Albers said. "If we don't oppose this, we're putting our county, our community, and eventually our state in a noncompetitive position in terms of attracting business."

Albers said that PNM not only has not answered the questions presented to its representatives, but has also failed to prove a need for the rate increase, especially when users in all other states in the region are currently paying less for electricity than those in New Mexico.

"My hope is

that, in a unified way, we do as much as we can to educate the public, and educate our commissioners and let them know that this is an extremely important issue," he said. "We need to present a unified opposition until they are more forthcoming with the facts that we need, and that they need, to justify this increase."

Albers pointed out that there could be three new members of the PRC after Tuesday's election, and said that he plans to submit a report to new PRC members right after the election to make them aware of the circumstances surrounding the proposed increase.

Morel said that intervention in a rate case can be very complicated and expensive, and he questioned whether or not a signing of the memorandum of cooperative agreement would put the county commission in a position that would require financial commitments to the cause.

"I want to make

sure that if the commissioners sign it they know what they are signing on to and agree to commit to pay for costs," Morel said.

The attorney also said that the agreement does not provide a way for the county commissioners to get out of it if they choose to sometime in the future. He suggested that a joint powers agreement might also be required because the agreement involves

government entities.

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will further discuss the issue during Friday's special meeting, at which time Morel will provide more information and guidance. The county commissioners and Morel expressed their support for the opposition to the potential rate increase and its impact on the local economy. The special meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. on Friday.

## VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO Notice of auction of surplus equipment and vehicles.

The Village of Ruidoso will be selling surplus inventory on the Internet. Auction items are listed on [www.publicsurplus.com](http://www.publicsurplus.com). The auction will start on November 18, 2010. Interested bidders are invited to register at [www.publicsurplus.com](http://www.publicsurplus.com) and will be able to bid on any item listed. For more information call Purchasing at 575/257-2721.

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## Obituary

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A Memorial Service was held on October 31, 2010 for Lonnie Crawford Garrison, who passed away in Little Rock, Arkansas, at the age of 77, on September 24. After cremation his ashes will be buried in Truth or Consequences, his former home.

He was born near Bingham, NM on August 2, 1933 and lived in Carrizozo from 1937 until after his schooling, and then worked as an electric lineman for different telephone companies, in several states, until his retirement. He also served in the U.S. Army for two years during the Korean Conflict. He had lived in Arkansas for the past nine years with his life companion, Linda Wright.

He was predeceased by his father and mother, Jess and Afrey Garrison; a granddaughter, Yolanda; and a sister, Queenell Gauling. He is survived by six daughters, Diana, Anita, Janet, Leota, Lisa and Cathy; by nine grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren, and one great-great granddaughter. He is also survived by two brothers, J.D. and Kenneth Garrison; and three sisters, Wanda Johnson, Dorothy Shoemaker, and Neva Rae Ventura.

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# EDITORIALS and OTHER STUFF

## THOUGHTS

From the Editor's Desk

by Ruth Hammond

### Election is over, It is time for unity.

Whew! The midterm elections are now history, more or less. The good news is that at least one day elapsed with no negative ads. Now it is time for the winners to prove they were the correct choice. Otherwise, the nasty things being said in the recent negative ads could be true.

If you aren't happy about the elections, you may be happy to know that Daylight Savings Time ends Sunday. The easiest thing to do is set your clocks back one hour before going to bed Saturday. Many people have been asking the past couple of weeks when the #@&%%\$() Daylight Savings Time ends. It is encouraging to know people agree with us. But it won't change anything.

Now that the elections are over and we have a respite before the next round of negativity begins, we should explain that getting the election results has changed much through the years. Compiling the precinct tallies in 1982 and before then was simply copying numbers from a huge blackboard that was used in the clerk's office. That changed in 1984 when computers were used.

Noteworthy to mention is that back then thoughts of people were at the courthouse to wait for the results as they came in from each precinct. Other courthouse offices were kept open to allow the public the opportunity to watch the computers as the results were entered. This year, just as back then, the county treasurer's office was open.

Instead of a boisterous crowd cheering as favorite candidates won, this year it was quiet in the courthouse as the results were tallied. A mere handful of people waited. And change, as always, made us aware of the differences in elections.

Next on the agenda is to wait until the newly elected officials take the helm and hope they will do at least a few of the things promised and that they will try to improve things instead of making them worse. Sometime things have to get better, and it will take all of us working together.

Government should be of the people, by the people and for the people. It is long past time for that premise to be at the forefront. It is long past time for personal differences to be put aside and an earnest effort being made for the good of the people by the people and for the people. And it needs to start today, here and now all across this great nation of ours, the United States of America.

## \* Inside the Capitol

by Jay Miller, Syndicated Columnist

SANTA FE -- Last week was Halloween and it's a relief that every corner of New Mexico has enough scary ghost stories to help us forget all the creepy political ads we constantly were subjected to this time of year.

La Llorona turns up everywhere in the state as an eerie Hispanic warning to children not to play near ditches. But most of New Mexico's ghost stories are more localized, involving a death or some other tragic event that occurred in the area.

Today we'll focus on Santa Fe, our capital city, which has had 400 years to accumulate a body of strange tales that might help explain some of the laws and regulations that flow out of this city.

Santa Fe is one of the ghostliest towns in the nation, according to a national tourist publication, which notes that Santa Fe is one of the few places where ghost walks and tours are available any day of the year.

And many of those ghosts haunt buildings where state business is transacted or where lawmakers stay while in the Capital City doing their business.

One of the most popular spots on ghost tours is La Posada, where the spirit of Julia Staab has roamed the hallways for over 100 years. Tour groups are taken to room 256, where a knock on the door is said to sometimes bring an answer from Julia.

Mrs. Staab does not like her room to be disturbed. During renovations, workers find their tools and materials strewn about or missing and some even claim to

have seen her.

Bar tenders say glasses mysteriously fall off shelves and waitresses tell of their trays sometimes mysteriously being knocked from their hands.

The story is that after the death of one of her babies, she became so despondent she confined herself to that room in what was then a palatial mansion where she fabulously entertained many guests for years.

"Unsolved Mysteries" and other TV shows have featured La Posada, along with stories from La Fonda, the St. Francis and Inn at Loretto -- all popular lawmaker hangouts.

Another popular stop on the ghost tours is the former ballroom in Sena Plaza on Palace Avenue, where the territorial Legislature met for several years after the state's second capitol building was torched in the late 1880s.

But the most famous Santa Fe ghost stories involve the state's two most recent capitol buildings. The first involves the ever-popular La Llorona.

According to the Santa Fe version of the legend, in the early days of the city, a beautiful woman grew tired of her children and threw them to their death in the Santa Fe River.

After an immediate change of heart, she chased along the riverbank trying to save them but tripped, hit her head on a rock and died also.

Because of her evil deed, the priest would not allow her to be buried in the church cemetery but ordered she be buried near the river where she died.

Unfortunately, the state of New Mexico later built its capitol on that spot. For

many years custodians have reported sightings of La Llorona -- the crying woman -- as she leaves her resting place on the nightly search for her children.

