

Community Calendar

If you want your event listed in the Community Calendar, write to the Hurricane Breeze at PO Box 310, Hurricane, West Virginia 25526, or phone 304-562-9881. If you have email, send it to breezenews@citynet.net and mark your subject line "Community Calendar." There is no charge for posting an event in the calendar.

MONDAYS
There is a free Zumba class at Valley Park in Hurricane starting at 5:30 p.m.

TUESDAYS NOW - MAY 24
There will be a free community Bible Study on Tuesdays from 9 to 10 a.m. and Bible art journaling from 10 a.m. to noon at My messy Desk, 151 Dudding Avenue, Hurricane.

WEDNESDAYS NOW - MAY 25
There will be workshops every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at My Messy Desk, 151 Dudding Avenue, Hurricane. Create seasonal decore, wreaths, signs, paint pouring, crochet, cards, jewelry, and more.

THURSDAYS NOW - MAY 19
There will be home school arts and crafts classes from 1 to 2 p.m. at My Messy Desk, 151 Dudding Avenue, Hurricane. The cost is \$5 per participant.

FRIDAYS NOW - MAY 20
There will be crafts for toddlers from 10 a.m. to noon at My Messy Desk, 151 Dudding Avenue, Hurricane. The cost is \$5.

There will be Friday Crafternoon classes for children from 2:30 to 4 p.m. at My Messy Desk, 151 Dudding Avenue, Hurricane. Ages 4 and up. The cost is \$5-10 per participant.

APRIL 7 - 10
There will be a spring revival at Sycamore Independent Missionary Baptist Church, 5839 Sycamore Road, Hurricane, at 7 p.m. nightly with evangelist Alan Frye.

APRIL 8 - 10
There will be a revival at 6 p.m. nightly with Evangelist George Holley at the Buffalo Church of the Nazarene, 25053 Buffalo Road.

APRIL 8 - 9
April's Closet free

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clothing giveaway will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. on Friday and 1 to 4 p.m. on Saturday at Lighthouse Baptist Church, 2440 US Route 60, Hurricane.

APRIL 8
The Harry Potter WizardFest will be held at The Loud, 741 6th Avenue, Huntington. There will be trivia, Quidditch, butterbeer, costume contest, and dance party. Ages 18 and under allowed with parent. For more information, go to wizardfest.com

There will be a foam dance party for children ages 6-10 from 6 to 7:30 p.m.; and ages 11-16 from 8 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. at The Foam Garage, 2716 Putnam Avenue, Hurricane. The cost is \$8 per child.

The Hurricane First Church of God, located at 3225 East Putnam Avenue, Hurricane (one block north of former Rite-Aid store) will be holding their monthly, second Friday Gospel Sings, beginning on April 8th, at 7 p.m.

Ladies' Craft Night will be held from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at My Messy Desk, 151 Dudding Avenue, Hurricane. The craft will be painting a layered wood bunny cut out. The cost to attend is \$30. Call (309)912-3191 to register.

APRIL 9
The Cross Lanes Baptist Church, 102 Knollwood Drive, will be holding an Easter event from 4 to 6 p.m.

The North Putnam Little League will be hosting the opening day of the Buffalo Softball Field from 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.

The Nitro Easter Eggstravaganza will be held from noon to 2 p.m. at Nitro City Park.

The Nitro Church of the Nazarene, 1400 Sattes Circle, Nitro, will be holding a spring vendor craft fair from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The Iron Horse Church, 120 Blackwood Avenue, Nitro, will be holding the second annual Blessing of the Bikes from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. For more information, call 304-550-1526, 304-932-5996, or 304-989-3926.

Kanawha River Bass Tournaments will be holding a scale fundraiser tournament at the Nitro boat ramp starting at 6 a.m. For more information, go to Kanawha River Bass Tournaments on Facebook.

There will be an egg hunt from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Fraziers Bottom Church of God, 19064 Winfield Road, Fraziers Bottom.

The Pulse Church will be holding an Easter egg hunt at 1 p.m. at the Winfield Middle School.

There will be a craft fair from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Winfield Riding Club.

The 3rd Annual Derek Casto Memorial Putnam County Fair Horse Show will be held at 1 p.m. at the Winfield Riding Club.

There will be a Glow in the Dark Egg Hunt at 8 p.m. at Winfield United Methodist Church, 20 Radwin Drive. Bring a flashlight and a basket/bag.

Peyton and Peppy Boutique, 2741 Main Street, Hurricane, will be holding a Spring Sip N' Shop from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Egg hunt, freebies, and discounts.

The United Methodist Women of Forrest Burdette Memorial United Methodist Church, 2848 Putnam Avenue,

Learning Days at Hurricane Town Elementary

West Virginia Public Education Collaborative, which is serving as West Virginia's regional lead for Remake Learning Days in West Virginia for the sixth year, is holding two upcoming events at Hurricane Town Elementary. The events are free and open to the public for children between PreK-5 and their families.

April 28: Little Learners Fun with Clay Hurricane Town Elementary 6 – 8 p.m.

Age Groups: Grades Prek-2

Families will experience the wonders of clay through a read-aloud of the book "Play with Clay." Families will explore, build and create using their own pieces of clay.

April 28, 2022: Maker Challenge Build a Machine

Hurricane Town Elementary 6 – 8 p.m.

Age Groups: Grades

Adopt-A-Highway Spring Cleanup set for April 23rd

The West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection (WVDEP) is now accepting registrations for the Adopt-A-Highway Spring Statewide Cleanup set for Saturday, April 23.

Co-sponsored by the WVDEP and the state Division of Highways, the Adopt-A-Highway program is administered by the WVDEP's Rehabilitation Environmental Action Plan (REAP) and improves the quality of the state's environment by encouraging public involvement in the elimination of highway

Hurricane are sponsoring the Annual Spring Festival annual

Easter Egg and Craft Sale from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

APRIL 10
First Baptist Church, Main Street, Hurricane, will be holding an Easter cantata called "Experiencing God" at 2:30 and 6:30 p.m.

APRIL 12 - MAY 3
There will be a free four-week workshop on Dining with Diabetes from 1 to 3 p.m. at John Henson Senior Center, 2800 Putnam Avenue, Hurricane.

APRIL 13 - 15
Red House Bible Church, 51 Warner Lane, Red House, will be holding a special Easter presentation called "Journey to the Cross" from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m.

APRIL 14
Tale and Trail, a fun Easter event for families with children age 2 through 5th grade, will be held at 6 p.m. at Valley Park in Hurricane. There will be Easter stories and an egg hunt on the trails. Register by going to https://riverridge.tv/taleadtrail

APRIL 15 - 16
Homemade Baked Goods will be sold at The Sweet Buy & Bye Shoppe, Buffalo, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday.

APRIL 15
There will be a Good Friday service at 7 p.m. at River Ridge Church, 1 Saturn Way, Hurricane.

Tree Pruning Workshop

West Virginia State University (WVSU) Extension Service will host "Take a Walk on the Wild Side," a hands-on tree pruning workshop on Saturday, April 9, from 1-3 p.m. at St. Albans City Park.

The event is free and open to the public. Participants will learn how to make proper pruning cuts and receive pruning tools, and are strongly encouraged to view a WV Tree Minders pruning video before the workshop at the following link: https://moodle.uscloudconnect.com/moodle/mod/page/view.php?id=396

For any questions, contact Liz Moss at (304) 661-6016 or anr@wvstateu.edu.

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Families will become innovators, engineers and creative experts after they hear the story "Violet the Pilot." They will work together to build a machine of their very own!

litter.

Since the program's inception in 1988, state citizens have cleaned up close to 70,000 miles of state highways and roads during annual spring and fall Adopt-A-Highway events.

Individuals, families, churches, businesses, schools, civic organizations, government agencies and communities can register to pick up trash on almost any state-maintained road, back road or main route. Private roads and interstate highways cannot be adopted.

The Adopt-A-Highway program provides garbage bags, work gloves and safety vests to volunteers, and takes care of disposing of collected trash. Volunteers must be at least 12 years old to participate. One-time cleanups are encouraged but must be registered.

Groups must register in advance by April 15th and inform their county DOH garage if they need supplies. Due to COVID-19, each group must designate a person to do a curbside pickup of the supplies at their garage.

To register, call 1-800-322-5530 or send an email to dep.aah@wv.gov. If you reach the REAP voicemail, please leave your name, phone number, group name, date of cleanup, number of participants, and the county where your adopted road is located.

The 2021 Adopt-A-Highway spring clean up saw over 3,500 volunteers from over 400 groups and removed 240,000 pounds of litter from over 1,000 miles of roadway.

REAP, whose motto is 'Keeping WV Clean and Green,' was created in 2005 and strives to clean up West Virginia and rid the state of litter. The program empowers citizens to take ownership of their communities by providing technical, financial, and resource assistance in cleanup and recycling efforts. More information is available on the REAP webpage: https://dep.wv.gov/environmental-advocate/reap/Pages/default.aspx.

The Way We Were, The Way We Are

By Brenda Burke

When I pick up the grandsons, two or three days a week from school, one while the other one goes to Spanish, the younger grandson always wants to tell me the good and bad of his day... week. He is in first grade... kindergarten was virtual. (His brother is fourth grade, and his third grade was online daily with teacher.)

Younger grandson explains what happened... what he liked... what he did not... and Nana says, "Now, we move on... get over it..." He chuckles...

My thirty year journey, since my life changed drastically, was a life of ups and downs. I don't need to write about the downs... they were glitches in the days of my journey... they are over and finished... we move on... the good times are too, too many to write about. It would take a book. I know I will repeat myself in this column... but I want to stress the great opportunities I had after becoming a teacher...

One of my first great memories was receiving my second degree, the bachelor's... education... Language Arts 5-12, Psychology... and on and on... (One was receiving my Master's also... Humanities with a specialty in reading and one in writing.) One in 1994 and the other 2007... that doctorate, although I took tons of classes, eluded me.

I digress.

I remember walking into my first classroom in South Carolina... teachers had a dress code, despite the hot, humid weather. I wore suits with heels and/or dressy dresses with heels... I had a grade book... a classroom... a desk. I was so, so excited... and then those seventh graders won my heart. They chose the song, "Keeper of the Stars" as our theme, and when I left, they wrote me letters addressed as such. I was a teacher.

When I went to Marlboro County High, South Carolina, I had a huge classroom... with many students. Remember, in South Carolina, our classes were bigger, the salaries were

Poca High Alumni Banquet

The Poca High School Alumni Association announces the 2022 PHS Alumni Banquet and Dance will be held on Saturday, June 11, at Poca High School. The band Willie D and No Regrets will be the entertainment for the evening.

Time: Doors open at 4:30 p.m., Welcome at 5:30 p.m., Dinner at 6:00 p.m.

Price: \$20.00 per person

Reservations due by June 1. Send reservations to Poca High School Alumni Association, PO Box 427, Poca, WV 25159

You are invited to join one of the oldest associations around since 1926. The meetings are held at Poca High School. Call Lynne Kibler 304-755-3628 or Dale & Hotchie Parkins at 304-755-5497 for more information. If you are a member of a special class anniversary, please contact us to share your class information.

less, fewer benefits, and often no prep period... that never bothered me... I was happy.

They told me at MCHS that I was to be the leader of a club, and they chose the dance club for me. That was a fit... I love dancing... we had a good time learning all the oldies and newer dances...

One experience that changed my life was in 1996 when I was one of thirty teachers, nationwide, to attend the month long Folger's Institute Shakespeare for teachers in D.C. That month changed my teaching... I flew to D.C. We stayed in the dorm at Georgetown where we took a class... we worked at the Folger's with professionals... learning strategies that worked with more than Shakespeare... I fell in love with the man/ the subject forever... a teacher who was fearful of getting in front of the class blossomed... that month changed my life forever and those of my students.

We had the first Shakespeare Festival at MCHS... what an experience... it was magnificent... the students were wonderful... we took those same strategies and performed skits and songs for the Band/Choir Concert also.

In 1997, the Lake City High group convinced me to return; they sent me to Hyannis Port for a week to study and learn to teach Cooperative Learning. I went; I enjoyed; I learned more and more. Those strategies were useful in the classroom, and I aided other teachers in using them.

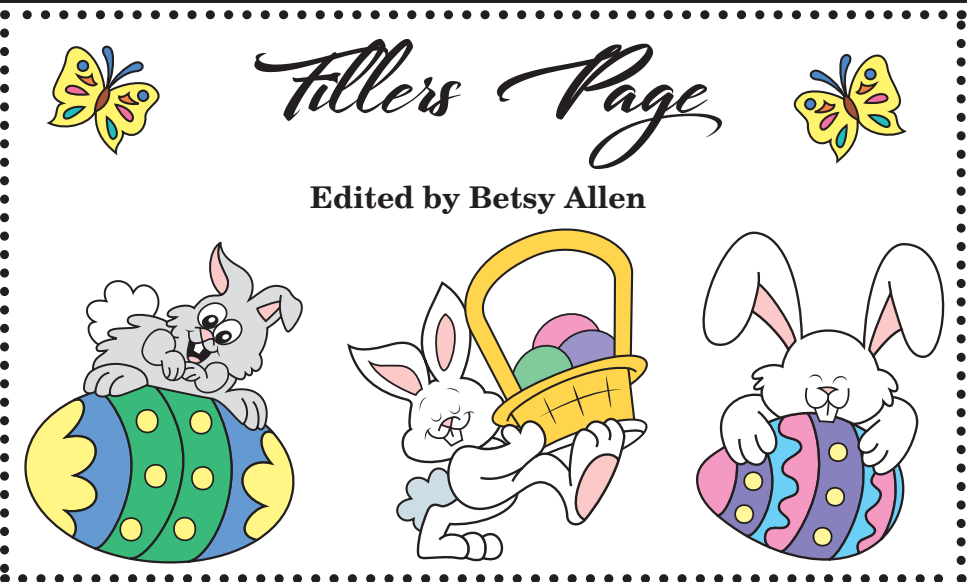
The Board of Education in South Carolina, in both districts, encouraged (and paid for) their teachers to get more education... it was fantastic.

