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### HARVEST HEATS UP



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Pictured is Stanley Grigg, of Toulon, in his Massey-Ferguson combine unloading a hopper of corn into the auger wagon from a field located on the West Jersey blacktop (Sharkey Highway). Grigg reported a 22 percent moisture level and over 200 bushels per acre from the filed.

## Harvest slightly behind average

While harvest totals for Illinois were slightly behind average as of Sept. 20, that could change quickly, as farmers were busy in the fields this week.

Through Sept. 20, the USDA reports that Illinois farmers had harvested 4 percent of the state's corn crop - ahead of last year's 2 percent total at this time but behind the five-year average of 11

Soybean harvest was at 1 percent compared to the five-year average of 4 percent.

That can change quickly given modern farm equipment and a forecast that calls for continued dry, temperate

One factor that could slow the process are sizable yields, with 17 percent of corn rated excellent and 56 percent rated good, 19 percent fair and just 8 percnt poor or very poor. Through Sept. 20, soybeans were 15 percent excellent, 56 percent good, 22 percent fair and just 7 percent poor or very poor.

## **New COVID testing sites to open**

stable level in terms of COVID-19 cases, the Henry and Stark County Health Departments will be holding three drive-through, COVID-19 community-based testing opportunities in October.

Drive-through testing in Kewanee will be Saturday, Oct. 3 and Tuesday, Oct. 6, from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at 700 Elliott St., the former Kewanee Hospital Site.

Testing in Stark County will be at Stark County High School on Saturday, Oct. 10,

While Stark County has returned to a more from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. These sites will be drivethrough only with no walk-ups.

> Users must wear a mask, show an ID and insurance card (if applicable), have a working car window and remain in the car once

> Any person with symptoms should be tested. Symptoms include fever, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing. chills, muscle or body aches, headache, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell, nausea or

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## **Stark County board narrows** construction manager field

By John A. Ballentine

TOULON - The Stark County School Board took another step closer to building a new high school in Toulon on Monday. Board member Bruce West reported to the school board that the building committee examined six companies for the choice of construction manager.

The six companies, Valley, Bush, O'Shea, Core, Russell, and MCP Midwest, were narrowed down to three companies to interview the first week of October for the position of construction manager. Those three are Core, Russell, and MCP Midwest.

The company selected as construction manager will oversee building and renovation of the school buildings in Toulon. The projected is considered a "renovation" because according to Stark School District Superintendent Brett Elliott, "We are not building a completely new building.

"We will build a new addition that will become the academic portion of the high school and then demolish the current academic portion. New hallways will be

added for better flow from the junior high to high school and the junior high will get flooring, cosmetic upgrades and an elevator," Elliott added.

Four seats on the school board are going to be "open" and board members who are up for re-election in April, 2021, - if they choose to run again - are Emily Holman, Beth Rumbold, Ann Orwig and Brian Rewerts

Persons interested in running for the school board who are from Stark County's school district should contact Heather Hollis for particulars at the Stark County clerk's office.

The board approved the hosting of a COVID-19 testing clinic at the high school parking lot on Saturday, Oct. 10, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. The school district is working with OSF and the Henry-Stark Health Department to host this free community testing clinic.

The board also approved a plan to move from in-person learning to remote only learning if the school year is inter

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## Galva superintendent pleased so far

By Carol Townsend

GALVA - Galva Superintendent Doug O'Riley said Monday he was very pleased at how the Galva School District is getting along

with the many COVID-19 regulations. O'Riley told the school

board at Monday's meeting that the elementary staff is "phenomenal" in helping kids get into the school each day. He said that with parents just dropping off their children and not leaving their cars, it is a "tremendous safety improvement."

Elementary principal Mary Kelly agreed and said the students are doing very well. She said wearing masks has not been an issue and neither is social distancing.

"I couldn't be more proud of our teachers working four hours with no breaks,"

O'Riley said, while also giving credit to the Galva community. "Galva has had a count of 19-20 [COVID-19] cases for weeks. This is attributed to the community wearing masks and trying to keep everyone safe. I still hope we are still here in January and February."

With that in mind, O'Riley said classroom windows will be left slightly open this winter to let fresh air in. "Our energy cost will go up," he said.

The board unanimously approved a budget for 2020-21 with \$8,076,687 of revenue and \$7,409,766 in expenses.

The meeting began with a budget hear



Galva Nurse Krystal West received a special commendation from Principal Jerry Becker.

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## Two Toulon men drown in boating accident

WILLIAMSFIELD -Two Toulon men are dead after an apparent drowning at a strip-mine lake in Knox County last Saturday after-

Two Knox County Sheriff's deputies responded to a lake in the area of 2100 Illinois Route 180 north of Williamsfield at 1:27 p.m.

William J. Self, 40, and Lawrence R. Self, 26, were pronounced dead at the scene, according to the Knox County Sheriff's office. The bodies were reportedly located by Illinois Department of Natural Resources



William (left) and Lawrence Self

conservation police officers, who conducted a sonar search.

The Selfs had been reported missing on T Lake, a satellite site of Snakeden Hollow State Fish

and Wildlife Area managed by the Illinois Department of Natural

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A third man on the boat with the Selfs, Jacob L. Johnson, 30, of Kewanee, was arrested following the incident and is reportedly being

investigated for drunken boating. Preliminary autopsies did not indicate evidence of foul play.

An investigastion is ongoing. The IDNR, Williamsfield Fire and Victoria Fire Department assisted the sheriff's office in the investigation and recovery.

## **STARK CO.:** Graduation dates being discussed

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rupted by COVID-19 and the demand proves to make that move necessary either through an increase in local COVID cases or due to a new state

Discussed, but without action, were the dates for high school graduation and 8th grade promotion. This could be acted upon at the next board meeting.

Elliott suggested that the high school graduation occur at 3 p.m.

on Sunday, May 16, 2021, with the seniors' last day on May 14.

Also, 8th grade promotion could be held at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 19.

Dual participation in athletics at the junior high was approved due to the pandemic and the rearrangement of sports seasons.

In other action the board ap-

• The fiscal year 2020 audit report and the fiscal year 2021 budget.

• The letting of snow removal bids and a sole bid from AG View for fuel at a price of \$2.197 for gasoline and \$2.341 for diesel.

• The Future Green contract for the solar panel project.

• Hiring Jessica Joos as Pre-K bus monitor; student Thomas Perrine as crossing guard; Brittany Venson as the Rebel Reporter editor; Trey Swanson as head high school softball coach; and Sarah Steighorst as assistant high school softball coach.

## **COVID:** Stark County risk metric dropped to 'blue' in contact with someone who has us get a better idea of the prevalence of

vomiting and diarrhea.

Anyone may be tested; symptoms and referrals are not required and no appointment is needed for the tests.

"We want to encourage testing, especially if you think you have been in contact with someone who has COVID-19 or if you got a call from the health department telling you that you may have been exposed," said Duane Stevens of the Henry-Stark County Public Health Departments. "Additional community-based testing will also help

COVID-19 in our communities."

Through Sept. 21, Stark County had 50 confirmed COVID cases and Henry County had 624. Stark County's risk metric has moved from orange to blue, indicating a more stable level of cases.

## **GALVA:** 5 school board seats up for election

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The board unanimously declared the intention to issue \$1.3 million in working cash bonds. These will replace bonds that expired on the tax rolls. The new amount will be levied in November.

O'Riley said total enrollment this year is 493 students, including 278 in the Elementary School and 215 in the Junior High and High School. That's down from 506 last year. O'Riley said 45 seniors graduated in May and only 33 signed up for Kindergarten.

There are 61 elementary students staying home and 34 junior and senior high schoolers staying home doing their work on the computer. Twelve Pre-K students are not attending and getting work in packets.

The board approved eight seniors for early graduation requests. They will finish at the end of this semester in December.

The Galva school board will have five seats up for election in the spring.