Our newest capitol was built in 1967 and when the story is retold, somehow La Llorona has moved, along with the seat of government, to the new capitol.

When that capitol building was renovated in 1991, the governor and Legislature moved across the street to the Public Employees Retirement Association building. The massive structure, with two floors below ground, sits atop Santa Fe's first cemetery -- the one denied to La Llorona.

Ever since that state office building opened in the early 1960s, employees have reported elevators going up and down with no one in them, lights flicking on and off, doors opening and closing mysteriously, and drafts coming from nowhere in the windowless bottom floors.

Someday an enterprising state employee will ask for hazardous duty pay.

## WEATHER REPORT

by Jeff Hammond

There is currently a high pressure system centered almost directly over Lincoln County that is keeping cloud cover at almost a minimum, making for some colder than normal for this time of year nighttime temperatures. This high pressure system hasn't really moved as quickly to the eastward as usual and from all indications will continue to resist any quick movement out of New Mexico.

The reason is the "La Nino" conditions that exist in the middle of the Pacific Ocean about eight thousand miles west of Lincoln County. The water temperature of the ocean is 5 to 8 degrees warmer than normal for this time of year.

Daytime temperatures will be solidly in the 60's at all elevations of Lincoln County, and from the high 20's to low 30's due to no cloud cover to slow the heat escaping from the ground.

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

Today, Thursday, November 4 Sunny, with a high near 65, north wind around 5 mph, night: Mostly clear, with a low around

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## Letter to the Editor

EDITOR -- My name is Annette C. Vega (Hill). I was born HERE in Carrizozo, NM in 1966. My two brothers and my sister were also born HERE in Carrizozo and both of my parents were born HERE in Carrizozo. My four children were not born here, but they were raised here since birth. So, here is a sixty (60) year span of a proud family of Carrizozo.

Carrizozo is a town that is very offensive, defensive, and just plain proud of our school's history in sports. From the beginning, Carrizozo picked a mascot, the GRIZZLY. Ever since then, we have been KNOWN as "Carrizozo, Home of the Grizzlies". Stage Police, County Deputy's, and City Police used to come in full force to each game here, because we were so tough that the opponent wanted a "Ball Room Brawl", after they got whooped by the Grizzlies.

I am offended by ALL of the "Burros, Donkeys, or Jackasses" that are predominantly being displayed all over Carrizozo. After all, I just explained that Carrizozo is the HOME OF THE GRIZZLIES. It is offensive, to our children that are

participating in sports right now, to have to hear ridicule from the visiting teams about all the "burros, donkeys, or jackasses" that THEY see when they come to play the Carrizozo Grizzlies. I don't think that a "Carrizozo Grizzly", should have to defend their school mascot (Grizzly) against the "burros, donkeys, or jackasses" that the opponents so hatefully throw in the face of our proud athletes.

Carrizozo is very grateful to the artists who have purchased property in our fine community, and appreciate the fact that the old businesses have been fixed up and are open for business. My wish is that you all support the youth in our community and respect the long standing pride and tradition that is the "Carrizozo Grizzlies". Nobody asked me, or any other community member's how we felt about putting "burros, donkeys, or jackasses" all over Carrizozo, especially on roof tops.

I am not one to complain without giving a SOLUTION. All of you "burro, donkey, and jackass" owners should put up the unwanted "jackasses" for auction and give 1/4 of the proceeds to the "art" department of Carrizozo Municipal Schools and keep the rest. THEN, design at least three (3) tough looking GRIZZLIES and auction them to Carrizozo residents. \$\$\$\$\$\$. Imagine a tough looking GRIZZLY hanging off every roof top when you drive into Carrizozo. Anyone driving through town would know that Carrizozo is the home of the GRIZZLIES not "jackasses".

My fellow citizens, my children and I beg you to "Take down the Jackasses". Let us be Grizzlies again. I myself, am tired of all the comments about the "Jackasses" in Carrizozo.

This is Carrizozo, HOME OF THE GRIZZLIES, not Carrizozo Home of the Jackasses. Please respect our community and our school. Take down the donkeys and replace them with a Grizzly.

ANNETTE C. VEGA (Hill)  
Carrizozo, NM

## When you have the means

Elections are finally over and for once since I can't remember when (could be my memory or maybe it just been too long) most of the incumbents that were under-achieving were held accountable by the voting public. People are just finally fed up with these people getting elected and doing nothing for the working class, and in two years the people that are up for re-election will probably face the same fate. It's about time!

All this accountability 'revolution' should also apply to other public employees including people running our schools. Putting up pretty fences and shrubbery doesn't cut it. Silly rules and regulations shutting parents off from the happenings at our school have to end. Better decisions by the decision makers should be expected from those that pay the bills, no accountability and no results is exactly what voters voted against in this election.

There should be someone at the school level that has some say as to how our schools are run and administered. Isolation is no way to run any institution, especially one that is entrusted with educating our youth.

Sending out memos and coming up with all these demands of parents like a bunch of giddy little girls passing notes to each other is lacking in performance and just plain not mature. Mistakes are made by everyone, there are not many perfect people, everybody should understand that, but being accountable and admitting mistakes would go a long way in showing tax payers/parents that things are going to get better and are being worked on.

Like I mentioned before, just picking up the phone and talking to parents and 'asking' for some help is so easy. I guarantee there will be very few that refuse the request, and if they do maybe there are certain circumstances that is keeping them from helping out at a certain time. Asking them a second time wouldn't hurt either. One thing for sure, demanding parents to do anything and then punishing the young student, by any means, if the parents won't or can't comply with demand, is really stepping over the line, and I'm also sure that those parents that can, will do more than their part to make sure the concessions have what they need.

Here's hoping that someone within the structure of our school will take a chance and demand 'accountability' and 'results'.

peter aguilar

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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.

## July 13

10:56 a.m. Warrant service at Magistrate Court in Ruidoso Downs, deputy dispatched.

12:21 p.m. Warrant service at LCDR on Air Port Road in Carrizozo, deputy dispatched.

3:27 p.m. Police presence / peacekeeping requested at residence on Lavano in Capitan, police dispatched.

5:02 p.m. New Mexico Department of Corrections Adult Probation and Parole (APO) officer requests agency assistance to arrest Parolee At Large (PAL) at undisclosed location in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

5:03 p.m. Medical call at residence on Bonito Park Road in Alto, ALS ambulance dispatched.

6:06 p.m. Dog reported running loose on Marjorie Drive in Capitan, deputy dispatched.

8:49 p.m. Agency assistance requested by Ruidoso police at location Grindstone in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

9:37 p.m. Disturbance reported at location on Hwy 37 in Alto, deputy dispatched.

10:09 p.m. 911 Hang-up from residence on Central Avenue in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

## July 14

11:42 a.m. Dog reported running loose on Wolf Creek Road in Nogal, deputy dispatched.

12:02 p.m. Registered Sex Offender check at LCSO located in the LCC on Central Avenue in Carrizozo, deputy dispatched.