I sat on the writing board of a college in SC... enjoyed doing that; I learned even more... Eventually, I was chosen as one of the Elite Eleven Shakespeare Teachers... my readers can tell it was a subject that was and is dear to my heart...

One school system sent me to Hilton Head for a week to work on other projects... just going and going and learning... my degrees did not give me all that I needed, but they, of course, gave me the opportunity to teach... One summer, I worked in Columbia for the government... helping to write the state test... all students had to pass a test to graduate... it was NOT an easy test...

So many activities... one summer, I taught summer academy in the south... those kids were so excited to get to go to school in the summer... unusual but true... memories of learning... teaching... having fun while doing it. I met so many teachers from across the nation; we emailed and shared ideas... I loved it...

Good things... great opportunities... wonderful times... wonderful people... caring, deserving students... eager to learn... leaving South Carolina was difficult... but because the way we were is the way we are... I went home to Almost Heaven, WV... more in the next segment of my journey.



Memories Are Treasures of the Heart

By Vivian Hill
Submitted by Brenda McClanahan of Poca

All the treasures of the kings
And all the gold on earth,
Could not begin to equal
What our memories are worth.
Remembering together times,
Can warm a lonely day
And thoughts of summer afternoons
Take winters chill away.
Lovely memories linger on
Of moments left behind,
And rain will seldom come to those,
With rainbows on their minds.
And when life seems to get us down
The thing that sees us through,
Is thinking of the ones we love
And those who love us, too.



Fillers Contributors Wanted

The Hurricane Breeze always wants Fillers Page contributors. We would like to print your recipes, inspirational sayings, poems, clean jokes, fun facts, and other submissions.
Please send contributions to The Hurricane Breeze Fillers Page, PO Box 310, Hurricane, WV 25526. You can also email submissions to breezenews@citynet.net

Quick and Easy Dishes for Dining Al Fresco

(Family Features) Warmer weather is often welcome for a variety of reasons and dining outdoors can help take that appreciation to the next level. Keeping ingredients lists short and prep time minimal also allows you to spend more time enjoying the sunshine and blue skies al fresco with the ones you love.
Even when you're short on time, you can take mealtime from the dining room to the deck with an ingredient like Minute Rice Cups. Available in 13 varieties, including White and Brown rice, the convenient, single-serving, BPA-free cups are ready in just 90 seconds or less. Perfect for taking to the office for lunch or as an on-the-go snack, the cups can also be used as a quick and easy base for nearly any meal occasion.
For example, this simple Fish with Bok Choy features plenty of complex flavors with flaky white fish, crisp bok choy and 100% whole-grain brown rice. The brown rice provides the ideal texture for the ginger, sesame and nutty notes in this dish, and the whole recipe can be on the table in 10 minutes. Because white fish fillets are neutral and mild, they absorb all the flavors from the dish, and are an ideal protein for those with busy schedules due to their short cooking time.
Or, bursting with colors and flavors, this Fiesta Rice satisfies fresh cravings with an irresistible combo of white rice, tomatoes, green onions and creamy avocado. Ready in less than 5 minutes, this dish can also be customized with a different grain variety or extra juicy, sweet cherry tomatoes in place of diced tomatoes. To make this satisfying side a complete meal, simply add grilled chicken or your favorite protein.
To find more quick and easy recipes perfect for enjoying outdoors, visit MinuteRice.com.

Fish with Bok Choy
Prep time: 3 minutes
Cook time: 7 minutes
Servings: 1

1 Minute Brown Rice Cup

salt, to taste

pepper, to taste

1 white fish fillet

1 tablespoon butter

1 teaspoon sesame oil

1 teaspoon grated ginger

2 baby bok choy, quartered

1 teaspoon soy sauce

Heat rice according to package directions. Set aside.
Add salt and pepper to both sides of fish, to taste.
In medium skillet over medium-high heat, melt butter. Cook fish 2 minutes on each side. Remove fish from pan and keep warm.
In same pan, add sesame oil and ginger. Cook 1 minute.
Add bok choy to pan and stir-fry 2 minutes. Add soy sauce; stir to incorporate.
Top rice with fish and serve with bok choy.

Fiesta Rice
Prep time: 3 minutes
Cook time: 1 minute
Servings: 1

1 Minute White Rice Cup

1 diced tomato

1/2 diced avocado

1 sliced green onion

1 tablespoon chopped cilantro

1 teaspoon lime juice

salt, to taste

black pepper, to taste

Heat rice according to package directions. Set aside.
In bowl, combine tomato, avocado, onion and cilantro.
Add lime juice and salt and pepper, to taste.
Mix thoroughly and serve.

Jokes From Linda

Submitted by Linda
Lavender Armstead



What do you get when
you cross a turkey with
a banjo?
A turkey that can pluck
itself.

Four-year-old Bradrick
came into the kitchen,
grabbed the juice and
began to pour it into a
bowl. Then he placed
some batteries in there.
His Papaw finally
stopped him and asked
what he was doing. He
replied, "Dad said the
batteries are out of juice."

Teacher: "Why should
you be quiet in church?"
Sally: "Because people
are sleeping."

Fillers from Linda

Submitted by Linda~Lavender Armstead
Washington Hill Road, Hurricane

It's all about finding
the calm in the chaos.

Commitment is an act,
not a word.

The best way to use
your feet is to lead.

Do everything with a
good heart and expect
nothing in return.

Commitment leads to
action. Action brings your
dream closer.

Make sure you test
positive for faith. Keep
distance from doubt, and
isolate your fear.

God is still the best
doctor and prayer is the
best medicine.

One minute you are
young and carefree and
the next minute you can
feel rain coming in your
knee.

You just treat people
right. If they do you
wrong, you still treat him
right, cause it's about you
and not about them.

If you're someone
people count on
particularly in difficult
moments, that's a sign
of a life lived honorably.

Without commitment
you cannot have depth in
anything whether it's a
relationship, a business,
or a hobby.

Almost all of our
suffering is a product of
our own thoughts.

If you try, you risk
failure. If you don't, you
ensure it.

A negative mind will
never give you a positive
life.

Some days I just sit
and remember.

The sun shines in us,
not on us.

Make each day a
masterpiece.

Each morning we are
born again. What we do
today is what matters
most.

Hope is being able to see
that there is light despite
all of the darkness.

Be patient with yourself
self-growth is tender; is
holy ground. There is no
greater investment.

The emptiness we
seek to fill with outside
distractions and numbing
substances is a longing
for one thing - and one
thing only - love.

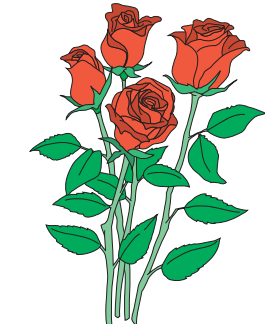
Grace means that all
of your mistakes now
serve a purpose instead
of serving shame.

The truth is life is full
of joy and full of great
sorrow, but you can't
have one without the
other.

Tears shed for another
person or not a sign of
weakness. They are a
sign of a pure heart.

Don't be pushed around
by the fears in your mind.
Be led by the dreams in
your heart.

Miracles occur
naturally as expressions
of love.



Respect your
uniqueness. Drop
comparison, relax into
your being.

Surround yourself with
love. Protect your heart
with peace. Live your life
in light.

The beautiful journey
of today can only begin
when we learn to let go
of yesterday.

When it's all over, you
will discover it was never
random.

Your scars are someone
else's signs of hope.

Keep shining - the
world needs your light.

Nature doesn't hurry,
yet everything gets
accomplished.

Some people don't
wanna be fixed because
being broken gets them
attention.

Reading gives us
someplace to go when
we have to stay where
we are.

Teachers open the
doors, but you must enter
by yourself.

Life is like riding a
bicycle. To keep your
balance, we must keep
moving. - Albert Einstein

The results you are
achieving are a direct
reflection of the image of
yourself you are holding.
Improve the images
and the improvement
will automatically be
reflected in your results.

When the red letters
of Jesus become the read
letters of Jesus, our soul
is enriched.

No amount of skillful
invention can replace
the essential element of
imagination.

It's quite possible
things will turn out far
better than you could
imagine.

Commitment is the
foundation of great
accomplishments.

We have to work
together to uplift each
other.

There is nothing
impossible for him who
tries.

You will never go
wrong doing what's right.

Make each day your
masterpiece.

It's always easier to
believe by into denial.
Our minds are naturally
affirmative.

Spiritual life depends
on the purposes we
cherish. - Charles H.
Spurgeon

Almost everything will
work again if you unplug
it for a few minutes,
including you.

Never blame anyone

in your life. Good people
give you happiness.
Bad people give you
experience. Worst people
give you a lesson. Best
people give you memories.

Somewhere, someone
thinks of you every day
and smiles.

Feelings are just
visitors; let them come
and go.

Love is not an
affectionate feeling, but a
steady wish for the loved
person's ultimate good as
far as it can be obtained.

Be the things you love
most about the people
who are gone.

You can't pour from an
empty cup; take care of
yourself first.

When some things go
wrong, take a moment to
be thankful for the many
things that are going
right.

Do not tell someone to
get over it. Help them get
through it.

To love someone is to
learn the song in their
heart and sing it to them
when they have forgotten
it.

Overthinking is the
biggest cause with
unhappiness and
misunderstanding.

There is no instinct like
that of the heart.

Push yourself to move.

One minute you're
young and fun. And the
next, you're turning down
the stereo in your car to
see better.

Christianity isn't for
the little engine that can;
it's for the train-wreck
that can't.

The fastest land
mammal is a toddler
who's been asked what's
in their mouth.

Just be a good person,
love who you can, help
where you can, do you
what you can.

The life in front of you
is far more important
than the life behind you.

The saddest thing
about betrayal is that it
never comes from your
enemies.

If you think you've
blown God's plan for your
life, rest in this, you are
not that powerful.

Someday we will look
back at this moment, and
it will forever remind us
to never take little things
for granted.

Your family is the best
team you could ever have.

It's better to walk away
than to tolerate nonsense.

Bible Verse



In Christ we have
redemption through his
blood, the forgiveness of
sins, in accordance with
the riches of God's grace.
—Ephesians 1:7

Hurricane City Council Honors Calvary Baptist Academy High School Boys Basketball Team



Members of the Calvary Baptist Academy High School Boys Basketball Team pose with their championship banner at the April 4 Hurricane City Council meeting. Team members are Stevie Hicks, Dallas Johnson, Matthew DeGroff, Alex Starcher, James DeGroff, Isaiah Bosley, Micah Daniels, Ben Coleman, Scottie Richards, Haydon Robinson, Jo Swain, and Mason Black.

By Ron Allen

The Calvary Baptist Academy Boys Basketball team was honored at the April 7 Hurricane City Council meeting in recognition of winning the 2022 West Virginia

Christian Athletic Tournament (WVCAT)

Calvary Baptist finished the season with a 22-1 record.

Mayor Scott Edwards scolded Head Coach David Spencer for the one loss

and asked what happened.

Spencer replied, “I am not making any excuses but we had five boys out with Covid.”

Spencer said “This is the most balanced team of high level talent I have

coached at CBA. It was a privilege to be with this group of guys this past season and the many, many days over the past few years. Arguably the best basketball team ever at CBA.”

The 2022 WVCAT State Championship is the third year in a row and fourth title in 6 years for Calvary.

Micah Daniels and Isaiah Bosley were named to WVCAT All-Tournament Team and

Stevie Hicks was named WVCAT MVP.

During the course of the season senior Ben Coleman and junior Stevie Hicks joined the 1,000 point club. Coleman recently signed to play basketball at the University of Charleston.

Bringing Back the Village Series of Seminars

Thursdays, 5:30 pm
Main Library

April 28 - The Lake of Caregiving: Swim, Don't Sink

May 5 - Free Estate Planning Workshop

May 12 - Taking the Madness Out of Medicare

May 19 - Grandma's Pie Plate: The Softer Side of Estate Planning

May 26 - Faith in Action: Serving Seniors, Neighbor to Neighbor

June 2 - Funding Options and Resources for Senior Care

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a group dedicated to strengthening connection and community for senior citizens in our area

Scholaroo Ranks West Virginia 48th in Best States for Teachers

Since COVID-19 hit, teachers in America are now burnt out due to the recent teacher shortages in our country's public school system; 55% of them say they're ready to leave the profession earlier than they planned.

