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The Emerald Youth Singers, under the direction of Jasmine Andrews, perform at the organization's annual prayer breakfast at the Knoxville Expo Center Friday morning.

Emerald Youth Foundation hosts annual prayer breakfast

By Ken Lay

Supporters answered an early wake-up call to attend the Emerald Youth Foundation's annual prayer breakfast.

The inner-city youth ministry hosts the annual fundraising event on the first Friday in May at the Knoxville Expo Center.

Emerald President and CEO Steve Diggs discussed the work that the foundation has done in the past with Knoxville's urban youth but he also looked toward the future as the Emerald Academy, the organization's K-8 charter school, has lost a large portion of its federal funding.

"Knox County Schools has extended our partnership for 10 years but we got a phone call saying that our federal funding cut off, and it was cut off immediately," Diggs said. "But the Lord never ceases to provide for us."

"We've had success. We have four scholars applying for every opening we have, but we face challenges. Our neighborhoods are changing and our youth face many distractions, largely from screens."

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Reverend Cedric Jackson, Emerald Youth Foundation COO Shara Shoup and board member Doug Kennedy honor Mary Frances Tucker for her years of service to Knoxville's inner-city youth.

Fox continues to object to federal grants

By Mike Steely

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Last week, District 9 Commissioner Andy Fox continued his objections to the county accepting federal funding for any project when he disagreed with a Knox County Schools item on the regular meeting's agenda.

The KCS agenda item authorizes the acceptance of \$47,977.54 in grant money for use in immigrant education. He said the grant would go for teaching English to students with questionable immigration status.

First District Commissioner Damon Rawls responded that the commission has no authority to act on school board agenda items, and Deputy Law Director Mike Moyers agreed, referring to a court order that requires approval of all school board items on the agenda.

Fox said the grant would be "expanding their budget," but Moyers replied that the commission has no power to tell the school board what to do. Fox then moved to delay the item for 30 days, but the motion failed with only Fox and Commissioner Angela Russell abstaining in the vote. The school portion of the agenda continued on the "consent" list and passed.



The collective efforts of Keep Knoxville Beautiful, Keep Tennessee Beautiful, Ijams Nature Center and Keep the Tennessee River Beautiful were honored last week by the Knox County Commission on a resolution sponsored by At-large Commissioner Larsen Jay. He described the groups as vital to the clean up efforts and said that he was inspired by former Commissioner Carson Dailey who sat next to Jay in meetings and was well known for his campaigns against trash.

In a related matter, Knox County Finance Comptroller Perry Benshoof presented a summary of what the county has received over the past year in federal grants and what is expected to come in the future. The report, requested by Commissioner Shane Jackson, detailed all funds coming from the federal government, with a total of about \$178 million to the county and the school system last year. He said that the county has received about \$23 million and the schools about \$78 million so far this year in 140 different accounts. Fox and Russell were the

lone "No" votes on the Knox County Consolidated Plan for the new fiscal year beginning July 1st that authorized the acceptance of expected U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development funding, \$1.2 million in one grant and \$410,000 in another.

Fox then presented his idea of requiring all federal grant requests to be filtered through the commission before being submitted. That suggestion brought Knox County Mayor Glenn Jacobs to the podium to oppose the idea.

"I sympathize with the idea," Jacobs said, but added,

"However, we have no control, and if we don't get them, someone else will. We are competing with other places."

Jacobs also said that filtering all grant requests through the commission would not allow the county time to apply for the grants and asked the commissioners to vote "No."

Rawls said the commission "does not have the expertise" in those areas, and to the commission, the applications would be "gibberish." Russell commented, "All or nothing is not the right approach."

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City council debates duplex units, violence prevention oversight

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Updates to Knoxville's One Year Plan and a contract extension took up much of the city council's long meeting Tuesday.

Several citizens and most of the eight council members present spoke on the idea of opening all of the city for duplex development, either via building new units or renovating existing single-family homes into duplexes.

The discussion saw a tiff between council members Charles Thomas and Lauren Rider on the duplex issue and came to a 4-4 split vote with Mayor Indya Kincannon taking the unusual step of voting "Yes." The One Year Plan passed on final reading to include the expansion of all areas to permit duplex housing with a "use on review" required for RN-1 and RN-2 zones.

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Should the chair be limited on speaking after a vote?

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Repercussions from Knox County Board of Education Chair Betsy Henderson's testimony in Nashville on school vouchers on February 6 continue to be felt.

At last week's Knox County Commissioner's Rules Committee meeting, Commissioners Terry Hill and Courtney Durrett introduced a possible rule change dealing with what a commission chairperson may say publicly if they disagree with a ruling made by the commission.

The topic was "amending the Rule 1, Section D, Responsibilities of the Chair, regarding public comments of the Commission Chair when his/her position on an issue is at odds with the official position of the commission." Hill brought up the idea and mentioned Henderson's testimony was "embarrassing."

"Your responsibility as chair calls for a higher standard," Hill, a former school board chair, told the Rules Committee. She suggested that any chair or vice chair who speaks following a decision made by the commission should clarify that they are not speaking for the body.

Commissioner Andy Fox said a chair should make it clear when they are expressing their personal feelings when speaking. Attorney Mike Moyers said the rule would only apply to a chair or vice chair and a disagreement with the commission "is rare," adding if someone doesn't like the proposed new rule, then, "Don't run for chair."

"I don't mind the chair being held to a higher standard," said Rule's Chairwoman Kim Frazier.


"It's such a narrow rule, we'll spend more time talking about it than it will ever be used," Moyers said.

"Why do we need this?" asked Commissioner Rhonda Lee. "I think it is limiting speech. What happened in Nashville, not everybody is offended by that."

The proposed rule was amended to include the vice chair and passed on a motion by Durrett and Commissioner Damon Rawls. It will go to the full **Continue on page 4**

I Wish I Could Stop Reading About The Slaughter In Gaza

From a distance



By John J. Duncan Jr.
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As I sat in church last Sunday before the service started, I thought maybe I read too much.

I wish I had not read about Mohamed Hegazy, a seven-year-old Palestinian boy who was blinded by an Israeli grenade that blew up in his face as he played outside his home, which is now rubble.

His father said he used to smile all the time. "Now we rarely see him smiling. He is having difficulty interacting with people around him due to his blindness and the psychological trauma he suffers."

The father added, "He is constantly clinging to me and afraid to be separated from me, even more than a moment."

Over 17,000 of those killed in Gaza during the last year and a half are children under 14 years of age. Four to five times that many have been wounded, many of them very seriously.

There is something wrong with anyone who does not think all this killing, maiming and blinding of little children is not horrific. And most of it has been done by Israeli soldiers using billions of dollars worth of American bombs, shells and weaponry paid for by American taxpayers.

I wish I had not read about Hossam Shabat, a 23-year-old journalist who was killed by the Israeli military in late March. He had a premonition and wrote the following shortly before his death: "When this all began, I was only 21 years

old – a college student with dreams like everyone else."

He added: "I documented the horrors in northern Gaza minute by minute, determined to show the world the truth they tried to bury. I slept on pavements ... anywhere I could. Each day was a battle for survival. I endured hunger for months, yet I never left my peoples' side."

At least 208 unarmed journalists have been killed in this one-sided slaughter. Shabat ended with this plea: "I ask you now: Do not let the world look away. Keep fighting. Keep telling our stories – until Palestine is free."

I wish I had not read about Fatima Hassouna, 24, who also had a premonition and was killed by an Israeli airstrike a few days before she was to be married.

She was a photojournalist who was killed in mid-April along with nine members

of her family the day after it was announced that a documentary she made about her life in Gaza would be shown at the Cannes film festival this month.

She had written on social media that she wanted "a death the world will hear."

On April 19, 36 members of the Board of Deputies of British Jews criticized what it called this "most extremist of Israeli governments."

Their letter said: "Silence is seen as support for policies and actions that run contrary to our Jewish values. Led by the families of the hostages, hundreds of thousands of Israelis are demonstrating on the streets against the return to war. We stand with them. We stand against the war. We acknowledge and mourn the loss of Palestinian life."

Before he became president, Mr. Trump criticized the war in Iraq. Last year he criticized the Biden

administration for bombing Yemen. As president, he said he would end the war in Ukraine. He said recently he wanted to cut the U.S. defense budget in half.

A few days ago, his Defense Department proudly announced it had carried out 750 bombing raids against Yemen on behalf of Israel. The Israeli military has expanded its wars to the West Bank, Lebanon and Syria, killing thousands more.

President Trump received approximately \$100 million for his campaign and another \$100 million for his inauguration from Miriam Adelson, widow of a Jewish multi-billionaire, apparently for a promise of complete, total support of the Netanyahu government in Israel.

George D. O'Neill Jr. summed things up best on April 16 in the American Conservative Magazine: "When did Jesus say it was acceptable to starve

the poor, slaughter women and children, while turning a blind eye to the suffering of the weak? The answer, of course, is never. Yet for years, a vocal strain of American Christian Zionist leaders have supported policies that do precisely that – enabling the starvation and slaughter of Palestinians while underwriting broader wars that have decimated ancient Christian communities across the Middle East. How did we arrive at a place where those who claim to follow the Prince of Peace justify such unchristian horrors?"

Editor's Note: In last week's column, "Trade War – You Can Root For Trump Or For China," the incorrect date was given for Reagan's Camp David speech. The correct date is April 25, 1987. We apologize for the error.

Chairman Warsh? Not likely

The media wants us to believe that former member of the Federal Reserve Board of Governors Kevin Warsh is Trump's favorite to replace Jerome Powell. Rumor has it that when the president kept blasting Powell on social media, that Warsh told him to cool down the rhetoric, leading Trump to say that he was not going to fire Powell (which would be a royal mess). Warsh suddenly became the focus of the media, giving speeches, being on panels and showing up on talk shows. Many think that when Powell's term expires on May 25, 2026, Trump will replace him with Warsh. But not so fast, my friends. Powell's term as governor doesn't

end until January 31, 2028. So what happens if Powell does not resign as governor? Then Trump will not be able to select Warsh or anyone else unless some other governor quits. Of course, Trump could try to fire Powell after his term as chair expires, which would be less contentious. Of course, Powell could be reappointed as chair, which has zero chance of happening.

Nonetheless, Warsh would not be a logical fit given the president's obsession with low interest rates. Warsh was not a fan of the expansive monetary policy during then Fed chair Ben Bernanke's final year. He was also critical of Bernanke straying outside

the Fed's traditional lane. Bernanke introduced the press conference following the Open Market Committee Meeting – something continued by Janet Yellen and Powell. Previous Fed chairs were more secretive by not giving the public and the markets what amounts to forward guidance. When I was a Nashville Fed director, I recall a meeting in Alan Greenspan's office. In two frames was a reporting of a testimony on what the Fed was going to do with interest rates. One article said that Greenspan indicated that rates might go down. The other said that Greenspan hinted that rates might go up. Greenspan said it was the perfect testimony. Greenspan also ordered the firing of a regional bank director who told his local newspaper about the deliberations held at one of the policy

meetings. I also remember Greenspan telling all of us directors and all the reserve bank presidents to never say anything that could move markets. I had also served on the deregulation committee established by the Monetary Control Act of 1980. Paul Volcker was the chair and cautioned secrecy. These Fed chairs followed the dictum of "never explain and never apologize."

One thing a Chairman Warsh would do is to stop the Fed's reliance on current government data. This too is a product of Bernanke. Monetary policy operates with a significant lag of 12-18 months. Current data reflect the impact of actions past. Thus, the market waiting breathlessly to see what the latest figures on unemployment and inflation is of little value in making decisions about

monetary policy today. Moreover, those are preliminary data that are being reported. Those data are always revised later and could be quite different from the earlier data. Yet the Fed is acting as though these unreliable early projections are in fact important in decision-making. Warsh would stop this nonsense.

A Chairman Warsh would return the Fed to its roots. The chair would not be blabbing about the outcomes of the Open Market Committee. Warsh would also be less accommodating to the whims of the Congress and importantly to those of the president. Bernanke's Fed endorsed increased federal spending, leading to an increase in the national debt and the resulting inflation that characterized the Biden years. Warsh has said, "Each time

the Fed jumps into action, the more it expands its size and scope, encroaching further on other macroeconomic domains, encouraging misallocation of capital, increasing the risk of future shocks, and compelling the Fed to act even more aggressively." Does that sound like someone who would be simpatico with Donald Trump's obsession with lowering interest rates? Not likely, and if Warsh were appointed Fed chair and abandoned his principles like so many have before him, the markets would not take seriously anything else he might say.

By the way, Warsh does not need the job. He is married to Jane Lauder, heir to the Estee Lauder fortune.

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Publisher's Positions



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No One Should Be Above The Law, Including Liberal Judges

For the entirety of his four years, Joe Biden insisted there was nothing he could do without Congress to fix the problem at our southern border. Donald Trump's first 100 days as president has put the lie to the test. The fact is Biden and his administration deliberately opened the border and willfully let anyone and everyone into our country in the midst of a pandemic and beyond. Nobody was vetted and the violence wrought by

some criminals has caused eternal heartache for too many American families. Biden and his administration deliberately refused to enforce the law. During Trump's first 100 days in office, the flood of illegals crossing the border has diminished an astonishing 99.99%!