2:24 p.m. Registered Sex Offender check at LCSO located in the LCC on Central Avenue in Carrizozo, deputy dispatched.

2:41 p.m. Information report at location on Main Street in Corona, deputy dispatched.

7:38 p.m. Disturbance/loud party reported at residence on Mountain View in Capitan, police dispatched.

7:39 p.m. Missing or lost person reported from location on Via Selva in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

8:39 p.m. Shots fired reported on Hwy 380 in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

9:29 p.m. Alarm reported at location on Flute Player in Alto, deputy dispatched.

9:24 p.m. Medical call at residence on Dally in Corona, ambulance dispatched.

## July 15

4:37 a.m. Medical call at business located at intersection of Hwy 380 and Hwy 54 in Carrizozo, ambulance dispatched.

7:21 a.m. Vandalism reported at location on Hwy 70 in Ruidoso Downs, deputy dispatched.

8:06 a.m. Drivers test requested at Ruidoso schools soccer field, deputy dispatched.

8:31 a.m. Larceny/theft reported at mile marker 95 on Hwy in Lincoln, deputy dispatched.

9:02 a.m. Traffic hazard reported on Hwy 70 in Hondo, deputy dispatched.

1:01 p.m. Fraud reported at business located on Ski Run Road in Alto, deputy dispatched.

1:38 p.m. Trespassing reported at Bonito Falls in Ranches of Sontero, deputy dispatched.

2:12 p.m. Disturbance/loud party reported at Mountain View in Capitan, deputy dispatched.

3:01 p.m. Public relations at location in Hondo, deputy dispatched.

5:30 p.m. Medical call at residence on Iron Mountain Road in Alto, ALS ambulance dispatched.

7:24 p.m. Missing or lost person reported from location in Argentine Canyon in Bonito, Bonito emergency units and deputy dispatched.

10:22 p.m. Dog reported running loose on Aileen Drive in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

10:41 p.m. Dog reported running loose near mile marker 267 on Hwy 70 in Hondo, deputy dispatched.

## July 16

12:00 a.m. Civil dispute reported at District Court located in the Lincoln County Courthouse (LCC) on Central Avenue in Carrizozo, deputy dispatched.

12:06 a.m. Accident reported at mile marker 140 on Hwy 54 in Ancho, ambulance and deputy dispatched.

12:25 a.m. Medical call at residence on Del Monte Drive in Alto, Advanced Life Support (ALS) ambulance dispatched.

7:07 a.m. Medical call at residence on Del Monte Drive in Alto, Advanced Life Support (ALS) ambulance dispatched.

10:21 a.m. Unknown trouble call from business located at intersection of Hwy 54 and Hwy 380 in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

11:12 a.m. Alarm reported at

location on Lakeshore Drive in Alto, deputy dispatched.

2:36 p.m. Medical call for dog bite requested at location on Hwy 70 in Hondo, ambulance and deputy dispatched.

3:16 p.m. Medical call for dog bite at location on Hwy 70 in Hondo, ambulance and deputy dispatched.

8:48 p.m. Dog reported running loose on Chama Canyon Road in Alto, deputy dispatched.

## July 17

1:30 a.m. Disturbance reported at residence on B Avenue in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

7:44 a.m. Medical call at residence on West Second Street in Capitan, police and ambulance dispatched.

8:12 a.m. Dog reported running loose on Little Creek Road in Rancho Ruidoso Valley Estates, deputy dispatched.

11:18 a.m. Littering or illegal dumping reported at location on Seeping Springs in Ruidoso Downs, deputy dispatched.

11:28 a.m. vandalism reported at location on Las Tablas in Capitan, police dispatched.

12:12 p.m. Trespassing reported at location on O Bar O Road in Nogal, deputy dispatched.

12:43 p.m. Accident reported on Hwy 48 in Capitan, police dispatched.

12:52 p.m. Suspicious activity reported on Main Road in Capitan, police dispatched.

1:00 p.m. Death reported at residence on Hwy 48 in Capitan, Bonito emergency units, and deputy dispatched.

2:11 p.m. Larceny/theft reported at business located on Mechem Drive in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

3:51 p.m. Medical call at Southfork Campground on Bonito Lake in Bonito, ALS ambulance dispatched.

5:23 p.m. Trespassing reported at residence on Gomez Loop in Ruidoso Downs, deputy dispatched.

5:31 p.m. Disturbance/family dispute reported at residence on Reynolds Circle in Ruidoso Downs, deputy dispatched.

6:48 p.m. Disturbance reported at residence on Sixth Street in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

7:45 a.m. Dog reported running loose at mile marker 285 on Hwy 70 in Hondo, deputy dispatched.

8:28 p.m. Fire/burning without permit reported at location on Chisolm Trail in Rancho Ruidoso Valley Estates, deputy dispatched.

9:08 p.m. Harassment by phone reported at residence on Sixth Street in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

9:24 p.m. Medical call at residence on Arabella Road in Arabella, ambulance dispatched.

9:48 p.m. Unknown trouble call from residence on Aspen Street in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

## July 18

12:45 a.m. Medical call at residence on Knight Ranch Road in Ancho, ambulance and deputy dispatched.

5:03 a.m. Alarm reported at location on Hwy 70 in Hondo, deputy dispatched.

8:04 a.m. Fire reported at location on Parker Road in Ruidoso Downs, fire units dispatched.

8:43 a.m. Dog reported running loose on Hwy 48 in Alto, deputy dispatched.

9:11 a.m. Medical call at Carrizozo EMS shed, ambulance dispatched.

9:49 a.m. Welfare check requested at location on Hwy 380 in Carrizozo, deputy dispatched.

3:44 p.m. Welfare check requested at location on Bonito Lake Road in Bonito, deputy dispatched.

7:17 p.m. Medical call at New Horizons on E Avenue in Carrizozo, ambulance dispatched.

7:41 p.m. Medical call at residence on Midiron in Alto, Bonito emergency units and ALS ambulance dispatched.

9:40 p.m. Medical call at residence in Capitan, ambulance dispatched.

July 19  
9:07 a.m. Trespassing reported at location on Rising View Trail in Alto, deputy dispatched.

9:59 a.m. Motorcycle drivers test requested at Ruidoso school parking lot in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

4:01 p.m. Suspicious activity reported at business located on Central Avenue in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

5:55 p.m. Trespassing reported at mile marker 12 on Hwy 37 in Nogal, deputy dispatched.

8:34 p.m. Information report at Southfork Campground on Bonito Lake in Bonito, deputy dispatched.

## July 20

5:02 a.m. Possible natural gas leak reported at location on Broadmoor in Alto, deputy dispatched.

11:23 a.m. Medical call at location on Central Avenue in Carrizozo,

# USGS Water Study . . .

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our Virginia division to help analyze the precipitation and elevation relationships to get better estimates of how much rain is falling in the Rio Hondo and how much water is coming into the system, because all of the water originally comes from the rainfall."