After conducting an in-depth analysis, the scholarship website Scholaroo has released its 2022's Best and Worst States for Teachers. This study is pertinently important as its one of the first to dissect which states favor or discourage educators in a post-pandemic world.

Based on the analysis of 42 metrics organized into 5 key indicators — Career Accessibility, Salary & Compensation, Work Benefits, Work Environment, and Student Performance — the 2022

Rankings showed that West Virginia ranks #48 in the nation.

#48: Overall

#34: Work Benefits

#35: Work Environment

4 2 : S t u d e n t Performance

4 3 : S a l a r y & Compensation

#47: Career Accessibility

Washington, New York, and Rhode Island top the list, the states that are lagging behind in empowering teachers are Arizona, Louisiana, and West Virginia.

For the complete 2022 rankings and methodology, please visit: <https://scholaroo.com/best-states-for-teachers/>

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Sherman 5, Poca 4
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Winfield 10, Geo. Washington 2
Buffalo 8, St. Marys 0
Poca 12, Wayne 6
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Hurricane 4, So. Charleston 3
Poca 7, Tug Valley 6
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Poca 1, Mingo Central 0
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Hurricane 11, Parkersburg So. 2
Hurricane 7, Parkersburg So. 0
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Hurricane 9, Riverside 5
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Psalm	John	John	John	John	John	John
43	9:1-12	9:13-41	11:1-27	11:28-44	11:45-57	12:1-11

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Thoughts on the Lord's Supper

I Corinthians 11:20-34

Throughout much of his first epistle to the church at Corinth, Paul identifies numerous shortcomings of believers and issues corrective instructions. In the text before us, Paul lets the church know that it was observing the Lord's supper in a most inappropriate manner. Members were partaking of food from home and eating a meal. In some instances it was a meal fitting for a celebratory banquet (v. 21).

In verse 23, the Apostle states that he delivered instruction which he has received from the Lord. All Bible-believing Christians know that all scripture is given by the Holy Spirit who teaches us all things and brings the words of the Lord Jesus into remembrance (Jn. 14:26). Paul's teaching concerning the Lord's supper was revealed to Paul directly from the Lord. It is by the Holy Spirit that we know the intimacy of the Lord's supper. Failure to do as Jesus instructed Paul is an act of utter disregard of His love.

The bread which we eat is symbolic of His body which was broken for us (v. 24). In eating the bread and drinking of the cup, we are engaging in a physical act which testifies of our acceptance of the Father's gift (John 3:16).

The cup which we drink is symbolic of the new covenant —new relationship— which relationship is made possible by His shed blood (v. 25). Again, we are engaging in a physical act which is a testimony. In drinking the cup, we declare the new covenant — a new relationship with God the Father in which the Son sits at His right hand and intercedes for us. Declaration establishes the intent of the declarer. With it, we solemnly acknowledge that all access to the Father is through the Son.

We are to partake of both the bread and the cup in remembrance of Him. While the eating of the bread and drinking of the cup are symbolic, His broken body and shed blood are not. They are literal realities which satisfied our sin debt and made way for our new relationship with God the Father.

In verse 26, the Apostle states that eating of the bread and drinking of the cup declares the Lord's death until He returns. In Matthew 26:29, the Lord informed His disciples that He would not drink of the fruit of the vine again until He drank it new with them in "My Father's kingdom." When we partake of the Lord's supper in remembrance of Him and the things which He taught, we look to the day when He shall come and drink.

This is what Paul received of the Lord and it is what he delivered to the Corinthians that they should do. Many in the church at Corinth were not eating of the bread and drinking of the cup in this manner. They were not doing this in remembrance of Him. They were not testifying of His death for their sins, His presence with the Father as their intercessor, and of His promise come again. The manner in which they observed the Lord's supper made light of what He has done, is doing and shall do. They were guilty of dishonoring the Lord. They were guilty of the body and blood of Christ Jesus.

All believers are called to place God first, others second and self last. When we fail to do as we know to do, we dishonor His body and His blood. Our testimony is lost. Because we fail, we need heed Paul's message to the church at Corinth. We must judge ourselves such that we not be judged and found unworthy (see v. 31).

In the church at Corinth, the Lord's supper had become a time to fill one's belly with bread and to drink wine in excess (see v. 21). Believers are instructed to do this [eating and drinking] in remembrance of Jesus. The failure of the church to judge themselves resulted in God's judgment. Consequently, many were sick and weak and numerous ones had perished (v. 30).

In verse 32, Paul states, "But when we are judged . . ." Being judged is not an "if"; it is a certainty. The Lord desires that we should judge ourselves and right our ways. If we fail to judge ourselves, the Lord will do the judging. His judgment is right and fair. His judgment is merciful. Without His chastening, one is condemned with the world and all that is in the world.

In his closing words concerning the Lord's supper, the Apostle urges the brethren to wait for one another before partaking. In verse 34, he instructs them to eat at home such that physical hunger does not cause them to come together in condemnation. Remembrance of the Lord and filling one's stomach are incompatible. The Lord did not give Himself for us such that we may fill our stomachs. He died that men might know of the Father's loving grace.

In eating and drinking in remembrance of Him, we testify of the past (He died for us); the present (He intercedes for us); and the future (He shall come again). We know that He has reached out to us and desires that all should come to Him in repentance. Let us do that which we know is right to do.



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Obituaries

SUZANNE CHRISTIAN

Suzanne Gail (Good) Christian, of Scott Depot, entered Heaven on November 30, 2021 at the CAMC Hospice House following a short illness. She was born February 11, 1945 to parents, Sallie Venetta and George D. Good Jr. who predeceased her.

Survivors include: her husband of 48 years, Lawrence M. Christian, her daughter Sally K. Blackburn (Jeffrey), grandsons Matthew (Emily) Blackburn and Eric (Bre) Blackburn, her brother George D. Good III (Carolyn) of Virginia and nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

She was a member of Mt. Vernon Baptist Church in Hurricane, where she served in the church nursery for 20 years and also as a member of the Ona Eggleston Ladies Circle and previously in the church choir. She spent the majority of her work life in healthcare settings starting with Highland Hospital and then at Palisades General Hospital in North Bergen, NJ where she lived for 9 years. She later worked as the office manager for Dr. Kshirsagar, OB-GYN in Dunbar for 20 years and then later retiring from Dunbar Medical.

Suzanne was welcoming of others and loved to talk and visit with people. In recent years Suzanne wasn't able to get out much, but

she always enjoyed when others would come visit and play card games- especially her best friend Diane Hughes. Suzanne also had a tremendous love of reading and could read a book in a day if it held her interest.

A Memorial service to celebrate Suzanne's life will be held on Saturday, April 9 at 4 p.m., at the Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, 2150 Mt. Vernon Rd., Hurricane.

ERIC DAVIS

Eric Mitchell Davis, 33, of Poca, passed away March 31, 2022, from injuries due to a car accident.

Eric was born on November 11, 1988, in Charleston and is a 2007 graduate of Poca High School. Eric was a concrete tester and finisher for KWest Group out of Columbus, OH and loved his job dearly.

Throughout some of Eric's life he had struggled through some tough battles, but almost a year ago Eric pulled through for his little boy, Noah, and found the Lord. Eric then got his dream job

at KWest Group and became very content with this new chapter in his life.

Anyone who knew Eric knows that he was a very goofy man. He was always making his friends and family laugh. Eric was also very loveable sweet and caring most of the time, LOL. He is very loved and will be missed by many.

He is preceded in death by is father Robert Davis and grandmother Joyce Smith.

Eric is survived by his son Noah Davis; mother Robin Davis; grandfather Gary Smith, Sr.; brother Willie Davis; sister Kayla Hickman; uncle Gary Smith, Jr.; aunts Kimberly Smith and Nikie Rider and a host of cousins, nieces and nephews.

A tribute to the life of Eric was held Wednesday, April 6, 2022, at Gatens-Harding Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Bron Walker officiating. Burial was Thursday, April 7, at Valley View Memorial Park, Hurricane.

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Submissions

The deadline for submissions is Monday at noon for Thursday publication

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KENNETH EASTWOOD
Kenneth William Eastwood, 84, of Hurricane, passed away at his home on Saturday, March 26, 2022.

He was born to the late Edwin and Edna Eastwood, on July 14, 1937. In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by his wife, Nadeen Eastwood and his brother Edwin Eastwood.

Kenneth was a retired Service Engineer with Moore Business Forms. He was retired from proudly serving his country in the US Navy for 26 ½ years. He was an avid fisherman and loved animals, which he rescued many pets throughout the years.

Left to cherish his memory are his children: Sheree Laming (Andrew) of Hay River, Canada, Kenny Eastwood of Virginia Beach VA, Jeff Eastwood of Virginia Beach, VA and Debe Whiting of Mt. Joy, PA; grandchildren: Alex, Nick and Naomi; great-grandchildren: Caleb and Ben; and a sister: Bobbie Jean Heineman.

Funeral Mass was Saturday, April 2, 2022 at Ascension Catholic Church, Hurricane, with Father Bill Matheny officiating. Military Honors were conducted at the Memorial Garden at St. Mark's Episcopal Church, St. Albans.

LARRY MCKINNEY

Larry Dwight McKinney, 85, of Scott Depot, passed away on March 28, 2022 at CAMC Memorial Hospital, Charleston.

He was a son of the late Robert M. and Iva Charlotte Click McKinney born on February 9, 1937. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister, Virginia L. McKinney and brother, William R. McKinney.

Larry was retired from Kroger Company with 25 years of service as a truck driver and he proudly served his country in the United States Army.

He is survived by his wife of nearly 59 years, Carolyn Sue McKinney; son: Daniel McKinney; and grandchildren: Ian and Connor McKinney all

of Scott Depot.

Funeral service for Larry was April 1, 2022 at Chapman Funeral Home, Hurricane, with Rev. Dr. Melissa Pratt officiating. Burial was in Valley View Memorial Park, Hurricane, with military honors provided by James E. Marshall American Legion Post #187, Winfield.

ELEANOR NOFFSINGER

Eleanor June Noffsinger, 85, of Red House, passed peacefully on March 31, 2022 surrounded by her family.

Eleanor was a retired bus driver with Putnam County Schools. She loved being with her family and camping in the mountains of West Virginia.

She is preceded in death by her husband of 67 years Ralph Gordon Noffsinger, parents Garnett Childers and Fannie Childers Oldaker, Brother Miles Childers, sisters Oeda Garrison and Nadine Uythoven, son-in-law Rex DeVore and 4 nephews.

Eleanor is survived by her children Timothy and wife Eva Noffsinger of Red House, Randy and wife Debee Noffsinger of Buffalo, Penelope DeVore of Red House, Kelly and husband Joseph Good of Red House, grandchildren Wendy and husband Cliff Parsons, T.J. and wife Tiffany Noffsinger, Amber Noffsinger, Shannon Noffsinger, Anthony and wife Kelsey DeVore, Laythen Good, great grandchildren Alicen Parsons, Madison Parsons, Tyler Noffsinger, Jama Phillips, Bailey Noffsinger, Nevaeh Noffsinger, Haylee Null and a host of nieces, nephews, other family and friends.

A private family service will be held at a later date and Eleanor will be buried beside her husband Ralph at Haven of Rest Memory Gardens, Red House, West Virginia.

JAMES SHIRKEY

James Burton Shirkey, 65, of Winfield, was welcomed home by Jesus, on March 30, 2022.

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driver for Mountain State and Arrow Concrete. He belonged to Teamsters Local #175.

James was preceded in death by his parents and son Jeremiah Landis.

He is survived by his daughter, Amber Shirkey; his adoptive children, Makayla, Joshua and Jonathan Shirkey; his grandchild, Nehemiah Shirkey; siblings, Beverly Meeks, Debbie Shirkey and Jack Shirkey; and many other extended family and friends survive him.

Memorial service was Tuesday, April 5, 2022 at Chapman Funeral Home, Winfield, with Pastor Ross Thornton officiating.

BRIAN SCOTT WARDEN

Brian Scott Warden II, 32, of Hurricane, passed away April 1, 2022. He was born February 15, 1990, at

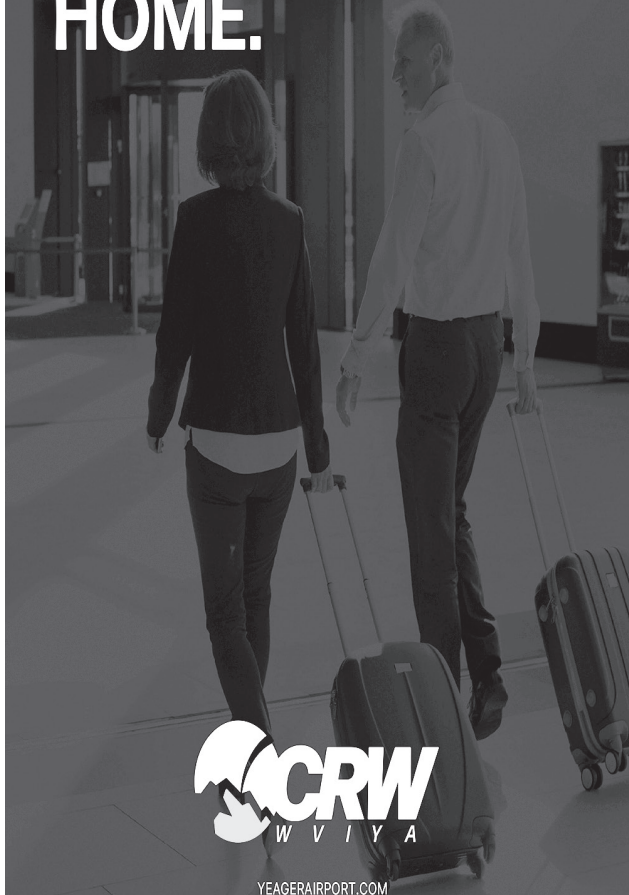
South Charleston.

