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Celebrate the Magic of Autumn at the Third Annual Hallo-Week at Ijams

turn and the air grows crisp, Ijams Nature Center invites the community to step into a season of enchantment, wonder, and fun during the third annual Hallo-Week at Ijams. From Oct. 21 to Oct. 30, Ijams will host a wide variety of festive, family-friendly programs from haunted hikes and nocturnal paddles to spooky stories and trick-or-treat adventures in an enchant-

to combine nature, imagination, and community nature lover or simply seek-

age and interest. its own ticket, and spots structure has the capacity

As the leaves begin to full schedule and event descriptions, and to purchase tickets, please visit ljams.org/hallo-week-at-

Featured Events

Oct. 21 - Spooky Poetry Slam (7:00-9:00 p.m.)

Join the Knoxville Poetry Slam and Ijams for a hauntingly fun night of haikus, poems, sonnets, and more at the Spooky Poetry Slam!

Oct. 22 - Welcome Home: Hallo-Week is designed Celebrating the Ijams Bat House (6:00-8:00 p.m.)

Celebrate the new to celebrate the season. pad on the block, the ljams Whether you're a lifelong Bat House! Groups will take a short, guided walk ing autumn excitement, to reach the bat house there's something for every atop the former Mead's Quarry lime kilns and enjoy Each event requires a program there. This new

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Whether paddling on the water or hiking the trails, spending time at Ijams after dark offers opportunities to explore and learn about the night sky while searching for plants, animals, and geologic features.

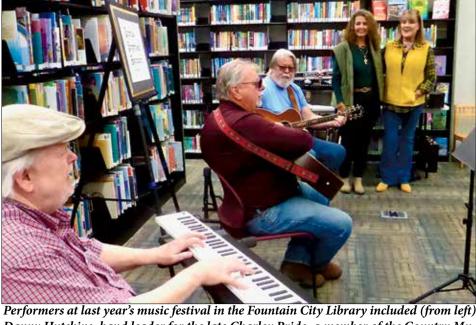
Songwriters to perform Oct. 14 at library's Fountain City Music Festival

City Music Festival," a free concert featuring members of the Knoxville Songwriters Association, will begin at 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 14, in the Fountain City Library, 5300 Stanton

KSA president Larry Cope said members of the group will perform original songs and tell the stories behind them. "We're grateful to the Fountain City Library for hosting our weekly meetings and for this opportunity to share our music with the community," he said.

The Knoxville Songwriters Association meets each Tuesday in the library's community room. The group has a jam session at 5 p.m., followed by a meeting from 6 to 8 p.m. that includes, song critiques, music news updates and

speakers and continuing



Danny Hutchins, band leader for the late Charley Pride, a member of the Country Music Hall of Fame; KSA past president Randy Ott; Mark Ott; Crystal Brooks; and Sherri Powell.

education activities.

KSA's annual membership dues are \$30 (\$15 for writers under 21 years of age. Prospective members are welcome to attend two

meetings at no cost to jam, Kim Williams, who was have a song critiqued, and get to know other songwrit-

members have included

selected to the Nashville Songwriters Hall of Fame, and others who have writ-Over the years, KSA ten hits in country, bluegrass, and gospel music.

Could Affordable Housing Fund benefit from proposed sales tax increase?

By Mike Steely Senior Writer steelym@knoxfocus.com

If the sales tax increase referendum passes in the November election, the city is considering designating about \$10 million of the additional revenue, or 22%, to the Knoxville Affordable Housing Fund. The Housing and Neighborhood Development Department is asking the city council to approve the possible additional funds when it meets on Tuesday.

The council will also consider accepting a proposal from HealthEquity to oversee the city's Flexible Spending Accounts and Health Reimbursement Account Administration for an annual \$76,650. The council may approve applying for \$250,000 from the state for a Transportation Planning Grant with a \$25,000 local match; the funding would go toward a signal system evaluation and optimization plan for Kingston

Cannon & Cannon Inc. may be contracted for \$55,000 to augment the city's Transportation Engineering Division. Gay Street may see CDM Smith Inc. contracted for a traffic impact study at its bridge for \$96,100.

CDM Smith Inc. may also be hired for professional

engineering design services for the Fort Sanders Neighborhood-Tyson Park Connection Greenway Project. The city may enter into an agreement with the state for property located under the James White Bridge and Hall of Fame Drive in an annual

agreement of \$149,000. Various zoning changes are also before the council, including 305 West Vine Avenue moving to a Downtown Boulevard Subdistrict designation. Property at 6109 Creekhead Drive may move from AG agricultural to RN-1 residential. A new general commercial rezoning is requested for 140 West Baxter, which is currently RN-2 residential.

A residential zone change, from RN-1 to RN-2 residential, is requested for 3415 Harvey Drive. Six lots on Ball Camp Pike may change from RN-1 to RN-2 residential. Property at 2019 Middlebrook Pike may move from industrial mixed-use to highway commercial.

Another residential property, 4879 Chambliss Avenue, may move from RN-4 to neighborhood commercial and 962 North Gallaher View Road could revert to its previous commercial zoning.

District 3 council candidates answer **Focus questions**

By Mike Steely Senior Writer steelym@knoxfocus.com

Third District Knoxville City Councilwoman Seema Singh is term-limited, and two candidates will face each other for her seat in the general election on Nov. 3rd. Early voting starts Wednesday and runs until Octo-

The Knoxville Focus asked the candidates, Doug Lloyd and Frank Ramey, four questions, and their replies are verbatim below.

Should city council races be by political party?

Doug Lloyd: I think so. When I decided to run, I insisted that I declare my party affiliation. I have no reason to hide it.

Frank Ramey: No. City Council is about neighborhoods, not national politics. These races should stay nonpartisan so candidates can focus on real local issues like infrastructure, safety, housing, and smart growth, not party talking points.

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Revival

crushed the extreme left's utopian dreams - and the left has responded with pathological behavior.

Martin Gurri

The progressive socialist Democrats still refuse to take their medicine and abandon their unpopular policies. And as the truth comes out about the Schumer Shutdown, the sombrero just keeps getting bigger. The latest poll shows that 70% of Americans oppose the government shutdown and 65% say Democrats should accept the Republican's "clean CR" (continuing resolution). After all, Schumer and Dems have always voted for CRs to keep the government open while budget negotiations are

The problem for Schumer is that he's in political trouble. The radical progressive socialist base that has taken over the Democrat party is demanding that

The age of Trump has Schumer oppose President Trump and Republicans on everything. "Schumer is watching the rise of Marxism in his state," said Speaker Mike Johnson and has to prove himself to AOC and other leftists in the Democrat party.

> Every year it's the same Congressional budget drama and Americans are sick of the childish grandstanding. This time around, Dems want billions of additional spending for bizarre foreign aid projects, extension of Obamacare tax credits and illegal healthcare benefits which the Big Beautiful Bill had stopped. All the Democrat presidential candidates raised their hands in support of healthcare for illegals during the 2020 debate which became a reality during the odious Biden years. And the Al Schumer parody stated what all sane people know: the Democrats need illegals to vote for them and they are willing to buy those

votes with healthcare.

The Dems say, "it's not happening" (that millions of illegals are getting healthcare, as they fill up ERs). Or, "it happens, but it's rare." (Then why is the wait time for emergency evaluation so long?) And lastly, "it's happening, but it's for the best" (that Americans take on the responsibilities of the world).

I realize that the truth is hard to come by these days. Consequently, I recommend Ferguson's axiom: "read widely, think carefully and sift everything through your own observations and common sense. This will bring you closer to the truth."

Philosopher Arthur Schopenhauer said that all truth goes through three stages: First it is ridiculed. Then it is violently opposed. Finally, it is accepted as being selfevident. The legacy media and Democrats are ignoring, rejecting or trying to suppress the truth about the harm that 15 million illegals have caused our country. As President Trump told the United Nations, it is noble that the nations of the world help those less blessed. But bringing the problems and people of the world into America or Europe is a recipe for disas-

ter. Trump was right, again. In my life I've embraced many creeds. I was christened as a baby in the

Presbyterian church and later confirmed. Then I went to college and became "so enlightened" that I didn't need God. That foolishness continued in medical school where I was doing fine academically, but the rest of my life wasn't working. A Christian friend chal-

lenged me with logic, "Jim, since what you're doing isn't working, come to church with me." That was a turning point for me and ushered in my revival. The Prodigal came to his senses, changed course, was saved and rebaptized. And in short order the Lord brought Becky into my life and the rest is history. I tell people I was elected, sprinkled, lost, found, saved, dunked and now I'm blessed with the "cord of three" (Ecclesiastes 4:12).

Frankly, I don't know how people can survive without a spiritual perspective. To think that the universe of billions of galaxies just happened is utter foolishness, a concept the ancient Greeks called hubris. "But wait!" There is even more. The Creation extends to the quantum realm as well, which underpins all matter and energy from quarks to quasars.

I consider myself a devout Christian but no longer a denominational Christian. I was once a Methodist and admire the founder of Methodism, John Wesley. His Rule of Life: "Do all the good you can, by all the means you can, in all the ways you can, in all the places you can, at all the times you can, to all the people you can, as long as you ever can."

I now worship at Sevier Heights church. The sermons are thought provoking, the music is impactful and I love my Sunday School class. And each Sunday evening the church provides the 3rd largest college program in the country. Charlie Kirk would be proud. I went through a revival as a young adult and I hope others will find the Way, the Truth and the Life.

There have always been

challenges to the faith. Charlie Kirk understood this in his campus ministry. Jesus and Paul understood that there would be consequences for returning to Jerusalem and challenging the elitist hierarchy. Similarly, President Trump challenged the Washington establishment and has suffered lawfare, vilification and two assassination attempts. There are encouraging signs that America is

undergoing revival. I began this essay by quoting Martin Gurri from his October 7 piece in the New York Post. Gurri said "We must resist the moral rot that has the left cheering for the death of its opponents." In the piece Mr. Gurri wrote of the murdered Ukrainian refugee Iryna Zarutska, children shot at Mass in

a Minneapolis school, the insurance executive assassinated in Manhattan, illegals shot at an ICE facility, young Israeli employees gunned down in Washington and, of course, the murder of Charlie Kirk.

How quickly we forget these heinous crimes and the depraved who cheered these crimes from the sidelines of their pathetic lives. The Democrat party is full of these delusional, depraved psychos. It is no longer the party of your parents; that no longer exists.

Sometimes I feel my efforts are insufficient to oppose the scourge that has come upon our country. I live in and write this column in relative safety. Would I be so bold if faced with consequences like Charlie Kirk or President Trump? Granted, I am an average fish in a small pond and not a target. But we've seen how the lawfare of the government can destroy the

lives of everyday citizens. Like Hamas the modern progressive socialist Democrat party has embraced perverse ideology and has become delusional and dangerous. They must be defeated locally, statewide and nationally to protect citizens and communities. We must be courageous, vote and resist the devilish forces of evil.

You may email Dr. Ferguson at fergusonj@knoxfocus.com

50-50 Parenting Schedule and Still Owing Child Support By Jedidiah McKeehan typically laid out in a Permanent of health insurance premiums households if support were not are met in both homes. If you are

jed@attorney-knoxville.com

Many parents assume that if they share custody of their child equally-meaning each parent has the child half of the timethen no one will owe child support. That sounds logical, right? If both parents have the child the same amount of time, then both are doing their fair share.

But in Tennessee, a 50/50 parenting plan does not automatically eliminate child support obligations. That might come as a surprise, and it often does to parents going through custody

Parenting Plan. This plan sets the schedule and assigns "days" to each parent, which the court refers to as "days of residential parenting time"-not hours. So, if the child sleeps overnight at a parent's house, that usually counts as a day. A 50/50 split generally means each parent has the child for 182.5 days out of

Child support in Tennessee is not determined by parenting time alone. The state uses a formulabased system called the Income Shares Model, which considers the gross monthly income of both parents, the number of overnight In Tennessee, parenting time is days each parent has, the cost

and work-related childcare, and whether either parent is supporting other children.

Even in a 50/50 arrangement, if one parent earns significantly more than the other, the higher-earning parent may still owe child support to the other parent. This is because Tennessee law assumes that children are entitled to benefit from the financial resources of both parents-not just the time spent with them.

Let's say Parent A makes \$90,000 a year and Parent B makes \$35,000. Even with an exactly equal parenting schedule, the child's standard of living

adjusted. In that situation, Parent A may still be ordered to pay child support to Parent B to balance out the financial support the child

If both parents make roughly the same income and the parenting time is truly 50/50, then child support may be minimal or even zero. But this is the exception, not the rule. And remember: even a small income difference can lead to a support obligation.

Do not assume that equal parenting time means zero child support. In Tennessee, child support is based on more than just timeconsidering a 50/50 parenting plan or think your current child support amount is unfair based on how much time you have with your child, speak with an attorney. A legal review of your situation using the state's child support worksheet can help deter-

mine what is fair and lawful. Jedidiah McKeehan is an attorney practicing in Knox County and surrounding counties. He works in many areas, including family law, criminal, and personal injury. Visit attorney-knoxville. com for more information about



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In The City: Here A Tax, There A Tax, Everywhere A Tax

Residents of the City of Knoxville need to make a point to vote in the coming election. Not only are five seats on the city council up for election but perhaps the most important thing on the ballot is a proposed increase in the sales tax. The sales tax inside the city limits is already creeping up to just under 10%. That means Knoxvillians are paying ten cents on every dollar they spend for groceries, entertainment, clothing and every other necessity of life. The proposed 22% increase in the city's portion of the sales tax comes after Mayor Indya Kincannon convinced the city council to raise property taxes by 40%.

The city council people who voted for it, and that was quite nearly all of them, and Kincannon try to justify their tax increases by blabbering about "affordable housing." The question is affordable

within the city limits, all of which are intended to be subsidized by the taxpayers for others who pay little or no taxes, that is not a sustainable model. Eventually, it will drive out the elderly and middleclass residents of the city, which is exactly what has happened in "blue" cities all across the country. If anyone has ever accused Indya Kincannon of being smart, I am unaware of it and would question their own intelligence. When governments increase property taxes, it increases rents and mortgages for everyone. Except, perhaps, those living in subsidized housing. That makes housing less affordable for working families and seniors.

Most of the members of the city council and Kincannon herself have shown zero interest in working families like the great majority of their fellow Democrats. If any readers have ever watched any of the budget hearings, all you'll hear is the need for more spending. What you will never hear is any council member or Kincannon worry about trimming back spending. The city government operates no school system, no libraries and its services are pretty much limited to police and fire protection, as well as garbage pickup. Following the 40% property tax increase, the first thing Kincannon did was cut back services

building apartments on accidents unless an ambu- hope that the city council every parcel of scrub left lance is called. That raises will come to life and exhibit insurance rates for most a mind of its own. That, of drivers. Yet they have a constant

need for money because the City of Knoxville has gotten into spending on woke initiatives like violence interrupters, social workers armed with fly swats. Unlike the county employees, except those of the sheriff, retired city employees enjoy a defined benefit package, which is where the second tax increase went under Kincannon's mentor, Madeline Rogero. The city government is seeking to raise taxes about every two or three years. Knox County, which does operate the school system and provides a much bigger array of services, hasn't raised property taxes in nearly 30

Councilman Andrew Roberto, who has always been delighted to follow Kincannon's lead and voted to raise property taxes 40%, was the first to jump ship on the proposed sales tax increase. Roberto said the Kincannon administration was sketchy on the details of how the resulting revenue would be spent. That seemed to never have bothered him before. Most likely, Roberto, who would very much like to be elected mayor after Kincannon is term-limited, has finally come to what remains of his senses and wants one less hurdle to jump.

As council member by ordering the Knoxville Debbie Helsley jumped for WHO? If Knoxville is Police Department to no ship on Kincannon's plan

course, would be a minor If you like paying more

in taxes and having the cost of everything go up even more, stay on your couch and complain after the election is over. If, on the other hand, you want to send a message to city hall, march to the polls just to vote "NO" and tell them to stop giving your money to other people who didn't work for it. That's worth 30 minutes of your time any day of the week.