Now some are squalling over the arrest of two judges who violated the law. Leftists in our nation have been telling us time and again, "no one is above the law." What they mean is Donald Trump is not above the law; anyone who violates it, breaks it or ignores it to virtue signal from the left most certainly is above the law. Look at the state employee in Minnesota who got a tap on the wrist for keying six Teslas. One judge actually walked a wanted illegal alien, a guy who was violent and had allegedly punched a neighbor some 30 times, out a private door to deliberately avoid ICE agents. Judge Dugan broke the law and judges who willfully break the law aren't fit to administer it to anyone else. She

deserves to be arrested and face the consequences of her actions. No one should be above the law, even Democrat judges.

Hey Terry, Knox County Already Has An Ethics Policy

The Knoxville News Sentinel is all heated up about local government ethics and patting Commissioner Terry Hill on the back for bringing up the subject. The Sentinel's righteousness is, as always, selective. Did you ever read in the Sentinel about any ethical violations by liberal Democrats especially during the Biden administration? And don't kid yourself, it wasn't because there was nothing to report. Like CBS, ABC, NBC, CNN and MSNBC, the Sentinel has a skewed view of ethics, government corruption and dishonesty. As far as I could tell, the Sentinel always was well in the middle of the pack of Left-supporting corporate media entities that covered for Joe Biden and perpetuated his dishonesty at every turn,

reporters literally standing in front of city blocks in flames to tell us about the "mostly peaceful" protests.

Locally, the Sentinel should be aware that there is an ethics policy providing that requires county commissioners and school board members to make a disclaimer statement that, in essence, they have a potential or perceived conflict but are voting in what they believe the majority of their constituents would have them do. The other side of that coin is the public official recuses himself or herself as Commissioner Angela Russell has rightfully done with her husband being employed by the property assessor. That provision has somehow seemingly been forgotten by some, but it is there and it exists. Terry Hill has appointed herself as the new champion of ethics in county government. However, if my memory serves me correctly, her daughter was employed by the Knox County School system as a "restorative interventionist," which sounds very much like part of a DEI-type

program, while momma served on the Knox County Board of Education. Terry Hill routinely voted on the school budget and for pay raises for employees without, as far as I know, recusing herself or acknowledging her own potential conflict. For years her husband was a lobbyist, as was her son-in-law. As Terry Hill said about Commissioner Russell's adherence to the current ethics policy, we can't be sure that everyone would be that ethical.

The Sentinel has not printed, so far as I have seen, a single word about fraud, waste and abuse located by DOGE or the federal government, which speaks volumes about the daily newspaper's selective righteousness. It does, however, like to bring up cuts in a bloated federal government that have touched someone locally.

The truth is, Terry Hill is still chafed over her public political feud with Betsy Henderson, chair of the Knox County Board of Education. Henderson did acknowledge she was not speaking for the

entire board of education when she spoke in support of school vouchers in this past state legislative session in Nashville. Hill has ignored that fact, and she is presently riding her high horse, along with the Sentinel, all in the name of selective ethics.

We Need More Common Sense

Congresswoman Marie Glusenkamp Perez of Washington state made the evidently radical statement that "Americans believe that only U.S. citizens should be determining the outcome of American elections." Speaking at a town hall, the congresswoman's statement caused an uproar of cuss words, shouts, boos and hisses, enough to cause Glusenkamp Perez to be hustled out of the meeting for her own safety.

It's too bad a person can't take a vaccine for common sense. Too many people seem to have built up an immunity to it.

Emerald Youth Foundation hosts annual prayer breakfast

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The Emerald Youth Foundation honored Mary Frances Tucker, who has served in the organization since its earliest days. "I love Emerald Youth and I love the Wesley House," Tucker said in a video highlighting her service. Diggs made his remarks following the tribute to Tucker. "It has been an honor to serve in ministry with you," Diggs said as he directly addressed Tucker. The breakfast, emceed by WVLT news anchor Ted Hall, featured music from both the Emerald Youth Gospel Choir and the Emerald Youth Singers. The organization revealed plans to open a facility in East Knoxville similar to its facilities at Dale Avenue and Texas Avenue. The new facility is projected to be in a vacant lot adjacent to Chilhowee Park. Attendees also heard from Andrew Harrison, who

benefitted from Emerald Youth Foundation. Harrison, who now serves in the ministry as a youth pastor at First Baptist Church in Strawberry Plains, is also a CTE teacher at Norris Middle School in Anderson County. "It's such a blessing to be here with you today," Harrison said. "I never dreamed that I would be standing in a room this full of people. "In 1991, Mr. Diggs asked me to lead the prayer at the first prayer breakfast and I told him no. I should've done it because we had a lot fewer people there back then." Harrison said that the Emerald Youth Foundation changed his life. "The lives that Emerald has changed have been countless," said Harrison, who was named Anderson County Schools Teacher of the Year three times. "I don't want to think about what Knoxville would be like if it wasn't there."

City council debates duplex units, violence prevention oversight

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The change requires the same standards for duplex construction or renovation as it does for new homes. The extension of a contract with the National Institute of Criminal Justice Reform, hired by the city two years ago to oversee violence intervention programs, saw lots of opinions and some discussion of leaving out local groups, such as TurnUp Knox in local funding. Youth violence has decreased, and much of the credit goes to local organizations. The debate centered on the length of the proposed agreement with the NICJR organization and the authorization that would authorize that company to hire intervention personnel. While Mayor Kincannon said local activists could apply, some council members felt the agreement needed more discussion and public input. Councilwoman Gwen McKenzie noted that some of the local intervention groups are "still doing the

work and not getting paid." Some council members spoke of the local groups having "hurt feelings" and not being recognized for their success. Councilman Thomas cited the local effectiveness and personal conflicts between the groups and the administration. Mayor Kincannon spoke of program management problems in the local groups and agreed to a workshop if the contract with NICJR is approved. Councilwoman Lynne Fugate suggested a 90-day report on projects managed by the outside contracted company, and McKenzie suggested adding to the contract the requirement indicating which local people should be hired as workers under a NICJR contract. Councilman Andrew Roberto suggested limiting the NICJR agreement to five months, and Kincannon said that would have to be approved by the contracting company. McKenzie moved to postpone a decision for two weeks, and the motion

passed. If approved as presented, the outside company's budget would be increased by \$519,750 to \$826,800. Should the length of the 12-month contract be reduced, the amount would be adjusted. The city budget passed first reading. A public hearing on the city budget will be held at 4 p.m. on May 13, and city council's second and final reading on the budget will be on May 27. In other business, the council accepted a \$570,000 contribution from United Way of Greater Knoxville for use in the Affordable Rental Development Program, awarded Parkview Apartments LLC

\$210,000 for rental development, gave the same project at 2226 Parkview Avenue a PILOT tax break, and authorized giving Edgewood Apts LLC a tax break and \$360,000 in rental development funds for 15 affordable multifamily housing units. The council also authorized \$1 million in HUD and city funds for Lumen Flats Knoxville LLC for the development of 18 affordable housing units at 1585 Coleman Road and approved a PILOT tax break for that company. A youth homeless project received over \$1.7 million for eight projects, and pensions were approved for retiring city employees.

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Board of education approves proposed budget

By Ken Lay

In a meeting that lasted just 30 minutes, the Knox County Board of Education unanimously approved its proposed budget for the 2026 fiscal year.

The board, which convened Tuesday night at the Summer Place, voted to approve a \$700.3 million budget, a figure that represents a 3.1% increase over the previous budget.

It includes \$19.7 million earmarked for increases in pay for faculty and staff. KCS's proposed pay increase is intended to prepare for the Teacher Paycheck Protection Act, which will be implemented during the 2026-27 school year as the state will mandate that each teacher be paid a minimum of \$50,000 per year.

The budget, which must be approved by the Knox County Commission, also allocates \$24.4 million for capital improvements, including a new gymnasium at Gresham Middle School as well as improvements for air conditioning and ventilation systems and other district-wide facilities improvements.

The capital improvements portion of the budget also includes \$1.8 million to be earmarked for the first planning phase for a K-8 school to serve the communities of Mechanicville, Beaumont and Lonsdale.

School meal prices will also rise as the School Nutrition Fund will have an estimated price tag of \$33.76 million. Meal prices will be raised to offset rising food and delivery costs. The budget increase would support the 63 county schools, which are in the Community Eligibility Provision, which provides free meals (breakfasts and lunches). The price increases will go into effect at the other schools.

Breakfast will go up from \$2 to \$2.25. Elementary school lunch will increase from \$2.75 to \$3.25. Middle and high school lunches will now cost \$3.50 as opposed to \$3. Adult breakfast will increase to \$3 and adult lunch will be \$5.

"With the increases in the prices of food and delivery, this is simply something we had to address," said KCS Assistant Superintendent of Operations Garfield Adams. "This is something that we usually look at every three to five years."

Transportation appears to be a concern in the budget.

Contractor John Llewellyn spoke of his concerns with the transportation.

"Our transportation director asked for an increase of six percent and we got zero," Llewellyn said. "Since 2022, we've had a raise of 22 percent, but inflation is at 21 percent, so we're at zero."

"If you approve this budget as it is, we're looking at (the equivalent of) a 3-4 percent cut. The buses I bought in 2020 were \$123,000. The same bus today costs \$187,000. And my other contractor friends who have smaller buses, those buses have doubled in price."

Llewellyn noted that his company spends \$500 monthly for the recruitment of drivers, and that the budget as is wouldn't affect him personally, but his drivers would suffer.

"My lights will stay on and I will still eat, but it will make a difference whether my drivers will be able to eat or pay their light bill."

Both Adams and KCS Superintendent Dr. Jon Rysewyk pledged to revisit transportation at some point in the fall.

Should the chair be limited on speaking after a vote?

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commission in May.

The committee also discussed commissioners who have family members who work for the county and why they should abstain from any voting that involves their relatives. Moyers noted the current rule in the county ethics policy.

Fox continues to object

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Durrett said that the executive branch needs the freedom to "act quickly" on grant applications and added that requiring commission approval of applications "blurs the lines."

Commissioner Terry Hill said no one has indicated a problem with the current process and added, "In the end, we have the final say"

Commission Chair Gina Oster noted that Jacobs is the "elected Republican Mayor" and all grant requests come through his office. She said that "micro-managing" that process would damage the county's funding. She asked for a future grant summary to be reported to the commission and said, "I cannot support holding the mayor and his staff to an ordinance."

Fox and Russell then moved to postpone the discussion, and the vote was approved 7-4. The question may appear on the commission's May agenda.

Writing a Codicil to a Will

Estate planning makes sure assets are distributed according to an individual's wishes. In Tennessee, people who have drafted a will may need to make changes without rewriting the entire document. Personally, I recommend trashing the old will and writing a whole new will. But if you do not want to do that, you can write a codicil. A codicil is a legal amendment that allows changes while keeping the original will intact.

Some things that a codicil may be used for include: adding or removing beneficiaries, changing executors or trustees, updating asset distributions, or correcting errors in the original will.

In Tennessee, a codicil must comply with Tennessee Code Annotated section 32-1-104, and must generally: be in writing, be signed, be witnessed by two competent individuals who sign in the testator's presence, be made voluntarily and without undue influence. It's always a good idea to have this document notarized as well.

Codicils are useful for minor changes but instead of leaving people to navigate multiple documents, it may be easier to draft a whole new will.

If you think drafting a codicil may interest you, here are some tips: consult an attorney; be clear and specific about what is being changed as well as identifying the original will that is being changed; make sure the codicil is executed correctly; consider skipping the codicil and doing a new will so there is less confusion; once the codicil is completed, keep it in a safe place.

A codicil is a perfectly legal document, however, even though it is legal, it may be simpler and more straightforward to simply do a new will.

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The Doctor is in

a weekly column by
Dr. Jim Ferguson

Revolutionaries

I'm having fun. President Trump

I envision my iPhone as an extension of my persona. It connects me to others around the world and to the World Wide Web of information. My device is always with me, except in the shower. And the Timehop application on my phone daily retrieves pictures and rekindles memories of my children, grandchildren and friends. I no longer have to set up Super Eight movies or locate picture albums. My pictures and videos are always with me and readily available. As I speculate in my science fiction novels, someday we may have a biomechanical chip in our brains and no longer have to carry smart phones. Future historians will refer to ours as the information age, just as we now label other historical periods as the Industrial Age, the Enlightenment or the Renaissance. We live in the age of computers and

information at our fingertips. And are at the cusp of AI (artificial intelligence) as further extensions of the human condition. AI is at the center of the concluding novel of my Stellar Trilogy, coming soon!

It was just 20 years ago that Steve Jobs and Apple began to develop a system to consolidate mobile phones, Blackberries and music in one device. In 2007 the revolutionary first iPhone put powerful connectivity in our hands, and this innovation changed the world.

I remember when "beepers" became available and I could be on medical call, but not slaved to a land phone. I remember putting a dime (yes, a dime) in a payphone along Chapman Highway and struggling to hear a patient over the ongoing traffic noise. The days of announcements at sporting events calling, "Doctor # 99, please call the Doctors Exchange," are over. This doctor loves

technology even when I have to sometimes rely on younglings to help me with my devices.

For me, the first of every week presents a recurring issue. I have a 1,000 word essay due by 6 p.m. on Thursday. As a result, I'm always looking for things which might interest the reader or intrigue me sufficiently to research and write about. (I realize the last sentence ended in a preposition, but I'm no longer in English class and sometimes following the rules of grammar makes a sentence seem contrived.)

Lately, the buzz is about President Trump's first 100 days in office. Like so many other manipulations, the notion of a president's first 100 days is a media contrivance. Nonetheless, a new administration must seize the day because election cycles are always approaching and political capital can quickly become mired and sink in the quicksand of the Washington swamp and with the corrupt and politized media.