Scott, as he was fondly called by his family and friends, was a kind and gentle person always willing to help others. He loved fishing, hunting, working out, and to travel.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Julie Warden, and maternal grandfather, Lawrence Casdorff. Scott is survived by his father, Brian Warden and his wife Trina, his brothers James Preston Warden, Austin Warden and sister Emily Warden, step siblings Lee Trippett and Ashley Harding, maternal grandmother Cecilia Casdorff, paternal grandmother Virginia Warden, and paternal grandfather Bill Warden, aunts and uncles, multiple cousins, and friends.

Services were held at Allen Funeral Home on Tuesday, April 5th, 2022 with Minister Daniel Curry officiating.

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April 7, 1947: Medal of Honor recipient Thomas W. Bennett was born in Morgantown. Believing it was wrong to evade the draft while others had to serve in Vietnam, he volunteered as a noncombatant medic. He was killed by gunfire while trying to drag a wounded soldier to safety.

April 8, 1891: The town of Paw Paw was incorporated. Strategically located on the Potomac River, the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad and the C&O Canal, Paw Paw was named for the banana-like pawpaw fruit that grows in the area.

April 8, 1951: An Air National Guard transport

plane crashed near Kanawha (now Yeager) Airport, killing 21.

April 9, 1900: Physician Margaret Byrnside “Dr. Maggie” Ballard was born. She actively pursued her interest in genealogy and local history and was one of the founders of the Monroe County Historical Society.

April 10, 1848: John Kenna was born in Kanawha County. In 1883, the state legislature elected him to the U.S. Senate, unseating the powerful Henry Gassaway Davis. Kenna is one of two West Virginians memorialized by a statue in the U.S. Capitol.

April 10, 1932: Entertainer Blaze Starr was born as Fanny Belle Fleming in Wayne County. The owner of a burlesque club rechristened her “Blaze Star.” She became known as “Queen of the Strippers.”

April 11, 1821: Congressman Jacob Beeson Blair was born in Parkersburg. Blair was the first West Virginian to be told by President Abraham Lincoln of Lincoln’s support of the admission of West Virginia into the United States.

April 11, 1909: Writer

Hubert Skidmore was born at Laurel Mountain in Webster County. In his novels, Skidmore depicted stoic endurance by mountain people in

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Business and Occupation Tax 80,000
Wine & Liquor Tax 500
Fines, Fees & Court Costs 2,000
Licenses 1,000
Franchise Fees 3,000
IRP Fees (Interstate Registration Plan) 10,000
Rents, Royalties and Concessions 21,000
Gaming Income 9,000
Interest Earned on Investments 100
Video Lottery (LVL) 2,000
Miscellaneous Revenues 2,750
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE (GENERAL FUND)
\$ 617,574
COAL SEVERANCE TAX FUND REVENUE SOURCE
Assigned Fund Balance \$ 1,000
Coal Severance Tax 3,000
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE (COAL SEVERANCE FUND)
\$ 4,000
ESTIMATED CURRENT EXPENDITURES
Mayor's Office 12,300
City Council 9,050
Recorder's Office 8,725
City Attorney 5,000
Rehabilitation of Property 20,000
Regional Development Authority 500
City Hall 109,450
Other Buildings 11,000
Contingencies 50,000
Police Department 74,600
Street & Highways 86,000
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Parks & Recreation 61,500
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Library 6,500
Beautification Programs 15,000
Capital Projects - General Government 107,949
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MUNICIPALITY OF BUFFALO, WEST VIRGINIA Regular Current Expense Levy FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2022 - JUNE 30, 2023
Certificate of Valuation
Assessed Value
for Tax Purposes
CLASS I
Personal Property \$ 0
Public Utility 0
Total Class I 0
CLASS II
Real Estate 18,157,650
Personal Property 242,956
Total Class II 18,400,606
CLASS IV
Real Estate 4,636,570
Personal Property 3,129,770
Public Utility 1,495,951
Total Class IV 9,262,291
Total Value & Projected Revenue \$ 27,662,897
Less Delinquencies, Exonerations, Uncollectable Taxes 5.00%
Less Tax Discounts (use Total Projected Revenue to calculate) 2.00%
Less Allowance for Tax Increment Financing if Applicable 0
Total Projected Property Tax Collection 85,943
Less Assessor's Valuation Fund 2.00%
Net Amount to be Raised by Levy of Property Taxes \$ 84,224
STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA COUNTY OF PUTNAM MUNICIPALITY OF BUFFALO, WEST VIRGINIA
I, Andrew Coulson, Recording Officer of said municipality, do hereby certify that the foregoing are true copies from the record of the orders made and entered by said council on the 10th day of March 2022.
Andrew Coulson Recorder
4-7-2t

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
IN THE FAMILY COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA
Susan Ella Quann Vs. Case No. <u>21-D-369</u>
Michael Anthony Quann

THE OBJECT OF THIS SUIT IS TO OBTAIN NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING ON PETITION FOR DIVORCE. It appearing by affidavit filed in this action that ANTHONY QUANN , whose address is unknown is a party in the above matter and that a hearing was set for April 20, 2022 at 11:30 AM before Judge Witt, Family Court Judge, located at the Judicial Building, 12093 Winfield Rd. Suite 12, Winfield WV 25213.
A copy of said Petition for Divorce and Notice of Hearing can be obtained from the Putnam County Circuit Clerk's Office.
Entered by the Clerk of said Court on this 30th day of March 2022.
WILLIAM MULLINS/dh Clerk of the Court
4-7-2t

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
IN THE FAMILY COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA
Desire Dale Black Vs. Case No. <u>20-D-322</u>
Jason Black

THE OBJECT OF THIS SUIT IS TO OBTAIN NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING ON PETITION FOR DIVORCE. It appearing by affidavit filed in this action that JASON BLACK , whose address is unknown is a party in the above matter and that a hearing was set for May 9th, 2022 at 11:30 AM before Judge Witt, Family Court Judge, located at the Judicial Building, 12093 Winfield Rd. Suite 12, Winfield WV 25213.
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WILLIAM MULLINS/cs Clerk of the Court
4-7-2t

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT
FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2022 - JUNE 30, 2023 LEVY ESTIMATE - BUDGET DOCUMENT
STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA MUNICIPALITY OF BUFFALO, WEST VIRGINIA
In accordance with Code § 11-8-14, as amended, the Council proceeded to make an estimate of the amounts necessary to be raised by levy of taxes for the current fiscal year, and does determine and estimate the several amounts to be as follows:
The amount due and the amount that will become due and collectible from every source during the fiscal year INCLUDING THE LEVY OF TAXES, is as follows:
REVENUE SOURCE
Unassigned Fund Balance 350,000
Property Taxes - Current Expense 84,224
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Excise Tax on Utilities 50,000
Business and Occupation Tax 80,000
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I, Andrew Coulson, Recording Officer of said municipality, do hereby certify that the foregoing are true copies from the record of the orders made and entered by said council on the 10th day of March 2022.
Andrew Coulson Recorder
4-7-2t

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT
NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS
To maintain necessary clearances for safe and reliable electric service, Appalachian Power Company plans to manage vegetation along the Poplar Fork-Scott Lane portion of its 12 kV Distribution system in Putnam County, WV. On or about April 1, 2022 contract crews will begin to trim and remove trees and brush and apply herbicides along our rights-of-way. Work will be done in accordance with International Society of Arboriculture guidelines and take into account factors such as tree species, growth characteristics, line voltage, etc. In unmaintained or undeveloped areas, cuttings will remain on site so as to minimize soil disturbance and to promote biodegradation.

Rights-of-way in this area involved in the program are: Valley View Drive, White Cedar Drive, Cedar Drive, Spruce Drive, Red Cedar Drive, Hamon Drive, Scott Lane, Windmere Drive, Joyce Road, Silverleaf Lane, Scott Acres, Village Drive, Valley Bend, Summerset Drive, Wesley Lane, Timberlake Drive, Timberlake Circle, and Hidden Cove.

Representatives will attempt to personally contact resident property owners at least seven business days prior to working on their property. Specifics regarding your property may be discussed at that time. If you are a nonresident property owner and have questions regarding our right-of-way maintenance, they may be directed to:

Appalachian Power Company Forestry Department 1068 US Route 60 E Milton, WV 25541 (304)743-7818
4-7-1t

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA
LINDA K. WOOD, Petitioner, Civil Action No.: 17-P-58 v. Judge: Reeder
JOSHUA HUDSON, GARY WAYNE HUDSON, JR., and BRANDON WESLEY HUDSON, Respondents.
The object of the above-styled action is to obtain the outstanding interest in real estate situate in Winfield Town District, Putnam County, West Virginia, which is vested in the respondents. It appearing by amended complaint filed in this action that petitioner is without knowledge as to the existence or whereabouts of the respondents. It is hereby ORDERED that the respondents serve upon Eric S. Embree, plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 3564 Teays Valley Road, Hurricane, West Virginia 25526, an Answer, including all defenses and any related counterclaims to the Amended Complaint filed in this action, on or before thirty (30) days from the first date of publication hereof. Failure to do so may result in judgment by default being taken against the respondents upon proper hearing and trial for the relief prayed for and demanded in the aforementioned Amended Complaint. A copy of said Amended Complaint may be obtained from the undersigned Clerk at his office at the Putnam County courthouse.
Entered by the Clerk of said Court on this 22nd day of March, 2022.
WILLIAM R. MULLINS/kc CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY. By: KC, Deputy
3-31-2t

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT
LEGAL NOTICE
In compliance with West Virginia Code, Chapter 3, Article 4A, Section 13, the Putnam County Clerk hereby gives notice to the people of Putnam County that on April 19, 2022, at 8:30 a.m., on the second floor of the courthouse, testing of Election Day and tabulating equipment to be used for the May 10, 2022, Primary Election, will take place.
Brian Wood Putnam County Clerk
4-7-1t
LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT
TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE
The undersigned Substitute Trustee, by virtue of the authority vested in him by that certain Deed of Trust, dated September 18, 2015, and duly recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Document No. 003915920017, in Book No. 1110, at Page 830, Amanda Jesse Lilly and Robert Keller Lindsay did convey unto Dru A Shope, Trustee(s), certain real property described in said Deed of Trust; and the beneficiary has elected to appoint Seneca Trustees, Inc., as Substitute Trustee; and default having been made under the aforementioned Deed of Trust, and the undersigned Substitute Trustee having been instructed by MidFirst Bank to foreclose thereunder, will offer for sale at public auction at the front door of the Putnam County Courthouse in Winfield, West Virginia, on
April 20, 2022 at 11:15 AM
the following described real estate, together with its improvements, easements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in 06 - Hurricane Town District, Putnam County, West Virginia, and more particularly described as follows:
TRACT ONE: All those certain parcels, lots or tracts of land, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate on the waters of Hurricane Creek, Curry District, Putnam County, West Virginia, in Lexington Estates, as the same appears on a map of said property, contained in Map Book 5, at page 45, in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, and being more particularly bounded

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and described as follows: PARCEL NO. 1: All of that certain tract or parcel of land beginning at a point at the rear of Lot No. 5 where Lot No. is adjacent to Lot No. 6; thence S. 70° 49' E. along the rear line of Lots 6, 7, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and a 30-foot right of way, as shown on the map of said Lexington Estates, a distance of 780.78 feet; thence S. 53° 12' W. 433.00 feet; thence N. 48° 15' W. 88 feet; thence N. 70° 00' W. 305.00 feet; thence N. 57° 35' W. 232.00 feet; thence N. 25° 15' E. 379.85 feet to the place of beginning, being all of that certain tract of land to the rear of Lots 6, 7, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, as shown on the map of said Lexington Estates recorded in Map Book 5, at Page 45, in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia.
For the consideration aforesaid, the party of the first part further GRANTS and CONVEYS unto the said parties of the second part, as joint tenants with the right of survivorship and not as tenants in common, that certain thirty (30') foot right of way designated as Nature Trail between Lot No. Thirty-Three (33) and Lot No. Thirty-Four (34) of Lexington Estates as shown on the map of said Lexington Estates, which map is of record in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Map 5, at Page 45, reference to which is hereby made for all pertinent purposes.
This conveyance is made subject to such agreements, conditions, contracts, covenants, declarations, easements, reservations, restrictions, servitudes and other matters, if any, as may affect the property hereby conveyed and which are set forth, contained or referred to in any instrument property of record in the said Clerk's Office.
PARCEL NO. 2: All those certain parcels, lots or tracts of land, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in Curry District, Putnam County, West Virginia, and being known, numbered and designated as all of Lot No. Thirty-Three (33), as shown and laid down on that certain map entitled, "Lexington Curry, Magisterial District, Putnam County, W, VA. Caperton Van Wyck Co. Inc., Charleston, West Virginia," which map was prepared by J. H. Milam, Inc., Consulting Engineers, dated June 25, 1973, filed and of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Map Book 5, at Page 45.
LSOT Deed Book 388, Page 462, dated December 3, 1997, Office of the Clerk of the County Commission, Putnam County, West Virginia
TRACT TWO: All that certain parcel of real estate together with improvements thereon and the appurtenances belonging to Grantor, situated in Curry District of Putnam County, West Virginia, described as follows: BEGINNING at an iron pin in the easterly line of Lot 33 of Lexington Estates subdivision (as shown on the map of said subdivision of record in the Putnam County Clerk's Office in Map Book 5, Page 45) and the 30-foot right of way known as Winners Circle; thence, leaving said Lot 33 and running with the westerly line of the right of way shown on said map, S. 14° 08' E. 154.01 feet to an iron pin; thence S. 24° 21' W. 63.85 feet to an iron pin, common corner to a 3.95 acre tract (Tax Map 242-A, Parcel 8); thence with the northerly line of said 3.95 acre tract S. 70° 49' E. 50.00 feet to an iron pin; thence N. 53° 12' E. 54.73 feet to an iron pin, common corner to Lot 34 of Lexington Estates; thence, with the westerly line of Lot 34, N. 14° 08' W. 179.09 feet to an iron pin; thence, with the line of Lot 34, N. 24° 45' E. 46.72 to an iron pin in the southerly line of Winners Circle; thence with the chord of Winners Circle to the place of beginning, the foregoing legal description being taken from the depiction of the subject parcel in Map Book 5, Page 45.
LSOT Deed Book 464, Page 763, dated April 13, 2006, Office of the Clerk of the County Commission, Putnam County, West Virginia.