Democrats And The Deep State Need To Be Held Accountable

News that Jack Smith, the special prosecutor for the Biden Department of Justice, allegedly spied on nine Republicans in Congress, including both of Tennessee's US senators, can't really surprise anyone who watched his "investigation." Smith evidently had ordered tracking of the telephone calls and private communications of nine congressional Republicans, including Senators Marsha Blackburn and Bill Hagerty. Supposedly, Smith ordered the surveillance as part of his January 6 investigation. A released document shows Smith and his "Arctic Frost" team were allegedly tracking the telephone calls of Senators Blackburn,

supposed to continue longer go to the scenes of for Chilhowee Park, it gives Wisconsin, Cynthia Lummis of Wyoming, Josh Hawley of Missouri, Dan Sullivan of Alaska, Tommy Tuberville of Alabama and Lindsey Graham of South Carolina, as well as Congressman Mike Kelly of Pennsyl-

The Obama administration authorized spying on then-candidate Donald Trump's campaign in 2016. The corporate media laughed at the very idea and treated the accusation as nothing less than abject nuttery, just like they did over the issue with Hunter Biden's laptop. Officials who misuse the

law to harass and persecute their political opponents need to be held accountable. It is past time to prosecute these people, including Jack Smith, if he has abused his power. The Democrats who are squalling about the weaponization of the Justice Department loved it when it was directed at Republicans, conservatives, and Donald Trump. They chanted over and over again, no one is above the law. They have also amply demonstrated they believe nobody is above the law except themselves and anybody who

hates Trump. Following the assassination of Charlie Kirk, it is especially heinous to hear any candidate for public office - specifically a candidate for attorney general for the state of Virginia, Jay Jones - say he would rather kill a political opponent rather than Hitler or Pol Pot, two of the most evil people Hagerty, Ron Johnson of in history. Were that not about living by the sword.

bad enough, to raise the vision of then wishing that same man's small children dead so their mother could see it is nothing less than sickly twisted. Yet, not a single Democrat has called for Jay Jones to quit or drop out. Imagine for a moment if any Republican candidate had said that about any member of the other party. It would cause corporate media to lose their collective minds, and you can bet your bottom dollar the media would consider the statements disqualifying. Abigail Spanberger, the Democrat running for governor of Virginia, said she gave Jones a "stern" talking to. Would that suffice for any Republican who had made such terrible and disqualifying statements? Of course not. Spanberger has been campaigning, telling her audiences to let "your rage fuel you." Then we wonder why there is political violence in our

country. These are the same people who claim words are violence. Once again, they have proven that misinformation, disinformation, hate speech and words are violent only when they don't like who spoke them. They can say any hellish thing they want and it is justifiable because it is spoken about a political opponent or someone they deem dispensable because they don't share the same beliefs. It is well for all of us to remember the old adage

It's now up to you to stand up for victims' rights

Voters will consider a constitutional amendment in 2026

one becomes the victim of a crime, their world changes in an instant. those ۱n moments, they need compassion, clarity and a justice system

that truly sees

and hears them. Our partners in law enforcement and our justice system work hard to support victims. But still, too often, victims and their families feel overlooked. They may not know their and are left with more questions than answers.

For those already carrying the weight of trauma, gaps in communication and support can make a painful journey even more isolating.

We have a responsibility to ensure every victim is treated with dignity and respect.

That's why I was proud to

co-sponsor Marsy's Law, a proposed amendment to the Tennessee State Constitution that establishes clear and enforceable protections for crime victims. Voters will have the opportunity to make these protections permanent when they go to the polls in 2026.

Marsy's Law is part of a nationwide effort to support crime victims and prevent further trauma.



By Elaine Davis State Representative

named after Mar- escapes. salee "Marsy" Nicholas, a college student who was stalked and murdered her ex-boyfriend in 1983 while attending the

University of California at Santa Barbara.

death, as her family was walking back from her funeral, they ran into her killer who had unknowingly been released on bail.

constitutionrights or what comes next al amendment seeks to and ensuring their voices ensure traumatic experiences like this never about something bigger: happen to victims in Tennessee.

> Tennesseans in 1998 stepped up to enshrine the Tennessee Crime Victim's Bill of Rights in the state constitution.

> step forward, but we've found over the last two decades that some of those protections were too vague and difficult to enforce.

Marsy's Law strengthens and expands those rights by making them clear, consistent, and legally enforceable across the state. It outlines thirteen specific rights that must be upheld at every stage of the legal process.

These rights include being notified of criminal proceedings, having the

opportunity to be heard at those proceedings as well as hearings related to the offender's release or parole. Victims must also be notified if the offender The law is is released, transferred or

> One of the new protections includes the right to have the safety of the victim, the victim's family and the general public considered before any parole or other post-judgement release decision is made.

This law also protects victims from any harassment, One week after her intimidation and abuse throughout the criminal justice system, including reasonable protection from the accused.

At its core, Marsy's Law is about protecting victims are heard. But it's also creating a justice system that helps prevent future harm by empowering those most affected.

When victims understand their rights are protected, they are more likely That was an important to speak up, stay engaged and help bring offenders to justice. That kind of participation

> strengthens accountability, builds trust in the system and can help prevent future Supporting victims

doesn't just address the trauma of the past; it's also a powerful way to protect others in the future. That's why making Marsy's Law a permanent part of our state constitution is so impor-

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Sunday, October 19

Rev. Hollie Miller

Rev. Hollie Miller, who pastored Sevier Heights Baptist Church for over 30 years, will be preaching at New Beverly on Sunday, October 19 at the 11:00 AM service. You don't



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Knoxville Expo Center will be closed first four days of early voting

Expo Center will be closed the first four days of early voting; voting will begin there on Monday, October 20 Due to a scheduling conflict, the Knoxville Expo

Center early voting location will not be open the first four days of early voting for the 2025 City of Knoxville Regular Election. The Expo Center, located at 5441 Clinton Highway,

will open on Monday, October 20, 2025 and will operate on a regular schedule for the remainder of early

Beginning Monday, October 20, the Expo Center's hours will be consistent with normal early voting hours for this election, which are:

10 a.m 6 p.m.
10 a.m 6 p.m.
12 noon - 7 p.m.
10 a.m 6 p.m.
10 a.m 6 p.m.
10 a.m 2 p.m.
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10 a.m 6 p.m.
10 a.m 6 p.m.
12 noon – 7 p.m.
10 a.m 6 p.m.

For more information on the November 4, 2025 election, including a full schedule of early voting days, times, and locations, visit www.knoxvotes.org or call the Knox County Election Commission at 865-215-

District 3 council candidates answer **Focus questions**

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Do you favor the .2 percent sales tax increase?

Lloyd: Absolutely Not. Ramey: At this point, I've not been convinced to support it. I appreciate the intent behind the proposal, but I have concerns about its structure, long-term impact on working families, and lack of detailed, binding implementation plans.

Pick one city committee on which you might like to serve.

utive Board. I'm particuand stormwater systems quality of life and safety in table.



Doug

Lloyd Ramey

our neighborhoods.

What is your opinion of the current city administration?

Lloyd: They are too liberal leaning for my taste, also very lacking in communication's skills.

Ramey: I appreciate Lloyd: The KAT commit- the efforts the current administration has made Ramey: I'd like to serve in areas like housing, on the Knoxville Region- public safety, and longal Transportation Plan- term planning. That said, ning Organization Exec- I believe there's room to improve how we engage the larly interested in how we public, prioritize spending, improve roads, sidewalks, and follow through on key infrastructure needs, and things that directly affect that's what I'd bring to the

It's now up to you to stand up for victims' rights

Amending the state's

Constitutional amendments require approval by two separate bodies of the Tennessee General Assembly before they are brought to voters for a final decision.

Marsy's Law received its first approval from the 113th General Assembly and then its second in April from the 114th General Assembly.

It passed unanimously this year with bipartisan support in the House of Representatives. Shockingly, five Democrats in the Tennessee Senate voted 'No' to protections for

Now, it's up to you. constitution requires broad Marsy's Law will appear support and careful consid-on the Nov. 3, 2026, ballot eration from both lawmak- alongside two other constitutional amendments.

A 'yes' vote will ensure that victims' rights are permanently protected in the Volunteer State.

Together, we can make sure no victim in Tennessee is left unheard or unprotected.

Elaine Davis represents District 18 in the Tennessee House of Representatives which includes part of Knox County. She serves as vice chair of the Judiciary Committee and is a member of the Transportation Committee, Ethics Committee, Private Acts Committee and Civil Jus-

tice Subcommittee.

Third Annual Hallo-Week at Ijams

to house a colony of more than 100,000 Mexican free-tailed bats!

Oct. 23 - A Haunted History of Ijams Hike (7:00-9:00 p.m.)

Every landscape carries its stories, and some are darker than others. Step into the shadows of ljams for a guided hike that blends natural beauty with spine-tingling history. Oct. 23 - Evening Paddle

(6:30-8:30 p.m.)

Get ready for a relaxed trip on the Tennessee River under the beautiful night sky! Join Ijams naturalists for this two-hour, guided paddle to uncover the secrets of the Tennessee River after dark and learn about the sky while searching for plants, animals, and geologic features.

Oct. 24 - Spooky Trivia (7:00-9:00 p.m.)

Join Ijams for a trivia night inspired by the spookiness of the Halloween season. From deadly fungi and chilling folklore to creepy crawlies and creatures of the night, you won't believe what's out there.

Oct. 25 - Ijams Enchanted Forest (3:00-8:00 p.m.)

Autumn is a time of change and movement. The hooded

warbler is a long-distance migrant that stops in East Tennessee on its way to winter in Central and South America. This individual was caught at the Ijams bird banding sta-

and get ready for a night of tricks and (lots of) treats in the Ijams Enchanted Forest! You'll enjoy seasonal crafts, games, and activities; meet some animal ambassadors; and nab some tasty treats!

Oct. 26 - Fall Foliage Hike (1:00-2:30 p.m.)

Enjoy the changing colors of nature with an Ijams naturalist this fall! You'll discover the secrets Dress up in your costume of autumn, identifying

and learning about various wildflowers, birds, emerge during this bustling season.

Oct. 26 - A Haunted Histo-

Every landscape carries its stories, and some are darker than others. Step into the shadows of ljams for a guided hike that blends natural beauty with spine-tingling history.

Oct. 28 - A Night of Scary Stories (7:00-8:30 p.m.)

Enjoy an evening of scary, silly, and haunted tales told by members of the Smoky Mountain Storytellers Association!

Oct. 29 - Spooky Night Bike (6:30-8:30 p.m.) Experience the natu-

ral wonders of Knoxville's Will Skelton Greenway by biking through ljams, Island Home Park, and Forks of the River Wildlife Management Area. You'll learn the history of Island Home and the Tennessee River, and observe flora and fauna at stops along the way.

Oct. 30 - Ijams After Dark (7:30-9:30 p.m.)

Discover Ijams after dark during this experiential adventure! You'll meet one of Ijams' nocturnal animal and other organisms that ambassadors before taking a fun-filled, guided night hike on the trails to witness and identify moths ry of Ijams Hike (2:00-4:00) and other critters attracted to black light stations.

> ljams' grounds and trails are open every day from 8:00 a.m. until dusk. For more information, visit ljams.org or call 865-577-4717.



Notice of Early Voting

City of Knoxville Regular Election

October 15th - 30th, 2025

LOCATIONS AND HOURS OF OPERATION

Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays: 10 am - 6 pm

Wednesdays (October 15, 22, 29): 12 pm - 7 pm

> **Saturdays:** 10 am - 2 pm

Closed Sunday

City-County Building **Main floor across from Circuit Court Division I** 400 Main St. (NOTE: This location will open at 8 am on Saturday, October 25)

Downtown West

1645 Downtown West Blvd., Unit 40

2410 Martin Luther King Ave. (Next to the Love Kitchen)

Eternal Life Harvest Center at Five Points

5441 Clinton Highway (NOTE: This location is closed the first four days of early voting and will open on Monday, October 20.)

Knoxville Expo Center

4775 New Harvest Lane

New Harvest Park

Meridian Baptist Church 6513 Chapman Highway (This location closes at 5 pm on Wednesdays)

SAMPLE BALLOT

CITY OF KNOXVILLE REGULAR ELECTION

CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 1
Vote for One (1)
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☐ Write-in

□ Becky Jones

CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 2

Vote for One (1) □ Nathan Honeycutt

☐ Melody Watts

CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 3

Vote for One (1)

☐ Write-in

□ Doug Lloyd ☐ Frank Ramey

☐ Write-in

CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 4

Vote for One (1)

Matthew DeBardelaben

☐ Jeff Talman

☐ Write-in

CITY COUNCIL. DISTRICT 6

Vote for One (1) □ Denzel Grant

Stan Johnson

☐ Write-in

CITY OF KNOXVILLE SALES TAX REFERENDUM

Shall the two and one-quarter percent (2.25%) local option sales tax rate currently levied throughout Knox County be increased to two and three-quarters percent (2.75%) in the City of Knoxville?

☐ FOR

☐ AGAINST

Knox County Election Commission

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Knox County Courthouse, Room 229 300 Main Street • Knoxville, TN 37902 P: 865-215-2480 • F: 865-215-4239 Office Hours: Monday - Friday • 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (Office is open during all hours of Early Voting) Saturday, October 18: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Saturday, October 25: 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. www.knoxvotes.org

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9/11 hero to be remembered at Scout fundraiser

By Mike Steely Senior Writer steelym@knoxfocus.com

Welles Remy Crowther is remembered for his heroism following the September 11, 2001, attacks on the World Trade Center. He is remembered for the red bandana he wore across his face while rescuing people from the South Tower before losing his own life. He carried one

injured woman on his back promised to be an "unforgetand led others to safety table evening." through smoke and darkness again and again.

at this year's Leadership in Action Dinner, an evening of leadership and inspiration to benefit the Great Smoky Mountain Council of Scouting.

"I had the privilege of getting to know Alison when On Thursday, October 30, she visited Webb School to his mother Alison will speak speak at our graduation this past year. Angelia and I were deeply moved by her strength and grace, and we were honored to invite her back to Knoxville for this special The 6:30 p.m. dinner at evening," Hugh Nystrom, an the Bistro by the Tracks is Eagle Scout, told The Focus.

"This dinner is more than a gathering; it is a chance for our community to come together, to reflect, and to be inspired by a story that challenges us all to lead with courage and compassion, just as Welles did," Nystrom added.

Tickets range from \$300 per couple to \$5,000 per table and are available online at https://scoutingevent. com/557-25LIA.



Alison Crowther, pictured with her son's red bandana, will speak at the **Great Smoky** Mountain Council of Scouting this month. Welles Crowther saved at least 18 lives, but lost his own during the 9/11 attacks on the World Trade Center.

Visit Loudon during October for history and ghosts

A Day Away



Loudon County's seat, appropriately named Loudon, is an interesting place to visit, especially during October. Around town are several historic and unique buildings, places and people.

Bo Carey, a descendant of the founding Greer family and owner of Greer's Furniture, may be best known as a tour guide and storyteller. Carey leads groups around the historic town, and during October, the "Ghost Tour" turns into

a Halloween adventure.

Loudon developed from Cherokee lands and originally was a Native American village. The Steekee Cemetery played an important part in that dispute between the founding families and the Native Americans. The cemetery was the site of a Cherokee village and burial ground. The ferry transported travelers across the Tennessee River from the north side to the Cherokee settlement in what is now Loudon.

The oldest structure still standing in Loudon is probably the two-story brick building known as either the Blair's Ferry or Pathkiller Storehouse. No matter the name, it is one of the earliest commercial buildings, though it is unclear who actually built building.

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and owned the historic Loudon's Bo Carey leads a group of visitors on one of his historic walks around the county seat and during October he tells ghost stories about the various places.

Annual Spirits of **Old Gray returns** Sunday, Oct. 26

Cemetery tours, Knoxville history, food and fun!

Established in 1850, Old Gray Cemetery, one of the oldest garden cemeteries in Tennessee, is pleased to announce the return of its famous annual "Spirits" event!

Take a peaceful, leisurely stroll among the aged, shady trees on the historic property of Old Gray Cemetery at 543 North Broadway Street in Knoxville, Tennessee, on October 26, 2025, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Enjoy live reenactors telling the tales of those buried there as well as guided tours, food trucks, bagpipe music, and other vendors. Learn about the area's precious history in

a unique way. A wonderful experience for any age or physical ability.

Admission is \$10 for adults, \$5 for students, and under age 10 is free. Cash or credit cards are welcome.

No reservations, come rain or shine!

Parking is available at St. John's Lutheran Church, Volunteer Ministries Center and other nearby parking lots.

Old Gray Cemetery is a non-profit organization and arboretum that maintains and promotes this historical area.

For more information, visit: www.facebook.com/ oldgraycemetery or www. oldgraycemetery.org/spirits-of-old-gray, or email: info@oldgraycemetery.

Keep Knoxville Beautiful announces 2025 Orchid Awards nominees, ticket sales

Knoxville Orchids Awards is set Architecture, Redesign/ for November 5th at The Knoxville Museum of Art. Since 1979, Keep Knoxville Beautiful will highlight the Beautification Awards are: Beautiful has presented Orchids Beautification Awards to Knoxville and Knox County buildings, public art, and outdoor spaces that beautify and elevate the local landscape.

Reuse, Outdoor Space, and Public Art, Keep Knoxville the accomplishments and sustainable efforts of valuable volunteers, comorganizations.

Judges consider the - Lakeshore Park Pavilions aesthetic properties of - Lin Christenberry Marsh Country Music Park

In addition to tradition- projects, but also their Gardens at Lakeshore Park and sustainable practices. Park

> The nominees for - Xul Brewing Company 2025 Orchids

Outdoor Space

- munity partners, and green French Broad Veterans Mural at Cal Johnson Memorial Park

- Beautiful's 46th annual al categories such as New impact on the community UTK Regional Stormwater

Public Art

- ECO-Scape Imaginings
- KnoxWalls at Emory Place
- **Community Center** - Pier 865 at Cradle of Center

New **Architecture**

- Covenant Health Park
- First Creek at Austin Phase 2
- The Lawson Family Renovations
- **Foundation Offices**
- Liberty Place
- Lululemon Store
- Sunsphere Welcome Coalition
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- Farragut Town Hall Interior
- Fort Sanders Market &
- The Gateway Metro Drug
- Historic Rule House
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morning, I arrived at the dermatologist's office for my yearly fullbody exam. I warned Danielle, the person I always see, that she might want to eat lunch joerector@comcast.net



By Joe Rector

before getting an eyeful of my old body. She laughed and replied that she could tough it out.