The four-year term seats are for anyone not living in Galva Township. They are the seats of Andrew Larson, Darcy Jeffries and Gary Edmunds.

The two two-year seats are for anyone in Galva

Township. They are the seats of Tyler Glaser and Aaron King. Both King and Glaser were appointed after resignations.

John Van De Velde and Mike Clucas, both from Galva township, are not up for reelection.

Anyone interested in running can pick up their petition at the Circuit Clerk's office at the Henry County Courthouse or may download it.

In other business, the board:

· Accepted a notice of intent to retire for Dawn Peters at the conclusion of the 2023-24 school year.

• In personnel, approved: Brandon Hulstrom, volunteer junior high baseball coach; Sarah Townsend, 8th grade volleyball coach; Rachel Remmert, 7th grade vollevball coach: Dan Russell girls varsity high school

basketball coach; Bridgette Swanson, girls frosh-soph basketball coach; Josh Morris, girls varsity track coach; Tayler Kuenneth, girls junior high track coach; Michelle Mersman, high school cheerleading coach; Karissa Haptonstall, junior high cheerleading coach; Valerie Furrow, head coach cross country; Chris Johnson, cross country assistant coach; Ali Weston, junior high and high school dance and drill coach; Josh Harris, boys high school basketball coach; Mitch Boston, boys high school basketball assistant coach; Patrick Sloan, 8th grade boys basketball coach; David Platt, 7th grade boys basketball coach; Jen DeCrane, girls high school softball coach; Josh Harris, junior high boys track coach; Adam Norway, high school and iunior high scholastic bowl

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## Traffic citations & Ordinance violations

9-16-20 – Svetlana B. Meaker - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

**9-16-20** – Joshua S. Buhs - Driving 11-14 mph above limit.

9-16-20 – Derek W. Turnquist - Driving 21-25 mph above limit.

**9-16-20** – Thomas F. Keyser - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

**9-16-20** – Shawn M. Hohenbery - Driving 11-14 mph above limit.

9-17-20 – Stephanie L. Vandermeersch - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

**9-17-20** – Bruce T. Vinson - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

**9-17-20** – Nathaniel A. Montgomery - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

**9-15-20** – Mathew J. Swartzendruker - Driving 21-25 mph above limit.

**9-19-20** – Gizelle D. Araiza - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

**9-20-20** – Steven A. Hausler - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

**9-20-20** – Christopher A. Karn - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

**9-20-20** – Maria D. Pereda - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

**9-18-20** – Mike D. Mc-Cartney - Driving 21-25 mph above limit.

**9-18-20** – Meghan Rainey - Driving 21-25 mph above limit.

**9-22-20** – Donald W. McGlasson - Operating an uninsured motor vehicle.

**9-22-20** – Amy L. Howell - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

**9-22-20** – Amy L. Howell - Operating an uninsured motor vehicle.

**9-21-20** – Charles K. Rice - Driving on a revoked license.

**9-21-20** – Charles K. Rice - Driving 15-20 mph above limit.

## Felonies & Misdemeanors

9-13-20 – Riley K. Musselman - Criminal misdemeanor - disorderly conduct.

9-11-20 – Ricardo Gutierrez - Criminal felony - Driving on a revoked/ suspended license DUI.

**8-8-20** – Brant Robert Knowles - Criminal felony - Burglary (2 counts).

9-1-20 – Phillip D. Adams - Criminal felony -Theft/stolen/intent \$500 < \$10,000.

## Incidents & Accidents Stark County

9-15-20 – A minor, two-vehicle accident occurred on North Galena Avenue, in Wyoming, just south of Van Buren Street. Drivers involved were Amber M. Bays, 34, of Wyoming, and Brienna L. Traver, 21, of Bradford. No injuries were reported but Bays was ticketed for improper backing.

**9-18-20** – A coyote-related vehicle accident occurred on 650E. The



driver involved was Donovan P. Ford, 19, of Toulon. The vehicle sustained over \$1,500 in damages.

9-14-20 – Diana Garibay, 34, Kewanee, was arrested for driving on a suspended license, and for speeding 75 mph in a 55 zone. She posted \$250 cash bond and was released with a court date to appear.

9-15-20 – Brant R. Knowles, 18, Toulon, was arrested on a count one burglary charge, and a Class 2 felony burglary charge. He was released with a notice to appear.

9-15-20 – Amanda
J. Brunswig, of Toulon,
reported a theft of two
bicycles and some jewelry
from her residence. The
incident remains under
investigation.

9-17-20 – Connie Howell, of Toulon, reported the theft of her rear license plate from her vehicle along with a political sign from her yard.

9-17-20 – Crystal Murphy, of LaFayette, reported a theft from her residence of several items. The incident remains under investigation.

9-17-20 – Renee M. Rose, 18, Bradford, was cited for speeding 70 mph in a 55 mph zone and for driving without insurance. She was issued a court date to appear.

9-18-20 – Dylan D. Robinder, Toulon, reported criminal damage and theft from a vehicle he had in storage.

9-19-20 – Jacob D. Donaldson, 33, Charleston, was cited for driving without a valid driver's license, and failure to signal when required. He was issued a notice to appear.

#### Galva Report

9-14-20 – Officer dispatched to attempt to locate an abandoned vehicle south of Galva for Knox County. Officer was unable to locate.

**9-14-20** – Officer dispatched to the 00 block of NW 4th Ave. for a report involving an attempted phone scam.

9-14-20 – Officer dispatched to the 300 block of SW 4th Ave. for a loose dog complaint. Officer was not able to locate dog.

**9-14-20** – Officer dispatched to the 00 block of SE 5th Ave. for a prowler complaint.

9-15-20 – Officer dispatched to the 200 block of Exchange Street to check the welfare of a motorist who was reportedly driving poorly. The subject said he was fine. 9-15-20 – Officer dispatched to the 200 block of Morgan Road for an aggressive pit bull complaint. The dog bit another dog before running away. There were no injuries to the victim dog and the pit bull was not located.

9-15-20 – Officer dispatched to the north edge of town to attempt to locate a vehicle involved in a reckless driving complaint. Unable to locate the vehicle.

9-15-20 – Officer, along with Stark County Medic, dispatched to a residence on NE 2nd Street for a possible overdose.

9-16-20 – As the result of a traffic stop in the 1000 block of SW 2nd Street, Yolanda Housley, 43, Kewanee, was arrested for driving while license suspended. She was released with a required court date.

9-16-20 – Officer, along with the Fire Department and Stark County Medic, were dispatched to the 00 block of SW 4th Street for an activated fire alarm. A resident had a fire in the stove. Firemen were able to extinguish the fire and reset the alarm.

9-16-20 – Officer dispatched to the 800 block of NE 3rd Ave. for a loose dog complaint. The dog was captured and impounded.

9-16-20 – Officer, along with the Fire Department, were dispatched to an activated fire alarm in the 900 block of SE 2nd Street. It was a false alarm.

9-16-20 – Officer dispatched to the 500 block of West Division Street for an alarm at the power substation. Ameren was notified for repairs.

9-17-20 – Officer dispatched to the 800 block of NE 3rd Ave. for a dog-bite complaint. There were no injuries noted. Officer spoke with the dog owner and reminded him of the leash law.

9-17-20 – Officer dispatched to the 600 block of NW 4th Street for a prowler complaint.

9-18-20 – While patrolling in the 300 block of Front Street, officer came upon a single-vehicle accident involving a golf cart.

After investigating, Barry Millender, 50, Galva, was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol, operating an uninsured vehicle, and failure to notify the secretary of state of a change of address. He was given a notice to appear on these charges and released with a required court date.

9-18-20 – Officer dispatched to the west edge of town to attempt to locate a vehicle that was reportedly driving recklessly. The officer was unable to locate.

9-18-20 – Officer dispatched to the 100 block of SE 3rd Street for an ongoing issue with a barking dog. The animal owner was advised of the complaint and warned about the ongoing issue.