Two years ago, the USGS installed a water gauging system on the Rio Hondo to provide information at the lower end of the basin, and installed a staff gauge on the Rio Bonito near where it empties into the Rio Hondo two months ago, Darr said. The USGS is incorporating stream flow data from other research projects, including one of Eagle Creek and some flood studies, as well.

Regarding the study of ground water, Darr said the USGS has a series of more than 40 wells that are being monitored and measured on a bi-monthly basis.

"Those wells are forming a valuable database to look at trends in the water level and to see how the aquifer is responding to rainfall events, to snow melt events and everything else that affects those aquifers," Darr said. "Those 47 wells have been being measured since May of 2008 and they're now starting to provide some valuable data for analysis." Five of the wells

are currently equipped to provide information hourly, he said.

"We also completed a preliminary spring inventory of all of the springs that are in the upper Hondo, and that will form the basis for examining that information as far as spring flows. We're also preparing water level maps and charts of water level versus time, hydrographs to help with the analysis, and all of this with the goal of creating a conceptual model and a water budget," Darr said.

"The water budget will be a quantitative estimate of the amount of water in the Rio Hondo, where it's going, and to help you manage those water resources and understand what the water availability is."

Darr said that the first interpretive report on the water of the upper Hondo basin should be available to the county commissioners by the end of the year. The study will continue until 2014. Water quality research will take place in 2012 and 2013, he said.

**KEEP THINKING WARM, THIS IS GREAT!!!**

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# CHURCH DIRECTORY

**MOUNTAIN MINISTRY PARISH**  
SIERRA BLANCA PRESBYTERY  
NOGAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
E.W. "Bo" Lewis, Pastor

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

**RUIDOSO DOWNS**  
**FIRST SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
361-East Hwy. 70  
Ruidoso Downs, NM 88346  
575-378-4611  
Dr. Randy Widener PhD, Sr. Pastor

8:00 a.m. . . . Early Bird Service  
9:00 a.m. . . . Breakfast  
9:30 a.m. . . . Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. . . . Traditional Services  
6:00 p.m. . . . Preaching Bible Study  
Wednesday Community Dinner  
6:30 p.m.  
Kids Activities . . . 5:30 p.m.

**ANCHO COMMUNITY**  
**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
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.

**CARRIZOZO**  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Hayden Smith, Pastor  
314 10th Avenue  
648-2968 Church or 648-207

Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . 10:55 a.m.  
Sunday Evening . . . 6:00 p.m.

**AWANAS . . . Wednesday 6:00 p.m.**  
(September - April)

**CARRIZOZO ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Corner of 13th and C Avenue  
Barbara Bradley, Pastor

Children's Ministry and Nursery Available  
Worship Service . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Youth Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

**SANTA RITA**  
**CATHOLIC COMMUNITY**  
Carrizozo / Capitan / Corona  
Fr. Franklin, Pastor  
213 Birch - Carrizozo, NM 88301  
575-648-2853

Daily Mass / Santa Rita . . . 8:30 a.m.  
Saturday Services  
Capitan Sacred Heart . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Carrizozo Santa Rita . . . 7:00.

**Sunday Services**  
Capitan Sacred Heart . . . 8:30 a.m.  
Carrizozo Santa Rita . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Corona St. Theresa . . . 1:30 a.m.

**CARRIZOZO ST. MATTHIAS**  
**EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Corner of E Avenue and 6th  
Rev. Canon Peter Sanderson,  
Priest in Charge

Holy Eucharist . . . Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
**WHITE OAKS COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
(Non-Denominational)  
Sunday Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

**ANGUS CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Serving All of Lincoln County  
Rick Hutchinsonson, Pastor  
336-8032

SW Corner of Hwy 48 & Hwy 37 Junction  
(Between Ruidoso and Capitan)

**SUNDAY**  
Sunday School for All Ages . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship  
and  
Children's Church . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Family Workshop . . . 6:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Community Dinner . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Adult Classes, Youth Games and Study,  
Kids Klub . . . 7:30 p.m.

**UNITED METHODIST**  
**CHURCHES**  
1000 D Avenue, Carrizozo  
648-2893 or 648-2846  
Johanna Anderson, Pastor

Sunday School All Ages . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . 11:00 a.m.

Choir Practice . . . Tuesdays 6:30 p.m.  
United Methodist Women  
Third Wednesday of Month . . . 2:00 p.m.

Fellowship Dinner  
Fourth Sunday of Month . . . 12:30 p.m.

**CAPITAN**  
Adult Sunday School . . . 8:30 p.m.  
Worship Service . . . 9:15 p.m.

Children's Sunday School . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Fellowship Time . . . 10:15 p.m.  
Adult Sunday School . . . 11:00 a.m.

Choir Practice . . . Tuesday 7:00 p.m.  
Fellowship Dinner . . . 3rd Sunday  
of Month

Handmaidens Ecumenical Woman's Group  
1st and 3rd Tuesday . . . 9:30 a.m.

**CAPITAN CHRIST**  
**COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP**  
420 Lincoln Avenue  
Joshua Watkins, Minister

Sunday Bible Study . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.

**CAPITAN CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
420 Lincoln Avenue  
Joshua Watkins, Minister

Sunday Bible Study . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**OF CORONA**  
Cal West, Pastor / 849-7975

Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Fellowship Dinner . . . 1st Sunday of Month

**GRACE FELLOWSHIP IN CHRIST**  
Corona, New Mexico  
Terry Aiello, Pastor / 849-0105  
Worship . . . 9:30 a.m.

**CLAUNCH COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Tony Seaton, Minister  
849-1402  
Second Saturday of Each Month 9:00 a.m.

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**LEGALS**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
COUNTY OF LINCOLN  
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT  
NO. CV-10-174**

METLIFE HOME LOANS, A DIVISION OF  
METLIFE BANK, N.A.,  
Plaintiff,

v.

DOUGLAS L. MCALISTER, THE UNKNOWN  
SPOUSE OF DOUGLAS L. MCALISTER, AND  
FIRST HORIZON HOME LOAN CORPORATION,  
Defendant(s).

**FIRST AMENDED NOTICE OF SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the under-  
signed Special Master will, on November 12, 2010, at  
10:00AM, at the front entrance of the Lincoln County  
Courthouse, 300 Central, Carrizozo, New Mexico, sell  
and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right,  
title and interest of the above-named defendants in and  
to the following described real estate located in said  
County and State:

Lot 20, Block 3, HIGH MESA SUBDIVI  
SION, 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, August 25,  
1970, in Tube No. 382

which Property is more commonly known to the best of  
Plaintiff's knowledge as 124 Mira Monte Road, Alto,  
New Mexico 88312. Plaintiff does not represent or  
warrant that the stated street address is the street  
address of the described property; if the street address  
does not match the legal description, then the property  
being sold herein is the property more particularly  
described above, not the property located at the street  
address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given  
notice that it should verify the location and address of  
the property being sold.