At the time of the execution of the Deed of Trust, this property was reported to have an address of: 127 Winners Circle, Hurricane, WV 25526.
The referenced real estate will be conveyed with no covenants of warranty, and subject to all covenants, restrictions, easements, rights of way and reservations which may be a matter of record in the aforesaid Clerk's Office or visible upon the ground, all prior liens and encumbrances, including, without limitation, liens for real estate taxes, incinerator, sanitary and sewer charges. The purchasers at the sale shall be responsible for paying the recording costs and also the tax on the privilege of transferring real property (the cost of the tax stamp to be affixed to the deed). The purchasers shall be responsible for payment of all real estate taxes.
The subject property will be sold in "AS IS" condition. The Substitute Trustee shall be under no duty to cause any existing tenant or person occupying the subject property to vacate said property.
TERMS: \$9000.00 in cash and/or certified funds as deposit at the time of sale with the balance due and payable within 30 days of the day of sale.
FEDERAL TAX LIEN: In the event that there are Federal Tax Liens against the property, the United States would have the right to redeem the property within a period of 120 days from the date of such sale or the period allowable for redemption under local law, whichever is longer.
Pursuant to the Deed of Trust, the Trustee may postpone the sale by public announcement at the time and place designated or by posting a notice of the same, and act by agent in the execution of the sale. The parties secured by the Deed of Trust reserve the right to purchase the property at such sale.
SENECA TRUSTEES, INC. 5000 Coombs Farm Drive, Suite 104 Morgantown, WV 26508 (304) 413-0044 (304) 292-2918 Toll free: (888) 534-3132 Reference File No. 79218
3-31-2t

Obituary

IRVIN ALLEN “POPPY” PINGLEY
1939 - 2022

Irvin Allen Irvin Allen “Poppy” Pingley, 82, of Culloden, passed away on Wednesday, March 30, 2022, at St. Mary’s Medical Center after a short illness.

He was born October 5, 1939, in Winchester, VA the son of the late Martha Orndorff Pingley and Guy Aubrey Pingley. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother Gene Aubrey Pingley, his first wife Dorothy F. Pingley, and his second wife Jetta Neil Pingley.

He grew up in the beautiful Shenandoah Valley of Virginia, spent most of his life there and returned often for visits. He was a Vietnam veteran who loved his country fiercely. He was a retired truck driver and business owner.

In 2004, he relocated to West Virginia where he and his wife Jetta operated a small business until her passing in 2018. They enjoyed life to the fullest and spent every moment possible with their grandson. He spent his final years living with his daughter, grandson, and beloved cat Mango Merle.

Irvin loved to travel and had the most vivid memories of his life's events that he loved to share. Anyone who ever met him, loved him. There simply was no kinder human.

He is survived by his daughter Earlene Sharp Anglin of Culloden and one grandson, Grayson Anglin. He is also survived by one cousin Ruth Rickard, beloved nephews-in-law Dennis (Libby) Funk, Donald (Linda) Funk, and Lynn (Patsy) Funk and countless life-long dear friends.

Please join us for a celebration of a life well lived on Saturday, April 9, 2022, at Wallace Funeral Home. Friends may visit