**9-18-20** – Officer assisted Henry County with a possible prowler report about three miles west of town.

**9-19-20** – Officer dispatched to the 300 block of NE 1st Ave. for a theft report.

9-19-20 – Officer dispatched to the 500 block of SE 3rd Street in reference to a harassment by telephone complaint.

9-20-20 – Officer dispatched to the 400 block of NE 1st Street to assist a citizen who dropped an item into the storm drain. The item was recovered and returned.

9-20-20 – Officer dispatched to the 100 block of NW 2nd Street to assist a dog that had its paw stuck in the fence.

**9-20-20** – Officer dispatched to a barking dog complaint in the 100 block of SE 3rd Street.

9-17-20 – Franziska Hurliman, 27, was issued a citation for expired registration in the 100 block of SE 3rd Street.

9-19-20 – A 17-yearold male from Kewanee was issued a citation for speeding in the 600 block of South Center Ave.

#### **Property Transfers**

9-14-20 – Nancy J. and Rick L. Heaton to James D. Addis, Trustee - Pt 8-12-5 NE - Consideration = \$140,000.00.

9-16-20 – Manlius Oil Company, Inc. to Bureau Service Co. - Doty Subdivision - Pt 26-14-7 NW - 16386 State Route 40, Bradford. Consideration = \$346,700.00.

9-16-20 – Gwen J. Wallace to James D. Moats-Henderson & Whitaker's Add'n - Pt 22 lots 4 & 5 -208 W. Commercial Street, Toulon. Consideration = \$70,000.00.

9-18-20 – David L. and Joni M. Rumbold to Robert S. and Veronica Maher - Pts 19-12-7 NW -Consideration = \$0.00.

9-18-20 – Delta Painting & Prefinishing Co., Inc. to Illinois Postal Holdings, LLC - Castleton Block 3 Lots 1,2,3 - 219 Main Street, Castleton. Consideration = \$64,700.00.

**9-18-20** – Jerry D. Wilson to Village of Bradford - Pt Lot 10 - 164 W. Main Street, Bradford. - Consideration = \$0.00.

#### Marriages

9-17-20 – Lindsey Mae Wexell, Toulon and Joseph William Derry, Toulon. Toulon Curbside Cleanup SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3RD Material needs to be at the curb by 6AM

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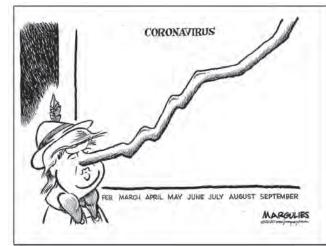
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#### **PERSPECTIVES**





## Farming Matters: Thank a Farmer's family too

Many posts on Facebook or some commercials reference

thanking a farmer. There is even a national day for it (Oct.12). I see these and think absolutely, let's thank the farmer for putting in the long hours and feeding/clothing

the world. But don't just thank the farmer...

Thank his wife or mother or mother-in-law for cooking and delivering those meals to tailgates in the middle of nowhere or to sheds filled with farmers they weren't expecting. Thank those women for making a special trip to town to pick up a part they have never seen before and pray to God it's the right one.

Thank the wife/mother who stops whatever she's doing to help the boys switch fields. She does all of this on top of everything else she does on the day to day basis.

Thank the farmer's children for being okay with only seeing their dad for a brief moment while he eats his meals. They've come to realize this is just their way of life and the kids are okay with it, as long as they get to go a round or two in the field with dad.

The Stark County Farm Bureau will be out and about today and some next week to deliver out "Feed the Farmer Bags" as a small thank you for what these families do each year.

Have a safe and happy harvest!

## Vote 'No' for judge Tom Kilbride

Dear Editor:

Buried at the bottom of your ballot is one of the most important issues facing Illinois voters this fall. The question is: Shall Tom Kilbride be retained on the Illinois Supreme Court: Yes or No. I strongly recommend a No vote. Here's why:

Have you ever wished you could vote against Mike Madigan? Now you can!

For 20 years on the court, Kilbride has been a puppet of Chicago Democratic boss Mike Madigan, who put Kilbride on the court with almost \$4 million in campaign contributions.

Kilbride has returned the favor by always voting Madigan's way against term limits, against public employee pension reform, and against a citizen initiative to take redistricting out of Madigan's hands and give it to an independent commission.

In 2016, Kilbride authored the notorious 4-3 decision that denied 8 million Illinois registered voters our constitutional right to have a say on how Illinois should draw its legislative and congressional districts - all to protect one man and his power.

Tom Kilbride has been on the bench 20 years. He wants 10 more. If we reject him, there will be an honest-to-goodness election to replace him. Don't you think an election for our judges at least once every 20 years make sense.

We must knock Madigan's puppet off the court. Please vote No.

- Jim Nowlan, Toulon

### COVID more newsworthy than search for child

To the Editor:

I'm writing to voice my displeasure over the article on front page

of the news this past week. The COVID-19 cases in Stark County are rising exponentially yet you choose to focus on a child who has to live with your bold print headline.

Because the county was so involved in that situation, I understand the mention. But that is all it should have been and on Page 8. It's no one else's business.

Maybe it's time to focus on the growth of COVID in our county and the number of people who refuse to believe it's real and not a hoax and who refuse to wear masks or practice social distancing.

Leave children alone. It's the right thing to do.

- Mary Canady, Toulon

#### Pritzker's political games hurt the unemployed To the Editor:

Unemployed Illinoisans are at a

disadvantage when it comes to federal unemployment dollars, and they have Gov. J.B. Pritzker to blame for it because he decided to play politics with the federal government rather than secure funds through the Lost Wages Act. This new federal program provides an additional \$300 a week to those who experienced a COVID-19 related job loss.

There is up to \$44 billion available in the program, which is up for grabs by the states on a first-comefirst-served basis. However, amid the bickering, the Pritzker administration failed to promptly apply to the program and as a result, Illinois was approved late.

Not only did the Governor's procrastination put Illinoisans behind those in other states who are receiving payments, but they are now left to also wait for an undetermined

amount of time on the troubled Illinois Department of Employment Security (IDES) to issue these payments. Even then, it is unknown how long these payments will last.

For someone who often says he is looking out for our most vulnerable, this is quite the contradiction.

While in the midst of the Pritzker's feud with the federal government over this program, here in Illinois we continue to see our own unemployment system in shambles and unable to meet our constituents' needs.

We are six months into the pandemic and "call backs" at IDES either aren't happening or take several weeks, staff isn't properly trained to handle the issues, or the calls that do get answered are unproductive and solve little to nothing, leaving families wondering how to pay bills.

Despite months of pleas from legislators, things have yet to improve and our constituents are fed up. The lack of response is unacceptable.

While all these issues within IDES remain here in Illinois, it seems quite hypocritical for the governor to poke holes and critique the federal government when his own department continues to operate in a state of dysfunction. Illinois hasn't even been able to properly handle getting the first-round of federal benefits out of the door, yet Pritzker has the audacity to complain about the way the federal government is providing the second round of benefits.

Enough political games, governor. Real lives are being impacted.

- State Sen. Don DeWitte, 33rd
  - State Sen. Jil Tracy, 47th District
- State Sen. Brian Stewart, 45th District
- State Sen. Chuck Weaver, 37th





### **BRIEFS**

#### **Wyoming church seeks** disaster aid donations

WYOMING - Wyoming United Methodist Church is collecting items to help those affected by recent wildfires in California and the hurricane in Louisiana.

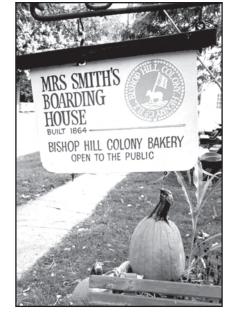
Items can be dropped off at the Wyoming Public Library, the church, or by contacting Pastor Rebecca Klemm at wyomingumcpastor@gmail.com.