News blogger Don Surber recently said of Trump, "He learned (from his first term) and he returned." Trump 2.0 hit the ground running with executive actions and the appointments of some of the most talented people in America. Being an outsider, Trump took the advice of Washington elites in his first term which became problematic. He returned wiser and

more determined to Make America Great Again with the help of accomplished and loyal people.

Cindy Lauper once sang, "Girls just wanna have fun..." I don't understand it, but President Trump says he's "having fun." Perhaps it is the fighter who rose from the stage in Butler, Pennsylvania, the man who defeated Democrat impeachments, crooked judges and bogus court cases, exposed the dishonest news media and along the way sued networks to ruin. Trump vanquished the Democrats in November and has continued to troll and provoke them to destroy themselves because they can't control their irrational hatred of Trump. It is amazing to watch. My schadenfreude is still tingling!

As an example, I cite Trump's spectacular accomplishment of closing the border to illegal invasion and arrests of criminal aliens, gang members and their accomplices. We didn't need new laws. We just needed a real president to enforce our laws. And the Democrats continue to take the side of illegal aliens and criminals rather than law abiding American citizens. Last week I wrote about Democrats taking the 20% side of just about every issue rather than the side taken by 80% of American citizens. I love Trump trolling the media (90% of which are

Democrats) with 100 mugshots of arrested criminal aliens on the White House lawn. President Trump, Director of ICE (Immigration and Customs Enforcement) Tom Homan and Secretary of Homeland Security Kristi Noem are working to make Americans safe again.

President Trump was historically reelected to change the status quo that was leading our country (if not the entire Western World) to economic collapse. Doing nothing has produced a \$37 trillion debt which is criminal. The federal government raises enough income. It just can't curb its profligate spending. And nibbling around the edges to fix it, as both political parties have done, has been a failure of leadership and arguably criminal.

Trump is revolutionary because he is fulfilling campaign promises. This is not what politicians do, but Trump is not a career politician. Sixty years of leadership by politicians has led us to the brink of collapse. What has been good for the world has not necessarily been good for America. Our revolutionary has the courage to fix the border crisis, reindustrialize America, address waste, fraud and abuse in the government, eliminate the inherently racist DEI, reform the dysfunctional education system, reform international trading inequities and restructure America's geopolitical

position in the world.

Big government Democrats and RINOs, unelected bureaucrats, the media, academia, and apparently judges don't want change nor their gravy trains to be upset. These elites have opposed the agent of change with categorical lies, 92% negative press, impeachments, spying on Trump's family and campaign, fraudulent court cases, attempts at removing him from ballot boxes, violating the sanctity of his home and two assassination attempts. And now judges break the law while screaming "No one is above the law."

The ancient Greek philosopher Heraclitus said everything changes. And the changes that are necessary to save our country will cause some distress and upheaval. I'm not smart enough to expound on tariffs and Trump's revolutionary agenda. But I do know that doing the same things over and over has not worked and will lead to collapse. Everyone knows it, but only one has arisen with the courage to make the tough calls which are necessary.

Therefore, I trust the experienced businessman, the negotiator and the MAGA revolutionary. I trust Trump.

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South Knox's Vestival 2025 is Saturday, May 10

South Knoxville's annual Vestival festival will take place Saturday, May 10, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Mother's Day weekend tradition is expanding from its longtime home on the Candoro Marble grounds to several locations along the Martin Mill Pike and Ogle Avenue corridor of South Knoxville.

Knox Makers, 116 Childress St. (lower level at rear), will host an open house and offer demonstrations of their

industrial-grade machinery and tools. Popular gift shop Tea & Treasures, 4104 Martin Mill Pike, will feature craft booths and musical entertainment on its lawn.

Vestival attendees can stroll by the Vestal Gateway Park at the corner of Martin Mill Pike and Ogle Avenue and enjoy the wildflower garden and the newly installed Milani marble bench. Italian-born Albert Milani, 1892-1977,

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A day trip to Rogersville and back

A Day Away



By Mike Steely

"I always read your interesting stories about your visits to these towns but unfortunately, have not saved them. Now, before it is too late, my wife and I want to visit these towns while we still can!"

Those were the opening

words of an email I got recently. The writer was referring to my "A Day Away" columns. He continued, "I am 91 and my wife is blessed with Alzheimer's that is not getting any better!"

He asked for a list of the towns I have highlighted in the stories, and it got me to thinking. I sent him a thank-you note and a list of smaller towns I have always enjoyed visiting.

I grew up in two neighboring small towns. I returned to both towns during my newspaper career and enjoyed relearning both places. So, at his request, here are a few more of my

favorite regional towns, presented as a tour as they interlink.

Here is a day trip that you can take in steps or all in one day, visiting the history and interesting aspects of these small towns. I'm highlighting a few things in each stop that I think might be memorable.

From Knoxville, I suggest you take Tazewell Pike in Fountain City and go north to **Rutledge**, where you'll find a replica of President Andrew Johnson's tailor shop. It is right beside Highway 11W as you enter that downtown section.

Rutledge and Grainger County are known for the

production of tomatoes, and you'll pass by the high school there where a tomato festival is held each year that draws thousands of visitors

As you continue north-east, you will come to **Tate Springs**, once a thriving health spa. There's a beautiful spring house just off the highway and a great pausing place to get out of the car and stretch your legs while climbing that structure. Today, the old Tate Springs resort is the Kingswood School for Children.

Just east of the historic springs is the junction

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Another language rant

It comes as no surprise that I love music. I've shared for years about my being in choirs in high school, college and churches. The problem is that I have a voice that weakens a bit every year. Without the help of Gage Sharp, I'd be sitting in the audience for the rest of my life. Coupled with my inability to pass a required advanced French class, my career choice changed from music to teaching English. Yep, back then, an English Education major was a fallback plan.



By Joe Rector
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As things turned out, God knows better than I

something they could use later in their lives.

I taught composition and emphasized grammar. I swore to those students how important the rules of our language were for clear communication. I used a red pen to mark papers, and many students panicked as they thought passing was impossible. To me, seeing the smiles

do what turns my life should take. Over the years of my career, I have met thousands of high school students. Not all of them cared for me, but I "think" a few might have liked the class and took away

on high school students as fewer red marks appeared on their papers was always rewarding.

I wasn't the best at teaching literature. While I enjoyed the pieces and the books that were covered in class, I had to agree with the students that sometimes interpretations of literature were more like opinions than facts. I chose poems that left clear messages for readers. On a couple of occasions, I required students to commit to memorizing a poem because I knew that the overall message would stick with them into adulthood and even into old age.

My greatest love of all is grammar. I believe in those rules and know how

important they are for the stability of our language. Today, many of those rules are under attack. I blame television commentators and popular individuals for the problem. For instance, these folks with far-reaching platforms have decided to destroy the comparative and superlative forms of words. We used to use "er" and "est" for most one and two-syllable words. At some point, someone who didn't know the rule just put the word "more" in front of all adjectives. "Happier" became "more happy;" "purer" became "more pure." I wonder how many people, recalling failed test grades of this rule, are riled about these new uses.

These same popular folks

have decided to make up new words or to use existing words in inappropriate ways. Of late, people are saying, "The agency is 'disappearing' prisoners." The conventional usage would be, "Agency prisoners have been disappearing."

Another made up word is "gifted." Too many people say, "I gifted..." Folks, the word "gift" is a noun. It is not a verb. You can give a gift; you can receive a gift, but "gifting someone something" is incorrect usage.

As I've said in other pieces, too many Americans have no idea when to use "I" or "me." The biggest problem comes when the choice is made after a preposition, and it usually is used with another noun

or pronoun. Sadly, too many people say "for Mary and I." If Mary were left out, folks know that "me" is the only word that correctly fits.

For years, teachers have drilled students on correct usage. Now, those rules are open to personal preference, even though a person who misuses words often comes off sounding uneducated. The question is whether today's teachers know correct grammar. If not, our country's ability to effectively communicate will suffer. Compared to other problems in the U.S., such a matter seems trite. However, the less people are able to talk things out, the more they seem to turn to more violent solutions.

Forgiven

Jesus shared the importance of going after someone who has wandered from the faith with the parable of the wandering sheep (Matthew 18:10-14).



By Mark Brackney
Arlington Church of Christ

Jesus then went on and talked about the process of helping restore someone who is caught up in sin. Following this discussion, Peter asks a question in the context of reaching out to someone who sins against you: "Lord, how many times shall I forgive my brother or sister who sins against me? Up to seven times?" (Matthew 18:21).

When you hear the word "forgive", we probably all have something that pops up in our head. It is likely someone has hurt you pretty badly, and you are having a hard time forgiving that person. But Jesus answered, "I tell you, not seven times, but seventy-seven times" (v. 22). Jesus takes these words from Genesis 4. Cain has killed his brother Abel, and now generations down the line, Cain has a descendant named Lamech. Lamech takes two wives for himself, the first time we read of polygamy. He is not a good man. Listen to what he says to his wives, "I have killed a man for wounding me, a young man for injuring me. If Cain is avenged seven times, then Lamech seventy-seven times"

(Genesis 4:23-24). Cain commits the first murder recorded in the Bible. But generations later, murder is now celebrated. Lamech was extravagant in taking

vengeance.

Jesus' response seems crazy. I want you to forgive seventy-seven times. In other words, you stop counting. You don't keep track. Jesus is saying his disciple needs to be extravagant in forgiving. The exact number of times to forgive is hyperbole, not exact calculation. You are missing the point if you are looking for an exact number of how many times to forgive someone. The point is the extravagance of God's forgiveness. Jesus then tells a story to make his point, the parable of the unmerciful servant (Matthew 18:23-35).

There is a king who has a servant, and the servant owes him ten thousand talents. We are not talking about talents as in gifts like being able to play the piano or football. We are talking about currency. A denarius was one day's wage. This guy owes ten thousand talents. One talent was comparable to around six thousand denarii or six thousand days of work. So, what does ten thousand talents add up to? Sixty million denarii or sixty million days of labor. Do you know

how long that would take? 164-thousand lifetimes to pay this debt back. Keep in mind that then "thousand" is the largest number for which a Greek term exists, and the talent is the largest known amount of money. When the two are combined, it is like saying "zillions."

The servant then begs the king for time to pay the debt back, something which he never could have done. The king's response is amazing. The king had compassion and forgave and released the entire debt. What God has forgiven people is beyond human calculation. His response should have been one of excitement and joy. But instead, he finds a fellow servant who owes him 100 denarii and chokes his neck demanding his money back. This amount of debt is not insignificant, but it represents only one six-hundred-thousandth of the debt the first servant has just been forgiven. The king finds out and calls him "the wicked servant." Being wicked is equated to not showing compassion. The king then releases him to the jailers to be punished.

Receive the amazing forgiveness Jesus has for you. Trust it and let it go deep in your heart so it shapes you and allows you to forgive those who have hurt you.



Viewing or walking Morristown's second floor sidewalks can be a quick exercise along the unexpected downtown experience.

A day trip to Rogersville and back

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of Highway 25 West and Highway 11W, where the Wilderness Road takes off going north to Cumberland Gap and Kentucky. You can take Highway 25W up the mountain to the Clinch Mountain Overlook and see much of the Tennessee Valley and the Smoky Mountains in the distance at the veterans park there.

But continue going northwest and you'll enter **Bean Station**, a little historic town that was one of the first settlements in what became East Tennessee. Until the construction of Interstate 81, Bean Station was a major truck stop community. The original location of the settlement is now flooded by the waters of Cherokee Lake, and the town was moved to higher ground to where it is today. At periods of low lake waters, you can

drive or walk along the old town site.

Continue northeast on Highway 11W to **Rogersville**, where you can visit the museum inside the historic depot. You may also like to visit the grave of Davy Crockett's grandfather, who was killed in a Cherokee attack. He's buried in a small downtown cemetery. The downtown section of the Hawkins County seat is worth a walk, and you can visit the old Hale Springs Hotel there.

From Rogersville, you can take Highway 66 South to **Bulls Gap**, where you can find the old downtown city hall, the old railroad terminal with a historic hotel, and you'll also find the reconstructed childhood home of Archie Campbell. The little downtown is off the main highway, just south of Highway 11E.

Back up on Highway 11E, you can head west to **Morristown** and drive downtown to see the overhead sidewalks that serve second-story businesses. Morristown also has the Crockett Tavern, a reproduction of the business established by Davy Crockett's father.

If you continue west on the highway, you'll pass through Jefferson City, New Market and Strawberry Plains on your way back to Knoxville.

That's a lot to do on a single day, and you can break it up into different trips. There are lots of other interesting and memorable small towns in our area. It is fun to take a day trip to get away for a while, especially with someone you care about.



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Pages from the Past



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For a decade, John Main Coffee served in the U.S. House of Representatives. Reporter Jack Pyle of the Tacoma News Tribune summed up Coffee's career after a failed comeback attempt in 1958, writing the congressman had been "unbeatable up to 1946, and unelectable after that." Coffee had come to Congress as an ardent supporter of President Franklin D. Roosevelt's New Deal in 1936. Coffee had done a great many things for Tacoma and Pierce County during his ten years in Congress, as well as for many individuals. Burly and possessing a fine mind, John Coffee had been an opponent of Francisco Franco in Spain, against providing scrap iron for the Japanese Empire as it was actively engaged in a bloody conquest of China, and foe of big business. Coffee was for expanding the role of government and backing organized labor.