Then she proceeded to freeze places on my forehead, neck, shoulders and chest. For good measure, she took a sample of another spot on my back. I'm flabbergasted that things I did in my younger days are paying me back now.

According to Danielle, youthful sunburns caused by not using sunblock are the main culprits for my need of these treatments. We had that kind of stuff for vacations, but during the rest of the spring and summer, we had nothing. Two chubby little boys ran around the yard shirtless. Sunburns were severe; we whined to Mother, and she fanned us in an effort to help. Eventually, that sunburn soaked into our skin and left freckles, a bit darker complexion and peeling skin.

We did other dumb things in that past life that affected our present-day conditions. Mother was a fabulous cook, and we boys were unequaled eaters. We didn't miss many meals; the heaping piles of food disappeared, and we washed it down with two tall glasses of milk. Crisco

was the culprit. I further damaged the Foods bathed in the stuff, and that grease made everything taste better. Plenty of red meat was included in our weekly diet, whether it was served as a roast, a hamburger or a meatloaf.

eating habits back then. Moms cooked meals the way they'd learned to do. High blood pressure and cholesterol weren't often considered major problems. However, now, many of us are swallowing pills every day to combat those problems. Our diets no longer include fried foods, except for an occasional trip to restaurants or burger joints. Too many of us in this country are overweight, but we fail miserably to do anything about it. Heart disease and strokes are lurking around the corner and waiting for us.

Some of us tempted fate and participated in activities that were bound to cause injuries. Because I suffered with excruciating headaches in football, I had to become a manager for the team instead. That sounded like a good way to stay with the team without suffering any injury. However, I managed to break an ankle as I carried dry footballs to officials during a rainy football game. To make matters worse, I had no ride and walked the roads back to

Over the next few years, folks say about Karma.

ankle. In all, I've had six casts and two surgeries. Now, my ankle is flimsy. It offers no support and turns if I step on a stick or gravel. My assertion is that all of the neck, back and leg problems I've endured over this life began on that rainy night in 1968. I began smoking at a

young age and puffed away We didn't have poor on stolen cigarettes from my parents' packs. Daddy caught and whipped us, and that's when I gave them up. When I was a freshman in high school, I picked up the habit for real. I fogged family, friends and dates with cigarettes. I was a slow learner, so not until Daddy, Mother and my brother Dallas died from cancer did I put the smokes down for good. These days, my breath-

ing could be better. I'm sure my lungs are scarred from the smoke and toxins from those "cancer sticks." Smoking kept me from having enough wind to run a single mile until I was in my 40s. The years of smoking aren't my best ones. I wasted money and health on a habit that controlled my life. Finally, I kicked the smoking habit in my early 50s. A prayer that cancer won't make a visit is often offered. I've seen the brutal effects of the disease.

This piece might make others think I'm complaining. That's not my intent. I just am shocked that so many acts from my youth have come back to bite me in the butt. It's true what

Mini Food City exhibit opens in Muse Knoxville



Muse Knoxville recently cut the ribbon to open its newest interactive exhibit, Mini Food City. The Mini Food City exhibit is where children can shop for healthy foods, fill their baskets, and check out at the register—all while learning through play in this engaging, hands-on space. The exhibit is designed to encourage imagination, teamwork, early math skills, and nutritional awareness in a fun, interactive setting. Pictured at the ribbon cutting photo (left to right): Muse Knoxville Vice President of Advancement Katie Mixon, - First Horizon Knoxville Market President Jim Atchley, Food City Special Events Manager Betsi James, Muse Knoxville President & CEO Allison Comer, Siddiqi Charitable Foundation CEO Heetesh Patel, and Muse Knoxville Vice President of Education & Exhibits Lee Robinson. Muse Knoxville is located at 516 N. Beaman St., Knoxville, TN 37914.

Visit Loudon during October for history and ghosts

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historic railroad depot, now the home of Monkey Town Brewing Company. Next to the depot sits a historic railroad caboose.

The town has a wellof local businesses, and house after the original

a spirit still maintained by suffered extensive fire A modern bridge now local residents. Loudon links the north shore to the didn't escape the Civil town, and just below that War as Confederate forces bridge in Loudon is the his- occupied the area for a toric Carmichael Inn, where couple of years and built a generations of locals and fort facing north atop Fort visitors dined and social- Hill. It protected the bridge ized. Any photo of Loudon and watched river traffic. probably includes the his- Fort Hill now has many toric water tower and the nice homes overlooking the scenery and the town far below.

Carey often takes his tours by the rebuilt courthouse as he walks around the town. The little town done riverside park, lots recently rebuilt its court-

damage in 2019.

If you're planning to visit Loudon, you may want to go there by way of Kingston Pike and pass through Lenoir City with its own historic sites. Philadelphia is just south of Loudon on Highway 11 and, nearby, is Sweetwater Valley Farm's Cheese Store.

Anyone interested in joining him for the tours may contact Carey by email at bocarey95@gmail.com or sign up at www.bocareyhistorytours.weebly.com.



Keep Knoxville Beautiful announces 2025 Orchid Awards nominees, ticket sales

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Community **Project**

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- Park
- Area Beautification Project and the awards ceremony.

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- WM

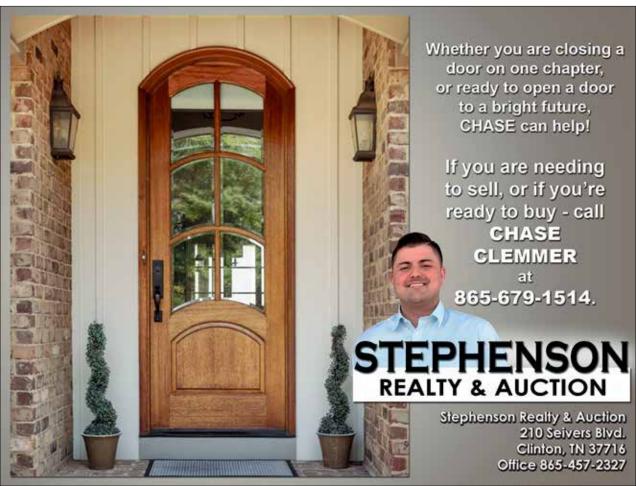
Lou Horner Beautification Award is given to an Orchids winner from 10 or maintained their Orchidworthy status. The Felicia Award is given programs.

to a leader that supports Keep Knoxville's mission to empower Knox County communities to improve their quality of life through beautification and environ-

The evening will include - ReOak - Oakwood-Lincoln live music, a complimentary beer and wine reception, - Roseanne Wolf Picnic a signature cocktail, dinner,

KKB is also very excited to be collaborating with PechaKucha Night Knoxville to feature engag-Smurfit Westrock ing mini-presentations by five local changemakers who will speak on topics that are central to the Additionally, The Mary KKB mission and will leave guests feeling inspired.

Tickets are available until October 27 at keepknoxvilmore years ago that has lebeautiful.org/orchids. All proceeds benefit Keep Knoxville Beautiful's





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Tennessee's Junior U.S. Senator Nathan L. Bachman

Pages from the Past



By Ray Hill rayhill865@gmail.com

successful politicians knew how to scrap, but were also able to entertain and charm. Evidently, that time has come and gone. One excellent example of such a politician was Nathan Lynn Bachman of Chattanooga. Scholarly with a highly developed sense of humor, as well as a liking for fun, Bachman was married to Pearl Duke, of the fabulously wealthy North Carolina tobacco and power family. The couple lived atop Signal Mountain and had only one child, a daughter. The Bachmans occupied a very nice home, surrounded by 70 acres, which one writer described as "a dream of a country gentleman's home." There in the "old-fashioned" living room of their house, Nathan Bachman kept an oil painting of "Old John," a Black man who had taken care of him as a child. Long since dead, Old John's portrait hung in a prominent place as long as Nathan Bachman lived. Behind the house was a large garden, and much of the produce was given to his neighbors on Signal Mountain, whom he called "the old settlers." There were kennels of hunting dogs, of which the senator was exceedingly fond, as

well as orchards. Nathan Bachman was affable, polite and yet bowtie, which he wore tucked under the points of his collar, Bachman was said to have never owned a vest. Bachman favored a pearl-gray, wide-brimmed western-style hat, which

was custom-made for him. Yet Bachman enjoyed being very casual. Once Pearl Bachman was giving a dinner party and had invited the famed attorney Clarence Darrow, as well as a newspaperman from Washington, D.C. The newspaperman was beside himself for not having brought a tuxedo to Tennessee and sheepishly turned down the invitation to the dinner party. The other guests found Nathan Bachman sitting in his yard wearing a plain shirt, corduroy pants and a pair of brogans. When told about the reporter who had not shown up because he had no tuxedo, nobody laughed

As a storyteller, Nathan Bachman had few peers and was much sought out for his company, and he was one of Vice President John Nance Garner's favorite companions in Washington, D.C. The two could usually be found attending baseball games together in the Capitol city. Highspirited and speaking with a soft drawl, Bachman's

storytelling made him a

harder than Bachman.

There was a time when much-in-demand speaker and toastmaster.

Known as "Nath" or "Nate" to friends, Bachman seemed to have an endless supply of stories that he could dole out like a gum drop for just about any occasion. There might be those who disagreed with Senator Bachman about an issue, but there was hardly anybody in Tennessee who did not like him personally.

Ruth Spencer remembered Nathan Bachman as recollections." a warm-hearted and genuine man. Mrs. Spencer was speaking at an event and describing a book she had read recently, which she said was "full of sunshine and shadows, laughter and pathos." She had been quite nervous speaking before Bachman, whom she knew to be a man of as the other," Bachman learning, "wide experience and culture." Mrs. Spencer was very surprised when the senator approached her afterward, his cheeks still wet from his tears, to tell her, "That was a beautiful story." Ruth Spencer believed Nathan Bachman forever kept a childlike simplicity in his own heart.

Nathan Bachman attended at least five colleges Supreme Court. before setting out to earn a law degree. Bachman went to the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga jurist, but he did not seek before moving on to the reelection in 1924, opting University of Virginia, instead to seek election to where he earned his law the United States Senate. disarmingly homespun. degree. Nathan Bachman The Senate seat was occu-University. Central Evidently, Bachman's penchant for pranks caused him some occasional anguish, as most college administrators failed to see the humor in his jokes. "I guess I had a harder time than any other boy in the world finding a college president who suited me," Bachman recalled years later. "But I just had to find

one who was competent." While attending Southwestern Presbyterian University, which was then located in Clarksville, Tennessee, Bachman had been confined to his rooms for some infraction of the rules. Chaffing at his involuntary confinement, Bachman decided he couldn't stand it a moment longer, especially as there was a dance he

longed to attend. Bachman convinced him the loan of four white horses and a carriage with which he could convey his young lady to the dance. If he received any further discipline for flouting his punishment, it has been lost to history. College friends also recalled an incident where Bachman had a baby calf in his room. When queried about the incidents in later life, the senator laughed and said, "The statutes of lim-

itations run against my



Senator Nathan L. Bachman at his desk in Washington, D.C., in 1936.

Despite his fondness for jokes and pranks, Nathan L. Bachman had an excellent work ethic. Bachman always remembered his father having "had a great antipathy to loafing." "During vacations, I had to get a job or go to the farm - - - and one was as bad laughed.

Named city attorney for Chattanooga in 1906, Bachman had only been out of law school for three years. Bachman went into private practice in 1908 and, in 1912, was elected a judge of the circuit court. Six years later, Bachman was elected to the Tennessee State

Bachman won a welldeserved reputation as a fair and thoughtful Shields of Grainger County, who had been the last man to be elected by the state legislature to represent Tennessee in the United States Senate. Shields had won a difficult reelection battle in 1918 when he had been challenged in the Democratic primary by Governor Tom Rye. Senator Kenneth McKellar had convinced President Woodrow Wilson not to send a letter for publication condemning Shields as an enemy of the administration that year. McKellar was astonished when Shields remained as firm in his opposition to Wilson's attempt to see

League of Nations. Shields was opposed by General Lawrence D. Tyson, a very wealthy businessman who had bought the Knoxville Sentinel to a local mortician to give further his political ambitions. Tyson spent freely of his fortune and the threecornered race was hard fought. Woodrow Wilson had written the letter he had not in 1918, and it was published after his death, helping to defeat Senator John Knight Shields from the grave. The former president remained popular in Tennessee. Tyson won the Democratic nomination; Senator Shields ran second, and Nathan

Bachman was in third

America participate in the

place. Bachman had carried two of Tennessee's big urban counties; his showing in his native Hamilton County was indicative of his overwhelming popularity. Bachman tallied 8,223 votes to a combined total of 1,372 for Shields and Tyson. Nathan Bachman also carried Shelby County by a few hundred votes.

Bachman had a happy home life and cheerfully returned to the practice of law. When Cordell Hull was selected to be Franklin Roosevelt's secretary of state, it necessitated an appointment to fill the vacancy caused by Hull's resignation. Newly elected Governor Hill McAlister appointed Nathan Bachman on February 28, 1933. Governor McAlister almost certainly made the appointment after consultation with Tennessee's senior United States sena-

tor, Kenneth McKellar. McAlister said of Bachman in making the appointment to the Senate. "I have every confidence his views on state and national political issues will cause him to promptly ally himself with President Roosevelt

on all matters." For the next four years, the duo of McKellar and Bachman worked in tandem for the people of Tennessee and got along exceptionally well. Like most freshmen senators, Nathan Bachman said little his first year in the Senate, concentrating upon his committee work and looking after Tennessee's interests. When friends asked about his being so quiet, Bachman explained, "The veterans up here expect newcomers to keep quiet for a while."

When Nathan Bachman represented Tennessee in the United States Senate, it was still a largely agrarian state. Senator Bachman was keenly interested in the welfare of Volunteer State farmers. "I am probably more interested in the restoration of agriculture than any other one thing," Bachman said. "There can never be any real prosper-

Bachman had to run

in the 1934 special elec-

tion to fill the remaining

ity until agriculture is stabilized - - - that is essential."

term, and McKellar was at one of Washington's running for his fourth term. better hotels. Congressman Gordon Bachman fretted about Browning, who had served for twelve years in the House of Representatives, like many congressmen, very much wanted a promotion to the U.S. Senate. him. Mrs. Bachman left Browning went on a "listening tour" of Tennessee to consider a race against the formidable McKellar. The congressman didn't like what he heard and quickly concluded he could not check on his patient. The beat McKellar. Browning, an impulsive man, then stunned most everybody when he announced he to the hospital. Bachman

Senator McKellar swung in behind his junior colleague and was effective enough to cause Browning to complain that his way back to the sen-Bachman's campaign was Washington office. Another heart stopped beating, the "He is a lifelong Browning complaint was victim of a heart attack." Democrat, a distinguished that McKellar had two Invariably attired in a also attended Washington pied by the crusty and can-lawyer and a public man of votes in the Senate, Browning's comment suit, white shirt and black & Lee University and tankerous John Knight wide experience." Governor saving Bachman was con-following the death of tent to follow the senior Nathan Bachman summed senator's lead. Bachman proved to be an effective campaigner and won the Democratic primary decisively. Browning had not embarrassed himself and was elected governor two years later.

Bachman.

Both Bachman and McKellar were avid supporters of the Tennessee Valley Authority. McKellar was a stalwart of Franklin Roosevelt's New Deal, and Senator Bachman was highly supportive of as well.

When Bachman had to face the people of Tennessee once again in 1936 to seek his first full six-year term, he faced only nuisance opposition from political gadfly and perennial candidate Dr. John R. Neal. Senator Bachman carried every county in Tennessee.

Nathan L. Bachman never had the opportunity to rust out. Safely reelected to a new six-year term in the United States Senate, the 58-year-old Bachman had served three months of his new term when he began to feel poorly. The senator's doctor said Bachman had been "a little ailing" recently, which worried the senator's wife. Mrs. Bachman intended to return home to Tennessee

from Washington, where

two years of Cordell Hull's they lived in an apartment leaving her ailing husband, but the senator was improving and insisted she go home, especially as he had a nurse with for Tennessee by automobile on Friday, April 23, 1937, around 11 a.m. That same afternoon, the senator's doctor, Russell Verbrycke, stopped by to doctor was unhappy with what he saw and advised Senator Bachman to go would run against Nathan chose not to go, and later that evening, Miss Mary Site, the senator's nurse, found Bachman in distress and called his doctor. Dr. Russell Verbrycke was on ator's apartment when being run out of McKellar's Nathan L. Bachman's

> Governor up the feelings of the people of Tennessee, as well as those of official Washington. "The whole state is shocked,"

Browning said. E. H. Crump lamented the loss of Nathan Bachman. "Senator Bachman was one of the popular members of the Senate," Crump said. "He had been there long enough to become a useful man for Tennessee. I regret his passing."