from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Burial will take place at White Chapel Memorial Gardens in Barboursville, WV with military honors. Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.timeformemory.com/wallace.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT
Notice of Short Form Settlement of Estates
To the Creditors, Distributees and Beneficiaries of the within named persons:
I have before me the final settlement of the estates of the following persons, which shall be presented to the County Commission of Putnam County, at the Courthouse, in the City of Winfield, on Tuesday the 12th day of April 2022 at 9:00 a.m. for its approval which settlements have been presented to me pursuant to West Virginia Code 44-3A-4a, as amended, (Waiver and Application for Short Form Settlement by distributees and beneficiaries) which settlements I have approved as indicated below:
Estate of Dale Skyler Allen Judith C. Allen, Executrix
Estate of Clifford Eugene Bailey Ronald E. Bailey, Executor
Estate of Robert Delano Bailey Belva S. Bailey, Executrix
Estate of Burk Franklin Bell Estelle L. Bell, Executrix
Estate of Timothy C. Boggess Jennifer L. Boggess, Administratrix
Estate of Joanna Parkins Craigo Christina Craigo, Executrix
Estate of Gary Allen Jarvis Margaret L. Jarvis, Executrix
Estate of William David Keener Richard Lee Williams, Jr., Executor
Estate of Dilemma Laferne McClain Robert N. McClain, Executor
Estate of Thomas Eugene Melton Thomas Scott Melton, Executor
Estate of Sherill Lynn Morris Sherill Hoffman, Administratrix
Estate of Darrell Gene Rappold Sherri L. Kreps, Executrix
Estate of Carol Lynn Rigsby Loris Marie Lamont, Executrix
Estate of Douglas Lee Tolley Joey Bradford Tolley, Jr., Executor
Any persons having an interest in the estate of any such person may appear before the County Commission at the above time and place and thereupon protest his/her interest or else be forever barred from asserting such interest thereafter.
Given under my hand this 1st day of April 2022.
Fiduciary Supervisor, Putnam County 12093 Winfield Road Winfield, WV 25213
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<p>To the Creditors and Beneficiaries of the following deceased persons estates:</p> <p>I have before me the estates of the deceased persons and the accounts of the fiduciaries of their respective estates as listed below:</p> <p>Estate No.: 4931 Estate Name: Betty Lou Bowers Executrix: Rebecca Meadows 838 Pinnacle Drive Dandridge, TN 37725</p> <p>Estate No.: 4811 Estate Name: John William Burdette, Jr. Administratrix: Misty K. Burdette 16 Bette Lane Hurricane, WV 25526</p> <p>Estate No.: 4869 Estate Name: Howard Haskell Chapman Administratrix: Jo Chapman 3212 32nd Street Nitro, WV 25143</p> <p>Estate No.: 4801 Estate Name: James Christopher Frazier Administratrix: Gwinn E. Frazier 4541 US Rt 60 Hurricane, WV 25526</p> <p>Estate No.: 4816 Estate Name: Donal Jeffrey Greene Executrix: Rebekah J. Withrow P. O. Box 948 Eleanor, WV 25070</p> <p>Estate No.: 3720 Estate Name: Harold Wilbur Gruesser, Jr. Administratrix: Rebecca A. Gruesser 29 Kanawha Street Poca, WV 25159</p> <p>Estate No.: 4887 Estate Name: George McDonald Keeney Administratrix: Rebecca Samples 219 Angel Terrace Charleston, WV 25314</p> <p>Estate No.: 4804 Estate Name: Anna Leoda King Administratrix: Lisa Moye P. O. Box 535 Winfield, WV 25213</p> <p>Estate No.: 4954 Estate Name: Bertha Marie Larch Executor: Brian A. Larch 63 Middle Coach Road Hurricane, WV 25526</p> <p>Estate No.: 4948 Estate Name: Janice Ruth Neal Executor: Wade J. Neal 118 Timberwood Drive Scott Depot, WV 25560</p> <p>Estate No.: 4908 Estate Name: Kenneth John O'Connor Executrix: Hyla Harvey 3517 Wellington Drive Hurricane, WV 25526</p> <p>Estate No.: 4795 Estate Name: Carol Rae Russell Executrix: Diane R. Parog 60 Shannon Drive Hurricane, WV 25526</p> <p>Estate No.: 4860 Estate Name: Robert Ray Vanater, Jr. Administratrix: Lacey R. Pickens Cta: P. O. Box 936 Eleanor, WV 25070</p> <p>Estate No.: 4867 Estate Name: Wanda June Wright Administratrix: Amy Wright-Belcher 2487 Walnut Street Hurricane, WV 25526</p> <p>Estate No.: 4956 Estate Name: Margaret Wyrick Administrator: Robert E. Wyrick P. O. Box 3 Teays, WV 25569</p> <p>All persons having claims against the estate(s) of any of the above-named deceased persons whether due or not, are notified to exhibit their claims with vouchers thereof, legally verified, to the fiduciary of such deceased person as shown above within 60 days of March 31, 2022; or, if not, to exhibit the same at the office of the undersigned Fiduciary Supervisor at the address shown below by said date; otherwise any or all such claims may by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate(s). No claims against the estate shall be accepted by the fiduciary supervisor after said date. All beneficiaries of said estate(s) may appear either before the above-named fiduciary by the date first shown above, or thereafter before the undersigned fiduciary supervisor by the date last shown above to examine said claims and otherwise protect their respective interests.</p> <p>All persons seeking to impeach or establish a will must file a complaint pursuant to W. Va. Code. Any person objecting to the representative's qualifications, venue or jurisdiction must file a complaint within 60 days of March 31, 2022.</p> <p>Subscribed and sworn to before me on the 25th day of March 2022.</p> <p>Fiduciary Supervisor Putnam County Commission 12093 Winfield Road Winfield, WV 25213</p> <p>3-31-2t</p>	<p>Putnam County, in Winfield, West Virginia, on the following date:</p> <p>21st day of April, 2022 at 10:30 a.m.</p> <p>All that certain tract or parcel of land, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in Scott District, Putnam County, West Virginia, and being all of Lot No. Nineteen (19), Hickory Hill Subdivision, as shown on a map thereof entitled "Final Plat Subdivision Map of Hickory Hill: Developed By: Thomas Calabrese, in Teays Valley, Situated on the waters of Mill Creek; Scott District, Putnam County, W, Va.", which map is dated November 13, 1989, and revised November 15, 1989, and was approved by the Putnam County Planning Commission on November 28, 1989, and was made by Wilkinson Surveying and Engineering, Inc., and which map is of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Rat Cabinet B, Slide No. 243. Along with a right-of-way and easement for ingress to and egress from the property hereinabove conveyed and West Virginia Secondary Route No. 32 (also known as Teays Lane). Subject to the restrictions, reservations, rights-of-way, easements, covenants and conditions which are contained and set forth in the certain document entitled "First Amended and Restated Declaration of Restrictive Covenants, Reserved Rights, Privileges and Easements Applicable to Lots in Hickory Hill Subdivision, Scott District, Putnam County, West Virginia", dated April 1, 1990, and recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's office in Miscellaneous Book 33, page 639</p> <p>Being the same property conveyed to Ryan Beckett and Tara Beckett by the Deed dated May 30, 2018 and recorded in Deed Book 568 at Page 642 in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia.</p> <p>TERMS OF SALE:</p> <p>1) The property will be conveyed in an "AS IS" physical condition by Deed containing no warranty, express or implied, subject to the Internal Revenue Service right of redemption, all property taxes, prior Deeds, liens, reservations, encumbrances, restrictions, rights-of-ways, easements, covenants, conveyances and conditions of record in the Clerk's office or affecting the subject property.</p> <p>2) The Purchaser shall be responsible for the payment of the transfer taxes imposed by the West Virginia Code § 11-22-1.</p> <p>3) The Beneficiary and/or the Servicer of the Deed of Trust and Note reserve the right to submit a bid for the property at sale.</p> <p>4) The Trustee reserves the right to continue sale of the subject property from time to time by written or oral proclamation, which continuance shall be in the sole discretion of the Trustee.</p> <p>5) The Trustee shall be under no duty to cause any existing tenant or person occupying the property to vacate said property, and any personal property and/or belongings remaining at the property after the foreclosure sale will be deemed to constitute ABANDONED PROPERTY AND WILL BE DISPOSED OF ACCORDINGLY.</p> <p>6) The total purchase price is payable to the Trustee within thirty (30) days of the date of sale, with ten (10%) of the total purchase price payable to the Trustee at sale.</p> <p>WV Trustee Services, LLC, Substitute Trustee BY: _____ Dionne Reynolds, Limited Signing Officer WV Trustee Services, LLC McGuire Office Center 618 Tenth Street, Suite 108 Huntington, WV 25701 (304) 853-3336 dionne.reynolds@wvtrustee services.com</p> <p>3-24-4t</p>	<p>CASE NO. 22-0045-E-US</p> <p>APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY and WHEELING POWER COMPANY, public utilities.</p> <p><i>Application for Approval of the Purchase of a Renewable Electric Generating Facility at an Eligible Site in West Virginia and for Associated Cost Recovery Pursuant to W. Va. Code § 24-2-1o</i></p> <p>NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING</p> <p>On January 26, 2022, Appalachian Power Company (APCo) and Wheeling Power Company (WPCo) (together, the Companies) filed an application, duly verified, for the Commission's approval of the purchase of a 50 MW solar electric generating facility in Berkeley County, West Virginia, and associated cost recovery via implementation of a Renewable Power Plus Tariff (RPP Tariff). To the extent costs are not recovered via the RPP Tariff or from Special Contract customers, they will be recovered from all other customers via a new West Virginia Solar Rider, pursuant to W. Va. Code § 24-2-1o. The Companies believe that the solar facility will bolster economic development, create jobs, and further the public interest in this State by helping to attract and retain customers who require at least a portion of the electricity they purchase to be generated by renewable sources.</p> <p>The Companies' application is on file with and available for public inspection at the Public Service Commission, 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, WV 25301.</p> <p>The proposed RPP Tariff is a voluntary tariff offered to all customers in addition to the Companies' standard tariff offerings. It is anticipated that a portion of the costs of the solar project will be paid by the customers subscribing to the RPP Tariff and from Special Contract customers. Cost recovery from customers subscribing to the RPP Tariff or through Special Contracts will reduce the revenue requirements paid by other customers through the Solar Tariff Rider. The total revenue requirement for the Project is expected to be \$8.3 million in the first year after the project goes into service (Year 1), which is expected in 2024. APCo serves customers in Virginia and in West Virginia. The West Virginia jurisdictional revenue requirement is projected to be \$3.4 million in Year 1 and is presented as "Gross Cost – No Offsets" in the tables below. Any costs not paid for by customers subscribing to the RPP Tariff or recovered from other revenue produced by the solar facility will be recovered by a surcharge paid by all other customers. Based on the Companies' projections of revenues from customers subscribing to the RPP Tariff or through Special Contracts the balance which the Companies project will be paid by other West Virginia customers is presented as the "Companies' Filed Proposal" in the tables below.</p> <table><tr><th colspan="2"></th><th colspan="2">Gross Cost - No Offsets</th><th colspan="2">Companies' Filed Proposal</th></tr><tr><th>Class</th><th>Current Rev</th><th>\$ Increase</th><th>Increase %</th><th>WVS Rider Increase</th><th>Gross Increase % ENEC Energy Offset Net Increase Net Increase %</th></tr><tr><td>RS</td><td>\$ 735,940,481</td><td>\$ 1,347,579</td><td>0.18%</td><td>\$ 79,784</td><td>0.01%</td><td>\$ (40,248) \$ 39,536 0.005%</td></tr><tr><td>SWS</td><td>\$ 9,596,139</td><td>\$ 18,606</td><td>0.19%</td><td>\$ 1,102</td><td>0.01%</td><td>\$ (571) \$ 531 0.006%</td></tr><tr><td>SGS</td><td>\$ 32,783,323</td><td>\$ 51,760</td><td>0.16%</td><td>\$ 3,065</td><td>0.01%</td><td>\$ (1,977) \$ 1,088 0.003%</td></tr><tr><td>GS</td><td>\$ 272,614,086</td><td>\$ 556,728</td><td>0.20%</td><td>\$ 41,113</td><td>0.02%</td><td>\$ (21,558) \$ 19,555 0.007%</td></tr><tr><td>SS</td><td>\$ 28,423,750</td><td>\$ 54,846</td><td>0.19%</td><td>\$ 4,931</td><td>0.02%</td><td>\$ (2,032) \$ 2,899 0.010%</td></tr><tr><td>LPC</td><td>\$ 439,542,419</td><td>\$ 1,176,749</td><td>0.27%</td><td>\$ 61,340</td><td>0.01%</td><td>\$ (47,301) \$ 14,039 0.003%</td></tr><tr><td>IP</td><td>\$ 34,824,961</td><td>\$ 56,224</td><td>0.16%</td><td>\$ 2,399</td><td>0.01%</td><td>\$ (2,532) \$ (133) 0.000%</td></tr><tr><td>SC</td><td>\$ 39,692,359</td><td>\$ 129,916</td><td>0.33%</td><td>\$ 4,776</td><td>0.01%</td><td>\$ (5,312) \$ (535) -0.001%</td></tr><tr><td>OL&SL</td><td>\$ 13,428,259</td><td>\$ 11,382</td><td>0.08%</td><td>\$ 674</td><td>0.01%</td><td>\$ (796) \$ (155) -0.001%</td></tr><tr><td>Total WV</td><td>1,606,845,778</td><td>\$ 3,403,789</td><td>0.21%</td><td>\$ 199,185</td><td>0.01%</td><td>\$ (122,326) \$ 76,826 0.005%</td></tr></table> <table><tr><th colspan="2"></th><th colspan="2">Gross Cost - No Offsets</th><th colspan="2">Companies' Filed Proposal</th></tr><tr><th>Class</th><th>Current Rev</th><th>\$ Increase</th><th>Increase %</th><th>WVS Rider Increase</th><th>Gross Increase % ENEC Energy Offset Net Increase Avg \$/Customer</th></tr><tr><td>RS</td><td>\$ 735,940,481</td><td>\$ 1,347,579</td><td>0.29%</td><td>\$ 79,784</td><td>0.02%</td><td>\$ (40,248) \$ 39,536 0.01</td></tr><tr><td>SWS</td><td>\$ 9,596,139</td><td>\$ 18,606</td><td>0.47%</td><td>\$ 1,102</td><td>0.03%</td><td>\$ (571) \$ 531 0.01</td></tr><tr><td>SGS</td><td>\$ 32,783,323</td><td>\$ 51,760</td><td>0.08%</td><td>\$ 3,065</td><td>0.00%</td><td>\$ (1,977) \$ 1,088 0.00</td></tr><tr><td>GS</td><td>\$ 272,614,086</td><td>\$ 556,728</td><td>2.38%</td><td>\$ 41,113</td><td>0.18%</td><td>\$ (21,558) \$ 19,555 0.08</td></tr><tr><td>SS</td><td>\$ 28,423,750</td><td>\$ 54,846</td><td>4.23%</td><td>\$ 4,931</td><td>0.38%</td><td>\$ (2,032) \$ 2,899 0.22</td></tr><tr><td>LPC</td><td>\$ 439,542,419</td><td>\$ 1,176,749</td><td>563.58%</td><td>\$ 61,340</td><td>29.38%</td><td>\$ (47,301) \$ 14,039 6.72</td></tr><tr><td>IP</td><td>\$ 34,824,961</td><td>\$ 56,224</td><td>937.06%</td><td>\$ 2,399</td><td>39.99%</td><td>\$ (2,532) \$ (133) (2.21)</td></tr><tr><td>SC</td><td>\$ 39,692,359</td><td>\$ 129,916</td><td>1,804.39%</td><td>\$ 4,776</td><td>66.34%</td><td>\$ (5,312) \$ (535) (7.44)</td></tr><tr><td>OL&SL</td><td>\$ 13,428,259</td><td>\$ 11,382</td><td>0.01%</td><td>\$ 674</td><td>0.00%</td><td>\$ (796) \$ (155) (0.00)</td></tr><tr><td>Total WV</td><td>1,606,845,778</td><td>\$ 3,403,789</td><td>0.52%</td><td>\$ 199,185</td><td>0.03%</td><td>\$ (122,326) \$ 76,826 0.01</td></tr></table> <p>The total Project revenue requirement is projected to gradually increase from \$8.3 million in Year 1 (2024) to \$9.0 million in Year 7 (2030). The "Gross Cost – No Offsets" total West Virginia allocated Year 1 (2024) revenue requirement of \$3.4 million is projected to increase gradually to \$3.7 million in Year 7 (2030). Thereafter, the revenue requirements are projected to decrease gradually.</p> <p>The increases shown are based on averages of all customers in the indicated class. Individual customers may receive increases that are greater or less than average. Furthermore, the requested rates and charges among the various classes of customers are only a proposal and are subject to change (increases or decreases) by the Public Service Commission in its review of the Companies' filing.</p> <p>The Commission has set a procedural schedule, including a hearing on the Companies' application, if necessary, that will begin at 9:30am on May 24, 2022 and continuing May 25, 2022 if necessary, in the Howard M. Cunningham Hearing Room at the Commission's offices at 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, West Virginia. The Commission will take public comment at the beginning of the evidentiary hearing or in writing at the address below. If no opposition to the Companies' application is received, the hearing may be waived and the Commission may issue a final order within 150 days of the application filing date.</p> <p>Anyone desiring to intervene in the matter should file a written petition to intervene on or before April 20, 2022. All requests to intervene should briefly state the reason for the request and comply with the rules on intervention set forth in the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. All written public comments and requests to intervene should state the case name and number and be addressed to Karen Buckley, Acting Secretary, P.O. Box 812, Charleston, WV 25323. 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<p>NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE</p> <p>Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Successor Trustee, in accordance with the provisions of that certain Deed of Trust dated and recorded on December 13, 2013, made by Huichen Xu, ("Grantor"), and Marc Weintraub, as Trustee, in favor of Premier Bank, Inc., of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Trust Deed Book 1061, Page 516 (the "Deed of Trust"), securing repayment of indebtedness evidenced by that certain Promissory Note, dated May 23, 2013, from Grantor and payable to the order of Premier Bank, Inc., in the original principal amount of Five Hundred Fifty-Two Thousand Dollars (\$552,000.00) (the "Note"), plus interest thereon, and all other indebtedness arising under the Deed of Trust and the Note.</p> <p>Pursuant to authority granted in the Deed of Trust, Premier Bank, Inc., appointed Julie Chincheck and Zachary Rosencrance, residents of Kanawha County, West Virginia, to serve as Successor Trustee, by that certain Notice of Appointment of Substitute or Successor Trustee, dated September 1, 2021, and recorded on September 14, 2021, of record in the aforesaid Clerk's office in Trust Deed Book 1299, at page 475.</p> <p>On or about September 17, 2021, Premier Bank, Inc. merged with and into Peoples Bank, an Ohio corporation, the surviving corporation.</p> <p>Peoples Bank, an Ohio corporation, successor by merger to Premier Bank, Inc., the owner and holder of the Note secured by the Deed of Trust, has notified the Successor Trustee that Huichen Xu is in default under the terms of the Deed of Trust and the Note, and has requested, in writing, that the Successor Trustee sell the property described in the Deed of Trust at public auction, in accordance with the terms of the Deed of Trust and applicable law.</p> <p>TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned Successor Trustee will offer for sale at public auction on the 21st day of April, 2022, at 2:00 p.m., prevailing Eastern time, at the front door of the Putnam County Courthouse, 12093 Winfield Road Winfield, West Virginia, certain real estate situate in Putnam County, West Virginia, and being more particularly bounded and described as follows (hereinafter, the "Real Property"):</p> <p>All of the following described lot or parcel of real estate, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in Teays Valley District, Putnam County, West Virginia, being all of Lot 8005, Section Seven Woodridge Estate, more particularly shown and designated upon that certain map entitled, "WOODRIDGE ESTATES SECTION SEVEN AND REVISED LOTS 1048 SECTION THREE-PHASE THREE AND 4042, SECTION FIVE-PHASE 1-B, TEAYS VALLEY DISTRICT, PUTNAM COUNTY-WEST VIRGINIA," dated July 7, 2005 prepared by Calhoun Engineering and Surveying, PE # 4782 , of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia in Plat Cabinet D Page 232.</p> <p>Being the same property conveyed unto Huichen Xu by James A. Rupe and Jennifer L. Rupe, husband and wife, by deed dated December 2,</p>	<p>2013, of recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's office in Deed Book 528, at Page 840, to which map and deed reference is here made for a more particular description of the property herein conveyed.</p> <p>This conveyance is made subject to those certain restrictions, easements, covenants and conditions as shown and/or noted upon the map herein above mentioned, and the terms and conditions as contained in the certain document entitled, "Third Amendment to the Declaration of Protective Covenants and Reservations for Woodridge Estates, A Residential Subdivision to Teays Valley District, Putnam County, West Virginia", dated February 1, 1999, of record in Miscellaneous Book 49 at page 434. By the acceptance of this deed, the parties of the second part, for themselves, their heirs, successors and assigns in titles, agree to become a member of the Woodridge Estates Homeowners Association, a non-profit corporation, formed for the purpose of operating and repairing the common areas in Woodridge Estates, and to abide by the provisions of the by-laws or other regulations imposed by said Association.</p> <p>This conveyance is made further subject to such rights of way, easements, reservations, restrictions, covenants and conditions as the same may be contained in prior deeds of record in the chain of title.</p> <p>Together with: (a) all right, title and interest of Peoples Bank, an Ohio corporation, successor by merger to Premier Bank, Inc. (hereinafter "Peoples") in and to any and all estates, rights, tenements, hereditaments, privileges, easements, reversions, remainders, rights of way, and appurtenances of any kind benefiting or appurtenant to the real property described above; all means of access to and from the real property described above, whether public or private; all streets, sidewalks, alleys, passages, ways, common areas, water courses, and mineral rights relating to the real property described above; and all other claims or demands of Peoples, either at law or in equity, in possessions or expectancy of, in or to the real property described above, improvements or all or any other portion of the real property described above; (b) all right, title and interest of Peoples in and to all rents, income, receipts, revenues, issues and profits derived from the real property described above; and all right, title and interest of Peoples in and to all existing and future contracts, purchase agreements, tenancies, leases, subleases and licenses relating to the real property described above, and any amendments, extensions, modifications or revisions thereto, together with all rentals, income, profits and other monies due and which are or become due to Peoples thereunder, (c) all right, title, and interest of Peoples in and to all goodwill and general intangibles; and (d) all right, title, and interest of Peoples in and to all works, buildings, structures, properties, facilities, replacements, furnishings, fixtures, fittings, and other improvements and property of every nature, kind and character now affixed or attached or hereafter located or erected on the real property described above, and owned by Peoples, including, without limitation, all heating, electrical, lighting, power, plumbing,</p>	<p>air conditioning, refrigerating, and ventilating equipment.</p> <p>TERMS OF SALE</p> <p>The Real Property will be sold for cash in hand on the date of sale, or under any different, other, or additional sale terms as the Successor Trustee, in his reasonable discretion, determines to be appropriate or advisable. The sale shall be further subject to the following:</p> <p>1. Various rights of way and leasehold interests, whether recorded in aforesaid Clerk's office or unrecorded, and to the extent any of the foregoing is still valid, in effect, and enforceable at the time of sale;</p> <p>2. Real estate taxes delinquent, due or payable or to become due and payable, all of which shall be the responsibility of the purchaser;</p> <p>3. Any statutory lien or liens that may affect the Real Property;</p> <p>4. All covenants, conditions, restrictions, reservations, easements and rights-of-way appearing of record in the chain of title to the property, or which may be visible from a physical inspection of the subject property;</p> <p>5. All liens and encumbrances of any nature whatsoever, including, without limitation, liens for real estate taxes, incinerator, sanitary and sewer charges, having priority over the deed of trust referred to herein.</p> <p>6. The purchaser at the sale shall be responsible for paying the costs of recording the Successor Trustee's Deed and the tax imposed by the State of West Virginia on the privilege of transferring Real Property (the cost of the tax stamps to be affixed to the Deed).</p> <p>7. All of the Real Property to be sold will be sold "AS IS, WHERE IS" in the present condition and with all faults and defects, if any, and without any warranty or representation, express of implied. The Successor Trustee shall be under no duty to cause any existing tenant or person occupying the Real Property to vacate said property. The Successor Trustee will deliver a trustee's deed to the purchaser without any covenant or warranty (express or implied) in the form prescribed by W. Va. Code § 38-1-6. The Successor Trustee makes no representations and warranties about the title to the real estate to be conveyed. If the Successor Trustee is unable to convey insurable or marketable title to the purchaser for any reason, purchaser's sole remedy is return of deposit.</p> <p>8. In the event that there are federal tax liens against the Real Property, the United States would have the right to redeem the Real Property within a period of 120 days from the date of such sale or the period allowable for redemption under local law, whichever is longer.</p> <p>9. The undersigned Successor Trustee expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and the right to adjourn the sale from time to time without notice other than oral proclamation at the time and place appointed for the sale. Such adjournment may be for a period of time deemed expedient by the beneficial owner, and shall not be construed to be a waiver of the right to make the sale contemplated by this Notice.</p> <p>10. The beneficiary of the Deed of Trust and holder of the Note thereby secured reserves the right to submit a bid for the Real Property at the sale, which bid may be in the form of a credit bid.</p>	<p>11. The successful bidder will be required to execute a memorandum of sale upon the acceptance of the successful bid by the Successor Trustee.</p> <p>12. The Trustee reserves the right to act by agent and/or attorney, as permitted by the Deed of Trust.</p> <p>13. Risk of loss will pass at the time of sale. All risks of casualty pass to successful bidder at conclusion of bidding.</p> <p>14. The rights of parties in possession of such Real Property, if any.</p> <p>15. The undersigned Substitute Trustee shall have the right to offer such Real Property for sale and to sell, grant, convey, transfer, and dispose of such property as separate and independent lots, parcels and/or tracts or as a whole, as the Substitute Trustee shall determine, and in such order as the Substitute Trustee shall determine.'</p> <p>16. If the highest bidder at the auction fails to consummate the transaction, the Successor Trustee may offer the Real Property to the next highest bidder, and may proceed to do the same for each next highest bidder until one consummates the transaction, all in the Successor Trustee's discretion and all without the need for the Successor Trustee to notice and hold a new sale.</p> <p>Additional terms of sale may be announced prior to the sale.</p> <p>Any inquiries regarding this sale may be directed to undersigned at 600 Quarrier Street, Charleston, WV 25301.</p> <p>DATED this 18th day of March, 2022.</p> <p><i>/s/ Zachary Rosencrance</i> Zachary Rosencrance, Substitute Trustee</p> <p>3-24-3t</p>	<p>LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT</p> <p>IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA</p> <p>In Re: Change of Name from David L. Boling Jr. to Goodfox Scarberry Bolling</p> <p>LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLICATION CHANGE OF NAME PROCEEDING</p> <p>Civil Action No. 22-P-41</p> <p>Circuit Court of Putnam County, West Virginia</p> <p>Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of May, 2022, at 10:30 a.m., on said day, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, before the Honorable Judge Phillip Stowers, David L. Boling Jr. will apply by Petition to the Circuit Court of Putnam County, West Virginia for the entry of an order by said Court, changing his name from David L. Boling Jr. to Goodfox Scarberry Bolling, at which time and place any interested party may appear and be heard, if they so desire.</p> <p>You are hereby notified that this matter may be rescheduled without further notice or publication.</p> <p>A copy of said Petition can be obtained form the undersigned Clerk at his office at 12093 Winfield Road, Ste. 12, Winfield, WV 25213.</p> <p>ENTERED by the Clerk of said Court this 16th day of March, 2022.</p> <p>William Mullins/ck Circuit Clerk</p> <p>4-7-2t</p>																																																																																																																																																																				