Said sale will be made pursuant to the Decree  
of Foreclosure entered on July 14, 2010, in the above  
entitled and numbered cause, which was a suit to fore-  
close a note and mortgage held by the above plaintiff  
and wherein plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien  
against the above-described real estate in the sum of  
\$200,416.30, plus interest from July 5, 2010 to the date  
of sale at the rate of 6.250% per annum, or \$30.71 per  
day, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee  
of \$320.63, publication costs, and plaintiff's costs  
expended for taxes, insurance or keeping the property  
in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale  
and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff  
may apply all or any part of its judgment to the pur-  
chase price in lieu of cash.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real  
property and improvements concerned with herein will  
be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, ease-  
ments, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed  
herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assess-  
ments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attor-  
neys disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at  
the sale takes the property subject to, the valuation of  
the property by the County Assessor as real or personal  
property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home  
to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manu-  
factured home on the property, if any, environmental  
contamination on the property, if any, and zoning viola-  
tions concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the pur-  
chaser at such sale shall take title to the above described  
real property subject to right(s) of redemption, as set  
forth in the Judgment herein.

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

Dated: October 12, 2010.

Peter Baca  
Special Master  
P. O. Box 215  
Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301  
(575) 648-9925

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

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

**Cause No. CV-2010-317 Div. III  
Honorable Karen L. Parsons presiding**

BONNIE O'LEARY, CONNIE HEWITT,  
and ANNA BOSTIC,  
Plaintiffs,

v.

SHARA D. GURULE,  
MARY JANE MOSELEY,  
THE ESTATE OF CHARLOTTE M. BARLOW,  
a/k/a CHARLOTTE M. MOSELEY,  
and  
THE ESTATE OF ALAN W. MOSELEY, Deceased,  
Defendants.

**SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF  
PENDENCY OF ACTION**

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO: TO ALL OF THE  
ABOVE CAPTIONED/NAMED DEFENDANTS:

GREETINGS: You are hereby notified that BONNIE  
O'LEARY, CONNIE HEWITT, and ANNA BOSTIC,  
the Plaintiffs herein, have filed an action in the District  
Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico wherein you are  
named as Defendants and wherein said Plaintiffs seek  
to obtain constructive service upon you.

The general subject of said action is to  
Foreclose a Mortgage which is secured by that certain  
real estate which is the subject matter of the above-cap-  
tioned and numbered cause of action and is described as  
follows.

Lot 75A, Block 1-A, PALMER GATEWAY  
SUBDIVISION, Ruidoso, Lincoln County,  
New Mexico, as shown by the Replat of Lot  
75, less and excepting the West 12.0', Block  
1-A, Palmer Gateway Subdivision, filed in the  
office of the County Clerk of Lincoln  
County, New Mexico on August 1, 2000 in

**LEGALS**

Cabinet G, Slide No. 714, as amended by  
Affidavit recorded January 7, 2003 in said  
records in Book 301, page 1023.

You are further notified that unless you enter  
your appearance, plead or otherwise respond in said  
cause on or before the last date of publication of this  
Notice which has been published once a week for three  
consecutive weeks, judgment will be rendered against  
you by default and the relief prayed for in the  
Complaint will be granted to Plaintiff in conformity  
with the allegations of the Plaintiff's Complaint.

The name and address of the attorney for the  
Plaintiff is as follows: Alan P. Morel, Alan P. Morel,  
P.A., Post Office Box 1030, Ruidoso, New Mexico  
88355-1010.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Twelfth  
Judicial District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico  
on this the 26th day of October, 2010.

JAN PERRY  
Court Administrator/  
District Court Clerk

(Seal)

By: Elizabeth Ysasi  
Deputy

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

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

**NO. CV-09-451**

METLIFE HOME LOANS, A DIVISION OF  
METLIFE BANK, N.A.,  
Plaintiff,

v.

RICK B. TAFOYA, MELISSA G. TAFOYA, AND  
FIRST HORIZON HOME LOAN CORPORATION,  
Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the under-  
signed Special Master will, on November 12, 2010, at  
10:05AM, at the front entrance of the Lincoln County  
Courthouse, 300 Central, Carrizozo, New Mexico, sell  
and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right,  
title and interest of the above-named defendants in and  
to the following described real estate located in said  
County and State:

Lot 10, Block 10, of PALMER GATEWAY  
SUBDIVISION, 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, September 7, 1948

which Property is more commonly known to the best of  
Plaintiff's knowledge as 118 Meander Drive, Ruidoso,  
New Mexico 88345. Plaintiff does not represent or  
warrant that the stated street address is the street  
address of the described property; if the street address  
does not match the legal description, then the property  
being sold herein is the property more particularly  
described above, not the property located at the street  
address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given  
notice that it should verify the location and address of  
the property being sold.

Said sale will be made pursuant to the Decree  
of Foreclosure entered on September 24, 2010, in the  
above entitled and numbered cause, which was a suit to  
foreclose a note and mortgage held by the above plain-  
tiff and wherein plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien  
against the above-described real estate in the sum of  
\$113,249.80, plus interest from August 15, 2010 to the  
date of sale at the rate of 6.875% per annum, or \$19.09  
per day, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's  
fee of \$321.00, publication costs, and plaintiff's costs  
expended for taxes, insurance or keeping the property  
in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale  
and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff  
may apply all or any part of its judgment to the pur-  
chase price in lieu of cash.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real  
property and improvements concerned with herein will  
be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, ease-  
ments, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed  
herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assess-  
ments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attor-  
neys disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at  
the sale takes the property subject to, the valuation of  
the property by the County Assessor as real or personal  
property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home  
to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manu-  
factured home on the property, if any, environmental  
contamination on the property, if any, and zoning viola-  
tions concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the pur-  
chaser at such sale shall take title to the above described  
real property subject to right(s) of redemption, as set  
forth in the Judgment herein.

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

Dated: October 12, 2010.

Peter M. Baca  
Special Master  
P. O. Box 215  
Carrizozo, NM 88301  
(575) 648-9925

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**LEGALS**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
COUNTY OF LINCOLN  
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT  
No. D-1226-CV-2009-00130**

EVERHOME MORTGAGE COMPANY,  
Plaintiff,

vs.

MANDA D. TOMISON, JACK L. TREADWAY AND  
SHARON A. TREADWAY,  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

Notice is hereby given that on November 18,  
2010, at the hour of 10:00 am the undersigned Special  
Master, or his designee, will, at the North 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 3 Pine  
Hill Loop, Alto, New Mexico 88312, (if there is a con-  
flict between the legal description and the street  
address, the legal description shall control) and is more  
particularly described as follows:

Lots 19, Block 3, of ALTO NORTH SUB-  
DIVISION, UNIT 1, Lincoln County, New  
Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof  
filed in the office of the County Clerk and  
Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New  
Mexico, on December 5, 1967, in Tube No.  
303,

including an Unknown Manufactured Home, VIN  
unknown, and any improvements, fixtures, and attach-  
ments. Subject to all taxes, utility liens and other  
restrictions and easements of record, and subject to a  
one (1) month right of redemption by the Defendants  
upon entry of an order approving sale. The foregoing  
sale will be made to satisfy a foreclosure judgment ren-  
dered by this Court in the above-entitled and numbered  
cause on October 6, 2010, being an action to foreclose  
a mortgage on the above-described property. The  
Plaintiff's judgment is \$71,362.40, and the same bears  
interest at the rate of 7.2500% per annum, which  
accrues at the rate of \$14.17 per diem, commencing on  
May 20, 2010, with the Court reserving entry of final  
judgment against said Defendant Manda D. Tomison  
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 its  
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 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 adjudica-  
tion 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 equiv-  
alent, the lands and improvements described above for  
the purpose of satisfying, in the adjudged order of pri-  
orities, the judgment described herein and decree of  
foreclosure together with any additional costs and attor-  
ney'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  
\$71,362.40, plus interest to and including date of sale of  
\$2,578.94 for a total judgment plus interest of  
\$73,941.34. Sale is subject to the entry of an order of  
the Court approving the terms and conditions of this  
sale.