Times change, as do people's feelings about the issues confronting the country. John M. Coffee lost his seat in the House of Representatives likely for two reasons; the first being that 1946 was a banner year for GOP candidates who were campaigning on the slogan "Had Enough," which summarized the frustration of millions of Americans who had suffered deprivations during the Second World War. The other reason was the breath of scandal had seared Coffee through the investigation of the Senate's Special Committee to Investigate Contracts Under the National Defense Program, better known as the "Truman Committee," for its first chairman. New York U.S. Senator James Mead inherited the chairmanship after Truman. An investigation of Congressman Andrew Jackson May of Kentucky eventually landed the Bluegrass State lawmaker in the penitentiary. While John Coffee did not go to prison, the revelations from the committee certainly tarnished his reputation during an election year.

John Coffee was a native of Tacoma and graduated from Yale University's School of Law. Coffee came into politics early, working for the election of Clarence C. Dill to the United States Senate in 1922. Dill defeated Republican incumbent Miles Poindexter and took the 25-year-old Coffee with him to Washington, D.C., as his secretary (chief of staff). Coffee returned to Tacoma, where he practiced law until 1933. With the advent of the New Deal, John M. Coffee became the secretary of the Advisory Board of the National Recovery Administration in the Roosevelt Administration.

Coffee simultaneously held the position of appraiser and examiner for Pierce County for the State Inheritance Tax & Escheat Division until his resignation in 1936.

Coffee's chance to run for Congress came when Wesley Lloyd died on January 10, 1936. Lloyd had been elected to the U.S. House of Representatives in the 1932 Democratic sweep in Washington state. Congressman Lloyd died of a heart attack in Washington, D.C., at age 52. After making his formal announcement as a candidate for the Democratic nomination, John M. Coffee plunged headfirst into the campaign. Coffee campaigned as a supporter of the New Deal and President Roosevelt. On Election Day, Coffee walloped the Republican nominee, winning better than 67% at the peak of the popularity of Franklin Roosevelt and the New Deal.

After winning the election, the congressman-elect promptly contacted Morris Motors, the local Packard dealer in Washington, D.C. When he and Mrs. Coffee arrived in the Capitol at the end of December, awaiting the congressman was a brand-new Packard 120 club sedan. At the time, Packard was the leading luxury automobile in the country. When first elected to Congress, John M. Coffee was only 39 years old. It soon appeared that Coffee had a long political future before him.

Even when the New Deal appeared to be receding in the 1938 election, Congressman Coffee appeared to have solidly entrenched himself inside his district, winning quite nearly 73% of the ballots cast. Coffee was routinely reelected every two years, never dipping below 61% of the vote in the general election.

As a congressman, John Coffee was given to florid pronouncements such as that he made when Japanese forces occupied the Aleutian Islands in Alaska during World War II. During the summer of 1942, Coffee had stated, "There will be an attack on the Alaskan mainland, British Columbia or the Pacific Northwest before the end of the summer."

John Coffee also delighted in the publicity he oftentimes received, such as when he read excerpts from the private correspondence of Vivien Kellems, a successful Connecticut businesswoman, and Count Frederick von Zedlitz, a Nazi engineer residing in Argentina. It soon became clear the censors who had gone through the private correspondence had somehow leaked at least portions of the letters to



Congressman John M. Coffee of Washington State testifying before the Mead Committee in 1946.

muckraking national columnist Drew Pearson, who had in turn shared them with Coffee. The congressman read tidbits of what were obviously love letters causing an epic outburst from Miss Kellems. The Connecticut industrialist gave out a statement to the news media, saying, "The perfect coordination ... among Secretary Morgenthau, Mr. Pearson and Mr. Coffee is a joy to behold... Come off the floor of that House, Mr. Coffee, where you are protected by your Congressional immunity..." Miss Kellems raged that "any man who would do what you have done," meaning Congressman Coffee, "would be publicly horse whipped." Vivien Kellems had not only at one point denied knowing von Zedlitz, but she also claimed to have turned over valuable evidence on the count to the state department. That was news to the Department of State, which said it found exactly nothing in its files.

Then came the allegation made by a local contractor. The Mead Committee heard testimony from Eivind Anderson, a contractor from Tacoma, who had won a \$93,517 bid for a construction job at Fort Lewis. Anderson testified he had met Congressman Coffee in a "narrow, deserted Capitol corridor back in 1941." According to Anderson, the congressman had said, "I understand from Paul (Paul A. Olson, Coffee's secretary) that you will pay \$2,500 for our representing you here in Washington!" Anderson said he would be happy to pay \$2,500 and, again, according to the contractor, Coffee said, "Send it to Paul ..."

Naturally, Congressman John M. Coffee came before the Mead Committee to offer his own testimony. "There was never any question of his hiring me," Coffee insisted. The money given had been a campaign contribution. Had the congressman reported the contribution to the appropriate authority in

the House, Senator Homer Ferguson wondered. No, Coffee replied. The congressman replied the law called for "reporting contributions received 10 days before and 30 days after an election." John Coffee explained that the \$2,500 he had received from Eivind Anderson was an "interim contribution." When asked how the money had been spent, Coffee explained he had used it to reimburse himself for expenses incurred during the 1938 and 1940 campaigns.

For voters at the time, the contribution was significant as it had the same purchasing power today as more than \$50,000. While the statute of limitations had run out, had any crime occurred, John M. Coffee would have gotten considerable bad publicity from the episode. It didn't help that Senator Mead, a Democrat, had referred to Coffee's acceptance of the contribution as "morally wrong." Mead's further observation that the government "did not lose any money" likely didn't much matter to some voters.

The Spokane Spokesman-Review noted the old adage about "it makes a lot of difference whose ox is gored" that it apparently made a considerable difference in Washington, D.C., as to "whose questionable public activities shall and whose shall not be investigated." Reporter Harry J. Brown archly noted that it also seemed to make a big difference in whether an investigation was requested by a Democrat or a Republican. Brown wrote that there were lingering questions left hanging following the testimony from the Mead Committee's investigation. If indeed the \$2,500 had been a campaign contribution, why was it made in a year when there was no campaign, Brown wondered. "Usually, campaign contributions are made in the summer and fall of a campaign year; not a year later."

The Washington Post published an editorial

entitled "Public Morals," which stated Congressman Coffee's attempt to "sweep away the implications of a \$2500 check paid in 1941 to his secretary by a contractor for whom he had gone to bat at the war department by saying that the Mead committee's decision to look into the case is 'strictly politics.'" The Post readily acknowledged as two GOP senators had submitted photostats of the \$2500 check "there can be little doubt that political motives are involved." The editorial then stated, "But we fail to see how that minimizes the gravity of Mr. Coffee's offense against sound political morals."

The fall of Congressman Andrew J. May had made headlines across the country, and the odor of scandal hung over Congressman John M. Coffee as he entered the 1946 campaign. Coffee faced the same Republican opponent in 1946 as he had in the 1944 election, Thor Tollefson, a name which was evocative of old Viking legends. Tollefson had been the prosecuting attorney for Pierce County.

The 1946 campaign did not go well for the incumbent in several important respects. Coffee, under increasing fire for his left-leaning politics, claimed to have a letter from Congressman Martin Dies Jr., a Texas Democrat nationally known for his chairmanship of the House Un-American Activities Committee. According to Coffee, the purported letter stated that Dies would campaign throughout Washington state at his own expense to proclaim Congressman Coffee's patriotism. Norman Shut Jr., an enterprising young Republican, telephoned and spoke to Congressman Dies and released a transcript of their conversation. "I had not written to John Coffee offering to go to Washington state to campaign for him or to say anything for or about him," Dies said. "I am diametrically opposed to Mr. Coffee's politics and have

no intention of speaking in his behalf."

The statement by Martin Dies undermined John Coffee badly, especially in light of Thor Tollefson having pointed out the congressman had been "identified with 28 Communist front organizations." "It is hard to believe that Mr. Coffee, the congressman, is the same person as Mr. Coffee, the candidate," Tollefson said.

Three of Washington's Democratic congressmen - - John M. Coffee, Hugh DeLacy and Charles Savage - - had signed a letter to former Vice President and Secretary of Commerce Henry A. Wallace praising him for his foreign policy stand and asking him to speak in the Evergreen State. The conservative Spokesman-Review published an editorial entitled, "Faithful Trio Hew to the Line." The editorial flatly accused the congressmen of being "three faithful who don't deviate in their loyalty to Russia." The newspaper sarcastically noted that each of the congressmen was against the "capitalistic-imperialistic" Second World War until Hitler violated his pact with Stalin and invaded the Soviet Union.

The battering to his reputation and the scandal helped to take Congressman John M. Coffee under. He lost the general election, winning 46% of the vote. Only 49 years old when he lost his seat in the House, it is hardly surprising that Coffee tried to seek elective office once again. Coffee did not attempt to regain his seat in Congress in 1948, but rather chose to wait until 1950 to wage another campaign for the House. At the time, Washington used a blanket primary with the two top candidates going on to the general election. Congressman Tollefson got better than 51% of the vote against four opponents, including John Coffee, who won only 27%. Coffee fared little better in the general election, polling under 40% against the popular Tollefson.

Eight years later, John M. Coffee made yet another attempt to return to the House. Once again, Coffee trailed Tollefson in the blanket primary, winning only 17% of the vote in a field of seven candidates. In one of the best years for Democrats since 1936, John M. Coffee could muster only 45% of the votes cast. At that point, Coffee knew his political career was over.

The ex-congressman resumed his law practice and remained active until his death on June 2, 1983.

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admission includes wine tasting, moonshine tasting, food pairings, buffet, water and tea, 1 drink ticket, and access to the silent and live auctions. The Wine and Shine Sponsor packages, tables of 10 seats, and individual tickets are available for purchase online at www.vmcinc.org/wine-shine.

Funds raised through this event support the mission of the Volunteer Ministry Center to end and prevent homelessness in Knoxville and Knox County.

Vestival 2025

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was a sculptor who worked for Candoro Marble Co. Kickstand Community Bike Shop will hold a bicycle giveaway at Vestal United Methodist Church, 115 Ogle Ave., until 3 p.m.

The Sustainable Future Center, 201 Ogle Ave., will be home to the mainstage, where performances will include light jazz during the free Mother's Day Brunch at 11 a.m. Other scheduled performers include Sandsation Shimmy Dancers, Tennessee Brando and South Knoxville's favorite, the Knox County Jug Stompers.

Tri-Star Arts in the Candoro building, 4450 Candora Ave., will open its gallery, displaying Meg White's "From Dark to Blue" and "Injury: Thirteen Studies by Thenjiwe Niki Nkosi." The South Knoxville Community

Center, 522 Martin Mill Pike, will be open for the Fabric Workshop, which provides crafting space and an opportunity to trade materials.

Vestival launched in 2001 as a means to celebrate South Knoxville's industrial arts and to recognize the Vestal community's national contribution to the historic marble and lumber industries. Another goal was to raise money to rescue the iconic Candoro Marble building, which was built in 1923 as an office and showroom for the Candoro Marble Co. and was in grave disrepair, though it had been listed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1996. That effort culminated with the purchase and restoration of the building by the Aslan Foundation in 2021. For more information, visit the Vestival Facebook page.

UT Gardens' May Plant of the Month

Submitted by Mary Lewnes Albrecht

Professor emerita, Department of Plant Sciences, UT Gardens, Knoxville

With more than 10,000 or so cultivars to choose from, why not try hostas?

Hosta species and cultivars, sometimes called plantain lily, are very easy to grow in the garden. They are the queen of the shade garden. Many with white to yellow foliage can take some morning sun, but all need protection from the hot afternoon and evening sun.

Plant in compost-amended soil and keep the plants well-watered, especially during establishment or dry spells. There's a saying when it comes to hosta – first year they sleep, second

year they creep, and the third year they leap! So be patient!

Hostas come in all sizes: minis (up to 7 inches tall), small (8 to 11 inches), medium (12 to 18 inches), large (19 to 24 inches) and giant (over 25 inches), so they can fit in just about anywhere in any shade garden. And they also do well in pots.

The foliage can be shades of blue, green, yellow and variegated with white to yellow in the middle or on the margins; some with very waxy leaves. Others have leaves that are thin and easily eaten by scales and slugs. Unfortunately, deer love them, too, regardless of the leaf thickness.

Breeders are introducing shades of red in the petioles and hoping to get the pigment in the leaves. Some form neat clumps, others can spread slowly. Flowering will vary with

the cultivar, mostly white to lavender to purple and summer to autumn. Hummingbirds, bees and other pollinators are attracted to the flowers.

So, where do you start? With the very reliable, large, mounding hosta named 'Guacamole.' This one has shiny chartreuse/apple green leaves margined by a wide green edge. Large, fragrant, pale lavender flowers appear in August. Plus, it's a fast grower and can handle some sun.

To see more hosta, visit the Cornelia B. Holland Tranquility Hosta Garden, an American Hosta Society Display Garden, at the UT Gardens, Knoxville. To learn more also check out the East Tennessee Hosta Society website: easttn-hostasociety.net.

The UT Gardens includes plant collections located in Knoxville, Crossville and Jackson, Tennessee.

Designated as the official botanical garden for the State of Tennessee, the UT Gardens are part of the UT Institute of Agriculture. The Gardens' mission is to foster appreciation, education and stewardship of plants through garden displays, educational programs and research trials. The Gardens are open during all seasons and free to the public. For more information, see the Gardens website: utgardens.tennessee.edu.