The deadline for donations is Oct. 18. Monetary donations also accepted. The church needs to send an additional \$2 per kit for UMCOR to purchase toothpaste to add to the kits, and also must pay for the shipping.

Any additional funds would be used to purchase additional items for the kits.

#### **Bountiful Bargain Harvest Weekend**

BISHOP HILL - Shops, restaurants and museums of Bishop Hill will participate in a Bargain Harvest Weekend on Oct. 2-4. A variety of discounts and sale offers can be found at participating businesses



and restaurants during normal business hours.

Dinner will also be served at the Filling Station on Friday, P.L. Johnson's on Saturday, or the Colony Inn on either night.

Visitors who collect signatures from all the shops, restuarants and museums will be entered into a drawing for a gift basket at the Colony Store or the Vasa National

Archives. The drawing will be Sunday at 3:30 p.m.

Visitors are invited to participate in the activities found around town. The Bishop Hill State Museum will have a scavenger hunt. The Vasa National Archive will have a craft station available. Visitors can hunt for cut-out pumpkins hidden around town to win a special prize.

Masks and social distancing/capacity rules are enforced.

### **Peoples National Bank** acquires another bank

GALVA - Peoples National Bank of Kewanee and Reynolds State Bank are jointly announcing that they have reached an agreement by which Peoples National Bank of Kewanee will purchase Reynolds State Bank.

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## Coalition formed in opposition to Justice Kilbride

SPRINGFIELD - The Illinois Republican Party has announced it is starting a "Vote NO on Kilbride" grassroots coalition. The coalition is made up of more than 500 elected officials, community leaders and activists from across the 3rd Judicial District who publicly urge a "No" vote on the retention campaign of Supreme Court Justice Thomas Kilbride.

"I'm honored to be joined by so many leaders and reformers in calling for an independent state Supreme Court where the people of Illinois have a fair shake. Right now, they don't," said Tim Schneider, the Illinois GOP chairman. "Justice Kilbride is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Madigan Machine. After receiving \$2.8 million in campaign cash from Mike Madigan, Justice Kilbride delivered results that were great for the Speaker's pursuit of power and disastrous for the taxpayers of Illinois. That's why Kilbride is Madigan's favorite judge and why he must be defeated

in November."

Coalition members claim Justice Kilbride's Illinois Supreme Court under Madigan's control has blocked every major economic reform that could improve the state's legal and business climates namely pension reform, tort reform, and medical malpractice caps.

Kilbride successfully blocked term limits in 2014. In 2001, Kilbride was the deciding vote to uphold what the coalition calls "Madigan's gerrymandered map," and in 2016, Kilbride wrote the majority opinion striking down the citizen-led ballot ("Fair Maps") initiative that would have given voters a say in redistricting and taken the power away from Madigan to draw gerrymandered maps.

Among the coalition members are Illinois Republican Congressmen Adam Kinzinger, IL-16 Congressman; Darin LaHood, IL-18 Congressman; Mike Bost, IL-12 Congressman: Rodney Davis, IL-13 Congressman; John Shimkus, IL-15

Congressman and Statewide Leaders Jim Durkin, House Minority Leader; Bill Brady, Senate Minority Leader; Tim Schneider, ILGOP Chairman; Richard Porter, RNC National Committeeman; Demetra Demonte, RNC National Committeewoman; Mark Shaw, ILGOP Co-Chair & President of Republican County Chairman's Association.

**Local Stark County** members include: Mike Bigger, Stark County GOP Chairman & State Central Committeeman; Steven Sloan, Stark County Sheriff; Jim Nowlan, Former State Representative; Thomas Howes, Activist; Lee Hager, Activist; Melissa Shipp, Activist; Tim McMillen, Activist;

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## Deer hunters urged to be safe in tree stands

With the Illinois archery deer season opening Oct. 1, deer hunters will soon start heading to the woods

Tree stand falls are one of the most common hunting injuries that can be prevented with some simple safety measures such as always wearing a harness and choosing a sturdy tree.

"Shortcuts lead to accidents, and there's not a deer out there that's worth falling 15 feet to the ground," says Curt Sinclair, University of Illinois Extension 4-H natural resources and shooting sports specialist.

From 2015 to 2019, 90 percent of all non-firearm or bow accidents happened when a hunter fell from an elevated tree stand, according to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources.

Sinclair has taught hunter safety for 30 years and leads the Illinois 4-H Shooting Sports program, which includes a hunting and outdoor skills curriculum for youth that emphasizes safety and responsibility

Deer hunters use stands, usually attached 10 to 18 feet up a tree, for a variety of reasons. The elevated position allows a clear line of sight over brush and the angle of projectiles is directed toward the ground.

"There's a lot of advantages to being above the ground, but the biggest disadvantage is you can fall," Sinclair says. "Being up in a tree is one of the most dangerous parts of deer hunting which is why you can't learn too much."

Hunters should pick a tree that is sturdy and straight with no obvious signs of disease or damage such hanging limbs that could fall. Oak trees with a trunk 8 to 16 inches in diameter are a good option.

Tree stands are most dangerous during the installation and take

own

"Whenever you are off the ground, even if it's 1 foot, you need to wear a safety harness that is attached to the tree," Sinclair says. "If you don't have a harness on and you're using both hands to work on something, you're in a dangerous situation."

Tree stand safety tips:

- Leave enough time, do not install a stand the day you plan to hunt
- Select a sturdy, straight tree with a trunk 8-16 inches in diameter.
  - Always wear a safety harness.
  - Have a partner.
- Use a haul line to pull up gear instead of climbing with it.

To help hunters, Sinclair demonstrates how to safely install a ladder stand, a hang on stand or a climbing stand in a series of videos available on YouTube at go.illinois.edu/Tree-StandVideos

## **GOP** legislator apologizes about recorded comments

By Raymond Troncoso

Capitol News Illinois
SPRINGFIELD — Freshman state Rep. Amy Grant,
R-Wheaton, apologized
Monday after making
disparaging comments in a
recorded phone call about
her opponent, Ken MejiaBeal, which referenced his
race and sexual orientation.

In a Monday virtual news conference, state Reps. Will Davis, D-Hazel Crest, Greg Harris, D-Chicago, and Emanuel "Chris" Welch, D-Hillside, presented three short recordings of Grant from a single phone call, and said they would not release the full call.

In the call, Grant said Mejia-Beal, who is a gay, Black Democrat from Lisle, is afraid to travel to the heart of her district, "not because he's Black but because of the way he talks, he's all LGBTQ." In another clip Grant says Mejia-Beal is "just another one of the Cook County people... Another Black Caucus."

The three lawmakers called on Grant to offer a "sincere apology" to Beal, and the freshman Republican lawmaker issued an apology in an email release shortly before the news conference began. She also apologized in a voicemail

to Mejia-Beal.

"I deeply regret the comments I made about Ken Mejia-Beal, and reached out to apologize to him this morning. These comments do not reflect my heart or my faith," Grant wrote in a short statement.

The conversation was between Grant and an unnamed party. Details about who initiated the call are in dispute.

The Democratic lawmakers said Grant had originally called the individual as part of her fundraising efforts, and that was the subject of their call. The individual returned Grant's call and informed her the call was being recorded, according to the Democrats.

A spokesperson for state House Republican Leader Jim Durkin, R-Western Springs, disputed this story, however. In an email Monday, the spokesperson said Grant did not agree to be recorded, and the individual had actually initiated contact with Grant and identified themselves as a potential donor and supporter of Republican U.S. House candidate Jeannie Ives, who previously held Grant's seat.

The individual then turned the tape over to the Democratic caucus due to concerns about the comments.

Illinois is a two-party consent state, meaning it is illegal to record a phone conversation with a "reasonable expectation of privacy" unless all parties involved are aware and consent to the recording.

Davis said he was not sure when the call took place.