The death of Senator the president's program Nathan Bachman deprived Tennessee of a potentially highly effective senator, but Bachman passed at the peak of his powers and personal popularity.

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Discerning Critics or Undiscerning Consumers? Systems have been put into consumers who accept to shape them is no small involves showing them that

a godly environment and then forced to live in godless Babylon forms the foundation of the story recorded in the Bible in the book of Daniel. In Babylon, the pressures culture were

By Justin Pratt, **Clear Springs Baptist Church Senior Pastor**

intense. The music, education, food, entertainment, and even the language were all designed to reshape convictions and rewrite identities. However, amidst this culture stood four young Hebrew men: Daniel, Hananiah, Mishael and Azariah. They refused to allow their souls to be influenced by Babylon's ways. When offered the king's delicacies, they recognized that it was more than just food on a plate; it

alty. Their refusal was not merely about diet; it was a matter of discernment.

As a father of three children, all under the age of fifteen, I often feel that I am raising them in a modernday Babylon. Not because

they are enslaved or government property, but because they are growing up in a world where entertainment, media and education all convey messages and values that are intentionally designed to subtly reshape their beliefs. From streaming platforms to social media algorithms, the enemy is crafting cultural pipelines designed to feed directly into the hearts

place, carefully engineered to shape their thoughts before they know how to think for themselves. This is not random. It's strategic. The world is not just entertaining our children, it's educating them, indoctrinating them in philosophies that are opposed to God. If we as parents, grandparents, and spiritual leaders never teach the next generation to guard their minds, something or someone else will teach them to surrender it. The question is not

whether our children will engage with culture; they inevitably will, just as Daniel and his friends did. The real question is this: Will they do so wisely? Will they be discerning critics who evaluate everything against the truth of God's Word, or will they be uncritical every message presented to them, even if it conflicts with God's kingdom? Our role as parents,

pastors and mentors is to equip young people with the truth rather than isolate them from culture. Although we know little about Daniel's parents, it's clear they were influential in shaping his convictions and courage. His bravery in standing up to Nebuchadnezzar was nurtured at home, demonstrating that the influence of his parents surpassed the surrounding culture. The true heroes in this story may be the unnamed individuals who guided him, enabling him to live in Babylon without allowing Babylon to live inside of him.

Raising children who can thrive in our culture without allowing that culture

task and not for the faint of heart. The pressure to conform is relentless, and the pull of the world can be strong. God is seeking mothers, fathers, pastors and mentors who will do the faithful and often unseen work of instilling convictions before crises

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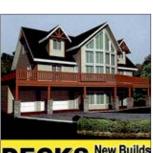
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HIGH SCHOOL STATE GOLF TOURNAMENT

'Comeback boys' lift HVA to state crown

By Steve Williams

Comebacks had a lot to do with Hardin Valley Academy's first TSSAA state golf championship last week.

Eli Glenn, who had to sit out in the region tournament due to a stomach virus, made it back in plenty of time for the Division I Class AA state tournament at the Sevierville Golf Club last Monday and Tuesday and led the Hawks' 36-hole winning total with a 73-68-141 (3-under par) on the River Course. He tied for third place in the individual scoring.

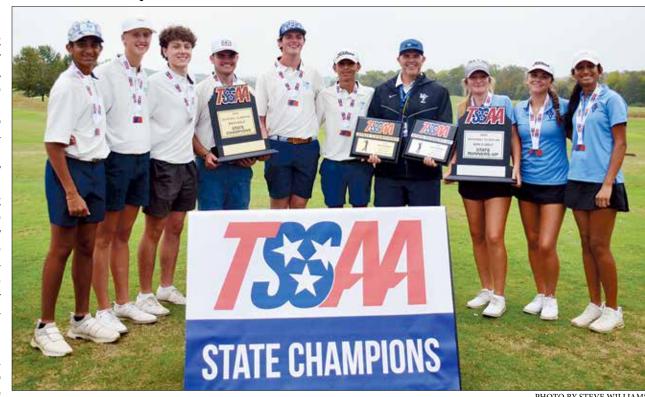
The Hardin Valley team as a whole battled back from a four-stroke deficit to move past Brentwood in the second round with a 287-284-571 total. Brentwood posted a 283-291-574.

"They continued to fight and came back from five strokes down to win today (Tuesday)," said Head Coach John Williams. "It's just hard to imagine all the hard work and everything that's gone into this finally paid off."

It was HVA's first trip ever

"Brentwood has a great team," said Williams. "They won the state last year."

"Today (second round) I just managed my shots



Members of the Hardin Valley Academy boys' and girls' golf teams are (left to right) Arjun Patel, Eli Glenn, Conner Johnson, Conner Williams, Jake Sheffield, Hunter Mousa, Coach John Williams, Addisyn Newman, Rylee Taylor and Leona Patel. The HVA boys won the TSSAA Class AA state championship and the HVA girls were state runners-up.

and took advantage of the three seniors, so it's very par. Arjun Patel, a sophodidn't make any high numbers," said Glenn, who is committed to Walters State Community College. "I birdied two of the par 5s, which always helps. I birdied a short par 4 and birdied 17."

Conner Williams, the HVA coach's son, after signing

scoring holes out here and nice to go out on a high more, rounded out the note."

> When asked if there was anything else he wanted to add, Conner replied: "Not coach out there!"

"Man, it's great," said Mousa turned in a 1-underpar 72-71-143 for Hardin Valley. Williams (71-73) his scorecard. "We've got and senior Jacob Sheffield a good group of guys and (72-72-144) each shot even

scoring with a 72-76-148.

Walker Valley, which was tied with Hardin Valley in second place after the first much. We've got the best round, fell to third with a 299 second round and 586 Sophomore Hunter total. The eight-team field also included Station Camp (605), Clarksville (608), Houston (614), Science Hill (625) and Stewarts Creek

Walker Valley's Cody Walter captured first place in the individual scoring with a 6-under-par 138 (67-71). Bearden's Charlie Culbertson was runner-up (68-72-140).

Hardin Valley girls contribute to 'storybook' finish Sophomore Addisyn

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SCHOOL FOOTBALL Guffey and

HIGH

Gilbert pace Seymour to 50-22 win

By Steve Williams

The 'G Whiz duo' Guffey and Gilbert - guided Seymour to a dominating 50-22 win over Northview Academy Friday night at Gary Householder Stadium.

Quarterback Madden Guffey threw one touchdown pass and ran for another, while running back Josh Gilbert galloped into the end zone five times. The Eagles' defense also did their part on Homecoming night and played physical.

The victory evened Seymour's overall record to 4-4 under first year Head Coach Caleb Olive. "We came out ready

to go and focused," said Olive. "We started fast. That was our big thing. We've been slow starters a lot this year, waiting until after halftime to **Continue on page 2**

HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL

Maryville ends Hardin Valley's volleyball season in district tournament



PHOTO BY TONY CHRISTEN/FARRAGUT PRESS.

The Hardin Valley Academy volleyball team celebrates a point in Thursday's District 4-3A loser's bracket final at Farragut High School. The Lady Hawks, however, saw their season end with a four-set loss to Maryville.

By Ken Lay

It's tough to beat a team three

That was the task before the Hardin Valley Academy volleyball team Thursday night, but County High school, home of the third time wasn't the charm the District 3-3A Champion Lady for the Lady Hawks in the los- Mavericks. er's bracket final of the District 4-3-A Tournament at Farragut High School's Lynn E. Sexton

Early in the match, however, it looked as though Hardin Valley, the tournament's No. 3 seed, would continue its dominance over the second-seeded Lady Rebels.

But it wasn't to be.

After dropping the first set, Maryville stormed back to eliminate the Lady Hawks in four sets, notching a 20-25, 25-19, 25-22,

in the district championship match and a bid to Tuesday's Region 2-3A Tournament, which will be contested at Anderson

The Lady Rebels dropped the title match to top-seeded William Blount (38-1), their crosstown rival, and will play the Lady Mavericks in a regional elimination semifinal Tuesday, while Maryville will take on Clinton.

In Thursday's match, Hardin Valley darted out with an early 7-2 lead and the Lady Hawks never trailed in the first set. Maryville would hang around and pull to within 15-12 before the Lady Hawks all but took control.

"I think after the first game

25-15 victory and earning a spot that we had some momentum," Hardin Valley coach Eric Boden said. "We were 2-0 against Maryville coming into this game. We beat them in the regular season and we beat them the other night (Tuesday) in the second round of the tournament.

"But Maryville is a good team and it's hard to beat a team twice, let alone three times."

In the second set, the Lady Hawks scored first when Erika Woody served up an ace on the first serve of the game, before Maryville opened a 10-6 advantage.

Hardin Valley would answer. After a side-out, Caroline Clauss scored three consecutive points, including an ace, to knot the match, 10-10 and forcing the

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HIGH SCHOOL GOLF STATE TOURNAMENT

FBA boys and CAK girls win Division II-A state titles

By Steve Williams

when you're playing golf. And players on the First Baptist Academy team felt they gained a lot of confidence in their play against some of the state's best in August.

Cox's FBA team won the region tourney this year to qualify for state, he felt the confidence they had gained in late August made his team much better and a state contender.

at Black Thorn Golf Course," said Cox. "We were invited up there and I felt like that was the turning point of our season.

"We went up there and beat three Class AAA teams including Baylor out of Chattanooga and we played 18 holes stroke play. Then we turned around and had match play with Baylor and we beat them 4-2. I felt like the kids gained a lot more confidence and

was on August 25th.

"We were invited up Confidence means a lot there because they knew we had a pretty good team here in Knoxville," recalled Cox. "And we won the tournament in stroke play and match play. We beat some of the best teams in the state. Science Hill was up When Coach Johnny there, Kingsport Dobyns-Bennett, Hendersonville 141. Sam Helms of Berean out of Middle Tennessee and Baylor, which is usually one of the strongest teams in the state in Division II-AA."

The confidence they

to had earned in late August Jonesborough and played helped them win the Division II Class A state tournament Friday at the Sevierville Golf Club. The Eagles' four-man team carded a 296-294-590 in their two rounds on the River Course and finished seven strokes ahead of Franklin Road Academy. CAK tied for fourth place Kalen Jackson, shot a with a 609 total.

Leading FBA was Alexander Green, who tied for third place individually with a four-under-par 73-67they really felt like 'Hey, I'm 140. Jesse Clowers added a better golfer than when I a 75-75-150, Maxwell went up there' and it was Green a 74-77-151, Lane a very tough course. That Stokes a 74-78-152 and

Brady Morris a 79-75-154. Only the top four scores count. FBA also finished the season with the most wins in school history (76) and only four losses. The Eagles will have four juniors from this year's team returning next season.

CAK's Tyler Stafford tied for fifth place with a 70-71-Christian came in eighth with a 73-73-146. CAK's Blake Russell finished tied for 14th with a 76-76-152.

Coughlin leads CAK to girls' state title

Isabella Coughlin rallied with a second round 69 (1-under-par) to finish as the state-runner-up in addition to the Lady Warriors' team championship. Grady Thomas turned in a 76-75-151. Their third player, 91-86-177. Only the top two scores count. In Division II-AA, Catholic came in third place with a 301 score. Teagan Walker carded a 69-72 for a one-over 141 to place third individually. Teammate Linzy Johnson scored a 76-84-160.



Hardin Valley's Conner Williams takes a swing at the green on the final hole of the TSSAA Class AA state tournament at the Sevierville Golf Club on Oct. 7. The Hawks won the championship in their first trip to the state.

'Comeback boys' lift **HVA** to state crown

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Newman led the Lady Hawks to second place in the Division I Class AA girls state tourney, a notch better than last season's third-place showing. Newman also was state runner-up in the individual scoring for the second year in a row.

of girls," said Coach Williams. "They worked really hard and they represent us really well. They've got great respect for the game and how they handle themselves on the course. "They've really done a

good job of coming backto-back, which is not easy and then improving on runner-up is pretty spethat. Kudos to them for all cial," added Williams. "I'm their hard work."

County shot an even par did it and I'm really proud 140 to edge Newman (72-69-141) by one stroke. Page High claimed the

"We have a great group team title with a 289 total over the two rounds, while Hardin Valley finished with a 301. The Lady Hawks' Leona Patel contributed an 87-76-163. Teammate Rylee Taylor carded a 165.

"It's hard enough to get one team to state let alone two, and then to have one win it all and one to finish not sure you can draw it Poppy Pewitt of Dickson up in a storybook, but they of them."

> Farragut's Harper Holmes was one of three Knox County players who played as an individual, and she tied for 12th with a 156, followed by Lady Admiral Sophia Williams (165) and West's Reese

A GLANCE BACK AND A LOOK AHEAD

Local teams' chances of making the playoffs

HIGH SCHOOL SCORES AND SCHEDULE Week 8 Results

G-P 42, Austin-East 0 Karns 51, Morristown E. 12 Grace 33, Sevier Co. 31 Seymour 50, Northview 22

Week 9 Games (Kickoff at 7 local time)

Thursday

<u>Friday</u> **Grace at CAK**

Bearden at Cleveland

Austin-East at Carter McCallie at Catholic Gibbs at Fulton Hardin Valley at Oak Ridge Jefferson Co. at Powell Clinton at South-Doyle West at William Blount Webb at Stewarts Creek Farragut at Cookeville

South Greene at Concord **Saturday**

TSD at Arkansas School for the Deaf 6 p.m.

By Steve Williams

It's crunch time in high school football.

Time to crunch the numbers to see who will get in the playoffs and who won't. Three weeks remain in the regular season. Teams in some of the regions pretty much know how it's going to play out. Others can see a close call when it ends in three weeks. Let's take a look now at the regions that include Knox County

Region 2-3A: Austin-East is the only local team in this region and the Roadrunners are winless in region play. Maybe next

Region 1-4A: Seymour is not in Knox County, but the Eagles are in The

Focus' circulation area. Seymour is currently 2-3 in region play and it looks like the Eagles would have to beat both Elizabethton (4-0) and Grainger to make the playoffs. Most likely the Eagles will end up in fifth place among the six teams in this region and only four teams get a playoff berth.

Region 2-4A: Alcoa (4-0), Carter (4-1) and Anderson County (3-1) appear to be playoff bound. Gibbs (2-2) is sitting on the bubble with games remaining with Fulton, Heritage and

Region 2-5A: Powell (5-0) has no worries. Central and Halls are all but in. The fourth spot could be the winner of the West vs. William Blount

game this Friday in Blount night in Sevierville 33-31,

Region 2-6A: This region is pretty much decided, with Maryville (4-0), Oak Ridge (3-0), Bradley Central (3-1) and Farragut (2-2) the top four.

Division II-A East Region:

Concord Christian (currently 1-1 and 3-2 overall) has an excellent chance of getting a playoff berth out of this region's five teams.

Division II-AA East

Region: Boyd Buchanan, Grace Christian, CAK and Silverdale look to be the top four making the playoffs from this viewpoint.

BIG WIN FOR RAMS:

Grace Christian upset Sevier County last Friday snapping the defending Class 5A state champion Smoky Bears' 21-game win streak.

After the game, GCA

Coach Justin Price commented on what he felt was the key to the win: "Our team's resilient. We faced some adversity early in the year with losing Terrion Thomas, who was kind of our do-itall Mr. Everything, so we've had some adversity that way and then these last two weeks we've lost close games to two really good opponents - one being (Boyd Buchanan coach) Gary Rankin last

"I felt like our kids tonight in that fourth quarter just whoever made some plays that really gave us the best chance of winning

this game and against an unreal team with Coach Loveday and Sevier County - what a phenomenal program. So our kids just found a way to make some plays - we still missed a few - but at the end of the day we were able to make some

WEEK 8: With it being Fall Break, only two Knox County teams (Austin-East and Karns) had games, along with Grace Christian and Seymour.

WEEK 9 TOP

ATTRACTIONS: Central at Halls (Thursday) in the Battle of Black Oak Ridge, Grace at CAK, Jefferson County at Powell and West at William Blount.

Guffey and Gilbert pace Seymour to 50-22 win

Cont. from page 1 start dialing in and making plays. I challenged them all week and tonight right before the game. 'Let's go to work right now and not wait until halftime.'"

The Eagles responded quickly, forcing Northview to punt. Seymour drove into the

red zone and Guffey hit Alec Brown cutting across the end zone on a 5-yard touchdown pass with 6:44 on the clock.

After stopping the Cougars again and getting good field position at the NV 40, Guffey, a southpaw with a live arm, completed 15 and 18 yards that put increase the Eagles' lead Seymour inside the 10. Gilbert capped it with a 4-yard run off left tackle. Jackson Kendall kicked his second of six PATs on the backfield that launched

night. Despite a pile-driver tackle by Mason Brown, Northview got to the Eagles' 11-yard line on a pass interference penalty. But quarterback Bryson Metcalf

was stopped at the 7-yard line short of the line to gain on fourth down. Guffey made one of the biggest offensive plays of the night when he dropped

back to pass, and then took

Northview finally got on the scoreboard on a cross-buck play in the Aiden Metcalf to a 75-yard touchdown run. An undercut tackle by Duke Delozier stopped Bryson Metcalf on the 2-point try. In the closing seconds

of the first half, NV's Calvin Ferguson made a diving catch for a 35-yard gain to the Seymour 31. Tackles for loss by Lucas Small and Tyler Gibson stopped the threat and personal fouls

on both teams on the last

Gilbert found paydirt

again on a 5-yard run early in the third quarter that upped the Eagles' lead to 28-6. Northview didn't quit.