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KIL BOYS TRACK AND FIELD MEET

Keegan finds a way to go out a winner again

By Steve Williams

Keegan Smith came into his final Knoxville Interscholastic League Meet last week wanting to top off his career winning streak in the 800-meter run, but lost to Farragut senior Evan Beeler by two-tenths of a second.

Disappointed that he didn't get win No. 4 in the KIL 800, he still left Hardin Valley Academy as a record-setting winner Tuesday night after coming from behind to edge Farragut senior Tanner Coggin by fifteen-hundredths of a second in the 3200.

Coggin jumped out to a big lead early and maintained it for most of the race with Smith far back in second place.

Keegan said he used the scoreboard timer to let him know how much distance he needed to make up and it was showing "three seconds" after laps 4 through 7.

"I found something in the last 100 meters," recalled Smith, "but Tanner responded very well. I thought maybe I wasn't going to get him, but I prevailed at the end so I'm just super blessed and thankful to bounce back so quickly after a disappointing 800.

"I wanted to four-peat," added Keegan. "That's been circled on the calendar this whole senior year and when that didn't go my way, I was pretty bummed right afterwards."

Smith said his coaches encouraged him to 'flip the page and get ready' for the next race.

"To end it with that win and the way I came back and fought the whole time, it means a lot and there's no better way to end a good long streak with KIL both in track and cross-country," said Keegan, who won the KIL Cross Country Meet four straight years.

Smith, a Colorado signee, set a new KIL meet record in the 3200 with a time of 9:15.68.

Coggin's time was 9:15.83 and Bearden's Cade Crum took third at 9:33.90.

There were other special



Left: After finishing a close second in the 800-meter run, Keegan Smith comes back to win and set a new KIL Meet record of 9:15.68 in the 3200 run at Hardin Valley Academy last Tuesday night. Farragut's Tanner Coggin comes in second place with a time of 9:15.83. Photo by Barry Houchin.



PHOTOS BY STEVE WILLIAMS

Upper right: Catholic junior JR Fowler waits his turn in the discus event at last week's KIL Meet. Fowler won both the discus and shot put events. Above: Hardin Valley had a 1-2 punch in the 1600-meter run at the KIL Meet last Tuesday. Gabe Allen (right) finished in first place and teammate Garrett Hawkins (left) was runner-up just one-tenth of a second behind at the finish line.

story lines that came from the boys' meet.

The team title was up for grabs in the final event, the 4x400 relay. Hardin Valley placed second in the race to earn eight points and had the winning score of 101. Catholic finished third

in the race and ended up second in the team standings with 100.5 points. Farragut won the final event and totaled 99 points for third place in the team scoring.

The Top 5 finishers also included Gibbs (74 points)

in fourth place. Central and West tied for fifth with 51 points.

There were two double winners in the KIL individual events. Austin-East senior Myles Crayton sped to victories in the 200 (21.90) and 400 (48.64).

He also placed third in the 100.

JR Fowler, Catholic junior, swept the throw events with a 182-9 in the discus and a 59-6¼ in the shot put.

Hardin Valley sophomore

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HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL

Diamond Notes:

Local teams remain in limbo after Friday's rain

Seymour wins district title

By Ken Lay

Now that the 2025 high school baseball season has concluded, schools across the area can now begin postseason play and the task of competing for district championships.

Some leagues began postseason play on Tuesday. Most, however, started on Wednesday and kicked into high gear Thursday night with a pair of upsets in Class 4A.

In District 4-4A: Top seed and three-time defending state champion Farragut went down at home as fourth-seeded Maryville outslugged the Admirals, 8-5, at John Heatherly Field.

If Farragut is to make another deep playoff run it would have to win twice avoid being eliminated.

All games scheduled for Friday and Saturday were rained out. Play was set to resume Sunday at Farragut. Results were not available at press time.

The Rebels, the No. 4 seed, who opened tournament play Wednesday with a 6-5 victory over West High, had a 7-0 lead over the Admirals at one point in the contest.

Also in District 4-4A: Hardin Valley Academy, the No. 3 seed avenged a late regular-season loss to Bearden, notching a 12-2 victory at Bearden's Phil Garner Ballpark.

The third-seeded Hawks got a grand slam from Caleb Van Lant. He had two hits and drove in five runs in the contest. Jaxson Jones also collected hits and knocked in two runs for the Hawks.

Season ends for West: The first year for head coach Rob Stacy and the Rebels came to an end Thursday night as West fell victim

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KIL GIRLS TRACK AND FIELD MEET

Webb's Langham scores in the sand and relays

By Steve Williams

Lennox Langham apparently likes playing in the sand. She does it often in her role as a long jumper and triple jumper for Webb School.

She also will be going to Florida State to play beach volleyball after high school.

Before then, however, Lennox will continue to pile up the points for the Lady Spartans in their pursuit for a TSSAA state championship this spring.

Langham had a big role in Webb winning the

girls' championship in the Knoxville Interscholastic League Meet last week at Hardin Valley Academy.

She dominated the long jump and triple jump, setting new KIL meets records of 18-9½ and 39-1½, respectively, while Hardin Valley's Acheema Cummings-Scott and Naomi Burum finished second.

Farragut senior Katie Edmunds also stood out in the pole vault, going over the bar at 11 feet, while Central's Kaylee Reed placed second.



Webb senior Lennox Langham soars in the KIL long jump event last week. She set new KIL Meet records in the long jump and triple jump. Photo by Steve Williams.

Below: Webb's Calysta Garmer receives the baton from Gabby Bainbridge in the Lady Spartans' victory in the 4x800 relay last week at Hardin Valley. Photo by Barry Houchin.



PHOTO BY STEVE WILLIAMS

Catholic's Maggie Frana loads up energy to throw in the shot put event in the KIL Meet last week at Hardin Valley. She won the shot put and discus events.



PHOTO BY BARRY HOUCHIN

Farragut's 4x400 relay set a new KIL Meet record of 4:00.67. Left to right: Reagan Estes, Ava Barczak, Courtney George and Christie George.

Maggie Frana, Catholic senior, swept the throw events, with a 122-7 mark in the discus and 36-2 in the shot put. Karns' Gracie Schoenfelder and Austin-East's Ari'ajia Gadson placed second in the two events, respectively.

Webb junior Tallulah Carney and West's Mackenzie Eisenberg placed 1-2 in the high jump as both cleared 5-4.

On the track, Catholic junior Chloe Truss and Webb junior Calysta Garmer were double winners.

Truss posted a 24.49 time in the 200 just ahead of Catholic's Payton Sipos. Chloe breezed to victory with a 56.43 in the 400. Farragut's Reagan Estes came in second.

Garmer won the 1600

in 4:52.84 and edged her twin sister Jazzlyn with a KIL meet record time of 10:22.18 in the 3200.

The Lady Spartans' Carolina Areheart, who recently signed with Vanderbilt, prevailed in the 800 with a 2:18.86 and placed second in the 1600. HVA's Alexandra Vesser took second place in the 800.

Webb freshman Lacy Young won the 100 dash in 12.19. Gibbs' Addison Miller was second just ahead of Webb's Simone Romain.

Catholic's versatile Sipos swept the 100 and 300 hurdles with times of 15:01 and 44.61. CAK's Amelia Wedemeyer was runner-up in both races, with times of 15.16 and 45.90.

Webb won three of the four relay events. Jeneva Mitchell, Romain, Langham and Young combined for a 48.95 time in the 4x100. In the 4x200, Romain, Caroline Dye, Langham and Young posted a 1:43.88. Jazzlyn, Gabby Bainbridge, Calysta and Areheart were clocked in 9:53.27 in the 4x800.

Farragut set a new KIL meet record with a 4:00.67 in the 4x400. The foursome included junior twins Christie and Courtney George, senior Reagan Estes and junior Ava Barczak.

Webb scored 159 points, while runner-up Catholic tallied 132. Rounding out the Top 5 girls teams were Farragut (82), Hardin Valley (79) and West (64).



Chelsea Osborne (left) was presented a plaque recognizing her 18 years of coaching at Farragut High School at last week's KIL Meet. Longtime South-Doyle Coach Don Madgett also commented on Coach Osborne:

"My wife's aunt died the week of the Volunteer Classic and I let the other coaches know I might need a little help. Chelsea was the first one to reach out to me and say, 'What can I do to help?' Then she followed through that day with a couple of tasks that really helped move things along for me.

"She is retiring from coaching so I thought it was appropriate to honor Chelsea Osborne here tonight.

"Chelsea ran for Oak Ridge and Appalachian State, but she's been at Farragut for 18 years, so I think she forever belongs to the KIL."

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WE BUY ESTATES

Fulton Flag Football team plays in state tourney this week

By Steve Williams

Fulton will play in the TSSAA Girls Flag Football state tournament this Wednesday and Thursday at the Richard Siegel Soccer Complex in Murfreesboro.

Coach Trey Sewell's team earned the state berth after finishing in first place in its local district last fall.

Fulton will play Blackman at 2 p.m. (Central time). "We lost a few players since last time," said Coach Sewell. "We will only be traveling with 14 players."

Sewell added that he didn't lose any of his starting players.

Free Sports Physicals for area students

Tennova Orthopedics and Tennova Primary Care providers, along with the Jersey College School of Nursing, will perform sports physical examinations to meet the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association's (TSSAA) requirements. The TSSAA mandates student-athletes receive a sports physical prior to participating in any athletic activities.

Tennova Healthcare will be providing these free sports physicals to Knox, Blount, Sevier, Loudon, Roane and Anderson county student athletes.

The physicals will be given at the Pilot Family YMCA located at 400



Winston Road in Knoxville on Saturday (May 10) from 1 to 4 p.m.

Elston Turner happy to knock out Lakers

Knoxville native Elston Turner, 65, an assistant coach for the Minnesota Timberwolves, enjoyed the team's 103-96 win over the Los Angeles Lakers last week.

"I have never been able to put the Lakers out of the playoffs in 35 years so I'm extra happy!" Turner said after Minnesota defeated Los Angeles four out of five games.

Turner's Timberwolves now advance to the NBA Western Conference semifinals.

TSSAA announces a new student advisory committee

The 20-member committee of student-athletes will meet for the first time in May. The first meeting is expected to be a virtual event.

There are six members from each grand division (East, Middle, West) and one unified pair. The committee members represent 12 TSSAA sanctioned sports, including three



PHOTO BY BARRY HOUCHEIN

Bearden senior Gavin Bailey goes over the bar at 14-6 to win the KIL pole vault event.

unified sports.

The committee will represent student-athletes and the TSSAA, ensuring their perspectives are heard in governance and addressing key issues such as rules, regulations, and special initiatives. Their mission is to advocate for students, enhance sportsmanship, and foster a safe, ethical, and competitive environment both on and off the field.

"We are excited to have a group that will have a recognized voice for the nearly 150,000 student-athletes

that participate in TSSAA sanctioned sports," stated Mark Reeves, TSSAA Executive Director. "Ultimately, the organization's purpose is to serve student-athletes by providing opportunities that will enable them to become the best version of themselves."

Jenna Gonzales of Bearden High School and Grayson Gregory of the Webb School of Knoxville are the local representatives on the student committee.

Keegan finds a way to go out a winner again

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Nicolas Rivers won the 100-meter dash in 10.95. Javaston Badgett of Central was second in 10.98.

Farragut's Beeler posted a KIL meet record time of 1:52.41 in the 800 in his win over Smith. Karns' Rylan Moser-Bryan was third.

The closest race in the boys' meet was HVA senior Gabe Allen clocking in with a 4:16.44 in the 1600 and teammate Garrett Hawkins finishing in 4:16.45 one-hundredth of a second behind. Bearden's Crum came in at 4:18.16.

CAK senior Silas Fulford set a new KIL meet record in the 110 hurdles in 14.69. Four hurdlers – Farragut's Chase McAvoy, Gibbs' Milo Willets, Halls' Brody Foster and Farragut's Dane Skinner – finished between 15.30 and 15.93.

In the 300 hurdles, Willets, a senior, won in 38.79. Fulford was second and Skinner third.

In the relay events, Catholic set a KIL meet record in the 4x800 with a time 8:03.33. Members of the Irish quartet were Gonzalo Vela, Graham Karnes, Tony Ortega and Reid Bannister. Karns came in second and Farragut third.

Central continued to win with its 4x100 relay. Caleb Harris, Eric Moore, Niko Townsend and Javaston Badgett combined for a time of 42.42, just one-tenth of a second off the KIL meet record of 42.32.

Carter's 4x200 relay took first place with a time of 1:30.25. Lawson Branch

ran the leadoff leg, followed by Jackson Stuffle, Caleb Chittum and anchorman Asisah Burton. Gibbs came in second at 1:30.37.

Farragut's 4x400 wrapped up the meet with its victory time of 3:24.79. Aaron Pohl, Lucas Spadafora, Willie Brunet and Beeler carried the baton.

A lot of attention was on the high jump to see if Larry Clapp's oldest KIL meet record of 6-7 would hold up another year and it did. Chase McAvoy of Farragut and John Caldwell of Gibbs cleared 6-2 and McAvoy took first place honors as he didn't have any misses at lower heights, while Caldwell had one miss. Catholic's George Mancini and Halls' Domarian Noe tied for third at 6-0.

Halls' Noe prevailed in the long jump with a leap of 20-8½. Will Sharbel of West was a close second at 20-8 and HVA's Colson Crutch placed third.

Crutch took top honors for Hardin Valley in the triple jump with a mark of 40-8¾. Gibbs' Caldwell came in second at 40-4 and teammate Chris Puryear was third.