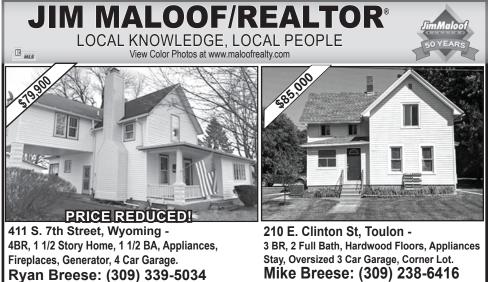
Later Monday, Mejia-Beal issued a statement criticizing Grant's apology and calling her comments "hurtful, degrading, and wholly unacceptable."

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### **OBITUARIES**

#### Terri Jo Burwell

TOULON - Terri Jo Burwell, 48, of Toulon, passed away at 7:29 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 16, 2020, at her residence. Terri was born on Aug. 21, 1972, in Kewanee, to Terry and Debra (Carter) Burwell of Wyoming; they survive.

Also surviving are one daughter, Shawna Burwell of Princeville; one

son, Devan Roach of Wyoming; two granddaughters, Aliyah Kaye and Serenity Ann; two brothers, Rick (Miranda) Burwell of Princeville and Jon (Lucretia) Randall of Wichita,



**Burwell** 

KS; a special aunt, Kathy Carter of Wyoming; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her fiancé, Adam Watson; maternal grandparents, Garland and Marjorie (Drinnin) Carter; and paternal grandparents, Henry & Ida Mae (Tracy) Burwell.

Terri was a nail technician who owned her own business, Bold & Beautiful, in Wyoming for several years. She loved camping, fishing, and being outdoors. She was very family-oriented and loved her children and grandchildren.

A graveside service will be at 11 a.m. Friday, Sept. 25, 2020, at Wyoming Cemetery. Haskell Funeral & Cremation Services in Wyoming is in charge of arrangements.

Memorial contributions may be made to Terri Jo Burwell Memorial Fund c/o State Bank of Toulon. Condolences may be left for Terri's family on her tribute wall at www. haskellfuneral.com.

#### Alice J. (West) Reynolds

DES MOINES, Iowa – Alice Jean (West) Reynolds, 89, of Des Moines. Iowa, formerly of Ankeny, went to be with the Lord on Sept. 22, 2020, mother of Cristin Wilson, Toulon, Ill.

Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 26, 2020, at Ankeny First United Methodist Church, Ankeny, Iowa. Alice will be buried at a later date in a private ceremony at the family cemetery in Whitten, Iowa.

Alice was born Sept. 11, 1931, to Harriet Lillian (Massee) and Harold William West of Marshalltown, Iowa. Alice married the love of her life, Ronald Nordquist Reynolds on Aug. 10, 1952. Ron passed away in June, 2019. To this union three children were born: Cheryl (Randy) Weisheit, Craig (Rene) Reynolds (deceased),

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and Cristin (Mark) Wilson. Alice had nine grandchildren and eight greatgrandchildren.

Alice received her education from the Marshalltown school system. She graduated from MHS in 1949 and Iowa State Teachers College (University of Northern Iowa) in 1951.

Alice was a pre-school teacher and taught for over 30 years. She was affectionately known as "Miss Alice." She was very active in the Beta Sigma Phi sorority and P.E.O. Alice was an avid gardener, seamstress, and a wonderful cook. She absolutely loved sunflowers.

Many a summer was spent at Alice and Ron's lake cabin at Holiday Lake in Brooklyn, Iowa. Family and friends loved going to the cabin, where they could fish, boat, water ski and enjoy evening bonfires eating s'mores.

Alice and Ron became snowbirds for many winters and in 2001, moved to St. Petersburg, Fla., where they enjoyed fresh seafood and all the wonders of Florida. They moved back to Iowa in 2017.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorials be given to Beaverdale Estates (4610 Douglas Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50310) for Alice's Memorial Garden.

#### Shirley M. Vaughn

BRADFORD - Shirley Mae Vaughn, 82, of Bradford, Ill., died at 8:32 a.m. on Monday, Sept., 2020, at OSF St. Joseph Medical Center, Bloomington, Ill.

She was born Oct. 17, 1937, in Havana, Ill., the daughter of Clyde and Anne (Gregory) Coats.

Shirley married Dale Vaughn on

Nov. 17, 1955, in Havana.

He preceded her in death.

Survivors include two sons: Keith Vaughn of Bradford and Kent (Cindy) Vaughn of St. Joseph, Mich.;

one daughter,

Karen Prina of Bradford; seven grandchildren: Aaron Vaughn of Mapleton, Ill., Ryan Vaughn of Peoria, Olivia Vaughn of St. Joseph, Emma Vaughn of St. Joseph, Zoe Vaughn

of St. Joseph, Charlie Vaughn of St. Joseph, and Ashlee Prina of Wenona, Ill.; two great-grandchildren: Avery and Jace Stratton of Wenona; three brothers and one sister.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, and one sister, Rita Smith.

Shirley graduated from Havana High School. She worked at People's National Bank in Bradford from 1985-2002. She was a member of the Leet Memorial United Methodist Church of Bradford and a longtime member of the Bradford TOPS.

Shirley loved old movies, reading, cooking and canning. She enjoyed time spent around the kitchen table talking to family and friends. Shirley's kitchen always had homemade pickles and relish for the family and her special lemon sugar cookies for the grandkids. She was wonderful mother, grandmother and greatgrandmother.

Cremation rites will be accorded at Grant-Johnson Funeral Homes, Inc crematory in Princeton, Ill., and inurnment will take place in Walkers Grove Cemetery, Easton, Ill., at a later date.

Memorials may be directed to the Leet Memorial United Methodist Church. Online condolences may be sent to www.grant-johnsonfh.com.

#### Lawrence Self

TOULON - Lawrence "Larry" Self, 26, of Toulon, died Sept. 19, 2020, in rural Victoria. Visitation will be held from 5-8 p.m., Friday, Sept.25 at Rux Funeral Home in Kewanee. Graveside services will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 26 at Pleasant View Cemetery.

He was born April 18, 1994 in Kewanee, the son of Jack Self and Kathy Hansen. Survivors include his parents, his step father, Butch Johnson, his fiancée, Emily Lucas, and his four children; Ellaina, Lilly and Callie Self and Xaiden Quick-Self.

#### William Self

TOULON - William "Billy" Self, 40, of Toulon, died Sept. 19, 2020. Visitation will be 9-11 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 26, at Rux Funeral Home in Kewanee. A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

He was born June 1, 1980, in Kewanee, the son of William P. Self and Dorothy Jean Crain. Survivors include his companion Lacey Abbot, and four children: Jonathan Hallman of Kewanee, Haven Self and William Self (aka Liam) and Jeremy Self of Toulon, He included Catie Griffin of Kewanee as his adopted daughter.



## **GARAGE SALES**

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HELP WANTED: Driver for semi during harvest, 6 weeks work, \$20 per hour, clean driving record. Call (309) 285-5540.

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## State police warn about phone scam

METAMORA – Illinois State Police District 8 is warning the public of a recent phone scam. On Sept. 18, a District 8 Trooper took a report of a phone scam. The victim informed the trooper he received a phone call from an unknown number with a local area code. The scammer told the victim that he had one of his family members and demanded a ransom.

"In the heat of the moment, these calls can be terrifying," said District 8 Commander Captain Chad Peterson. "Slowing down and taking a few additional steps could help you get out of a scam."

Here are tips from the Federal Trade Commission (FTC):

- Spot imposters Scammers often pretend to be someone you trust, like a government official, family member, charity, or a company you do business with.
- Do online searches Type a company or product name into the search engine with words like "review," "complaint" or "scam." You can even search for phone

numbers to see if other people have reported them as scams.

- Don't believe Caller ID Technology makes it easy for scammers to fake caller ID information.
- Don't pay up front Someone might ask you to pay in advance for debt relief, credit and loan offers, mortgage assistance, or a job.
- Consider how you pay Credit cards have significant fraud protection built in. but some payment methods don't. Wiring money through services like Western Union or MoneyGram is risky because it is nearly impossible to get your money back. That is also true for reloadable gift cards.
- Talk to someone Before you give up money or personal information, talk to someone you trust. Con artists want you to make decisions in a hurry.
- **Get free scam alerts** The FTC offers free scam alerts at ftc.gov/scams. Get tips and advice about scams via email.
  - Don't hesitate to call 911.