Keaton Phipps ran 43 yards to the Seymour 15 and Aiden Metcalf scored two plays later from the 16. Phipps ran in for the 2-point conversion that pulled (28-14) at 6:51 in the third quarter.

Northview within 14 points Guffey immediately passed to Brown for 37 and 18-yard gains. Two

plays later, Gilbert scored

on an 11-yard run to

back-to-back passes of off on a 43-yard TD run to play of the half were offset. make it 35-14. A penalty on Gilbert's last score and on the kickoff resulted in subs mopped up. Northview having to start at its 7. Aiden Metcalf lost six yards back to the 1 on first **HOMECOMING**: down. An encroachment penalty on Seymour gave the Cougars a little breathing room, but Kenny Haley sacked the QB on third down and the visitors had to punt out of the end zone.

With the ball at the Northview 12, Gilbert ran three straight plays and scored from the 4 for a 42-14 command. Phipps capped a 71-yard drive with a 6-yard run and NV added a 2-point conversion.

It was one for the 'thumb'

HONORED 0 N Bailey Tidwell, representing the Seymour High School Beta Club, was crowned the Homecoming Queen. Her accomplishments include: Senior State Beta Vice President, Top 10 Percent, A captain on the basketball team, SGA representative,

The homecoming contestants raised \$45,155, with 50 percent going to the high school and 50 percent to the clubs that were represented.

Involved in Spike Squad.

Lindsey obviously got the better deal

Traveling to various esoteric venues with the



Mattingly

Volunteers often enjoyable, and there are some intriguing stories, many of which can

be told in the pages of a family newspaper.

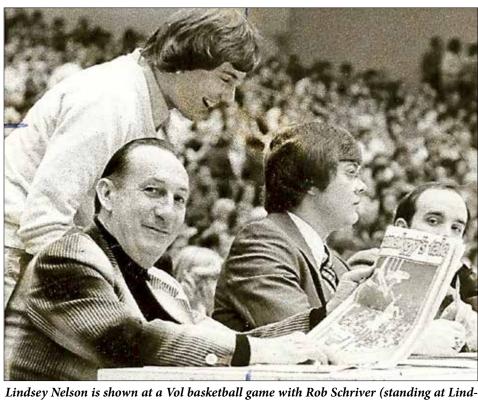
Nationally known broadcaster and Tennessee alum Lindsey Nelson has reported that, while in California for the 1940 Rose Bowl, there were innumerable photos taken featuring Vol players and assorted Hollywood starlets, some big names, some not.

Lindsey recalled one starlet giving him a small piece of paper, autographed as follows: "To Lindsey-Do it for me, Lana Turner."

He also mentioned she likely confused him with a Vol gridiron star. Lindsey did not look a thing like George Cafego or Bob Suffridge, but when Lana Turner beckoned, Lindsey did as he was told.

"The note itself did not specify what it was Miss Turner wanted me to do for her," wrote Lindsey. "But in the succeeding years I spent in the Army, I carried that note in my wallet. It got lots of attention and enhanced my stock."

There was a fan encounter with another Hollywood personage more than 40



sey's shoulder), then the editor of Volunteers Magazine.

years later.

Pasadena for the season opener against UCLA, several of us met Jimmy Stewart at a book signing. He had just published a book of poetry, and the

with him, but he did nod and wave as we walked through the line.

On a 1994 road trip to three notable things about that game.

While 4,000 or so fans were packed into the arena and were exercised about the game, the Gator gymnastics team was behind line for autographs was out the bleachers at one end of the court going through Unfortunately, Stewart, their paces. They didn't then age 86, was not well. seem fazed in the least by We were told not to talk the goings-on a few feet

They were much like the two lovers high atop In 1976, several of us Cherokee Bluff who did went to Gainesville, Fla., to not seem to care about the "Alligator Alley," to see the Tennessee football prac-

on the Gators. There were Field. Gen. Neyland had suspected they were spies, sending Gus Manning more than once to check things out. Gus reported that they did not seem particularly interested in Neyland's No. 10 play, a staple of the Vol offense.

> Several of us, ranging in age from 25 to 30, had worn our Tennessee jackets to the game. That caused quite a stir where we were sitting, and someone asked a very impertinent question.

"Are you members of the Tennessee wrestling Vols basketball team take tice far below on Hudson team?" One of us said,

"No," and that was that.

The game was decided on a charge-block call as Bernard King went to the hoop, one of those calls analysts say could have gone either way. The Vols didn't get the call, and the good guys lost.

One of our traveling party was so distraught that he called a friend back home and asked what John Ward had said on the Vol Network. "Ward said it was a good

call," was the response.

Marvin West has reported that basketball road trips in the late 1960s and early 1970s starting Friday afternoon and ending early Tuesday morning often tried everyone's patience. There was a lot of time spent sitting around, waiting for the games. That vacuum of things to do led to some real shenanigans.

John Ward and A. W. Davis, and maybe others, worked overtime looking for ways to get under Bud Ford's skin, once stealing the blankets and sheets out of his room and finding other sophomoric ways to needle him. These were grown men, mind you.

When Bud found out and demanded his stuff back, either Ward or Davis called hotel security, and Bud ended up in the firm grasp of the local constabulary, nearly hauled off to jail.

Cooler heads eventually prevailed. Bud was not ously got the best deal.

arrested, and his bedding was returned.

"Two decades later," wrote Marvin, "none of the group could tell the police part without breaking up in laughter. Incidentally, they don't think basketball trips are as fun as they used to

Finally, there was a time in Lexington that the fire alarm at the Marriott Griffin Gate Hotel went off in the wee hours of the morning before the 1987 Kentucky game. There was commotion up and down the hall.

It looked and sounded like something out of a Marx Brothers' movie, with everyone going in different directions at once.

A rookie SID staffer asked Harris what to do. The answer came back

quickly: "Don't do anything until you smell smoke." There was no smoke, everybody calmed down, and sleep overtook us all. Tennessee ended up

winning the game, 24-22, when Mike Whitehead came from deep, deep, deep on the depth chart to make a critical fourth down tackle on Mark Higgs that saved the day.

Looking back at all these happenings, one thing is very clear.

When everything is taken into account, Lindsey obvi-

Alabama Hate Week

By Mark Nagi

In 2025, there is way too much hate in this world. Man fighting man. Country versus country. Belief system set against belief system. Sometimes it feels like we will never get out of this pattern, and that's a darn shame.

But... there is still a socially acceptable form of hate... one

And when it comes to Tennessee. Tennessee football, there is no the mantle of 'most hated oppo-

nent" during the Steve Spurrier years, and I know that Georgia has jumped into the fray with Peyton Manning. their recent successes.

season is made for Vanderbilt or holding 11 and 15-year unbeat-Kentucky if they can find a way to beat Tennessee. But for Vols fans, those schools hold little brother status and thus are not and 2001.

worth their valuable energy.

But Tennessee and Alabama have played since 1901, and during most of that time, the hatred has been ever-present. It is politely known as "The Third Saturday in October," but there isn't a whole lot of friendliness in this rivalry.

that is worthy of our attention 59-40-8. No school has beaten Of course, I'm talking about Alabama. And no school has Tennessee winning two of the last chose Alabama over Tennessee

It's a border battle, with two of greater hate than Alabama hate. the historic powerhouses in the Look, I know that Florida took sport. Some of the all-time greats have played in this game. Bart Starr. Ken Stabler. Joe Namath. Doug Atkins. Reggie White.

It has traditionally been a umph in 5 OT's. On the flip side, I know that a streaky series, with Alabama en streaks over Tennessee, while the Vols beat Alabama seven straight times between 1995

the Vols famously lost by exactly 31 points each time, as Alabama way. Previous Tennessee teams head coach Nick Saban seem- let those moments of frustraingly took mercy on his former tion get to them. The Vols need

In the 15-year stretch I men-Alabama leads this matchup as a one-score game.

Tennessee more times than been on a level playing field, with a native of Martin, Tennessee, beaten Alabama more times than three, prompting two field storm- in early 2021. You can't blame ing's at Neyland Stadium in 2022 and 2024.

Let's talk about the present Heupel. day. The challenge for the Vols this Saturday night is a big one. They haven't won a game in Tuscaloosa since their 51-43 tri-

Even with Saban retired and now having to pretend he likes sitting next to Pat McAfee on ESPN's College GameDay, Josh Heupel and the Vols need to understand that if there is a

During the Derek Dooley years, borderline call to be made, the odds are it will not go the Vols' to keep their composure.

The Vols will have to deal tioned in the previous paragraph, with Alabama QB Ty Simpson, only twice did the contest finish who has bounced back nicely since the Tide's season-opening Recently, this matchup has loss in Tallahassee. Simpson, him, as the Vols were in the transition period between the fired But all of that is the past. Jeremy Pruitt and the newly hired

Simpson is a Heisman Trophy candidate. Tennessee QB Joey Aguilar has also been mentioned for that prestigious award (but we all know that no Tennessee player will ever win it). Aguilar, a 7th-year QB that took a long and winding trek to Knoxville, has become a fan favorite and has been clutch through the first half of the 2025 season.

This should be a good game, and there are serious CFB playoff and SEC title implications as well. However, the overarching message I'd like to convey is this...

It's ok to hate.

Sports hate... I mean.

The victory cigar tradition is incredible... if your team wins. If your team loses, there's nothing worse in the world. Former Tennessee head coach Butch Jones cemented his place in Vols infamy when he was photographed smoking a victory cigar in the Alabama locker room while serving as Saban's "intern" fol-

lowing his UT firing. Win this game, and you have bragging rights for a year. Lose this game, and the hurt sticks

around even longer. Does Tennessee have what it takes for its first back-to-back victories over the Tide in over two decades?

We are about to find out. It's Alabama Hate Week.

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HIGH SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

KIL Meet is Saturday at **Cherokee Boulevard**

By Steve Williams

The Garmer twins at Webb School - Calysta and Jazzlyn - will be the top attraction at Saturday's KIL meet on the Cherokee Boulevard Course. Calysta currently ranks No. 1 on Tennessee Milesplit with a time of 16:50.00 in the 5,000meter run and Jazzlyn is a tenth of a second back at 16:50.10.

Milesplit lists Cleveland senior Owen Clemons having the boys' No. 1 time in the state at 14:39.64.

Among the boys, Knoxville Catholic's Cade Duncanson ran a 15:31 in the Great American XC Festival in Cary, NC. Nicholas Burke of West High ran a 15:44 at the Jesse Owens Classic in Oakville, AL.

The KIL meet will start at 8 a.m. with the JV races followed by the Varsity races at 9:15.

The Garmer twins have broken 17:00 twice since the Cherokee Classic. Both times were run in North Carolina but on different courses.

The last weekly event was the Metro Knox meet at Cove Lake State Park in Caryville on Oct. 2.

Senior McCade Frye of Sweetwater won with a time of 16:20.32. Tanner

Blair of William Blount was second at 17:06.50. Connor Arnold of L&N was third at 17:08, followed by Luke McCall of WB (17:09.52) and the Knoxville Ambassadors' Chase Salas (17:11.27). L&N's Koli York was sixth and the Ambassadors' Eli Wilson was 10th.

The Ambassadors placed first in the team scoring with 60 points. The Top 5 also included William Blount 62, L&N 87, Sweetwater 92 and Morristown West 99.

The race included 133 runners and 13 teams.

In the girls' race, Anderson County sophomore Jordan Walker took first place with a time of 20:22.86. The Lady Ambassadors' Tallulah Worley came in second at 20:30.76. Aliza Reynolds of Alcoa placed third in 20:55.40, followed by Alcoa's Riley Harris in fourth and MW's Kyra Couch in fifth. Rounding out the Top 10 were Kyriana Aiello of Washburn in sixth, **Emersyn Lowery of Karns** in seventh, Alcoa's Ella Ozanne in eighth, WB's Camboia Reardon in ninth and MW's Abbigail Knight in 10th.

The girls' field included 93 runners and eight



PHOTO BY MISSILE PRODUCTIONS

Knoxville Catholic High's Cade Duncanson will compete in the annual KIL Cross Country Meet Saturday morning at the Cherokee Boulevard course. Duncanson has the best 5,000-meter time in Knox County this season.

'From Out of the Smokies' **Charlie Tombras book** launch is Tuesday

History Center October 14, 2025 at 5:30 p.m. for a posthumous celebration of "From Out of the Smokies: Stories of Fly Fishing and Life," a journey, letting business memoir documenting the take a backseat. late Charlie Tombras's incredible life. Speakers Center is located at 601 and Dr. Warren Dockter.

Knoxville native Charlie known for his fifty-seven-year leadership of the 2025 Ad Age Advertising

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Maryville ends Hardin Valley's volleyball season in district tournament

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Lady Rebels to call time vail in that set before clos-

After the break, the Lady Rebels scored the next five points, but the Lady Hawks wouldn't go

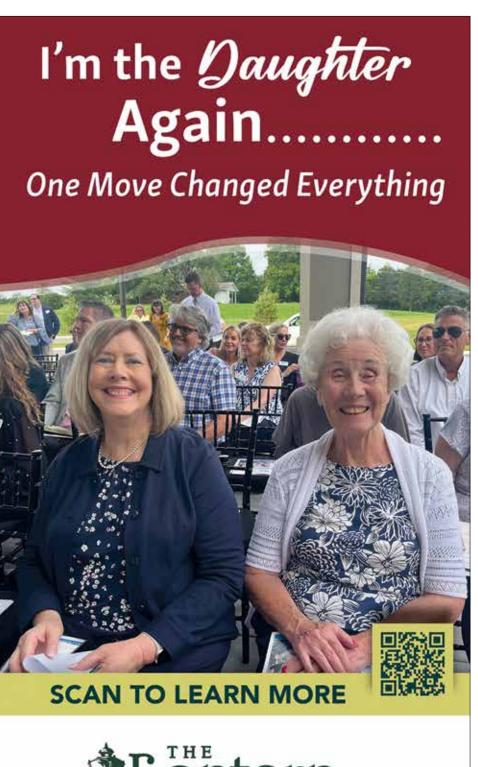
With Hardin Valley trailing 16-13, Lilly Ringle used a pair of aces to pull the Lady Hawks to within 16-15. HVA, however, wouldn't come any closer.

The third set was another roller-coaster ride. Hardin Valley scored the first three points and led

But Maryville would preing out the match with an easy victory in the fourth

"The third and fourth games were tight, but then, in the fourth game, they really got us," Boden said. "I'm really proud of our girls for all the improvement they showed throughout the season.

"But we just had some plays that we didn't make and Maryville capitalized on that, but we were one game from going to the region with a young team."



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NOTICE TO: JACLYN DIANE BROWN

NON-RESIDENT

IN RE: JA'KIREE BROWN, Minor Child BY: GARY CARTER, JR. II, Petitioner

JACLYN DIANE BROWN, Respondent

NO. 209344-3
IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY TENNESSEE

In this Cause, it appearing from the Complaint filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant JACLYN DIANE BROWN, 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 JACLYN DIANE BROWN described in the complaint, it is ordered that said defendant, JACLYN DIANE BROWN file an answer with

the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee and with Rochelle A. Oldfield, an Attorney whose address is 10263 Kingston Pike, Knoxville, TN 37922 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 III, 400 Main Street, Ste. 125, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902. This notice will be published in a The Knoxville Focus Newspaper for four (4) consecutive weeks. This 2nd day of September, 2025.

J. Scott Griswold Clerk and Master

NON-RESIDENT **NOTICE**

TO: JOHN CHASTEEN, MISTY CHASTEEN, ET AL IN RE: WILSON BENDIGITO. REGINOLD JONES, AND EDWARD **HAKIZIMANA**, Plaintiffs

JOHN CHASTEEN, MISTY CHASTEEN, ET AL., Defendants NO. 209990-1

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

In this Cause, it appearing from the Complaint filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant(s) JOHN CHASTEEN, MISTY CHASTEEN, ET AL., 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 CHASTEEN, MISTY CHASTEEN, ET AL. described in the complaint, it is ordered that said defendant(s), JOHN CHASTEEN, MISTY CHASTEEN, ET AL file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee and with David J. Otten, an Attorney whose address is P. O. Box 32211, Knoxville, TN 37930 within thirty (30) 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 The Knoxville Focus Newspaper for four (4) consecutive weeks.