Bearden senior Gavin Bailey won the pole vault event at 14-6. Halls' Brody Foster was runner-up at 14-0 and CAK's Fulford came in third.

Farragut's Bryce Thompson took second place in the discus with a throw of 177-3.

HVA's Neal Henley was second in the shot put with a toss of 46-1. Gibbs' Seth Seiber finished third.

Local teams remain in limbo after Friday's rain

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to a no-hitter by William Blount's Noah Hardin in an 11-0 loss in Farragut.

The Rebels finish the 2025 campaign with a 16-14 overall record. They lost their tournament opener to Maryville, 6-5, on the road despite a 3-for-3 performance from sophomore Morgan Ferrell, who tripled in the Battle of Rebels. Brady Hopkins collected two hits and recorded an RBI, while Harris Eddins and Mason Dugan doubled for Knoxville's Rebels.

In District 3-4A: It took 10 innings but top-seeded Oak Ridge outlasted Halls in a classic pitchers' duel at Bobby Hopkins Field, 1-0, to remain in the

winner's bracket.

Red Devils' starter Fisher Green pitched nine scoreless innings. He allowed six hits and one walk, while hitting a batter. He struck out eight before being relieved by Hudson Burnett.

Halls coach Ryan Gentry was extremely pleased with Green's effort.

"I can't ask for anything more than he did today," Gentry said of his freshman starting pitcher. "You do what he did today and you have every chance in the world to win."

"I can't say enough about him."

The Wildcats, the defending district tournament champions, had pitchers Kam Welch and Peyton Witter combine on a five-hit

shutout. Halls struck out a total of 19 times in the game.

Oak Ridge won the game on a sacrifice fly by Parker Free in the 10th inning.

The Red Devils, who defeated Karns, 11-2, to open tournament play on Wednesday, was slated to play the Beavers again in an elimination game but results were not available at press time.

In Thursday's other game at Powell, the host Panthers edged Central, 2-1, at Danny T. Maples Field in nine innings as Kwade Carver hit a walk-off single. It was one of only two hits for second-seeded Powell.

The Bobcats (17-15-1) opened tournament play

at home with an 18-0 victory over Campbell County behind a 1-for-1 performance by designated hitter Cole Wessel. He doubled, recorded three RBIs and scored two runs.

The Bobcats were slated to play Sunday in an elimination game, weather permitting, but results were not available at press time.

Winner's bracket games scheduled for Friday were postponed until Saturday, weather permitting, but results were not available at press time. Some games were also scheduled for Sunday.

In District 4-3A: Gibbs was still in contention for a district tournament championship. The third-seeded Eagles had their

elimination game against No. 2 Union County suspended Friday night. Gibbs, which already has a 6-4 tournament victory over the Patriots, had a 1-0 lead over the Patriots in the bottom of the first inning.

Tournament play is set to resume today (Monday) at 5 p.m. The winner of the Gibbs-Union County tilt will play top-seeded Anderson County at ACHS at 7:30 p.m. The Mavericks have already qualified for the Region 2-3A Tournament and must lose twice not to win the district title.

Seymour wins District 3-3A Tournament: In the only district tournament not to be interrupted by rain, the Eagles claimed the

tournament championship with a victory over Cocke County.

Seymour won the game by forfeit as the fifth-seeded Fighting Cocks used a pitcher in three consecutive days. Cocke County's TSSAA violation cost it the game.

Seymour also defeated Fulton (13-3) and Carter (12-1).

In the game against Fulton Tuesday, the Eagles' Elijah Miller proved that, in baseball, crime does pay. He found his way into the program's record book as he stole five bases. He also set a single-season record for stolen bases (40).

Seymour will host the upcoming Region 2-3A Tournament.

Ad space donated by The Knoxville Focus.

Young-Williams Animal Center

PABLO COPPER – 2 years old, 66 lbs.
Meet Pablo Copper, the sweetest boy! He would make a wonderful adventure buddy and would be a great hiking dog. He loves to go on daytrips with volunteers. He is a gentleman when riding in the car. It takes him a bit to get comfortable but eventually curls into a ball on the seat. He loves to walk/run and smell everything around him. Being a hound, he loves to sing! Just listen to his lovely howl. In playgroups, he likes to hang out with other dogs but is lower energy. He is such a joy to spend the day with and we hope he finds his forever home soon!

GIZMO – 11 months old, 47 lbs., Animal ID: 56601300
Meet Gizmo! This is a note from Gizmo's foster: He's a recent visitor in my home. He's a mixed breed puppy that I found with YWAC. Gizmo is playful, very loving, housebroken, and VERY smart. He gets along well with my senior dog's and responds well to my senior dog's gentle corrections as they each figure one another out. He also responds indifferently to having food removed even while in the middle of eating and so far has exhibited zero signs of aggression. He's just a loving playful pup! He even plays with the neighbor dog through the fence!

Young-Williams Animal Center
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www.young-williams.org

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Holleroo returns, bigger and better, Saturday, May 17

Knoxville's only soap box derby, street fair and outdoor concert event returns to Happy Holler, bigger and better than ever, on Saturday, May 17. This event will be the very first to take advantage of on-street service of alcohol thanks to the recent change in city ordinance. Events were previously only able to offer such service on Gay Street and in the Old City.

Holleroo, produced by the Happy Holler Project, will take place from 11 a.m.- 10 p.m. on Saturday, May 17 along North Central Street and Anderson Avenue in Happy Holler.

Holleroo features a soap box derby and street fair through the day, and the festivities morph into a music festival as the evening progresses. Many of the neighborhood businesses will hold special events and activities, including live music, sales, food and drink specials and more.

The soap box derby will begin at 12 p.m., with a dozen or more hand-built, gravity-powered cars, racing two at a time down

Central Street before a thrilling turn onto Anderson Avenue. Between races, patrons can walk along Central and peruse the goods of dozens of local vendors and makers or grab a bite from one of the neighborhood restaurants or food trucks.

The musical lineup includes the classic country of New Market Trainwrecks, the straight forward rock and roll of Kevin Abernathy (with a full band), the return of King Super and the Excellents and a headlining set from Nashville indie rockers The Weeks.

Last-minute registration is available for anyone wanting to participate in the event. Go to holleroo.co for more information.

If you need even more reason to come check out the festivities; a portion of the proceeds from the day will be donated to Xhunger. Holleroo has remained free for the public due to our sponsors. If you have a good time at the event, consider checking out a poster, finding a logo you enjoy and figure out a way to support your companies of choice.

HOLLEROO

SATURDAY MAY 17TH 2025

HAPPY HOLLER'S ANNUAL STREET FAIR

11 AM - 7 PM

LOCAL VENDORS

NOON - 4 PM

SOAP BOX DERBY



WITH LIVE PERFORMANCES BY:

8:30 PM

THE WEEKS

6:45 PM

KING SUPER AND THE EXCELLENTS

5:30 PM

KEVIN ABERNATHY [Full Band]

4:00 PM

NEW MARKET TRAIN WRECKS

BENEFITING:

XHUNGER

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of a Deed of Trust Note dated 06/07/2006, and the Deed of Trust of even date securing the same, recorded 07/14/2006, in Instr. :200507140003929, in Office of the Register of Deeds for Knox County, Tennessee, executed by William M. Hale and Patricia P. Hale, conveying certain property therein described to First American Title as Trustee for Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing, as nominee for Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Indenture Trustee, on behalf of the holders of the Terwin Mortgage Trust 2006-8, Asset-backed Securities, Series 2006-8, its successors and assigns; and the undersigned, The Sayer Law Group, P.C., having been appointed Successor Trustee to First American Title, as trustee for Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Indenture Trustee, on behalf of the holders of the Terwin Mortgage Trust 2006-8, Asset-backed Securities, Series 2006-8.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable; and that an agent of The Sayer Law Group, P.C., as Successor Trustee, by virtue of the power, duty, and authority vested in and imposed upon said Successor Trustee to First American Title, as trustee for Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Indenture Trustee, on behalf of the holders of the Terwin Mortgage Trust 2006-8, Asset-backed Securities, Series 2006-8, will, on 05/21/2025 at or about 12:00 PM, at the North side of the City County Building, Knoxville, TN, offer for sale certain property hereinafter described to the highest bidder FOR certified funds paid at the conclusion of the sale, or credit bid from a bank or other lending entity pre-approved by the successor trustee. The sale is free from all exemptions, which are expressly waived in the Deed of Trust, said property being real estate situated in Knox County, Tennessee, and being more particularly described as follows: SITUATED IN DISTRICT NO. 8 AND WITHOUT THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF KNOXVILLE, KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AND BEING KNOWN AND DESIGNATED AS ALL OF LOT 7, BLOCK A, OF THE J. E. ALEXANDER ADDITION AS SHOWN BY MAP OF RECORD IN MAP BOOK 26, PAGE 10, IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT AN IRON PIN IN THE EAST LINE OF BRANCH LANE SAID IRON PIN BEING DISTANT 929 FEET, MORE OR LESS, IN A NORTHERLY DIRECTION FROM THE POINT OF INTERSECTION OF THE EAST LINE OF BRAND LANE WITH THE NORTH LINE OF RUGGLES FERRY PIKE; THENCE FROM SAID BEGINNING POINT ALONG BRANCH LANE NORTH 4 DEGREES SOUTH 82 DEGREES 06 MINUTES 20 SECONDS EAST 243.02 FEET TO A PIPE; THENCE SOUTH 16 DEGREES 18 MINUTES EAST 95.41 FEET TO AN IRON PIN, THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, AS SHOWN BY THE SURVEY OF STANLEY E. HINDS, SURVEYOR, DATED OCTOBER 2, 1984.

ALSO KNOWN AS: 308 Branch Lane, Knoxville, TN 37924
Parcel ID: 061-NA-031
This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the

premises might disclose. In addition, the following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property:

PATRICIA HALE AND WILLIAM M. HALE
308 BRANCH LANE, KNOXVILLE, TN 37924

CAVALRY SPV I, LLC, ASSIGNEE OF HSBC BANK NEVADA, N.A.
250 HIGH STREET, P.O. BOX 5059, MARYVILLE, TENNESSEE 37802

THE CITY OF KNOXVILLE BANK OF AMERICA CENTER
550 MAIN STREET, KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE 37901

Y-12 FEDERAL CREDIT UNION
P.O. BOX 2512, OAK RIDGE, TN 37831-2512

CURRENT OCCUPANTS
308 BRANCH LANE, KNOXVILLE, TN 37924

The sale held pursuant to this Notice may be rescinded at the Successor Trustee's option at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. TRUSTEE IS SELLING THE PROPERTY AS IS. BUYER BEWARE. TRUSTEE MAKES NO REPRESENTATIONS AS TO THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY, THE STATUS OF TITLE, OR ANY LIENS OR ENCUMBRANCES ON THE PROPERTY. DATED -April 10, 2025

This notice will be published in The Knoxville Focus for three consecutive weeks: 4/21, 4/28, & 5/5/2025.

THE SAYER LAW GROUP, P.C.,
AS SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

COURT NOTICES

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

TO: HEATH J. HARPER, NANCY A. HARPER, ASHLEY E. HARPER, SHAROLYNN RENEE HARPER, AND ALL KNOWN AND UNKNOWN HEIRS AND CREDITORS OF JULIOUS B. HARPER SR., AND ANNA E. HARPER
IN RE: SOUTH CASTLE LLC
VS.
HEATH J. HARPER, NANCY A. HARPER, ASHLEY E. HARPER, SHAROLYNN RENEE HARPER, AND ALL KNOWN AND UNKNOWN HEIRS AND CREDITORS OF JULIOUS B. HARPER SR., AND ANNA E. HARPER

NO. 209420-1
IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

In this Cause, it appearing from the Complaint filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant HEATH J. HARPER, NANCY A. HARPER, ASHLEY E. HARPER, SHAROLYNN RENEE HARPER, AND ALL KNOWN AND UNKNOWN HEIRS AND CREDITORS OF JULIOUS B. HARPER, SR., AND ANNA E. HARPER., DESCRIBED IN THE COMPLAINT, it is ordered that said defendant, HEATH J. HARPER, NANCY A. HARPER, ASHLEY E. HARPER, SHAROLYNN

RENEE HARPER, AND ALL KNOWN AND UNKNOWN HEIRS AND CREDITORS OF JULIOUS B. HARPER, SR., AND ANNA E. HARPER, file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee and with Ryan S. Wortley, an Attorney whose address is 3715 Powers St., Knoxville, TN 37917 within thirty (30) days of the last date of publication or a judgment by default will be taken against you and the cause will be set for hearing Ex-Parte as to you before Chancellor John Weaver at the Knox County Chancery Court, Division I, 400 Main Street, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902.

This notice will be published in a The Knoxville Focus Newspaper for four (4) consecutive weeks. This 8th day of APRIL, 2025.

J. Scott Griswold
Clerk and Master

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

TO: JOHN AND JANE DOES 1-100
IN RE: CRYSTAL FLACK, Petitioner
V.
JUDY ISABELLE FLACK, VICKY LAROYCE FULTON, CHERYL JEWEL MCNEIL, ZOE GILMORE, GLORIA WILLIAMS RODGERS, TRUMAN RODGERS, SABRINA HILL, DORRIS WILLIAMS RODGERS, ZACK FLACK, AND JOHN AND JANE DOES 1-100, Respondents

NO. 208749-2
IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

In this Cause, it appearing from the Complaint filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant JOHN AND JANE DOES 1-100, a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, or whose whereabouts cannot be ascertained upon diligent search and inquiry, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon JOHN AND JANE DOES 1-100, it is ordered that said defendant, JOHN AND JANE DOES 1-100, file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee and with Bennett Hirschhorn, an Attorney whose address is 800 S. Gay Street, Suite 700, Knoxville, TN 37929, within thirty (30) days of the last date of publication or a judgment by default will be taken against you and the cause will be set for hearing Ex-Parte as to you before Chancellor Richard B. Armstrong, Jr. at the Knox County Chancery Court, Division II, 400 Main Street, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902.