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### LEGAL ADS

#### **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

NOTICE IS HERERY GIVEN that a petition has been filed by Timothy & Natalie Ales, 203 Mulberry St., Lafayette, Illinois, directed to the Stark County Board of Appeals requesting a variance in setback requirements for property described as Village of La Fayette, Lots 7 & 8 Block 31.

The request for the variance is for the construction of a 26 x 43' shed that will be 5' from the rear property line or West line, rather than the 20' setback.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a hearing on said petition will be held before the Zoning Board of Appeals of the County of Stark. at the Courthouse at 130 West Main Street, Toulon, Illinois, at 7:00 p.m., on Monday, October 12, 2020, at which time and place all persons may be present and will be heard.

Renee L. Johnson **ZONING OFFICER** Published 9/25/20

#### **ASSUMED NAME PUBLICATION** NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that on September 18, 2020, a certificate was filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Stark County, Illinois, setting forth the names and post-office addresses of all persons owning, conducting and transacting the business known as Perfectly Polished Salon located at 122 E. Williams St., Wyoming, IL. 61491.

Dated September 18, 2020. /S/ Heather L. Hollis County Clerk

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#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE **TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT** STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

**ESTATE OF** No. 2020-P-

16 CAROLYN M. TAYLOR )

**DECEASED** 

#### **NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS AND NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY**

TO: Unknown Heir or Heirs, if any, of CAROLYN M. TAYLOR, Deceased, and to all persons unknown who may have a claim or interest in the Estate of CAROLYN M. TAYLOR, deceased.

Notice is given to the Unknown Heir or Heirs at Law, if any, of CAROLYN M. TAYLOR, deceased, whose name or names are unknown, and whose addresses are unknown, and that CAROLYN M. TAYLOR, deceased, died a resident of Toulon Rehabilitation and Health Care Center, Toulon, Illinois, on July 9, 2020, and that Charlene Rickey has been appointed as Administrator by Order of the Circuit Court of Stark County, Illinois,

Notice is hereby given of the death of CAROLYN M. TAYLOR on July 9, 2020, and that Letters of Administration were issued on September 11, 2020, to Charlene Rickey, 6719 N. Parkwood Drive. Peoria, IL 61614, whose attorney of record is Anne C. Rennick, P.O.

Box 90, Wyoming, IL 61491.

Claims may be filed on or before the 26th day of March, 2021 or 6 months from the date of the first publication of this Notice of Claim Day, whichever is later, and any Claim not filed on or before the date is barred.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Stark County Courthouse, Toulon, IL 61483, or with the Representative, or both, on or before (a) March 26, 2021. or (b) if mailing or delivery of a notice from the

Representative is required by the provisions of Section 18-3 of the Probate Act of 1975, the date stated in that notice. Any claim not filed on or before the aforementioned date(s) is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the Representative and to the Attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.

Dated: September 18, 2020 /S/ Anne C. Rennick

Anne C. Rennick Attorney for: Estate of Carolyn M. Taylor P.O. Box 90 Wyoming, IL 61491 Ph: (309)-695-4701

Email: acrennick@vahoo.com

Fax: (309)-695-2119

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#### \*\*\* IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE **TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT** STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

Nancy A. Loughe No. 2020-P-17

Notice is given of the death of Nancy A. Loughe. Letters of Office were issued on September 11, 2020, to Donald R. Loughe, 209 S. Chestnut Street, Kewanee, IL, 61443, as Independent Executor, whose attorney is Michael E. Massie, Massie & Quick, LLC, PO Box 205, Galva, Illinois

Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Stark County Circuit clerk, Courthouse. Toulon, Illinois 61483, or with the representative, or both, within six months from the date of first publication, March 16, 2021, and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within ten days after it has been filed.

Massie & Quick, LLC Attorneys for Estate 115 Northwest Third Avenue Galva, IL 61434 Telephone: (309) 932-2168 Published 9/25, 10/2, 10/9/20

## OSCEOLA TOWNSHIP PUBLIC NOTICE Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2020

#### **Town Fund Cash Recients**

Property tax \$63,245, state replacement \$2,519. interest \$263, and other income \$1,018. Total cash receipts \$67,045.

**Cash Disbursements** 

TOIRMA \$6,769, Transfers out \$20,000, Compensation under \$25.000 (M. Chamberlain, R. Moodie, J. Ellis, J. Young, S. Ehnle, W. Ringger, K. Logsdon) \$20.505, cash disbursements under \$2,500: \$15,885. Total cash disbursements \$63,159

		Town Fund	General Assistance	Cemetery Fund	TOTAL
	Balance March 31, 2019 Cash Receipts Cash Disbursements Balance	\$42,443 \$56,858 (\$59,225)	\$16,786 \$7,554 (\$2,050)	\$1,908 \$2,633 (\$1,884)	\$61,137 \$67,045 (\$63,159)
	March 31, 2020	\$40,076	\$22,290	\$2,657	\$65,023

#### Road & Bridge District

**Cash Receipts:** 

Property tax \$57,310, state replacement tax \$2,982, interest income \$430. and transfers in \$20,000. Total cash receipts \$80,722.

**Cash Disbursements** 

GCR Tire & Service \$2.983, Poignant Tree Service \$4,600, Purtscher Oil \$3.634, Ringger Trucking \$7,006, Stark County Collector \$2.512, Tri-Con Materials \$8.092, Compensation under \$25,000 (A. Koelling, W. Ringger) \$571, cash disbursements under \$2,500: \$21,545. Total cash disburse-

Dalamas	Road & Bridge Fund	Building & Equipment	Bridge Construction	TOTAL
Balance March 31, 2019 Cash Receipts Cash Disbursements Balance March 31, 2020	\$35,903 \$50,084 (\$46,938) \$39,049	\$5,769 \$4,464 (\$4,005) \$6,228	\$50,297 \$26,174 (-) \$76,471	\$91,969 \$80,722 (\$50,943) \$121,748

Subscribed and sworn to this 15th day of September 2020. I. Martha Chamberlain, Supervisor of Oscola Township, County of Stark, State of Illinois, do certify that the above is a true copy of the annual treasurer's report for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2020.

Martha Chamberlain, Supervisor

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### Amber Waves









Out on a Limb

by Gary Kopervas



#### R.F.D.

The Spats

I'VE HAD IT!! I'M THROWING OUT

THE TOWEL!







by Jeff Pickering



### Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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#### DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆

 Moderate ◆◆ Challenging ♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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For Answers See Page 3

### CryptoQuote

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KATZ VCSPSEK EA XVLSQJNE KATZ BZJVXN. - RAZSL LJXJR VIDEOS ON DEMAND 1. The King of Staten Island (R)

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1. GEOGRAPHY: Which modern city was originally named Byzantium?

2. AD SLOGANS: Which national company's slogan is "We'll leave a light on 3. ANATOMY: Which bone are babies

4. HISTORY: Which European monarch

6. MEDICAL TERMS: What is the condi-

7. ART: Which famous painting is also known as "La Gioconda"? 8. LITERATURE: Where does Winnie the-Pooh live with his friends?

9. MUSIC: Which country is the rock

10. FOOD & DRINK: What is the pri-

mary ingredient in traditional hummus?

3. Kneecaps, which develop after birth

6. A noticeable gap between two teeth

5. A Gaelic festival Oct. 31-Nov. 1 celebrating the end of the harvest and

group AC/DC from?

4. Louis XIV of France

beginning of winter

7. Mona Lisa 8. Hundred Acre Wood 9. Australia 10. Chickpeas

Answers 1. Istanbul, Turkey

2. Motel 6

was known as the "Sun King"?
5. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is

tion formally known as diastema?

born without?