EDWARD LITTLE, Special Master  
1509 37th St SE  
Rio Rancho NM 87124  
Telephone: (505) 401-8068  
E-mail: sale@littledrantel.com

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

**CALL FOR BIDS**

**Greentree Solid Waste Authority  
Construction of Next Phase of Tire Bale Fence**

Sealed BIDS for the Construction of the Tire  
Bale Fence at Greentree Solid Waste Authority is to be  
submitted to 222 2nd Street, Ruidoso Downs, New  
Mexico 88346, 575-378-4697. Bids will be accepted  
until 2:00 p.m. on November 16, 2010 and then will be  
publicly opened and read aloud at 26590 Hwy 70.

Bid Forms and Specifications may be obtained  
from Greentree Solid Waste Authority's Office, 222 2nd  
Street, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico 88346, or you  
may call 575-378-4697. Mailed Bids should be  
addressed to Greentree Solid Waste Authority at P.O.  
Box 2405, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico 88346 clearly  
marked Construction of Tire Bale Fence. 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.

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

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**Congratulations to ALL the  
newly elected and re-elected  
officials! And Good Luck!**

# Sheriff's Report . . .

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ambulance, Carrizozo emergency units and police dispatched.

11:32 a.m. Larceny/theft reported at location on Homestead Loop in Alto, ALS ambulance and deputy dispatched.

1:15 p.m. Telephone offenses reported at location on Hwy 246 in Capitan, deputy dispatched.

7:15 p.m. Shots fired reported at location on Little Creek Road in Rancho Ruidoso Valley Estates, deputy dispatched.

7:19 p.m. Fire/smoke reported by New Mexico State Police at mile marker 117 on Hwy 54 south of Carrizozo, Carrizozo fire units dispatched.

9:40 p.m. Shots fired reported at location on Orchard View Lane in Lincoln, deputy dispatched.

## July 21

4:50 a.m. Medical call at residence on Mt. Hood Road in Ruidoso, ALS ambulance dispatched.

8:40 a.m. Accident reported at location on Villa Madonna Road in Alto, deputy dispatched.

10:15 a.m. Medical call at residence on Gavilan Canyon Road in Ruidoso, ALS ambulance and deputy dispatched.

10:19 a.m. Medical call at residence on West Third Street in Capitan, ambulance dispatched.

10:50 a.m. Traffic offenses reported at location on Wolf Creek Loop in Nogal, deputy dispatched.

11:02 a.m. Motorcycle drivers test requested at Ruidoso schools parking lot in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

11:49 a.m. Dog reported running loose at mile marker 17 on Hwy 48 in Capitan, police dispatched.

11:57 a.m. Domestic battery reported at residence on High Mesa in Alto, ALS ambulance and deputy dispatched.

12:40 p.m. Funeral escort requested at on Hwy 48 in Capitan, deputy dispatched.

12:45 p.m. Motorcycle drivers test requested at Ruidoso schools parking lot in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

2:23 p.m. Dog reported running loose on High Mesa in Alto, deputy dispatched.

4:12 p.m. Disturbance reported at Southfork Campground on Bonito Lake in Bonito, deputy dispatched.

5:34 p.m. Public relations at location in Argentine Canyon in Bonito, deputy dispatched.

## July 22

12:21 a.m. Disturbance/family dispute reported at residence on Reynolds Circle in Alto, deputy dispatched.

1:26 a.m. Disturbance reported at residence on Reynolds Circle in Alto, deputy dispatched.

7:36 a.m. Dog reported running loose on Main Road in Capitan, police dispatched.

8:50 a.m. Alarm reported at location on Eagle Creek Canyon Road in Alto, deputy dispatched.

9:05 a.m. Medical call at residence on Mountain Pass Road in Capitan, ALS ambulance dispatched.

11:23 a.m. Dog reported running loose on Musketball Road in Alto, deputy dispatched.

1:14 p.m. Suspicious activity by person(s) in vehicle reported at location on Deer Park in Alto, deputy dispatched.

3:10 p.m. Larceny/theft reported at location on La Cresta Viento in Ranches of Sontero, deputy dispatched.

4:30 p.m. New Mexico Department of Corrections Adult Probation and Parole (APO) officer requests agency assistance to arrest Parolee At Large (PAL) in Ruidoso, deputy dispatched.

5:32 p.m. Runaway juvenile reported from Southfork Campground on Bonito Lake in Bonito, deputy dispatched.

5:41 p.m. Fire reported Northeast of Arabella, Arabella fire units dispatched.

7:12 p.m. Suspicious activity reported at location on Hwy 54 in Carrizozo, deputy dispatched.

10:55 p.m. Child custody dispute reported at location on South Stanton Road in Capitan, police dispatched.

## July 23

12:22 a.m. Motorist assistance requested on Indian Divide on Hwy 380, deputy dispatched.

1:10 a.m. Suspicious activity by person(s) in vehicle reported on Little Big Horn in Rancho Ruidoso Valley Estates, deputy dispatched.

9:15 a.m. Dog reported running loose on D Avenue in Carrizozo, police dispatched.

9:25 a.m. Medical call at location on Shoshone in Alto, ALS ambulance dispatched.

9:37 a.m. Breaking & Entering (B & E) reported at location on Sierra Trail in Alto, deputy dispatched.

9:44 a.m. Welfare check requested at residence on Fifth Street in Capitan, police dispatched.

9:50 a.m. Vandalism reported at location on Largo in Capitan, police dispatched.

2:32 p.m. Accident reported at location on FR 188 in Nogal, deputy dispatched.

9:27 p.m. Accident reported at mile marker 3 on Hwy 220 in Alto, Bonito emergency units and ALS ambulance dispatched.

11:04 p.m. Medical call at mile marker 118 on Hwy 54 south of Carrizozo, ambulance and deputy dispatched.

11:30 p.m. Accident reported at location on Bonito Lake Road in Bonito, Bonito emergency units, ALS ambulance and deputy dispatched.

## July 24

12:35 a.m. Disturbance reported at Southfork Campground on Bonito Lake in Bonito, deputy dispatched.

10:03 a.m. Dog reported running loose on Juniper in Capitan, police dispatched.