This notice will be published in The Knoxville Focus Newspaper for four (4) consecutive weeks. This 16th day of APRIL, 2025.

J. Scott Griswold
Clerk and Master

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

TO: GASPAR GASPAR JUAN
IN RE: THE ADOPTION OF SEBASTIAN GASPAR JUAN
NO. 210746-1

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

In this Cause, it appearing from the Complaint filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant GASPAR GASPAR JUAN, a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, or whose whereabouts cannot be ascertained upon diligent search and inquiry, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon GASPAR GASPAR JUAN, it is ordered that said defendant, GASPAR GASPAR JUAN, file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court at Knoxville,

Tennessee and with Scott B. Hahn, an Attorney whose address is 5344 N Broadway, Suite 101, Knoxville, TN 37918 within thirty (30) days of the last date of publication or a judgment by default will be taken against you and the cause will be set for hearing Ex-Parte as to you before Chancellor John F. Weaver at the Knox County Chancery Court, Division I, 400 Main Street, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902.

This notice will be published in The Knoxville Focus Newspaper for four (4) consecutive weeks. This 24th day of APRIL, 2025.

J. Scott Griswold
Clerk and Master

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

TO: DAVID EUGENE MORSCH, JR.

IN RE: ESTATE OF RUTH E. MORSCH, DECEASED
NO. 79037-1

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE
PROBATE DIVISION
NO. 79037-1

It appearing from the Motion for Confirmation of Sale filed herein that DAVID EUGENE MORSCH, JR., son of the Decedent, whose whereabouts cannot be ascertained upon diligent search and inquiry so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon DAVID EUGENE MORSCH, JR. It is ordered that DAVID EUGENE MORSCH, JR. file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court (Probate Division) at Knoxville, Tennessee and with John R. Foust, Esq., Movant's Attorney, whose address is Foust & Foust, PLLC, 4641 Chambliss Avenue, Knoxville, Tennessee, Telephone (865) 203-4041, within thirty (30) days of the last date of publication or a judgment of default will be taken against DAVID EUGENE MORSCH, JR. and the cause set for hearing Ex Parte as to him.

This notice will be published in The Knoxville Focus Newspaper for four (4) consecutive weeks: 4/28/25; 5/5/25; 5/12/25 & 5/19/25

J. Scott Griswold
Clerk and Master

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

TO: TYNISA MUNTAZ PALMER

IN RE: THE ADOPTION OF NOLA MANON-ROUGE CLARK

BY: MAURICE L. CLARK, SR. AND WIFE JUMEAIA RIDDLE-CLARK, PETITIONERS
V.
TYNISA MUNTAZ PALMER, MOTHER, RESPONDENT
NO. 210830-1

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

In this Cause, it appearing from the Complaint filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, TYNISA MUNTAZ PALMER, a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, or whose whereabouts cannot be ascertained upon diligent search and inquiry, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon TYNISA MUNTAZ PALMER, it is ordered that said defendant, TYNISA MUNTAZ PALMER, file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee and with Barbara Clark, an Attorney whose address is 2415 E. Magnolia Avenue, Knoxville, TN 37917 within thirty (30) days of the last date of publication or a judgment by default will be taken against you and the

cause will be set for hearing Ex-Parte as to you before Chancellor John F. Weaver at the Knox County Chancery Court, Division I, 400 Main Street, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902.

This notice will be published in The Knoxville Focus Newspaper for four (4) consecutive weeks. This 23rd day of APRIL, 2025.

J. Scott Griswold
Clerk and Master

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

TO: JAIR BAILEY

IN RE: PROGRESSIVE HAWAII INSURANCE CORP.
VS.
CATHERINE GREENE, et al.

NO. 208274-1
IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

In this Cause, it appearing from the Complaint filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant JAIR BAILEY, a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, or whose whereabouts cannot be ascertained upon diligent search and inquiry, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon JAIR BAILEY described in the complaint, it is ordered that said defendant, JAIR BAILEY file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee and with R. Brett Grimm, an Attorney whose address is 507 S. Gay St., Knoxville, TN 37901 (PO Box 2466, Knoxville, TN 37901) within thirty (30) days of the last date of publication or a judgment by default will be taken against you and the cause will be set for hearing Ex-Parte as to you before Chancellor John F. Weaver at the Knox County Chancery Court, Division I, 400 Main Street, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902.

This notice will be published in The Knoxville Focus Newspaper for four (4) consecutive weeks. This 28th day of APRIL, 2025.

J. Scott Griswold
Clerk and Master

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

TO: MICHELLE LEIGH LAWSON

IN RE: DALE RICHARD LAWSON, Plaintiff
v.
MICHELLE LEIGH LAWSON, Defendant

NO. 208144-3
IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

In this Cause, it appearing from the Complaint filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, MICHELLE LEIGH LAWSON, a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, or whose whereabouts cannot be ascertained upon diligent search and inquiry, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon MICHELLE LEIGH LAWSON, it is ordered that said defendant, MICHELLE LEIGH LAWSON, file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee and with Jake D. Ens, an Attorney whose address is 200 Prosperity Drive, Suite 217, Knoxville, TN 37923 within thirty (30) days of the last date of publication or a judgment by default will be taken against you and the cause will be set for hearing Ex-Parte as to you before Chancellor Christopher D. Heagerty at the Knox County Chancery Court, Division I, 400 Main Street, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902.

This notice will be published in The Knoxville Focus Newspaper for four (4) consecutive weeks. This 14th day of APRIL, 2025.

J. Scott Griswold
Clerk and Master

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF DAVID H. DUPREE
DOCKET NUMBER 90838-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 22 day of APRIL, 2025, letters administration in respect of the Estate of DAVID H. DUPREE, who died March 2, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 22 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF DAVID H. DUPREE

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
ALEATHEA DUPREE, ADMINISTRATRIX
3305 NOREMAC ROAD
KNOXVILLE, TN 37924

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF CANDY LOVELY GOODLING
DOCKET NUMBER 90144-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of APRIL, 2025, letters of administration in respect of the Estate of CANDY LOVELY GOODLING, who died on August 12, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division for Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 22nd day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF CANDY LOVELY GOODLING

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
MARCI BETH TROUTMAN
P. O. BOX 245
OCCOQUAN, VA 22125

L. ERIC EBBERT, ATTORNEY
9145 CROSS PARK DRIVE, STE. 103
KNOXVILLE, TN 37923

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LEGAL & PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF CAROL LYNN HATCH DOCKET NUMBER 90800-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of CAROL LYNN HATCH, who died March 7, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date, the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21st day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF CAROL LYNN HATCH

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
MARCELLA ELAINE HATCH
7536 W. DICK FORD LANE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37920

MEGAN ELIZABETH KENNER
233 LEDWELL DRIVE
SEYMOUR, TN 37865

CAROLYN LEVY GILLIAM, ATTORNEY
10805 KINGSTON PIKE, SUITE 200
KNOXVILLE, TN 37934

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF LARRY W. HILL DOCKET NUMBER 90788-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of LARRY W. HILL, who died February 12, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21st day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF LARRY W. HILL

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
TIMOTHY B. MILLER

ELLE SHIPLEY, ATTORNEY
900 S. GAY ST., SUITE 300
P.O. BOX 2425
KNOXVILLE, TN 37901-2425

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF ALLEN EUGENE JOHNSON DOCKET NUMBER 90732-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of APRIL, 2025 letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of ALLEN EUGENE JOHNSON, who died March 10, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 22nd day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF ALLEN EUGENE JOHNSON

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
EDWIN D. CRANE
4027 VERSAILLES BLVD.
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73116

GABRIEL B. COLE, ATTORNEY
550 W. MAIN ST., STE. 750
KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF CHARLOTTE C. MUSGRAVES DOCKET NUMBER 90804-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of APRIL, 2025, Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of CHARLOTTE C. MUSGRAVES, who died February 22, 2025, were issued to all the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claim will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF CHARLOTTE C. MUSGRAVES

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
JAMES L. MUSGRAVES

TOM R. RAMSEY, III, ATTORNEY
550 W. MAIN STREET, SUITE 310
KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF CHRISTON ALEXANDER PATTON DOCKET NUMBER 90806-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of APRIL, 2025, Letters of Administration in respect to the Estate of CHRISTON ALEXANDER PATTON, deceased, who died on December 15, 2024, were issued to SERENA BEAUCHAMP PATTON by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against said Estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting as the case may be) of this Notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this Notice to Creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication or posting; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the Notice to Creditors if the creditor received the copy of the Notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting) as described in (1) (A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21st day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF CHRISTON ALEXANDER PATTON

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
SERENA BEAUCHAMP PATTON
8024 WILNOTY DRIVE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

ERIN A. WHITE, ATTORNEY
300 MONTVUE RD.,
KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF MICHAEL WILLIAM WELCH DOCKET NUMBER 90791-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of APRIL, 2025, letters of administration in respect of the Estate of MICHAEL WILLIAM WELCH, who died February 23, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21st day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF MICHAEL WILLIAM WELCH

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
HASHEEMA LYDIA WELCH
10722 ROCK ARBOR WAY
KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

CAROLYN LEVY GILLIAM, ATTORNEY
10805 KINGSTON PIKE, SUITE 200
KNOXVILLE, TN 37934

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF HEZIKIAH LE'KEITH WILCOX DOCKET NUMBER 90746-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of HEZIKIAH LE'KEITH WILCOX, who died January 29, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 22nd day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF HEZIKIAH LE'KEITH WILCOX

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
ANNA SIMMONS-CALE
1929 ENGLISH IVY LANE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37932

BARBARA W. CLARK, ATTORNEY
2415 E. MAGNOLIA AVENUE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37917

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF JACKIE ALVIN BORST DOCKET NUMBER 90677-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of APRIL, 2025, letters administration in respect of the Estate of JACKIE ALVIN BORST, who died Jan. 4, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first

publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF JACKIE ALVIN BORST

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
THOMAS BORST, ADMINISTRATOR
15321 DUNLAP DRIVE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37914

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF ALICE D. BRATTEN DOCKET NUMBER 90807-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of ALICE D. BRATTEN, who died on December 4, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the abovenamed court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 29th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF ALICE D. BRATTEN

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
WALTER A. BRATTEN
8636 PLEASANT HILL ROAD
KNOXVILLE, TN 37924

LAWRENCE P. LEIBOWITZ , ATTORNEY
BRANDON J. TINDELL, ATTORNEY
608 S. GAY STREET, SUITE 200
KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF NELLIE RUTH B. BROOKS, A/K/A NELL B. BROOKS DOCKET NUMBER 90827-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of APRIL, 2025, Letters of Administration in respect of the Estate of NELLIE RUTH B. BROOKS, A/K/A NELL B. BROOKS, who died February 4, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first date of the publication of this Notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this Notice To Creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the Notice To Creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 25th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF NELLIE RUTH B. BROOKS,
A/K/A NELL B. BROOKS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
CAROL ANN DAVIS, CO-ADMINISTRATOR
408 THURMAN DRIVE
MT. JULIET, TN 37122

JOEL B. CRIPPEN, CO-ADMINISTRATOR
10308 BOSTON LANE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37932

VICTORIA B. TILLMAN, ATTORNEY
1019 ORCHID DRIVE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37912

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF JAMES M. BUNKER DOCKET NUMBER 90840-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of JAMES M. BUNKER, who died Jan. 24, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF JAMES M. BUNKER

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
CYNTHIA ANN CONDROY, CO-EXECUTOR
10630 ALYSON NIKOLE DRIVE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37934

JAMES M. BUNKER, JR., CO-EXECUTOR
3437 COMMADOR POINTE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF REMA CLAPP BUTLER DOCKET NUMBER 90796-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th

day of APRIL, 2025, Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of REMA CLAPP BUTLER, who died on November 22, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 25th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF REMA CLAPP BUTLER

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
STEVEN ANDREW BUTLER
3509 CUNNINGHAM ROAD
KNOXVILLE, TN 37918

MARK E. TILLERY, ATTORNEY
P. O. BOX 12257
KNOXVILLE, TN 37912

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF CARL VICTOR BYLIN DOCKET NUMBER 90763-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of CARL VICTOR BYLIN, who died February 6, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 29th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF CARL VICTOR BYLINE

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
ROBERT O. BYLIN
450 POWERS DR.
ELDORADO HILLS, CA 95762

MATTHEW C. HARALSON, ATTORNEY
217 EAST BROADWAY AVENUE
MARYVILLE, TN 37804

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF JACQUELINE CARTER DOCKET NUMBER 90839-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of APRIL, 2025, letters administration in respect of the Estate of JACQUELINE CARTER, who died Dec. 20, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF JACQUELINE CARTER

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
LOIN ELDRIDGE, ADMINISTRATOR
128 N. BERTRAND STREET, APT. 206-A
KNOXVILLE, TN 37917

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF RUTHELLEN CREWS DOCKET NUMBER 90847-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of RUTHELLEN CREWS, who died December 7, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and nonresident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first date of the publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date this is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1) (A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 29th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF RUTHELLEN CREWS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
HOME FEDERAL BANK OF TENNESSEE
ATTN: LEIGHANNE K. COVINGTON
515 MARKET ST., SUITE 500
KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF BILLY WAYNE DAVIS, JR. DOCKET NUMBER 90801-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of APRIL, 2025, letters of administration in respect of the Estate of BILLY WAYNE DAVIS, JR., who died on the 22nd day of February, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) from the decedent's date of death.