2. Irresistible (R)

3. Robin's Wish (NR)

4. The 2nd (NR)

5. Rogue (R) 6. Hard Kill (R)

7. The Silencing (R)

8. 42 (PG-13)

9. Black Panther (PG-13) 10. The Vanished (R)

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## SPORTS: Dyken, Daum, Stahl earn medals

DON'T YOU MEAN THROWING "IN" THE TOWEL?

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and Jack Winans (11th, 22:01). Dyken, Daum and Stahl were awarded medals for their top five finishes in their respective races.

Stark County was to run again Wednesday, Sept. 23, in a home triangular with Annawan-Wethersfield and Princeville. Following that, the Rebels will run Sept. 30 at Princeville vs. the host team and Mid-County at 4 p.m.

• Golf – Mid-County golf placed eighth overall on Sept. 19 at Byron Hills Golf Course.

Jaxson Willer shot a 77 to finish eighth overall and place as sophomore medalist. Kaden Willer was next for Mid-County with a round of 83, while Noah Thompson shot 104 and Carson Malek carded a 106.

• IESA baseball - No. 5 seed Galva fell to No. 4 seed Williamsfield on Monday, 12-3, in Class 1A IESA junior high postseason baseball action.

In Class 2A action on Tuesday, No. 3 seed Stark County lost at No. 2 seed Monmouth United, 6-2.



Stark County medalists at the Sept. 16 triangular at Kewanee Dunes Golf Course were (left to right): Payton Stahl, Caden Daum and Alyssa Dyken.

• IHSA - The Illinois High School **Association Board of Directors** voted to expand the IHSA State Series in two fall sports, adding a second round of postseason play in boys and girls golf and boys and

girls cross country.

Golf sectionals are the week of Oct. 12-17, while cross country sectionals are Oct. 29-31. Host sites and meet dates will be announced

• IESA - The IESA recently announced formal dates for winter sports.

Junior high boys basketball practices may start Jan. 4, with games starting Jan. 16. Regionals for 7th grade start Feb. 20 and for 8th grade may begin Feb. 27.

Girls volleyball practice starts Jan. 11 with games allowed to start Jan. 23. Regionals for 7th grade start March 6 and for 8th grade may begin March 12.

Girls basketball practice starts March 8 with games starting March 20. Regionals for 7th grade are April 24, 26-30 and for 8th grade may begin on May 1.

Boys and girls track and field practice starts March 1 with meets starting March 15. Class 1A/2A sectionals are May 7-8.

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF WYOMING TAX INCREMENT FINANCING (TIF) DISTRICT NO. 2

The City of Wyoming, Stark County, Illinois, an Illinois Municipal Corporation, hereby gives Notice of a Public Hearing to be held at 5:30 p.m., Central Daylight-Saving Time, on Monday, October 12, 2020, at the Paramount Theater, 104 S. 7th Street, Wyoming, Illinois, to consider the proposed Wyoming Tax Increment Financing (TIF) District No. 2 Redevelopment Project Area, Plan and Projects. In order to promote social distancing, as required in the Governor's Executive Orders and Disaster Proclamations as well as State guidelines, a limited number of people will be physically present at the Public Hearing.

### The Public Hearing can be joined from a computer, tablet or phone as follows:

Website: https://www.tifillinois.com/cityofwyoming12oct2020.html Dial in number: +1 331-205-8805, Conference ID: 783 405 919#

All interested persons, including all taxing districts of which taxable property is included in the Area and the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity, will be given an opportunity to be heard at said Public Hearing and to file with the City Clerk written objections to any issues embodied in this notice, and are also invited to submit written comments, prior to the date of the Hearing, to the City at the following address: City of Wyoming, City Clerk, 108 E. Williams Street, Wyoming, Illinois 61491, or by email at: cityofwyoming@ hotmail.com. A Summary of the proposed Redevelopment Plan and Projects, and a Boundary Map and Legal Description of the Redevelopment Project Area are presented below. The Redevelopment Plan and Projects complies with the provisions of the "Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act". A copy of the proposed Wyoming TIF District No. 2 Redevelopment Plan and Projects is available at the City Clerk's Office, 108 E. Williams Street, Wyoming, Illinois for examination during regular business hours, 7:30 a.m. to noon and 12:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Please call City Hall to schedule an appointment. For further information, please contact Mayor Pat Maher, City of Wyoming, at (309) 695-4831.

### CITY OF WYOMING TIF DISTRICT NO. 2 SUMMARY OF PROPOSED REDEVELOPMENT PLAN & PROJECTS

Proposed Redevelopment Plan and Project Area: The City of Wyoming proposes to establish a Redevelopment Project Area and adopt a Redevelopment Plan and Projects pursuant to the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4 et. seq.] (the "Act") for the proposed "Wyoming Tax Increment Financing (TIF) District No. 2" to stimulate commercial, light industrial and residential development within the City. The intent of the Redevelopment Plan is to promote and protect the health, safety, morals, and welfare of the public, address blighted conditions in the proposed Area and institute conservation measures so as to remove and alleviate adverse conditions, encourage new private investment and reinvestment, and restore and enhance the tax base of the local taxing districts by undertaking public and private redevelopment projects within the specified Redevelopment Project Area. The Redevelopment Project Area (the "Area") for the proposed Wyoming TIF District No. 2 includes areas shown on the proposed Boundary Map and is legally described in the proposed Legal Description of the TIF Area. These properties have been neglected and have not benefitted from coordinated planning efforts by either public or private sectors. All properties within the proposed Area would substantially benefit by a series of proposed public and private redevelopment projects. Pursuant to the Act, the Area is not less in the aggregate than  $1\frac{1}{2}$  acres and the proposed Area includes only those contiguous parcels of real property and improvements thereon which would be substantially benefitted by a redevelopment project. The overall Area consists of 136 improved and vacant parcels, 91.2% of which qualify as a combination of "Blighted" and "Conservation" Areas as defined in the Act. Improved parcels display characteristics of age, dilapidation, obsolescence, deterioration, inadequate utilities, deleterious use and a lack of community planning. Vacant parcels in the Area display characteristics of obsolete platting, deterioration of adjacent properties, chronic flooding or contributing to flooding within the same  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) \left$ watershed and being blighted before becoming vacant. In addition, evidence of a lag in Equalized Assessed Valuation (EAV) growth is apparent throughout the Area as a whole and has been documented pursuant to data made available by Stark County. The Redevelopment Project Area as-a-whole has not been subject to growth and development through investment by private enterprise and would not reasonably be anticipated to be developed without the adoption of the proposed TIF District No. 2 Redevelopment Plan. By improving public infrastructure and encouraging new private investment throughout a designated Redevelopment Project Area, the City expects to create new employment opportunities, improve public services necessary for stimulating future population increases, further stimulate the local economy and improve the overall quality of life for its residents.