This 3rd day of October, 2025. J. Scott Griswold Clerk and Master

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

TO: ROBERSHAUN DEMOND LAYNE IN RE: JILLIAN PATRICIA LAYNE, Plaintiff

ROBERSHAUN DEMOND LAYNE, Defendant

NO 210768-2

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX

COUNTY, TENNESSEE In this Cause, it appearing from the Complaint

filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, ROBERSHAUN DEMOND LAYNE, 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 ROBERSHAUN DEMOND LAYNE, it is ordered that said defendant, ROBERSHAUN DEMOND LAYNE, file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee and with Rebecca Stueve, BPR., an Attorney whose address is 607 W. Summit Hill Drive SW, Knoxville, TN 37902, on or before thirty (30) days of the last date of publication or a judgement 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 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 2nd day of October, 2025. J. Scott Griswold

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

TO: The Heirs of EDWARD LEFFEW, JR., The Heirs of MARY SHELTON, The Heirs of ANNE HICKS, The Heirs of WILLIAM LEFFEW, The Heirs of GORDAN LEFFEW, The Heirs of GLENDA SAMMONS, The Heirs of CHRISTY L. RAWLS IN RE: 3013 COX LANE

KNOXVILLE, TN 37914 BY: BRANDY N. GORDON, JAMES G. JULIAN, AND TERESA MASSEY, Petitioners

The Heirs of EDWARD LEFFEW, JR., The Heirs of MARY SHELTON, The Heirs of ANNE HICKS. The Heirs of WILLIAM LEFFEW, The Heirs of GORDAN LEFFEW, The Heirs of GLENDA

SAMMONS, The Heirs of CHRISTY L. RAWLS, Respondents NO. 211950-2

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE TO THE FOLLOWING: ALL THOSE HAVING

AN INTEREST IN THE REAL PROPERTY KNOWN AS 3013 COX LANE, KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE

37914. POSSIBLY INCLUDING THE HEIRS OR BENEFICIARIES OF EDWARD LEFFEW, JR., THE HEIRS OR BENEFICIARIES OF MARY SHELTON, possibly including the Heirs or Beneficiaries of Tommy Shelton, deceased, and the Heirs or Beneficiaries of Terry Shelton, deceased, THE HEIRS OR BENEFICIARIES OF ANNE HICKS, possibly including, Debra Kitts, Darrel Hicks, and the Heirs or Beneficiaries of Franky Hicks. deceased, THE HEIRS OR BENEFICIARIES OF WILLIAM LEFFEW, possibly including, Erin Hutchins, Jeffrey Leffew and the Heirs or Beneficiaries of Shannon Leffew, deceased, THE HEIRS OR BENEFICIARIES OF GORDAN LEFFEW, possibly including Mike Leffew and Alan Leffew

THE HEIRS OR BENEFICIARIES OF GLENDA

SAMMONS. THE HEIRS OR BENEFICIARIES

OF CHRISTY L. RAWLS, possibly including

Docket No. 211950-2 has been filed against you in Knox County Chancery Court and involving a request to partition 3013 Cox Lane, Knoxville, Tennessee 37914 as stated therein and in which you may have an interest. Upon the Petition, a Motion for Publication and the Affidavit of the counsel, in which it is sworn that the interests of the defendants and identity of their classes cannot be ascertained upon diligent search and inquiry, and ordinary process of law would be ineffective or impossible, it is ORDERED that any respondent or class of respondents or those with an interest in the subject property referenced herein file a response under oath with the Knox County Chancery Court and with H. Stephen Gillman, petitioners' attorney, whose address is P. O. Box 870, Knoxville, Tennessee 37901 (telephone number: 865-522-4191), within thirty (30) days of the last date of publication of this notice or a judgment by default will be taken against you and the cause set for hearing Ex Parte before a Judge of the Knox County Chancery Court, 400 Main Street SW, Knoxville Tennessee 37902. This Notice will be published in The Knoxville Focus for four (4) consecutive This 3rd day of October, 2025.

Christopher Lacy Dixon, a Complaint bearing

RICHARD B. ARMSTRONG, JR. Chancellor

J. SCOTT GRISWOLD Clerk and Master

ORDER OF SERVICE BY **PUBLICATION**

TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THE ESTATE OF JEFFREY KYLE TURNER IN RE: ESTATE OF JEFFREY

KYLE TURNER, DECEASED DOCKET NO. 86178-2 MARVIN L. TURNER, Petitioner

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE PROBATE DIVISION In this cause, it appearing by the Petition to Declare Heirs and the sworn Affidavit of

Petitioner's counsel, Michael R. Crowder, Esq., attached as Exhibit A in support of the Petitioner's Motion for Service by Publication filed in this cause, that the identity, name, residence, and whereabouts of any persons not identified in said Petition as the heirs of JEFFREY KYLE TURNER as of May 8, 2025, cannot be ascertained upon diligent inquiry. and that personal service of process cannot had upon any said unknown heirs of JEFFREY KYLE TURNER; therefore, service of process by publication is hereby ORDERED, and any said unknown heirs of JEFFREY KYLE TURNER are hereby required to appear and Answer or otherwise defend against the Petition filed herein by Marvin L. Turner, c/o Michael R. Crowder Esq., 550 Main Street, 4th Floor, Knoxville, TN 37902, within 30 days after the date of the last publication of this notice, exclusive of said last date of publication; otherwise, default judgment may be entered against any said unknown heirs of JEFFREY KYLE TURNER for the relief

It is further ORDERED that this notice shall be published in The Knoxville Focus, a daily newspaper of general circulation in Knox County, Tennessee, once weekly for four consecutive Publication dates: 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, and

11/3.2025

This 6th day of AUGUST, 2025. RICHARD B. ARMSTRONG, JR.

Chancellor J. SCOTT GRISWOLD Clerk and Master

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF JAMA DARLENE ALLEN DOCKET NUMBER 91470-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 15 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of JAMA DARLENE ALLEN, who died Jan. 9, 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

This the 15 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

FSTATE OF JAMA DARLENE ALLEN

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) ROBERT B. ALLEN, EXECUTOR 6317 MANIS ROAD

KNOXVILLE, TN 37924

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF KENT ROBERT AUSEN DOCKET NUMBER 91472-1 Notice is hereby given that on the 16 day

of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters administration in respect of the Estate of KENT ROBERT AUSEN, who died July 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

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(4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or (2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's

This the 16 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025. ESTATE OF KENT ROBERT AUSEN

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) GRETCHEN E. ALCORN, ADMINISTRATRIX 6280 SIERRA CIRCLE ROCKFORD, TN 37853

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF ALBERT WAYNE BAKER DOCKET NUMBER 91581-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of ALBERT WAYNE BAKER, who died August 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 abovenamed court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will (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

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This the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF ALBERT WAYNE BAKER

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) PATRICK WAYNE BAKER 341 BROWN ROAD

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF GLORIA JEAN BATISTE DOCKET NUMBER 91256-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters of administration in respect of the Estate of GLORIA JEAN BATISTE, who died on April 10, 2025, 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 abovenamed court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will (1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the

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This the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF GLORIA JEAN BATISTE

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

KIA BATISTE, ADMINISTRATOR 3805 W. ALABAMA ST., #3205

SHALONDA TAYLOR, ADMINISTRATOR 2712 WOODS-SMITH ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37921

CARIN C. BRIO, ATTORNEY 3217 GARDEN DRIVE SHITE 1 KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE 37918

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF BRENDA SUE BLACK

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of OCTOBER, 2025, Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of BRENDA SUE BLACK, who died on Sentember 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 abovenamed court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will he forever harred:

(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 1st day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF BRENDA SUE BLACK

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

ROBERT BLACK, JR. 7216 HALBROOK ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37918 MARK E. TILLERY, ATTORNEY

P. O. BOX 12257 KNOXVILLE, TN 37912 NOTICE TO

CREDITORS ESTATE OF CASSANDRA JEAN BRADSHAW

DOCKET NUMBER 91356-2 Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, Letters Testamentary

respect of the Estate of CASSANDRA JEAN BRADSHAW, who died on May 27, 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

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(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their

This the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF CASSANDRA JEAN BRADSHAW

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) CHRISTINE BRADSHAW COOK 8273 SOFT WIND DR. MECHANICSVILLE, VA 23111

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NOTICE TO

ESTATE OF WILLIAM RONALD CLARK, SR. DOCKET NUMBER 91515-2

CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day in respect of the Estate of WILLIAM RONALD CLARK, SR., who died on May 18, 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:

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date of death. This the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM RONALD CLARK, SR.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) WILLIAM RONALD CLARK, JR. 10627 FOREST CREST ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

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NOTICE TO **CREDITORS** ESTATE OF KENDALL ANN CLARK

DOCKET NUMBER 91560-2 Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day OCTOBER, 2025, letters of administration

as the case may be in respect of the Estate of KENDALL ANN CLARK, who died intestate on July 27, 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:

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(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's

This the 1st day of OCTOBER, 2025. ESTATE OF KENDALL ANN CLARK

> PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) JOHN E. CLARK 3822 BLACK OAK RIDGE DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37918

> DAVID H. LUHN, ATTORNEY 310 N. FOREST PARK BLVD. KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF THOMAS VERNON CLEVENGER, JR. Docket number 91487-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of THOMAS VERNON CLEVENGER, JR., who died July 11, 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 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 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF THOMAS VERNON CLEVENGER, JR.

> PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) MELISSA L. LUNDBERG 10028 MADISON RIDGE LANE KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

NOTICE TO

BRADLEY S. LEWIS, ATTORNEY

KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

10413 KINGSTON PIKE, SUITE 200

CREDITORS ESTATE OF NANCY HAYES CRANE

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters of testamentary in respect of the Estate of NANCY HAYES CRANE, who died July 24, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Knox Chancery Court, Probate Division. All persons, resident and non-resident,

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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 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF NANCY HAYES CRANE

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) JOHN CHARLES DAVENPORT

1124 WINTERBERRY LANE

KNOXVILLE TN 37932 REGAN CARUTHERS, ATTORNEY 110 COGDILL ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF ISAAC DOCKERY, JR. **DOCKET NUMBER 91471-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 15 day SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of ISAAC DOCKERY, JR., who died June 26, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee. All nersons 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;

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the credito

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 15 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF ISAAC DOCKERY, JR.

132 OVERLOOK TRAIL MAYNARDVILLE, TN 37807

NOTICE TO

DOCKET NUMBER 91566-2

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

ALAN S. FOX, EXECUTOR

CREDITORS ESTATE OF CAROL ANN EASTERDAY

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration) in respect of the Estate of CAROL ANN EASTERDAY, who died on July 19. 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 prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication

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 1st day of OCTOBER, 2025. ESTATE OF CAROL ANN EASTERDAY

> D. CARTER DAVIS. II 7042 OAK RIDGE HIGHWAY KNOXVILLE, TN 37931 KENNETH W. HOLBERT, ATTORNEY

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

402 CLYDE STREET KNOXVILLE, TN 37921

NOTICE TO

CREDITORS ESTATE OF CLONIS MICHAEL FARMER DOCKET NUMBER 91205-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, Letters Testamentary respect to the Estate of CLONIS MICHAEL FARMER who died on June 23, 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 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF CLONIS MICHAEL FARMER PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

> 7503 TEMPLE ACRES DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37938 H. STEPHEN GILLMAN, ATTORNEY P. O. BOX 870 KNOXVILLE, TN 37901

TONYA LYNN FARMER

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF BETH J. FERRIS DOCKET NUMBER 91507-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of BETH J. FERRIS, who died on February 14, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons,

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 he forever harred. (1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the

resident and non-resident, having claims, matured

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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 30th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF BETH J. FERRIS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

SONYA W. LAWLESS 6408 CEDARBREEZE RD. KNOXVILLE, TN 37218 JULIA PRICE, ATTORNEY

PATRICIA E. CROTWELL, ATTORNEY KNOXVILLE, TN 37927-3804

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF JUDY ELAINE FLEEGER DOCKET NUMBER 90932-1 Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day

of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be in respect of the Estate of JUDY ELAINE FLÉEGER, who died January 26, 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:

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

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the

(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.

han sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four

This the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF JUDY ELAINE FLEEGER PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

> 3604 COACH HOUSE COURT SUFFOLK, VA 23435 DAVID J. OTTEN, ATTORNEY

WENDY MCCOWN

P. O. BOX 32211 KNOXVILLE, TN 37930

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

DOCKET NUMBER 91407-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 15 day SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of MARY JUNE FOULK, who died July 18, 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 15 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

> ESTATE OF MARY JUNE FOULK PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) ROBIN L. TROTTER, CO-ADMINISTRATOR 3915 KENII WORTH DRIVE

KNOXVILLE, TN 37919 RICHARD E. HENRY, CO-ADMINISTRATOR 191 BAYSHORE DRIVE HENDERSONVILLE, TN 37075

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that on the 22 day

respect of the Estate of ZELJKO GLODJAJIC who died June 19, 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 This the 22 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

MLADEN GLODJAJIC, EXECUTOR

NASHVILLE, TN 37209

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's ESTATE OF ZELJKO GLODJAJIC

> 2040 GATEHOUSE LANE POWELL, TN 37849 ELLEN HENDRICKSON, ATTORNEY

ESTATE OF ZELJKO GLODJAJIC Docket number 91478-1 of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF TAMELA ELIZABETH BULLENS GRAHAM Docket number 91548-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of SEPTEMBER 2025 letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of TAMELA ELIZABETH BULLENS GRAHAM, who died on August 31, 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 SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF TAMELA ELIZABETH **BULLENS GRAHAM**

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) CHRISTOPHER CODY MELHORN 213 MONTGOMERY VIEW DR HARRIMAN, TN 37748

CASSIDY BROCK MELHORN 135 BAKER MEADOWS LN CLINTON, TN 37716

MADELINE F. LEONARD, ATTORNEY 217 FAST BROADWAY AVENUE MARYVILLE, TN 37804

NOTICE TO

CREDITORS

ESTATE OF BOBBY RANDALL HENEGAR DOCKET NUMBER 91563-2 Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or

letters of administration as the case may in respect of the Estate of BOBBY RANDALL HENEGAR, who died on July 26, 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 decedent's date

This the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF BOBBY RANDALL HENEGAR

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

DAVID ALAN HENEGAR 4869 E. EMORY ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37938

J. BRENT NOLAN, ATTORNEY POWELL, TN 37849

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF ZOLA MAE HENEGAR DOCKET NUMBER 91564-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters ation as the case may hel in respect of the Estate of ZOLA MAE HENEGAR, who died on July 26, 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 nublication 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 decedent's date of death.

This the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF ZOLA MAE HENEGAR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

DAVID ALAN HENEGAR 4869 E. EMORY ROAD KNOXVILLE. TN 37938

> J. BRENT NOLAN, ATTORNEY P. O. BOX 217

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF DEBRA HUSKEY DOCKET NUMBER 91463-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of DEBRA HUSKEY, who died on August

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 the fast 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

This the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF DEBRA HUSKEY

BRANDON MAY 3703 VALLEYVIEW DR. KNOXVILLE, TN 37917 MATT E. MILLER 859 EAST BROADWAY BLVD. IFFFFRSON CITY TN 37760

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF HUGH C. HYATT **DOCKET NUMBER 91512-2**

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, Letters Testamentary in espect to the Estate of HUGH C. HYATT, who died nn March 21, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Probate Court for Knox County, Tennessee. persons, resident and nonresident, 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) below 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 SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF HUGH C. HYATT

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S): DEBORAH D. HYATT 6535 S. NORTHSHORE DR KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

RICHARD MATLOCK, ATTORNEY 900 SOUTH GAY STREET, 9TH FLOOR P. O. BOX 900 KNOXVILLE, TN 37901-0900

NOTICE TO <u>CREDITORS</u>

ESTATE OF JAMES ARTHUR JENNINGS, JR. DOCKET NUMBER 91393-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 26 day SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters administration in respect of the Estate of JAMES ARTHUR JENNINGS, JR., who died June 20, 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 he 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 ceived 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

This the 26 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF JAMES ARTHUR JENNINGS, JR.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) CONSTANCE PAYNE, ADMINISTRATRIX 8064 STABLEGATE WAY

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF GEORGE C. KAOUSIAS

DOCKET NUMBER 91437-2 Notice is hereby given that on the 15 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of GEORGE C. KAOUSIAS, who died May 31, 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 he forever harred:

(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

This the 15 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF GEORGE C. KAOUSIAS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

TAMMY KAOUSIAS, EXECUTRIX 2945 KFNII WORTH I ANF KNOXVILLE, TN 37917

TAMMY KAOUSIAS, ATTORNEY 606 WEST MAIN STREET, SUITE 100 KNOXVILLE, TN 37917

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF TERESA GAIL KNIGHT

DOCKET NUMBER 90452-1 Notice is hereby given that on the 22 day of

SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters administration respect of the Estate of TERESA GAIL KNIGHT, who died Dec. 14, 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

ESTATE OF TERESA GAIL KNIGHT

This the 22 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) ASHLEY CUSHMAN, ADMINISTRATRIX 1157 SEIVERN ROAD

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF KEVIN JENNINGS MARGETTS DOCKET NUMBER 91466-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters of administration respect of the Estate of KEVIN JENNINGS MARGETTS, who died May 21, 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

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

publication of this notice if the creditor received an

(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 SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF KEVIN JENNINGS MARGETTS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) MARILYN WILBURN FRIENDSVILLE, TN 37737

REGAN CARUTHERS, ATTORNEY 110 COGDILL ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF MAUREEN C. MASLIN DOCKET NUMBER 91589-1 Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of

SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of MAUREEN C. MASLIN, who died May 31, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, 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 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

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

publication of this notice if the creditor received an

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 SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF MAUREEN C. MASLIN

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) TAMARA RIEGEL 12728 WATERGROVE DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

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

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF BILLY R. MASSEY

DOCKET NUMBER 91496-1 Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of BILLY R. MASSEY, who died August 2. 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court. Probate Division, 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 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 eived 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 SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF BILLY R. MASSEY

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) JEFFREY RAY MASSEY 7320 MEADOW CREEK TR.