This the 30th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF BILLY WAYNE DAVIS, JR.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
AMANDA DAVIS
1520 CARRIE BELL DRIVE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37912

NEVA M. FOUST, ATTORNEY
4641 CHAMBLISS AVENUE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF LAURA NEWTON EASTHAM DOCKET NUMBER 90835-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of LAURA NEWTON EASTHAM, who died Feb. 22, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF LAURA NEWTON EASTHAM

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
KATHERINE E. EASTHAM, EXECUTRIX
5400 SHENANDOAH DRIVE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37909

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF RUBY LEE FLOYD DOCKET NUMBER 90852-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 29 day of APRIL, 2025, letters of testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of RUBY LEE FLOYD, who died December 24, 2024 were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates described in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 29 day of April, 2025.

ESTATE OF RUBY LEE FLOYD

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
WILLIAM GREGORY FLOYD
7316 ELEGANT DRIVE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37918

ANDREW J. CRAWFORD, ATTORNEY
5344 NORTH BROADWAY
KNOXVILLE, TN 37918

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF WANDA RAY GADDIS DOCKET NUMBER 90798-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of APRIL, 2025, Letters Testamentary in respect to the Estate of WANDA RAY GADDIS, who died March 16, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, residents and non-resident, having claims matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above-named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice to creditors less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date or first publication described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 25th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF WANDA RAY GADDIS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
KARYN LYNN SLOAS
7122 FIELDSTONE FARMS LANE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37921

ROGER D. HYMAN, ATTORNEY
P. O. BOX 26072
KNOXVILLE, TN 37912

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF JAMES DONALD KIRK
DOCKET NUMBER 90828-2**

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of JAMES DONALD KIRK, who died February 17, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 24th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF JAMES DONALD KIRK

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
WILLIAM CLIFFORD KIRK
1012 FOX RD.
KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

J. WHITSON SMITH, ATTORNEY
10805 KINGSTON PIKE, SUITE 200
KNOXVILLE, TN 37934

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF LAURA BEATRICE LAMMERS
DOCKET NUMBER 90584-1**

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of LAURA BEATRICE LAMMERS, who died on January 20, 2025, were issued to Julia Beatrice Lammers by the Chancery Court, Probate Division of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This 25th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF LAURA BEATRICE LAMMERS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
JULIA BEATRICE LAMMERS
110 CYPRESS STREET
BROOKLINE, MA 02445

STACIE D. MILLER, ATTORNEY
P. O. BOX 300
KNOXVILLE, TN 37901

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF BETH T. LONG
DOCKET NUMBER 90822-2**

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of APRIL, 2025, letters of testamentary in respect of the Estate of BETH T. LONG, who died December 26, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Knox Chancery Court, Probate Division. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This 25th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF BETH T. LONG

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
JOHN J. LONG
1321 WILLMANN LANE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

REGAN CARUTHERS, ATTORNEY
110 CODDILL ROAD
KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF ROBERT JOHN MACKAY
DOCKET NUMBER 90858-2**

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of APRIL, 2025, Letters Testamentary in respect to the Estate of ROBERT JOHN MACKAY, who died on March 6, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court, Probate Division of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 29th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF ROBERT JOHN MACKAY

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
KENNETH G. MACKAY

107 KENSINGTON LANE
TULLAHOMA, TN 37388

H. STEPHEN GILLMAN, ATTORNEY
P. O. BOX 870
KNOXVILLE, TN 37901

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF JAMES EDWARD MCCOURY
DOCKET NUMBER 90790-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of JAMES EDWARD MCCOURY, who died February 5, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 25th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF JAMES EDWARD MCCOURY

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
KATHARINE RENEE HENSLEY
2607 BLACK OAK ROAD
JEFFERSON CITY, TN 37760

STEPHEN L. CARPENTER, ATTORNEY
10413 KINGSTON PIKE, SUITE 200
KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF THOMAS D. MIALE
DOCKET NUMBER 90811-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of APRIL, 2025, Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of THOMAS D. MIALE, who died January 2, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 25th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF THOMAS D. MIALE

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
MADELINE F. LEONARD, ATTORNEY
217 EAST BROADWAY AVENUE
MARYVILLE, TN 37804

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF BETSY TUTTLE O'CONNOR
DOCKET NUMBER 90831-2**

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of BETSY TUTTLE O'CONNOR, who died Nov. 5, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF BETSY TUTTLE O'CONNOR

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
JOHN THOMAS O'CONNOR, III, EXECUTOR
1599 HULMAN WAYE CT.
TERRE HAUTE, IN 47803

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF EARL R. RATLEDGE, SR.
DOCKET NUMBER 90821-1**

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of EARL R. RATLEDGE, SR., who died March 27, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF EARL R. RATLEDGE, SR.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
KRISTI RATLEDGE, EXECUTRIX
3440 ALFRED DRIVE

BARTLETT, TN 38133

STUART I. CASSELL, ATTORNEY
707 MARKET STREET, SUITE 1
KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF DAVID HENRY RAY, SR.
DOCKET NUMBER 90855-2**

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of DAVID HENRY RAY, SR., who died March 13, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 29th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF DAVID HENRY RAY, SR.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
RICHARD CLARK
3754 CATALPA AVENUE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37914

THERESA SMITH
1533 MINNESOTA AVENUE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37921

SHELIA MYERS
120 SYLVIA DRIVE, APT. 32
KNOXVILLE, TN 37912

BARBARA W. CLARK, ATTORNEY
2415 E. MAGNOLIA AVENUE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37917

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF DAVA HEADDEN SHOFFNER
DOCKET NUMBER 90836-1**

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of DAVA HEADDEN SHOFFNER, who died Jan. 24, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF DAVA HEADDEN SHOFFNER

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
MARTIN LUTHER SHOFFNER, EXECUTOR
11224 SONJA DRIVE
FARRAGUT, TN 37934

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF DAVID JACKSON SIMS
DOCKET NUMBER 90856-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of DAVID JACKSON SIMS, who died June 21, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 29th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF DAVID JACKSON SIMS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
JEFFREY TODD SIMS

STUART I. CASSELL, ATTORNEY
707 MARKET STREET, SUITE 1
KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF WILLIAM ROBERT TULLOSS
DOCKET NUMBER 90859-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of WILLIAM ROBERT TULLOSS, who died September 19, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first date of the publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 29th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM ROBERT TULLOSS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
VALERIE ANN DAVIS
8629 NUBBIN RIDGE ROAD
KNOXVILLE, TN 37923

DUSTIN LANDRY, ATTORNEY
859 EBENEZER RD.
KNOXVILLE, TN 37923

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF GAYE M. VANDERGRIFF
DOCKET NUMBER 90577-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 25 day of APRIL, 2025, Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of GAYE M. VANDERGRIFF, who died December 25, 2024, were issued to all the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claim will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 25 day of APRIL, 2025

ESTATE OF GAYE M. VANDERGRIFF

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
AMY M. BATSON

TOM R. RAMSEY, III, ATTORNEY
550 W. MAIN STREET, SUITE 310
KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF BETTY SHARP WALKER
DOCKET NUMBER 90787-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of BETTY SHARP WALKER, who died January 9, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 25th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF BETTY SHARP WALKER

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
JAY STEVEN WALKER
7006 ROCKINGHAM DRIVE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37909

GLENNA W. OVERTON-CLARK, ATTORNEY
9111 CROSS PARK DR., SUITE D-200
KNOXVILLE, TN 37923

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF SARAJO NEEDHAM WATKINS
DOCKET NUMBER 90823-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of SARAJO NEEDHAM WATKINS, who died February 15, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 25th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF SARAJO NEEDHAM WATKINS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
SALLIE WATKINS EHRHARDT
3350 LAKE VIEW ROAD
KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

CALEB BUNCH, ATTORNEY
918 WEST 1st NORTH STREET
MORRISTOWN, TN 37814

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF ALICE HUGHES WEBER
DOCKET NUMBER 90829-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of ALICE HUGHES WEBER, who died January 17, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and

Master of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first date of the publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date this is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 24th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF ALICE HUGHES WEBER

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
CHARLES FREDERICK WEBER
4022 SULLIVAN RD.
KNOXVILLE, TN 37921

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF FRED E. WOODS, JR.
DOCKET NUMBER 90833-1**

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of FRED E. WOODS, JR., who died Dec. 27, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF FRED E. WOODS, JR.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
LINDA W. LONG, EXECUTRIX
7248 BALL CAMP PIKE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37931

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF BARBARA S. YOUNG
DOCKET NUMBER 90850-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of BARBARA S. YOUNG, who died March 3, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 29th day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF BARBARA S. YOUNG

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
BEVERLY S. LEITNER
P. O. BOX 234
NORRIS, TN 37828

P. NEWMAN BANKSTON, ATTORNEY
KAITLYN A. SELL, ATTORNEY
900 S. GAY STREET, 14th FLOOR
P. O. BOX 2047
KNOXVILLE, TN 37901

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**ESTATE OF ELMER L. YOUNGBLOOD
DOCKET NUMBER 90832-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of APRIL, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of ELMER L. YOUNGBLOOD, who died Oct. 23, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication; or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

This the 21 day of APRIL, 2025.

ESTATE OF ELMER L. YOUNGBLOOD

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
BRENDA D. STURGEON, EXECUTRIX
5914 BRIDGE GARDEN ROAD
KNOXVILLE, TN 37912

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Knox County will receive bids for the following items & services:
Bid 3683, Printing Services, due 06/03/25,
Bid 3685, Beverage Concessions and Vending, due 06/04/25

For additional information call 865-215-5777, stop by the Procurement Division, 1000 North Central St., Suite 100, Knoxville, TN 37917, or visit our website: www.knoxcounty.org/procurement. To bid on Knox County surplus items, go to www.govdeals.com.

PUBLIC NOTICE

**Knox County Ethics Committee Meeting
Wednesday, May 14, 2025, at 8:30 a.m.
Main Assembly Room
City/County Building**

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE

The owners and/or lienholders of the following vehicles are hereby notified of their rights to pay all charges and reclaim said vehicles being held at the storage lot of Cedar Bluff Towing. Failure to reclaim these vehicles will be deemed a waiver of all rights and titles along with consent to dispose of said vehicles at a public auction held on June 16, 2025, at 623 Simmons Rd., Knoxville, TN. Vehicles will be sold "AS IS" and make no warranty as to condition or title.

2015 Chevy Spark	KL8CF6S96F760413	(Randall Miller)
1985 Chevy Celebrity	4T1BK36B88U319059	(Ashley Hicks / Credit Acceptance Corp)
2003 Honda Civic	1HGEM22983L047976	(Brenda Edgington)
2009 Scion tC	JTKDE167790295312	(Danilo F. Aguilar Monterrosa)
1985 Chevy Celebrity	2G1AW19X4F1203665	(Demetrius Lamar Anelli)
2024 Suzuki GS750	JS16R7MAXS7100398	(Austin M. Lieser / ORNL Federal Credit Union)
2007 Kia Sorento	KNDJD736X75695778	(Carol E. Cowden)
2012 Honda Odyssey	5FNRL5H2OCB130402	(Rachel Simerly)
2007 Nissan Armada	5N1BA08A47N173883	(Latisha Perkins / TN Title Loans)
2001 Nissan Sentra	3N1BB51D71L111461	(Cody-Ladale Thompson / Buckeye Check Cashing Of TN)
2013 Honda Civic	19XFB2F58DE222740	(Justino Martin Francisco)
2005 Toyota Avalon	4T1BK36B15U022789	(Albert or Lillian Garrett)
2014 Dodge Charger	2C3CDXH64EH159171	(Donna Taylor / Legend A/S)
2012 Hyundai Tucson	KM8JU3AC6CU374401	(William or Janie Grigsby / Lendmark Financial Services)
2014 Land Rover Range Rover	SALVN2B6ZEH896820	(Charity Wilkerson / Lexus Financial Serv.)
2008 Land Rover	LR2 SALFR24N68H072988	(Orrhea Rene Roe)
2008 Kia Spectra	KNAFE121085502087	(Miguel A. Lugo Gomez)
1991 Chevy S10	1GCGT19Z3M2259037	(Jeffery W. Latham)
2000 Dodge Durango	1B4HS28Z4YF295797	(Xavier W. Mitchell)
2006 Buick Lucerne	1G4HP57246U190188	(Kenneth or Mary Barker / The Huntington National Bank)
1989 Chevy Astro Van	1GNDM15Z1KB265723	(Neil Kalloway)
2007 Honda Civic	2HGFG12867H535842	(Francisca Romualdo)
2005 Toyota Camry	4T1BE32K65U521309	(Nelson Banegas)
2008 Chrysler PT Cruiser	3ABF48B68T242864	(Matthew Z. Lane)
2011 BMW 328i	WBAPH56S3BNM72430	(Laura Hobby / ORNL Federal Credit Union)
2006 Ford F150	1FTPX14VX6FB12042	(Michael Miller)
2000 Ford Escort	3FAKP113XYR171360	(Lucas S. Drabes / Wallace Auto Sales)



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