10:30 a.m. Assault in Progress reported at mile marker 286 on Hwy in Hondo, deputy dispatched.

12:10 p.m. Larceny/theft reported at location on Midiron in Alto, deputy dispatched.

2:16 p.m. Disturbance reported at business located on Hwy 380 in Capitan, police dispatched.

2:53 p.m. Alarm reported at location on Doe Court in Alto, deputy dispatched.

8:56 p.m. Traffic hazard reported on Angus Hill on Hwy 48 in Alto, deputy dispatched.

9:06 p.m. Agency assistance requested by Ruidoso Downs police at location on North Parnell in Ruidoso Downs, deputy dispatched.

9:46 p.m. Welfare check requested for person sitting in car on Pine Lodge Road in Capitan, deputy dispatched.

## July 25

8:13 a.m. Dog reported running loose at mile marker 2 on Hwy 246 in Capitan, police dispatched.

3:35 p.m. Sex offenses reported Ruidoso Downs police station in Ruidoso Downs, police dispatched.

4:12 p.m. Medical call at residence on Schlarb Road in Carrizozo, ambulance dispatched.

9:02 p.m. Agency assistance requested by Ruidoso Downs police at location on Parker Road in Ruidoso Downs, deputy dispatched.



All four Carrizozo Cross Country runners qualified for State last Friday at Roswell for the 3-A/AA District meet against Hagerman, Cloudcroft, NMMI, and Mesilla Valley Christian schools. Jenna Scharz (left) was the girls' district champion with a first place finish time of 22:40 for the 3.1 mile (5K) run. Lauren Smith (right) came in 9th (29:42). Carl Barela (top) medaled with a 7th place finish in the boys' run with a time of 19:48. Austin Howard (bottom) came in 18th with 22:00. The state meet will be held at Rio Rancho, Saturday, Nov. 6. Boys run at 10:30 a.m. Girls run at 12:35. (Courtesy photo)

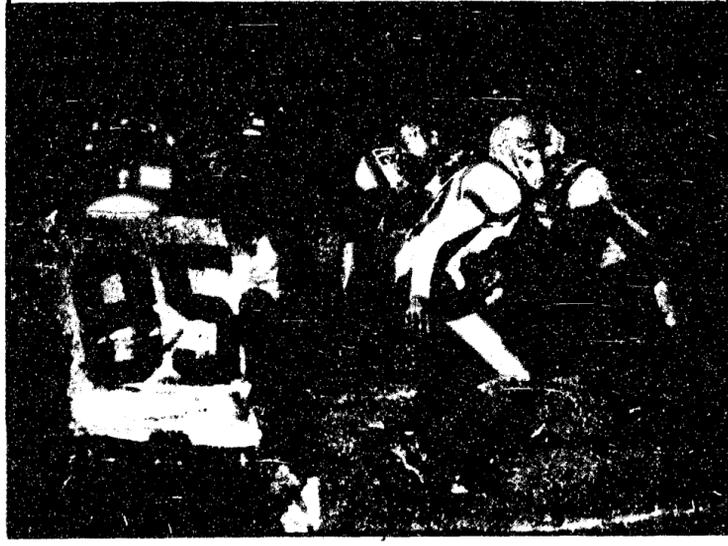


## Capitan Tigers End Grizzly Season 42-0

(Top photo) Capitan Tiger senior Rudy Chavez #83 makes Grizzly defender miss and gets ready for contact from Carrizozo linebacker Nicholas Chavez (Fr.) in Capitan's win over Grizzlies in Capitan last Friday.

(Bottom photo) Grizzlies Jr. running back Cole Hubbard #12 attempts to get some tough yardage as a host of Tiger defenders close in, and Carrizozo wide-receiver (sr.) Mark Vigil tries to block.

Photos by C. Stone



## Weather Report . . .

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30, west wind around 5 mph becoming calm.

### Friday, November 5

Sunny, with a high near 64, night: Clear, with a low around 36.

### Saturday, November 6

Sunny, with a high near 67, night: Mostly clear, with a low around 35.

### Sunday, November 7

Sunny, with a high near 69, night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 37.

### Monday, November 8

Mostly sunny, with a high near 66, night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 31.

### Tuesday, November 9

Mostly sunny, with a high near 67, night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 32.

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

### Today, Thursday, November 4

Sunny, with a high near 56, calm wind becoming north around 5 mph, night: Mostly clear, with a low around 29, calm winds.

### Friday, November 5

Sunny, with a high near 55, night: Clear, with a low around 37.

### Saturday, November 6

Sunny, with a high near 63, night: Mostly clear, with a low around 39.

### Sunday, November 7

Sunny, with a high near 63, night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 38.

### Monday, November 8

Mostly sunny, with a high near 61, night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 29.

### Tuesday, November 9

Mostly sunny, with a high near 62, night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 29.

The above information was taken from the National Weather Service Website. For up to date weather reports, go to [www.srh.noaa.gov/abq/](http://www.srh.noaa.gov/abq/) on the internet.

The NM Highways Department has developed a new toll free number for up to the hour road constructions/ conditions information. Just dial 511, listen to the options and follow the directions.

**DON'T FORGET**  
**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS**  
**TIME ENDS**  
**SUNDAY, NOV. 7,**  
**SET CLOCKS**  
**BACK ONE HOUR**  
**SATURDAY NIGHT.**

**LEGAL**

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**STATE OF NEW MEXICO**  
**COUNTY OF LINCOLN**  
**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT**  
**No. D-1226-CV-2009-00469**

AURORA BANK FSB F/K/A LEHMAN BROTHERS BANK, FSB,  
 Plaintiff,

vs.

CORNELIA GAIL SHAW, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR GE MONEY BANK, A FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK, GAYLON G. HERRERA, AND UNKNOWN TENANT (REAL NAME UNKNOWN),  
 Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

Notice is hereby given that on November 30, 2010, at the hour of 9:00 am the undersigned Special Master, or his designee, will, at the North 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 152 East Creek Rd., Capitan, New Mexico 88316, (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:

A tract of land in the NW/4 of Section 10, Township 9 South, Range 14 East, N.M.P.M., Capitan, Lincoln County, New Mexico, described by metes and bounds as follows:

Starting at the Northwest corner of said Section 10: thence South 00 degrees 19 minutes 00 seconds West along the West boundary of said Section 10 a distance of 842.00 feet; thence South 89 degrees 41 minutes 00 seconds East a distance of 674.00 feet to the place of beginning of the herein described tract of land; thence continuing South 89 degrees 41 minutes 00 seconds East a distance of 160.00 feet; thence North 00 degrees 19 minutes 00 seconds East a distance of 135.50 feet; thence North 89 degrees 41 minutes 00 seconds West a distance of 160.00 feet; thence South 00 degrees 19 minutes 00 seconds West a distance of 135.50 feet to the place of beginning. Being the POUNDS ESTATE as shown on that certain Boundary Survey Plat recorded January 9, 2006 in Cabinet 1, Slide No. 439, in the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, New Mexico,

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 a one (1) month right of redemption by the Defendants upon entry of an order approving sale. The foregoing sale will be made to satisfy a foreclosure judgment rendered by this Court in the above-entitled and numbered cause on February 19, 2010; being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above-described property. The Plaintiff's judgment is \$63,816.90, and the same bears interest at the variable rate of 8.7500%, which accrues at the rate of \$15.30 per diem, commencing on February 4, 2010, with the Court reserving entry of final judgment against said Defendant Cornelia Shaw 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 its 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 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 \$63,816.90, plus interest to and including date of sale of \$4,590.00 for a total judgment plus interest of \$68,406.90. Sale is subject to the entry of an order of the Court approving the terms and conditions of this sale.