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Putnam County Commission Levy Estimate (Budget) 2022-2023 Fiscal Year				Class I Personal Property \$ - 13.06 \$ - Public Utilities - Total Class I -				Personal Property 610,576 - Public Utilities - Total Class IV 4,796,956 -				Total Value & Projected Revenue \$173,432,224 \$ -							
STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA County of: Putnam, West Virginia In accordance with Code §11-8-10, as amended, the Putnam County Commission proceeded to make an estimate of the amounts necessary to be raised by a levy of taxes for the current year, and doth determine and estimate the several amounts to be as follows:				Class II Real Estate 132,024,118 26.12 344,847 Personal Property Total Class II 132,024,118 344,847				Less Allowance for Uncollectibles, Exonerations and Delinquencies 9.00% - Less Allowance for Tax Discounts 1.00% - Allowance for Tax Increment Financing -				Note: Copies of all approved excess and/or bond levy orders and certified copies of the canvass of votes must be on file with the State Auditor's Office and the State Department of Education before excess or bond levy rates can be approved.							
General Fund Fund Balance \$ 3,300,000 Property Taxes Current Year 12,302,932 Prior Year Taxes 1,181,000 Tax Penalties, Interest & Publication Fees 260,000 Property Transfer Tax 495,000 Gas and Oil Severance Tax 75,000 Wine & Liquor Tax 175,000 Payment in Lieu of Taxes 3,400 Miscellaneous Energy Tax (Coal Bed Methane) 2,900 Building Permits 50,000 Federal Grants / Federal Payment in Lieu of Taxes 80,000 Sheriff's Service of Process 6,000 Sheriff's Earnings 500 County Clerk's Earnings 155,000 Circuit Clerk's Earnings 45,000 Prosecuting Attorney's Earnings 500 Accident Reports 6,000 Motor Vehicle License Fee 4,500 Clerk Deed Fees 6,500 Rents & Concessions 19,476 Ambulance Fees 1,300,000 Franchise Agreement 345,000 IRP Fees (Interstate Registration Plan) 30,000 Fines, Fees & Court Costs 20,000 Regional Jail Operations Partial Reimbursement 65,000 Interest Earned 5,000 Miscellaneous Revenue 30,000 Sheriff's Commission 15,000 Commissions 1,300 Gaming Income 30,000 Video Lottery 155,000 Planning Commission Revenue 15,000 Refunds/Reimbursements (External Sources) 30,000 Sale of Fixed Assets 15,000 Transfers Other Funds 40,000 Emergency 911 Reimbursement 850,000 Dog & Kennel Reimbursement 40,000 Home Confinement Reimbursements 65,000 General School Reimbursements 115,000 Magistrate Court Reimbursements 20,000 Worthless Check Reimbursements 1,000 Total Estimated General Fund Revenues \$ 21,406,008				Class III Real Estate 36,611,150 52.24 191,257 Personal Property Public Utilities 36,611,150 191,257 Class IV Real Estate 4,186,380 52.24 21,870 Personal Property 10,576 3,190 Public Utilities Total Class IV 4,796,956 25,060 Total Value & Projected Revenue \$ 173,432,224 (Gross) \$ 561,164				SIGNED THIS 21st DAY OF MARCH, 2022, BY John G. Hudson, SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION JOHN G. HUDSON 3-31-2t											
Coal Severance Tax Assigned Fund Balance \$ 1,000 Coal Severance Tax 100,000 Total Coal Severance \$ 101,000				Less Delinquencies, Exonerations, Uncollectable Taxes 7.50% 42,087 Less Tax Discounts 1.50% 7,786 Allowance for Tax Increment Financing (Use this amount above for Tax Increment Financing) 511,291 3-31-2t				LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT				LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT							
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES GENERAL GOVERNMENT County Commission \$ 621,836 County Clerk 768,563 Circuit Clerk 569,283 Sheriff - Treasurer 609,423 Prosecuting Attorney 1,132,991 Assessor 458,631 Statewide Computer Network 60,000 Fiduciary Supervisor 133,211 Agricultural Agent 65,000 Elections - County Clerk 345,909 Magistrate Court 1,000 Circuit Court 5,750 Civil Service 1,100 Courthouse 945,395 Other Buildings 1,127,924 Data Processing 222,500 Regional Development Authority 17,459 Industrial Development 170,000 Public Works Department 377,605 Rehabilitation of Property 50,000 Planning & Zoning 410,392 Litigation Reserve 25,000 County Clerk Operations 68,078 Contingencies - Not to Exceed 10% of Budget 500,000 TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT 8,687,050				Class I Personal Property \$ - 19.40 \$ - Public Utilities - Total Class I - Class II Real Estate 1,915,108,246 38.80 7,340,620 Personal Property 12,540,566 48,657 Total Class II 1,927,648,812 7,479,277 Class III Real Estate 460,916,290 77.60 3,576,710 Personal Property 588,540,263 4,567,072 Public Utilities 509,005,909 3,949,886 Total Class III 1,558,462,462 12,093,668 Class IV Real Estate 121,726,170 77.60 944,595 Personal Property 78,952,446 612,671 Public Utilities 22,008,946 170,789 Total Class IV 222,687,562 1,728,055 Total Assessed Valuation and Projected Gross Tax Collections \$ 3,708,798,836 \$ 21,301,000 Less Allowance for Uncollectibles, Exonerations and Delinquencies 9.00% (1,917,090) Less Allowance for Tax Discounts 1.00% (193,839) Less Allowance for Tax Increment Financing - see worksheet (Subtracted from regular current expense tax levy only) (750,973) Net Projected Tax Collections, before allowance for Assessor's Valuation Fund 18,439,098 Less - Allowance for Assessor's Valuation Fund 2.00% (368,782) (Subtracted from regular current expense tax levy only) Projected Net Taxes to be Collected \$18,070,316				REVENUE SOURCE Unassigned Fund Balance 1,094,562 Property Taxes - Current Expense 1,006,993 Prior Year Taxes 72,500 Supplemental Taxes 62,500 Tax Loss Restoration 500 Property Taxes - Excess Levy 461,945 Tax Penalties, Interest & Publication Fees 15,000 Gas & Oil Severance Tax 12,850 Excise Tax on Utilities 340,000 Business and Occupation Tax 2,000,000 Wine and Liquor Tax 32,000 Hotel Occupancy Tax 140,000 Sales Tax 1,600,000 Fines, Fees & Court Costs 170,000 Licenses 20,000 Building Permit Fees 27,000 Franchise Fees 50,000 IRP Fees (Interstate Registration Plan) 250,000 Parks & Recreation 30,000 Landfill / Incinersator Fees 35,000 Federal Government Grants 25,000 State Government Grants 25,000 Other Grants 77,000 Contributions/Transfer from Other Entities 55,000 Gaming Income 11,750 Interest Earned on Investments 2,500 Refunds 30,000 Sale of Materials 2,000 Filing Fees 1,000 Accident Reports 3,600 Confiscated Property 10,000 Video Lottery (LVL) 26,000 Miscellaneous Revenues 27,500 TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE (GENERAL FUND) \$ 7,717,200											
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PUBLIC SAFETY Sheriff -Law Enforcement 4,082,305 Sheriff - Service of Process 98,012 Regional Jail 1,500,000 Home Confinement 243,213 Emergency Services 281,608 Communications Center 1,283,490 Ambulance Authority 2,882,681 Dog Warden/Humane Society 409,460 Central Garage 126,879 Community Based Corrections Program 200,000 TOTAL PUBLIC SAFETY 11,563,733				Class I Personal Property 22.95 \$ - 4.61 \$ - Public Utilities - Total Class I - Class II Real Estate 45.90 8,790,347 - 9.22 1,765,730 Personal Property 57,561 11,562 Total Class II 8,847,908 1,777,292 Class III Real Estate 91.80 4,231,212 - 18.44 849,930 Personal Property 5,402,800 1,085,268 Public Utilities 4,672,674 938,607 Total Class III 14,306,686 2,873,805 Class IV Real Estate 91.80 1,117,446 - 18.44 224,463 Personal Property 724,783 145,588 Public Utilities 202,042 40,584 Total Class IV 2,044,271 410,635 Total Assessed Valuation and Projected Gross Tax Collections \$ 25,198,865 - \$5,061,732 Less Allowance for Uncollectibles, Exonerations and Delinquencies 9.00% (2,267,898) 9.00% - 0.12% 5,895 Less Allowance for Tax Discounts 1.00% (229,310) 1.00% - Projected Net Taxes to be collected \$ 22,701,657 \$ - \$5,055,837				ESTIMATED CURRENT EXPENDITURES Mayor's Office \$ 251,605 City Council 19,960 Recorder's Office 15,210 City Manager's Office 41,085 Treasurer's Office 22,360 Finance Office 111,180 City Clerk's Office 2,510 Police Judge's Office 6,720 City Attorney 20,030 Personnel Office 49,390 Regional Development Authority 182,475 Building Inspection 122,100 Elections 8,500 Data Processing 58,000 City Hall 386,750 Parking 2,945 Contingencies 100,000 Police Department 2,709,390 Fire Department 432,865 Dog Warden/Humane Society 3,265 Streets & Highways 1,452,855 Street Lights - Snow Removal - Parks & Recreation 913,930 Visitors Bureau 128,575 Fair Associations/Festivals 34,500 Library 6,000 TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES \$ 7,717,200 \$ 16,050											
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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA I, BRIAN WOOD, CLERK OF THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF SAID COUNTY, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING ARE TRUE COPIES FROM THE RECORD OF ORDERS MADE AND ENTERED BY SAID COMMISSION ON THE 24TH DAY OF MARCH 2022. BRIAN WOOD				Class I Personal Property 22.95 \$ - 4.61 \$ - Public Utilities - Total Class I - Class II Real Estate 45.90 8,790,347 - 9.22 1,765,730 Personal Property 57,561 11,562 Total Class II 8,847,908 1,777,292 Class III Real Estate 91.80 4,231,212 - 18.44 849,930 Personal Property 5,402,800 1,085,268 Public Utilities 4,672,674 938,607 Total Class III 14,306,686 2,873,805 Class IV Real Estate 91.80 1,117,446 - 18.44 224,463 Personal Property 724,783 145,588 Public Utilities 202,042 40,584 Total Class IV 2,044,271 410,635 Total Assessed Valuation and Projected Gross Tax Collections \$ 25,198,865 - \$5,061,732 Less Allowance for Uncollectibles, Exonerations and Delinquencies 9.00% (2,267,898) 9.00% - 0.12% 5,895 Less Allowance for Tax Discounts 1.00% (229,310) 1.00% - Projected Net Taxes to be collected \$ 22,701,657 \$ - \$5,055,837				MUNICIPALITY OF HURRICANE, WEST VIRGINIA REGULAR CURRENT EXPENSE LEVY FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2022 - JUNE 30, 2023 Certificate of Valuation Levy Taxes Assessed Value for Tax Purposes Rate/\$100 Levied											
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JACKSON SOVINE 2115 Crooked Creek Road Scott Depot 1st Birthday March 31	Hurricane 28th Birthday April 9
BARBARA DAVIS ROOPER Hurricane 72nd Birthday April 8	ROSALIE RAINES Route 2, Box 268 Red House 21st Birthday April 10
KATHY CARRICO 105 Alma Avenue South Point, Ohio 47th Birthday April 8	KIM ORDERS LEWIS 2039 Parkwood Road Charleston 61st Birthday April 10
BARBARA ANN DAVIS ROOPER 244 Teays Lane Hurricane 72nd Birthday April 8	AIDEN CARLSON #15 Poplar Hill Hurricane 14th Birthday April 10
NOLAN SCOTT DUNCAN 206 Geronimo Drive St. Albans 18th Birthday April 8	ANDREA MARIE YOUNG CAMPBELL Hurricane Creek Road Winfield 37th Birthday April 10
CLARENCE WOODWORTH Hurricane 75th Birthday April 8	NONDRA WRAY SHARF Hurricane 73rd Birthday April 10
VIOLET SMITH 200 Chickasaw Court Ashland, Kentucky 87th Birthday April 9	REV RONNIE BROWN 505 5 & 20 Mile Road Frazier's Bottom 75th Birthday April 10
MARY BLACK HARPER Scott Depot 69th Birthday April 9	ELVA MORRISON 714 Cow Creek Road Hurricane 78th Birthday April 10
GLENN BECKETT 2851 Buff Creek Hurricane 73rd Birthday April 9	MARCIA WALKER GUE 510 Old Hickory Blvd., Apt. 601 Nashville, Tennessee 47th Birthday April 10
GENE YOUNG 2062 Woodard Street Culloden Birthday April 9	JASMINE LOFTON Lexington, Kentucky Birthday April 10
ANTHONY QUEEN 103 Thomas Drive Hurricane 18th Birthday April 9	BLAIRE AKERS & twin brother BLAINE AKERS Frazier's Bottom 8th Birthday April 10
ROY GIBSON 44 Sawmill Road Culloden 72nd Birthday April 9	BRENNa SELENE COLLARD Morgantown 5th Birthday April 10
ZALINA WOODARD 6423 Hurricane Creek Road	BARBARA PORTER SESHAR 906 Mimosa Street Burkburnett, Texas 73rd Birthday April 11