ANGELA P. REED 1408 PINE CREEK RD KNOXVILLE, TN 37932 MICHAEL R. CROWDER, ATTORNEY

550 W. MAIN ST., FOURTH FLOOR KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO

CREDITORS

ESTATE OF CHARLES JACK MOODY DOCKET NUMBER 91480-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 15 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of CHARLES JACK MOODY, who died Aug. 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 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 15 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025. ESTATE OF CLIFFORD E. TATE, SR.

ESTATE OF CHARLES JACK MOODY

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) TERRY MCGILL, EXECUTRIX **1611 MURRAY DRIVE** KNOXVILLE, TN 37912 PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) CLIFFORD TATE, JR.

ARNOLD G. COHEN. ATTORNEY

KNOXVILLE, TN 37919-4031

6025 BROOKVALE LANE, SUITE 204

NOTICE TO

CREDITORS

ESTATE OF SHARON KELLY THOMAS

DOCKET NUMBER 91531-3

SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters

of administration as the case may be) in respect of

the Estate of SHARON KELLY THOMAS, who died

August 18, 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),

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) mont

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

This the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

date of death

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's

ESTATE OF SHARON KELLY THOMAS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

JONATHAN D. REED, ATTORNEY

900 S. GAY STREET, 14TH FLOOR

NOTICE TO

CREDITORS

ESTATE OF TRACEY ELIZABETH VIESER

DOCKET NUMBER 91399-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 24 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters administration in

respect of the Estate of TRACEY ELIZABETH

VIESER, who died July 30, 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

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

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor

received an actual copy of the notice to creditors

than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four

(4) months from the date of first publication as

This the 24 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

NOTICE TO

CREDITORS

ESTATE OF LINDA C. WERT

DOCKET NUMBER 91468-3

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

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) month

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor

ceived 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

This the 15 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's

ESTATE OF LINDA C WERT

8826 BELLE MINA WAY

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

SHEILA JOANNE SOUTHERN, EXECUTRIX

NOTICE TO

CREDITORS

ESTATE OF CAROL JANE BURCHFIELD

DOCKET NUMBER 91580-1

SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect

of the Estate of CAROL JANE BURCHFIELD, who

died Aug. 19, 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,

(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

Notice is hereby given that on the 30 day of

from the date of this first publication; or

described in (1)(A); or

date of death.

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first

(2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's

ESTATE OF TRACEY ELIZABETH VIESER

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

10 E. MAIN STREET

CORTLAND, NY 13045

COLIN B. CAHILL, ADMINISTRATOR

the creditor received the copy of the notice less

from the date of this first publication; or

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first

claims will be forever barred:

described in (1)(A); or

KAITLYN A. SELL, ATTORNEY

1719 RAINBOW FALLS ROAD

REESE KELLY THOMAS

KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

P N RNX 2047

KNOXVILLE. TN 37901

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first

otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of

512 INSKIP DRJVE

KNOXVILLE, TN 37912

CREDITORS

ESTATE OF CAROL ANN MOON DOCKET NUMBER 91513-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of Estate of CAROL ANN MOON, who died July 1, 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 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 fron 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 SEPTEMBER, 2025.

KEITH H. BURROUGHS, ATTORNEY 900 S. GAY STREET, 14TH FLOOR P. O. BOX 2047 KNOXVILLE, TN 37901

CREDITORS ESTATE OF ROY GENE RUTLAND

of SEPTEMBER 2025 Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of ROY GENE RUTLAND, who died on July 13, 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 this estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Maste of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) below, otherwise, their claims will be forever barred:

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first 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

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) VIRGINIA ANNE BALLERINI 208 S. CHILHOWEE DRIVE

ESTATE OF ROY GENE RUTLAND

NOTICE TO

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of GARY LEON SHAW, who died August 8, 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

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

(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 SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF GARY LEON SHAW

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) LESLIE P. HICKLE

707 MARKET STREET, SUITE 1 KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

STUART I. CASSELL, ATTORNEY

CREDITORS ESTATE OF CLIFFORD E. TATE, SR.

of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or

letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of CLIFFORD E. TATE, SR.,

(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 fron the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or (2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's

from the date of the first publication; or (B) Sixty

This the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

NOTICE TO

ESTATE OF CAROL ANN MOON

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) MARK A.MOON 2227 BREAKWATER DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

NOTICE TO

DOCKET NUMBER 91510-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day

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

date of death. This the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

KNOXVILLE, TN 37914

JANE KAUFMAN JONES, ATTORNEY

8517 KINGSTON PIKE

CREDITORS

ESTATE OF GARY LEON SHAW

of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their

from the date of the first publication; or

NOTICE TO

DOCKET NUMBER 91508-1 Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day

who died December 21, 2024, were issued to Clifford Tate, Jr. at 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

> (2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death. This the 30 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025. ESTATE OF CAROL JANE BURCHFIELD

against his or her estate are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above received an actual copy of the notice to creditors named Court on or before the earlier of the dates if the creditor received the copy of the notice less rescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will

(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

be forever barred:

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

101 E. RED BUD ROAD

SHARON PRITCHARD, EXECUTRIX

DAVID C. HOLLOW, ATTORNEY P. O. BOX 22578 KNOXVILLE, TN 37933

NOTICE TO

CREDITORS

ESTATE OF MARGARET ANN CHRISTIAN

DOCKET NUMBER 91519-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of

the Estate of MARGARET ANN CHRISTIAN, who

died June 16. 2025, were issued to the undersigned

KNOXVILLE, TN 37920

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 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

the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or (2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) KIM A. TOLLISON EXECUTRIX 7305 CHARTWELL ROAD

ESTATE OF MARGARET ANN CHRISTIAN

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF FAYE MONTGOMERY CREEKMORE

Notice is hereby given that on the 2 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of FAYE MONTGOMERY CREEKMORE. who died March 11, 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

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 ceived an actual copy of the notice to creditors

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first

date of the publication of this notice if the creditor

claims will be forever barred:

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 This the 2 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

> **ESTATE OF FAYE** MONTGOMERY CREEKMORE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) SUSAN D. HARRIS, EXECUTRIX

4625 MCCLOUD ROAD

KNOXVILLE. TN 37938

NOTICE TO

CREDITORS

ESTATE OF BUDDY J. DUNCAN **DOCKET NUMBER 91522-3** Notice is hereby given that on the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of BUDDY J. DUNCAN, who died Aug. 9, 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 ce is hereby given that on the 15 day of before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred: SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of LINDA C. WERT, who died May 29, (1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk publication of this notice if the creditor received an and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County. actual conv of this notice to creditors at least sixty

> 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

(60) days before the date that is four (4) months

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 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

> ESTATE OF BUDDY J. DUNCAN PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

EMILY ANN IVEY, EXECUTRIX

8508 RIDGELAND DRIVE

CORRYTON TN 37721

NOTICE TO

CREDITORS ESTATE OF MARGARET DOROTHEA DYER DOCKET NUMBER 91526-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of

OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of MARGARET DOROTHEA DYER, who died August 26, 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

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 2nd day of OCTOBER, 2025. ESTATE OF MARGARET DOROTHEA DYER

> 131 ARKANSAS AVE. OAK RIDGE, TN 37830

> > ADAM MICHAEL DYER 1513 W. WOODSHIRE DR KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

HEATHER NICOLE METCALF

M. CATHERINE WARMBROD, ATTORNEY 10805 KINGSTON PIKE, SUITE 200

KNOXVILLE, TN 37934

by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of nox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his or her estate are required to file the

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

date of death.

This the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

KNOXVILLE, TN 37931

DOCKET NUMBER 91517-1

LEGAL & PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF RODNEY STEWART FERGUSON DOCKET NUMBER 91591-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary with respect of the Estate of RODNEY STEWART FERGUSON, who died on August 30, 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 eceived 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) above: or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the Decedent's This the 3rd day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF RODNEY STEWART FERGUSON

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) TERESA FERGUSON TOOLE 1201 WALLACE ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

WILLIAM R. RAY, ATTORNEY 1356 PAPERMILL POINTE WAY KNOXVILLE, TN 37909

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF JOAN H. FRICKE **DOCKET NUMBER 91482-2**

Notice is hereby given that on the 30 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of JOAN H. FRICKE, who died Aug. 19, 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; (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

This the 30 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF JOAN H. FRICKE

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

RICHARD FRICKE, EXECUTOR 1009 BITTICKS CRK. NOLENSVILLE, TN 37135

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF RUTH ARLENE GREEN DOCKET NUMBER 91599-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of OCTOBER, 2025, Letters of Administration in respect of the Estate of RUTH ARLENE GREEN who died July 31, 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 of the above-named court on or before the earlier of the dated 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 nublication 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 as described in (1)(A); or (2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's

date of death All persons indebted to the above Estate must

come forward and make proper settlement with the undersigned at once

This 3rd day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF RUTH ARLENE GREEN

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) REBECCA GREEN BOWMAN. CO-ADMINISTRATOR LARRY JAME GREEN, CO-ADMINISTRATOR

> W. TODD DANIEL, ATTORNEY 550 WEST MAIN STREET, SUITE 950 KNOXVILLE. TN 37902

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF JOSEPH MARY ARYEE HAMMOND

DOCKET NUMBER 91570-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of JOSEPH MARY ARYEE

HAMMOND, who died August 9, 2025, were issued to the undersigned of 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 the 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 3rd day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH MARY ARYEE HAMMOND

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

GAYLE PATRICK GARRITY, EXECUTOR

WILLIAM B. BREWER, II, ATTORNEY 707 MARKET ST., SUITE ONE KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF SANDRA KAYE HARROP DOCKET NUMBER 91493-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of OCTORFR. 2025. Letters of Testamentary in respect of the SANDRA KAYE HARROP, who died July 7, 2025, were issued to all the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and nonnt, 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 credito

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 7th day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF SANDRA KAYE HARROP

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) ANGELA H. MORRIS

TOM R. RAMSEY, III, ATTORNEY

550 W. MAIN STREET, SUITE 310 KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF SANDRA FAYE HUDSON DOCKET NUMBER 91259-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of SANDRA FAYE HUDSON, who died March 14, 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 he forever harred: (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

This the 6th day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF SANDRA FAYE HUDSON

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) ALEXANDER CARNELL GOODWIN, ADMINISTRATOR 1412 AUTUMN LANE KNOXVILLE, TN 37912

ROBERT W. WILKJNSON, ATTORNEY CHRISTY WHITE, ATTORNEY OAK RIDGE, TN 37831-4415

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF MARILYN LEE JOHNSON DOCKET NUMBER 91518-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 3 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of MARILYN LEE JOHNSON, who died July 28, 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 3 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF MARILYN LEE JOHNSON

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) MARY JANICE JOHNSON, EXECUTRIX 2074 TRAEMOOR VILLAGE DRIVE

NASHVILLE, TN 37209

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF LUCILLE HAWKINS JULIAN DOCKET NUMBER 91527-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters of administration in respect of the Estate of LUCILLE HAWKINS JULIAN, who died on July 1, 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 7th day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF LUCILLE HAWKINS JULIAN PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

116 AGNES ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF LEONARD KRUK **DOCKET NUMBER 90985-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 22 day of AUGUST, 2025, letters administration in respect of the Estate of LEONARD KRUK, who died Jan. 10, 2025, 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 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

at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication; (B) Sixty (60) days from the date the credito 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

first publication of this notice if the creditor

received an actual copy of this notice to creditors

described in (1)(A); or (2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

(4) months from the date of first publication as

This the 22 day of AUGUST, 2025.

ESTATE OF LEONARD KRUK

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) LISA M. HOLIWAY, ADMINISTRATRIX 7418 BEAVERS BEND LANE CORRYTON, TN 37721

MATTHEW THORNTON, ATTORNEY 1715 AARON BRENNER DRIVE SUITE 800 MEMPHIS, TN 38120

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF JUINE KAREN LAY DOCKET NUMBER 91561-3 Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of

OCTOBER, 2025, Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of JUNE KAREN LAY, who died on March 31, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, 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 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 3rd day of OCTOBER, 2025.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) RACHEL RUTH LAY 1450 MOUNTAIN QUAIL CIRCLE MARYVILLE. TN 37801

ESTATE OF JUNE KAREN LAY

ELIZABETH MAXEY LONG, ATTORNEY 232 GILL STREET ALCOA, TN 37701

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF DELLA KATHERINE LONGMIRE DOCKET NUMBER 91553-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 3 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of DELLA KATHERINE LONGMIRE, who died March 18, 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:

(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

This the 3 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF DELLA KATHERINE LONGMIRE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

ROBIN KATHLEEN GRESHAM, EXECUTRIX 4305 LONOR DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37918

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS ESTATE OF JO ANN DONNELL MATTHEWS**

DOCKET NUMBER 91536-2 Notice is hereby given that on the 1 day of

OCTOBER. 2025. letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of JO ANN DONNELL MATTHEWS, who died July 16, 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), wise 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 (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 This the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF JO ANN DONNELL MATTHEWS

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) GLORIA ANN TAPP, EXECUTRIX

KNOXVILLE, TN 37909

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF ROBERT L. MCDANIEI **DOCKET NUMBER 91579-3**

Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary (or letters of administration as the case may be) in respect of the Estate of ROBERT L. MCDANIEL, who died August 13, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, 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 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

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

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

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

This the 3rd day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF ROBERT L. MCDANIEL

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) ANGELA HARNESS STUART I. CASSELL. ATTORNEY

707 MARKET STREET, SUITE 1

KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF MADONNA MARIE MCLAUGHLIN DOCKET NUMBER 91274-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 30 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of MADONNA MARIE MCLAUGHLIN, who died March 20, 2025, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County. All persons, resident and non-Tennessee. 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:

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 four (4) months from the date of this first publication: or (B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor

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eived 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 This the 30 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF MADONNA MARIE MCLAUGHLIN PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) VICKY COKER, EXECUTRIX 7400 BALL CAMP PIKE KNOXVILLE, TN 37931

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF JOHN ALFRED MCREYNOLDS, III

DOCKET NUMBER 91555-3 Notice is hereby given that on the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of JOHN ALFRED MCREYNOLDS, who died Aug. 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 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF JOHN ALFRED MCREYNOLDS, III

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) ROBIN KEY WOODRUFF, EXECUTRIX 6529 DEANE HILL DRIVE, #41 KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

NOTICE TO CREDITORS ESTATE OF TIMOTHY LYNN MONROE

DOCKET NUMBER 91556-1 Notice is hereby given that on the 3 day OCTOBER, 2025, letters administration

in respect of the Estate of TIMOTHY LYNN MONROE, who died June 14, 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

described in (1)(A): or (2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's This the 3 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

(4) months from the date of first publication as

ESTATE OF TIMOTHY LYNN MONROE

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) LEAH MONROE, ADMINISTRATRIX 1534 LORI LEA DRIVE MARYVILLE, TN 37803

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF PATRICIA PAYNE COKER PALMER Docket Number 91550-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 30 day of SFPTFMRFR 2025. letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of PATRICIA PAYNE COKER PALMER, who died Aug. 19, 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 earlie 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 (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

This the 30 day of SEPTEMBER. 2025

ESTATE OF PATRICIA PAYNE COKER PALMER

> PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) DAVID BROMFIELD, EXECUTOR 4603-B LEALAND LANE NASHVILLE, TN 37220

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF HOANG PHAM DOCKET NUMBER 91600-3 Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day

of OCTOBER, 2025, letters of administration in respect of the Estate of HOANG PHAM, who died July 19, 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) o (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

This the 3rd day of OCTOBER, 2025. ESTATE OF HOANG PHAM

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) BOCHEM PHAM 2500 Bransford Avenue, APT. 214 NASHVILLE, TN 37204

SARAH E. C. MALIA, ATTORNEY

P. O. BOX 12395 KNOXVILLE, TN 37912 NOTICE TO

CREDITORS ESTATE OF ERNIE LYNN PORTERFIELD, SR.