PETER BACA, Special Master  
 PO Box 215  
 Carrizozo, NM 88301  
 Telephone: (575) 648-9925  
 E-mail: sale@littledranted.com

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**575.648.2333**

**OPERATING BUSINESS FOR SALE**

Concrete Ready Mix w/10-acres, In operation 30-years.

CALL 575-430-1352

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**EMPLOYMENT NOTICE**

**COOK FULL-TIME** - Zia Senior Citizens Center in Ruidoso Downs. The applicant is responsible for the entire kitchen operation and food preparation and service. Obtain application and job description from Billie-Jo Guevara at 575/648-2385 ext. 100. Applications accepted until 5:00 p.m.; Monday, November 15, 2010. Equal Opportunity Employer.

1tc/11/4

**WILLIE'S PLACE** -- All Mexican Food made from scratch; Original authentic recipes; Charbroiled Burgers; Homemade Enchiladas; and Burritos, Sandwiches, Fresh Salads, Ice Cream, Shakes, Floats, and Sodas. Phone 575-648-4200 / Hwy. 380/54 -- Carrizozo, NM.

**EMPLOYMENT NOTICE**

**WANTED** -- Greentree Solid Waste Authority is accepting applications for a Temporary/Full-time CDL Driver, Class "A" endorsement required. Positions will be filled as needed. You may pick up applications and job descriptions at 222 Second Street, Ruidoso Downs, NM or call (575) 378-4697. Applications deadline will be Monday, November 8, 2010, at 2:00 p.m.

1t/11/4

**FOR SALE** -- 2011 Hyundai Sonata Limited. 3.89% loan.

Call 575-430-1352

3tp/10/28-11/10

**FOR SALE**  
 --Alfalfa, small and large square bales, round bales. Various qualities.

**THE HAY RANCH**

In Lincoln and Roswell, NM  
 575-973-2200

tfn/2/18

CALL 575-648-2333  
**FOR CLASSIFIEDS.**

**NOTICE OF EMPLOYMENT**

The Town of Carrizozo is seeking applications for a full-time New Mexico Certified Police Officer or eligible to certify by waiver. Salary starts at \$16.00 per hour plus health insurance and retirement. Complete job description and applications are available at the Town of Carrizozo City Hall, 400 9th Street, PO Box 247, Carrizozo, NM 88301. Applications will be accepted until position is filled. Please mail completed applications along with resume to Town of Carrizozo, PO Box 247, Carrizozo, NM 88301 Att: Personnel or deliver them to 400 9th Street, Carrizozo, NM 88301.

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**Old Lincoln Town**

by Rosalie Dunlap

We spent a busy weekend in Lincoln. After Ralph's rehab Wednesday morning we left for Lincoln.

Thursday we spent on business in Roswell and visiting with friends. We had a nice visit with Kathleen Hellman at Villa del Rey. She is her same bubbly self and optimistic about her leg recovery. They had just moved her to an upstairs apartment - room 229 - and had had her therapy.

Due to the bone grafts in her leg she is unable to walk until the grafts are healed. She hopes by February she will be able to take a planned trip. She was so grateful to Bev and Ronnie Merritt for their caring and love following the broken (crushed?) leg.

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Our next stop was Peach Tree Retirement Center. The first person we met was Mary Lou Nickels in the hallway. Everyone was leaving the dining room.

We visited with Phyllis Zumwalt and Glenn Dennis. We missed Annabelle Burrows. Phyllis is very happy at Peach Tree. It had been a long time since we had seen her. Thanks for the zucchini bread.

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Then it was on to Carrizozo to vote. We visited with Pete Gnatkowski for a short time and then it was too late to say "Hi" to Ruth Hammond.

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The spinners met at the La Placita Saturday. It was a beautiful day to sit on the porch and enjoy spinning some of Carolyn's newly aquired sheep and alpaca fleeces. Sue Maness was able to come but Lloyd was missed. He had had cataract surgery Friday and decided he had better stay home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strauser, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Christman and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dunlap celebrated Gene's 73rd birthday in Capitan recently.

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Wayne Dunlap visited his parents and sealed the garage walls and the east end of the deck. They were really dry. Wayne hopes to come down again in March or April to do some work on the property.

The Arrowsmiths had also sealed Rosina's garage. It was nice to visit with Joy Shagle and Gary Stilwell.

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There were a lot of people in town over the weekend.

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I didn't get much news as it seemed we were busy with too much to do while we were in Lincoln.

The election will be over when you read this. I know we are all glad it is over, but I hope everyone voted.

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This past week has been a busy one with errands, doctors, and meetings. Wednesday Carolyn and Gene Christman and Ralph and I journeyed to El Paso to see a dental lab, and then did some shopping for the shop.

The first thing we missed the turn off for the dental lab and got lost. When we finally started for the wholesale business we got caught in a traffic jam.

It was late when we got all the shopping done, but Carolyn and Gene had to return to Lincoln for appointments the next morning at the shop.

Thursday was spent at the NM Farm & Ranch Museum meeting with the Museum Board and lunch. In the afternoon the Friends had their meeting. The business meeting had a discussion on the proposed license plate. The group decided to go with the project. They hope to have something to take to the Ag Fest in Santa Fe in February, and have a booth. Several plan on attending the affair.

There were three unexpected people present and we were so glad to visit. Morgan Nelson, who is a board member and his guests, Frederick and Heidi Nolan of Engand. The first thing Frederick said to me "No Billy". They just want to see the US. They made the grand tour of the Museum.

The Museum held their "Ghosts of the Past" with all the performances sold out. The evening was cool but pleasant for the outdoor events.

Friday and Saturday was homecoming at NMSU. The classes of 1950, 1960 and 1970 were celebrating their anniversaries. Two persons of interest to Lincoln County that we visited with were Barbara Funkhouser and Mike Swickard. Many may remember when Mike owned the Lincoln County News. He writes for a Las Cruces newspaper and has a radio program weekdays.

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The Ruidoso Christmas Jubilee will be held in Ruidoso November 12-13. It will be at Ruidoso Convention Center.

The annual Festival of Lights will be December 4th. Steve Stucker of KOB will be present. Steve has been the weatherman for KOB quite a few years. Some may remember when he started in Roswell.

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The Creative Memories group will hold their quarterly retreat this weekend - Nov. 6,7,8 at Ft. Lone Tree. See all you scrapbookers there.

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