JOYCE HAYES North Ridgeville Ohio Birthday April 11
LUCAS BLOSS 75 Scott Drive Hurricane 20th Birthday April 11
BRIAN ESCUE Washington Hill Road Hurricane 37th Birthday April 11
DONNIE GRANT 91 Whitten Ridge Road Frazier's Bottom 76th Birthday April 11

DONZIE GILFILEN 113 Taylor Street Hurricane Birthday April 11
BILL MARCUM Route 1 Milton Birthday April 11
LESLIE ORD DEEL 4109 u 41st Street Nitro 52nd Birthday April 11

NATALIE CORRIGAN 124 Forest Drive Ona 44th Birthday April 11
DONNA MILBEE 2125 SW 23rd Street Cape Coral, Florida 73rd Birthday April 11
BETTY CALL MORRIS LEADMON Star Gazer Road Hurricane 68th Birthday April 12
REV JOHN HAGEE P.O. Box 1400 San Antonia, Texas 82nd Birthday April 12

DAVID LETTERMAN New York 75th Birthday April 12
ROBIN KING AKERS Grand Junction, Colorado 65th Birthday April 12
CAROL BLAKER McCALLISTER 408 A Street St. Albans 78th Birthday April 12
PRESTON SHEETS 631 ParsonÆs Ridge Hurricane 73rd Birthday April 12

STACY LYNN McCALLISTER SNYDER Winfield 30th Birthday April 12
RANDY SETLIFF P.O. Box 200 Culloden 57th Birthday April 12
LINDA COLEMAN 28587 Ashton Upland Road Milton Birthday April 12

KEVIN MEADOWS Route 1 Milton 48th Birthday April 13
DALLAS MOORE 17 Stone Spring Lane Charleston 71st Birthday April 13
KENDRA FAY GETER 803 Washington Hill Road Hurricane 16th Birthday April 13

DEBBIE COLLIFLOWER 3149 HowellÆs Mill Road Ona 70th Birthday April 13
MARGRET LAURA "MILA" HAGER New York City, New York 9th Birthday April 13
KATELYN WILLIAMSON 892 Coleman Creek Road

HHS Class of 1972 Looking For Classmates
The Hurricane High School class of 1972 will be celebrating their 50th year reunion and are in the planning phase. If you graduated in 1972, please email your contact information to grammy06.jg@gmail.com or poleugenia@aol.com or gyoung@gandgbuilders.com

Happy Anniversary

Tyrone and Marcie Masters Maynard, PO Box 7, Apple Grove, celebrated their first wedding anniversary on April 3.

Chuck and Leigh McCreery of 219 Woody Oak Drive in Milton will celebrate their wedding anniversary on April 10.

Jeff and Anna Smith of 2763 Washington Blvd. in Huntington will celebrate their forty-second wedding anniversary on April 10.

Jeff and Kim Black of Culloden will celebrate their thirtieth wedding anniversary on April 11.

Bill and Dr. Jennifer Lynn Arnold Klein of Florida will celebrate their fourteenth wedding anniversary on April 12.

Bob and Pat Litton of 116 Roger Circle in Hurricane will celebrate their fifty-third wedding anniversary on April 13.

Earl and Margaret Doneff-Lucas of 1001 Norton Avenue in Culloden will celebrate their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary on April 13.

Rev. Jim and Myra Dennis of Montana Avenue in Hurricane will celebrate their forty-sixth wedding anniversary on April 14.

Frazier's Bottom
Birthday April 13

McKENZIE WILLIAMSON
892 Coleman Creek Road
Frazier's Bottom
Birthday April 13

TROY AARON NICELY
Atlanta, Georgia
28th Birthday April 13

DONNA KAY "CUZ" COMER LIPSCOMB
104 Hampton Lane
Hurricane
56th Birthday April 14

DAVID NEWSOME
Memphis, Tennessee
Birthday April 14

WADE BIRD
3571 Sleepy Hollow Drive
Hurricane
80th Birthday April 14

JASON MILLER
Lakeview
Hurricane
48th Birthday April 14

SONJA JOLLEY
#28 Donna Heights
Huntington
Birthday April 14

SHILOH AUSTIN KING
North Carolina
13th Birthday April 14

CHRIS BLACK
1403 Sommers Avenue
Milton
58th Birthday April 14

THOM KEELY
Buckhannon
84th Birthday April 14

Happy Birthday



George Jones and Retha

Retha Guthrie of Hurricane celebrated her birthday on April 1. This is a picture of her and George Jones in 2004 at the Mountain Arts Performing Center in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Happy birthday from your sister, Velma.

Nitro High School Class Of 1955

Dear Classmates:

The local classmates met on August 13 at Fireside Grille with 9 attending. After discussion regarding a reunion in October, it was decided due to upsurge in COVID and the lack of response from a very few that we would postpone trying to have a reunion this year. Maybe sometime next year it will be better.

We will continue to meet on the second Thursday of the month, I will send a reminder of the lunch and location. We will meet on September 9 at Fireside Grille at 1 p.m.

Hope to see you soon!
Linda L. Gibson
104 Vaturia Drive
Hurricane, WV 25526
Phone:
Cell: 304-541-3497
Home: 304-562-5372

Baked Goods For Sale in Buffalo

Homemade Baked Goods will be sold at the Sweet Buy & Bye Shoppe in Buffalo on Friday, April 15 (10 a.m. - 5 p.m.) and Saturday, April 16 (10 a.m. - 3 p.m.). Stop in and get your Easter weekend desserts. Sponsored by the Buffalo Church of God WCG.

Bridge Players Needed

On Tuesdays and Wednesdays, bridge groups play at Redeemer Church in Teays Valley from 10:30 a.m. to about 2:30 p.m. Players and subs are needed for both groups. Bridge refresher training is available for those who want it or want to learn.

If interested, please call 304-562-6496 and leave a message. Someone will return your call.

Available Pets at the Putnam Animal Shelter

These are a few of the many pets up for adoption at the Putnam County Animal Shelter. By the time that this issue of the Hurricane Breeze is published, these animals may have already been adopted and found their forever homes. However, there are many pets at the shelter that still need homes.

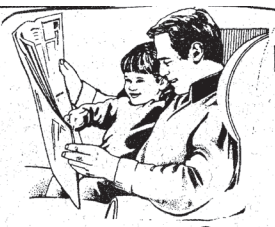
For more information, call the Putnam County Animal Shelter at 304-586-0249.



Meet Micco (Id #46828). Micco is a five-year-old male Jack Russell Terrier mix. He is looking for a forever home.



Meet Attie (Id #46829), a six-month-old female lab mix. Her owner can no longer care for her. She is full of energy and needs lots of love and exercise.



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