DOCKET NUMBER 91225-3 Notice is hereby given that on the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respec of the Estate of ERNIE LYNN PORTERFIELD, SR., who died June 5, 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;

(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 This the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF ERNIE LYNN PORTERFIELD, SR.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) ERNIE LYNN PORTERFIELD, JR., EXECUTOR 337 KEEBLE ROAD MARYVILLE, TN 37804

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF SONYA DAWN PROFFITT DOCKET NUMBER 91584-2 Notice is hereby given that on the 2 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters administration in respect

of the Estate of SONYA DAWN PROFFITT who died Aug. 14, 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; (B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors

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 2 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

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ESTATE OF SONYA DAWN PROFFITT

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) SHAUNNA D. KISER, ADMINSTRATRIX 6569 PAINTER FARM LANE KNOXVILLE, TN 37931

AMANDA M. BUSBY, ATTORNEY 116 AGNES ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS** ESTATE OF ROBERT PULLIAM

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DOCKET NUMBER 91179-2 Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day

of OCTOBER, 2025, letters of administration in respect of the Estate of ROBERT PULLIAM, who died 11/12/2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, 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 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 conv 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 7th day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF ROBERT PULLIAM

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) FELICIA COALSON, ADMINISTRATOR 900 S. GAY ST., # 800

KNOXVILLE, TN 37902 MATT JARBOE, ATTORNEY OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL, DIVISION OF TENNCARE

NASHVILLE, TN 37243

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that on the 3 day of

OCTOBER, 2025, letters administration in respect

of the Estate of ANNIEBELL RAMSEY, who died

ESTATE OF ANNIEBELL RAMSEY DOCKET NUMBER 91532-1

Aug. 13, 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

at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication; (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

first publication of this notice if the creditor

received an actual copy of this notice to creditors

(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 3 day of OCTOBER, 2025. ESTATE OF ANNIEBELL RAMSEY

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) WILLIAM H. HUGHES, JR, ADMINISTRATOR 3917 SKYLINE DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37914

NOTICE TO

<u>CREDITORS</u> ESTATE OF JOHN ORVILLE RICHARDSON, JR.

DOCKET NUMBER 91521-2 Notice is hereby given that on the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters administration in respect of the Estate of JOHN ORVILLE RICHARDSON. JR., who died June 25, 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; (B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor ceived an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less

date of death.

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

This the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF JOHN ORVILLE

RICHARDSON, JR.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
DEBBY MCFEE PAGE, ADMINISTRATRIX 6613 JOCELYN HOLLOW ROAD NASHVILLE, TN 37205

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF FLORENCE RELDA NELSON RIGGS DOCKET NUMBER 91539-2 Notice is hereby given that on the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect

of the Estate of FLORENCE RELDA NELSON RIGGS, who died June 14, 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

(4) months from the date of this first publication; (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

received an actual copy of this notice to creditors

at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death. This the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

(4) months from the date of first publication as described in (1)(A); or

ESTATE OF FLORENCE **RELDA NELSON RIGGS**

> MELANIE SUE RIGGS, EXECUTRIX 4716 SKYVIEW DRIVE

KNOXVILLE, TN 37917

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF SHAWN MICHAEL SEAY DOCKET NUMBER 91520-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 30 day SFPTEMBER. 2025, letters administration respect of the Estate of SHAWN MICHAEL SEAY, who died Aug. 9, 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 conv 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

This the 30 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF SHAWN MICHAEL SEAY

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) JANICE RYBAK, ADMINISTRATRIX 1723 SOUTHERN CIRCLE PINGREE GROVE, IL 60140

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF BARBARA SPENCER DOCKET NUMBER 91477-3

Notice is hereby given that on the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of BARBARA SPENCER, who died July 3, 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 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF BARBARA SPENCER

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

JENNIFER SMITH, EXECUTRIX 10432 EAGLES VIEW DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37922

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

FSTATE OF KATHY ELAINE TINDELL-JULIAN DOCKET NUMBER 91554-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters administration in respect of the Estate of KATHY ELAINE TINDELL-JULIAN, who died June 13, 2025, were issued

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 1 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF KATHY FLAINE TINDELL-IIII IAN PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

> STEPHANIE TINDELL-JULIAN. ADMINISTRATRIX 7604 OGG ROAD KNOXVILLE, TN 37938

NOTICE TO **CREDITORS**

ESTATE OF GARY LYNN WARREN DOCKET NUMBER 91542-2

Notice is hereby given that on the 30 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025, letters administration in respect of the Estate of GARY LYNN WARREN, who died Aug. 13, 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 harred.

(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 This the 30 day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

ESTATE OF GARY LYNN WARREN

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) RACHEL ANN WARREN MAROTTA, ADMINISTRATRIX 2701 TUBEROSE LANE KNOXVILLE, TN 37920

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF WILLIE JUANITA (MAYS) WARWICK DOCKET NUMBER 91541-1

Notice is hereby given that on the 3 day of OCTOBER, 2025, letters testamentary in respect of the Estate of WILLIE JUANITA (MAYS) WARWICK, who died June 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

nublication 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

described in (1)(A); or (2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's

date of death.

3108 DELROSE DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37914

MISC. NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE 94

Knox County will receive bids for the following items and services:

BID 3693, Ambient Air Monitoring Shelter, Due 11/12/25

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

Request for Bids - KCDC, the Public Housing Authority for Knoxville & Knox County, posts all of its solicitations at www.kcdc.org/procurement. Click on 'Open Solicitations' and follow the link.

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE

The owner and /or lien holders of the following vehicle is hereby notified of their rights to nay all charges and reclaim said vehicle being held at 701 Cooper St., Knoxville, TN 37917, Failure to reclaim this vehicle will be deemed a waiver of all rights title, and consent to dispose of said vehicle at public auction on October 21, 2025 at 701 Cooper St, Knoxville, TN 37917.

1. '22 MAZDA CX 5 JM3KFBDM6N1606637 ZOREL BENNAFIELD / GLOBAL LENDING

'22 FORD BRONCO 3FMCR9B69MRA95863 TRENT or STACEY ROGERS

'20 CHEVY MALIBU 1G1ZE5SX6LF045955 JARED NICKSON / CREDIT ACCEPTANCE 4. '13 HONDA CRV 5J6RM3H58DL020850 KATHRYN GERVAIS

'23 SUBARU CROSSTREK JF2GTHNC6PH259807 **CATHERINE**

PASQUARETTO MITSUBISHI **ECLIPSE** 4A3AK44T76E032530 JOSE GARCIA

7. '09 NISSAN VERSA 3N1BC11E69L447922

ANGEL FLORES 8. '12 CHEVY MALIBU 1G1ZC5E08CF136620

ABIGAIL MORLOCK 9. '18 DODGE RAM 3C6UR5FL3JG323047 JOHN PAYNE III / TVA

10. '05 TOYOTA RAV 4 JTEHD20V350058878 REBECCA PRACHEIL

11. '07 CADILLAC DTS 1G6KD57Y37U232622

12. '08 BMW 528i WBANU535X8CT02059 BRADLEY ROBINSON / TITLEMAX 13. '07 NISSAN VERSA 3N1BC13E57L452121

LITHIA DAUGHERTY 14. '17 FORD ESCAPE 1FMCU0GD8HUB59603



of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their

Early Notice and Public Review of a Proposed Activity in a Wetland

To: All interested parties, including federal, state or local agencies, or private groups and individuals:

This is to give notice that Knox County, under 24 CFR 58, has determined that the following proposed action, using Project Based Vouchers (PBVs) under the Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) Program and funding from the HOME Program, has portions located within a wetland, and Knox County (County) will be identifying and evaluating practicable alternatives to locating the action within the wetland and the potential impacts on the wetland from the proposed action, as required by Executive Order 11990, in accordance with HUD regulations at 24 CFR 55.2 Subpart C Procedures for Making Determinations on Floodplain Management and Protection of Wetlands. Hopeful Housing, LLC plans to construct the Everett Point Development on an undeveloped parcel, 141 038, totaling approximately 13.75 acres along Everette Road in Knoxville (City), Knox County, Tennessee (Project). The proposed Project consists of the construction of a four-building apartment complex, associated roadway and parking lots, and two stormwater ponds on the parcel. The extent of the isolated wetland was determined via field visit during development of a Water Resource Inventory Report, with an overall acreage of 0.07 acres (3,049 square feet). The existing natural and beneficial uses of the wetland are extremely limited, with habitat for flora being primarily invasive. Consultation with U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (US-ACE) determined the wetland is non-jurisdictional and does not require Section 404 permitting under the Clean Water Act; however, Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) requires an Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit (ARAP) for alterations of the non-jurisdictional wetland.

There are three primary purposes for this notice. First, people who may be affected by activities in wetland and those who have an interest in the protection of the natural environment should be given an opportunity to express their concerns and provide information about these areas. Second, an adequate public notice program can be an important public educational tool. The dissemination of information about wetlands can facilitate and enhance Federal efforts to reduce the risks associated with the occupancy and modification of these special areas. Third, as a matter of fairness, when the Federal government determines it will participate in actions taking place in wetlands, it must inform those who may be put at greater or continued risk.

Written comments must be received by Knox County, at 400 Main St SW #364, Knoxville, TN 37902 on or before 15 calendar days from the date of this letter. Comments may also be submitted via email at grants@knoxcounty.org.

Knox County, Tennessee 400 Main St SW #364 Knoxville, TN 37902

Attention: Community Relations

Supporting documentation for the project is on file at the Knox County Grants and Community Development office at the address above and may be reviewed or copied during weekdays. The Knox County office hours are 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM EST.

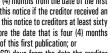
Date: October 13th, 2025

Sincerely.

Glenn Jacobs

Mayor

Knox County Tennessee



(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

This the 3 day of OCTOBER, 2025.

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) KELVIN KEITH BIBLE, EXECUTOR

ESTATE OF WILLIE JUANITA

(MAYS) WARWICK

PUBLIC NOTICE

JOMELLA SMITH / NATIONWIDE SOUTHEAST

NOTICE OF

PUBLIC LIEN SALE

at 7144 Clinton Highway, Powell, TN 37849

will sell the contents of the units listed below

at a public auction to satisfy a landlord's lien

Inursuant to Tennessee Code Title 66. Property

StorageTreasures.com on 10/27/25 at approx.

9:00 am. Contents will be sold for cash only to the

highest bidder; subject to additional terms noted on

the website. The property to be sold is described as

'general household items" unless otherwise noted.

Unit # - A06: Kristie Blalock

Unit # - DC34: Brian Summers

Unit # - G11: William Horton

Unit # - G13: William Horton

Unit # - D39: Kayla Crowe

66-31-105s). The sales will be held online at

Notice is hereby given that Your Extra Storage

Application for title:

Alex Anderson hereby serves notice that he/she intends to apply for a title on a vehicle described

follows: 2014 SC TRAILERS, BOAT TRAILER. Vehicle Identification Number 567SSBK15EF085530. Any and all parties holding an interest in said vehicle must contact Alex Anderson by certified mail, return receipt requested, within ten (10) business days of the date of this publication to 7422 Westridge Dr. Knoxville, TN 37909

Published in The Knoxville Focus Monday, October 13, 2025.

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE

The owners and/or lienholders of the following vehicles are hereby notified of their rights to nav 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

October 27, 2025, at 623 Simmons Rd., Knoxville. TN. Vehicles will be sold "AS IS" and make no warranty as to condition or title

1FMCU03Z78KB85218 Ford Escape (James Holman)

Volkswagen New 3VWCB21C41M479689 (Sharles Johnson) 2018 Honda Accord 1HGCV1F19JA235157 (Jerome Sobrowski / Credit Acceptance Corp) 2018 Chevrolet Silverado 3GCUKSEC4JG431285 (Bradley Human / Capital One Auto Finance) 1996 Saturn SW2 1G8ZK8276TZ292161 (Kevin

Jeep Wrangler 1J4FA24139L769667

(Jessica Brooks / Onemain Financial Group, LLC) 2008 Hyundai Sonata 5NPET46C38H329960 (Michael S. Howard) 2011 Nissan Rogue JN8AS5MV7BW672935

(Jennifer R. Krotz) 2016 Land Rover Discov. SALCP2BG7GH598624 (Tyler J. Hall / Emily M. Jordan / Wells Fargo Auto)

2014 Subaru Forester JF2SJAGC4EH555006 (Emily Elizabeth Barr)

2004 Chrysler Sebring 1C3EL46X04N293484 (Jenifer D. Short /.Car Trucks & More) 1998 Honda Civic 1HGEJ6573WL029562 (Isaiah

Land Rvr Range Rvr Sport 2007 SALSK25437A119300 (Andrew Conley)

1999 Buick Century 2G4WS52M4X1468700 (David R. Turner / TMX Finance Of Tennessee, Inc. D/B/A Titlemax) 2008 Honda Civic 2HGFA16858H506345 (Inmer

Adonay Ramos Serrano) 2009 Chrysler PT Cruiser 3A8FY58809T558675

(James E. Jeffries) 2000 Chevrolet Tracker 2CNBJ13C2Y6947573

(Ashley James) 2005 Chevrolet 1GNDS13S452372510 (Tanya G. Kinne /

Tennessee Title Loans Inc) 2007 BMW 328i WBAWB33557PV74881 (Glynn Hughes / Jessica Long)

2016 Ford Taurus 1FAHP2H8XGG133621 (Suzanne E. Hoxit / Bridgecrest Acceptance Corp) 1997 Saturn 1G8ZK5270VZ236377 (Yaneth

(Omar Parra Hernandez)

2017 Ford Focus 1FADP3F28HL311831 (Rachel

4T1BE32K04U913359

J. Gardner) 2006 Nissan Frontier 1N6AD07W66C432972 (Robert Byrd / Tennessee Title Loans Inc)

2006 Ford Freestyle 1FMZK02106GA35379 (Daniel Mark Bates II / Letitia Ann Frazier / PCSB Bank) Ford Fusion 3FA6P0LU4FR135825 2015

(Patrick J. Reymann / Ford Motor Credit Company) 2013 Land Rover LR2 SALFR2BG9DH375908 (Legacy Development Services LLC) 2006 Dodge Dakota 1D7HE28K06S533393 (Aleks Omar Walton)

1999 Honda VT600 JH2PC2162XM901403 (Michael D. Atkins) 1993 1TP1130K7P1004283 (Rosendo Lozano) 2006 Honda Ridgeline 2HJYK16426H541354

(Edmund C. Springer) 2009 Ford Fusion 3FAHP07Z99R139095 (Isabel Torres) 2022 Forest River 5NHUVHD3XNF726410

(Brian Lee Drake) 2002 Ford F-350 Super 1FTSW31S32EB60792 (William Sharp)

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 Chestnut Street Transport Recovery. Failure to reclaim these vehicles will be deemed a waiver of all rights and titles along with consent to dispose of said vehicles public auction held on October 27, 2025, at 2430 Thorngrove Pike Knoxville, TN, Vehicles will be sold "AS IS" and make no warranty as to condition or title.

1995 Kawasaki Ninja 400 JKAEXMF12SA045845 2011 Mazda Mazda3 JM1BL1UF3B1411782

1998 Honda Shadow IHFSC3703WA002874 (Joseph Wesley (George Mullins)

(Michael Noel)

NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNFICANT IMPACT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

October 13, 2025

865-215-5253

Knox County 400 W. Main Street, Suite 364 Knoxville, TN 37902

These notices shall satisfy two separate but related procedural requirements for activities to be undertaken by Knox County.

REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about October 29, 2025 the Knox County will submit a request to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for the release of Community Project Funding (CPF) Program and HUD-Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (HUD-VASH) Program funds under Section 8(o)(19) of the United States Housing Act of 1937 and the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2008 to undertake a project known as Hero's Hill. The purpose of project is to develop 1.5 acres, located at 1101 Liberty Street in Knoxville, to create 20 tiny homes, common community spaces, and a community center with the assistance of \$6,480,000 in Project Based HUD VASH

Vouchers through Knoxville's Community Development Corporation (KCDC). In addition, \$2,000,000 in HUD CPF grant funds from the FY 2026 Federal Appropriations Bill are expected to be used toward the construction of the project. The purpose of this construction is to strategically build on the strength of public investments and improve services provided to homeless veterans in Knox County. The proposed site location is predominantly cleared land with wooded areas located along the west and northwest property boundaries.

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

Knox County has determined that the project will have no significant impact on the human environment. Therefore, an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) is not required. Additional project information is contained in the Environmental Review Record (ERR) on file at the Knox County Grants and Community Development office, 400 W. Main Street Ste.364, where the ERR may be examined or copied on weekdays from 9:00 A.M to 4:30 P.M.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the Knox County Grants and Community by mail at the address above or by emailing grants@knoxcounty.org.

All comments received by October 28, 2025 will be considered by the Knox County prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds. Comments should specify which Notice they are addressing.

ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION

The Knox County certifies to HUD that Glenn Jacobs in his capacity as Knox County Mayor consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. HUD's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows Knox County to use Program funds.

OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

HUD will accept objections to its release of fund and Knox County's certification for a period of fifteen days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following bases: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer of Knox County; (b) Knox County has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR part 58; (c) the grant recipient or other participants in the development process have committed funds, incurred costs or undertaken activities not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by HUD; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality.

Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Sec. 58.76) and shall be addressed to U. S. Department of HUD, Knoxville Field Office, Region IV, John J. Duncan Federal Building, 710 Locust Street, Suite 300, Knoxville, TN 37902-2526. Potential objectors should contact HUD to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

"Si usted necesitara asistencia para este aviso en otro idioma, por favor llame al 694-8880 para mayor información y mencione del Desarrollo Comunitario del Condado de Knox."

Glenn Jacobs

Sincerely,

Knox County Mayor Certifying Officer