Long Term Goals and Objectives: The City intends to use the Wyoming TIF District No. 2 to redevelop property that is currently underutilized for commercial, light industrial and residential development in an effort to increase population, improve employment oppo expand and diversify the local real estate tax base, manage growth and increase the overall quality of life for its residents. The Redevelopment Plan will allow the City to alleviate and/or remove blighting conditions such as the lack of adequate public infrastructure, increase Wyoming's overall competitiveness in the region and institute public policies that are more conducive to such business development. The properties located within the Redevelopment Project Area will substantially benefit by a series of public and private redevelopment projects made possible with tax increment financing. The Redevelopment Project Area is not otherwise reasonably expected to be substantially improved or be further developed without the use of tax increment financing. The Wyoming TIF District No. 2 Redevelopment Plan is expected to include, but is not limited to, the following general long-term goals and objectives: (1) Eliminate or reduce those conditions which qualify the Redevelopment Project Area as a combination of "Blighted" and "Conservation" Areas; (2) Facilitate the construction, improvement and maintenance of public infrastructure, environmental remediation and other capital projects which the City finds is in furtherance of the Redevelopment Plan or necessary to encourage commercial, light industrial and residential development; (3) Construct, improve, upgrade and maintain storm water drainage and sanitary sewer lines and related infrastructure throughout the Redevelopment Project Area and contiguous Redevelopment Project Areas; (4) Construct, improve, upgrade and maintain antiquated and/or inadequate water lines and mains, as well as water storage facilities and related distribution systems throughout the Area and contiguous Redevelopment Project Areas; (5) Construct, improve, upgrade and maintain streets, amenities relating to information technology, street lighting, landscaping, curbs, alleys, parks, public green space, recreational amenities, signage, sidewalks, bike paths and other pedestrian walkways throughout the Area and contiguous Redevelopment Project Areas; (6) Encourage residential rehabilitation/renovation projects within the Redevelopment Project Area through the use of financial incentives offered by tax increment financing; (7) Enhance the tax base for the City and other

taxing districts through coordinated comprehensive planning efforts by either the public or private sectors to improve essential infrastructure, develop vacant properties, and upgrade/redevelop existing buildings; (8) Attract new commercial and light industrial development which complies with City zoning and land use ordinances, if applicable, increases assessed valuations and enhances the real estate tax base for the City, thereby also creating additional employment opportunities within the Wyoming community; (9) Encourage the development of new residential choices for retired persons and elderly residents over the next 20 years; (10) Encourage new residential development which will thereby help to adequately increase the City's population, expand the overall tax base of the community, sufficiently increase and maintain local school enrollments, and raise local economic thresholds to levels necessary to support new commercial retail development; (11) Attract new retail/commercial businesses and tourism development while also vigorously reinvesting in existing properties within the Redevelopment Project Area so as to increase retail business activity that will generate new local retail sales tax revenue for the City, Stark County and the State of Illinois; and (12) Undertake redevelopment projects which will further improve the overall quality of life, health and well-being of the Wyoming community.

**Description of Tax Increment Financing:** A TIF District establishes a geographic boundary (a redevelopment project area) in which new private investment is encouraged. A municipality may also issue obligations to finance improvements that will enable the redevelopment of deteriorated, blighted, or other key conservation areas within its corporate limits. By making public improvements, the municipality may invite new private investment so that the expected increase in property tax revenues can be captured, temporarily, to amortize the public improvements. A municipality may also choose to use TIF funds on a pay-as-you-go basis whereby revenue is spent as it is collected. In either case, it is expected that new investment in a designated area will stimulate a resurgence of population, employment, and assessed valuation throughout the entire community. It should be noted that TIF DOES NOT raise property taxes and it IS NOT a new tax or a new taxing district. Only an increased assessment or an overall increase in tax rates can raise taxes. TIF is merely used to reallocate increased property tax revenues created by increased assessed valuation that is realized after a TIF District is established. A TIF District may last for up to 23 years. With Tax Increment Financing, a property tax base is preserved during the life of the TIF District that will continue to pay for the basic public services the proposed redevelopment area already receives. New incremental property tax revenue in the City of Wyoming may be used to help pay for the infrastructure necessary for stimulating additional private-sector investment.

### CITY OF WYOMING TIF DISTRICT NO. 2 PROPOSED BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

PARTS OF SECTIONS 1 AND 2, TOWNSHIP 12 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN AND PARTS OF SECTIONS 35 AND 36 IN TOWNSHIP 13 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, CITY OF WYOMING, STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2; THENCE WESTERLY ON THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER AND THE SOUTH LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2 TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2; THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2 AND ITS EXTENSION NORTHERLY TO THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF STATE ROUTE NO. 17 (WILLIAMS STREET): THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE WEST LINE OF LOT 9 OF BLOCK 3 OF WILLIAM F. THOMAS ADDITION TO THE CITY OF WYOMING; THENCE NORTHERLY ON SAID WEST LINE AND THE WEST LINE OF LOT 2 IN SAID BLOCK 3 TO THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF THOMAS STREET; THENCE NORTHEASTERLY TO THE SOUTH-WEST CORNER OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT 86770, AS RECORDED IN THE STARK COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE; THENCE NORTHERLY ON THE WEST LINE OF SAID TRACT TO THE NORTH LINE OF SAID TRACT: THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH LINE AND THE NORTH LINE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT 62148, AS RECORDED IN THE STARK COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE, TO THE WEST LINE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT 2015-101850, AS RECORDED IN THE STARK COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE; THENCE NORTHERLY ON SAID WEST LINE TO THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF THE CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC RAILWAY; THENCE NORTHWESTERLY ON SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE SOUTHERLY EXTENSION OF THE WEST LINE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN BOOK 166, PAGE 83; THENCE NORTHERLY ON SAID WEST LINE AND ITS EXTENSION TO THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF OLIVE STREET; THENCE WESTERLY ON THE NORTH LINES OF TRACTS OF LANDS DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT 77151 AND DOCUMENT 89824, AS RECORDED IN THE STARK COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE, TO THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF THE CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC RAILWAY; THENCE SOUTHWESTERLY PERPENDICULAR TO THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC RAILWAY TO THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID CHICAGO ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC RAILWAY: THENCE NORTHY ERLY ON SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 35; THENCE NORTHERLY ON SAID WEST LINE TO THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH LINE TO THE WEST LINE OF THE EAST 120 ACRES OF EVEN WIDTH OFF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 35; THENCE NORTHERLY ON SAID WEST LINE TO THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF TOWNSHIP ROAD 690 NORTH: THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE TO ITS INTERSECTION WITH THE WEST LINE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT NUMBER 85630 AS RECORDED IN THE STARK COUNTY RECORDERS OFFICE, EXTENDED NORTHERLY; THENCE SOUTHERLY ALONG SAID NORTHERLY EXTENSION AND THE WEST LINE OF SAID TRACT TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID TRACT; THENCE EASTERLY TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID TRACT; THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID TRACT AND ITS EXTENSION NORTHERLY TO THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID TOWNSHIP ROAD 690 NORTH: THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE TO THE WEST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SEVENTH STREET; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID WEST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE WESTERLY EXTENSION OF THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF MAPLE STREET; THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID WESTERLY EXTENSION TO THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SEVENTH STREET; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE NORTH LINE OF LOT 6 OF BLOCK 4 IN CASTLE'S ADDITION TO THE CITY OF WYOMING: THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH LINE AND ITS EASTERLY EXTENSION TO THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF THE ALLEY OF SAID BLOCK 4; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE EASTERLY EXTENSION OF THE SOUTH LINE OF LOT 14 OF SAID BLOCK 4; THENCE WESTERLY ON SAID SOUTH LINE AND ITS EXTENSION TO THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SEVENTH STREET; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF WASHINGTON STREET; THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE NORTHERLY EXTENSION OF

THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF THE ALLEY OF BLOCK 6 IN CASTLE'S

ADDITION TO THE CITY OF WYOMING; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE AND ITS EXTENSION TO THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF FRANKLIN STREET; THENCE WESTERLY ON SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE EAST LINE OF LOT 4 OF KING'S SUBDIVISION TO THE CITY OF WYOMING; THENCE WESTERLY AND NORTHERLY ON SAID EAST LINE TO THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LOT 4, BEING ON A LINE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT 58457, AS RECORDED IN THE STARK COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE; THENCE WESTERLY AND SOUTHERLY ON LINES OF SAID TRACT TO THE NORTH LINE OF GENE GOOD SUBDIVISION TO THE CITY OF WYOMING; THENCE WESTERLY ON SAID NORTH LINE TO THE WEST LINE OF SAID SUBDIVISION; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID WEST LINE TO THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF GROVE STREET; THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE NORTHERLY EXTENSION OF THE EAST LINE OF LOT 8 OF GENE GOOD SUBDIVISION; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST LINE AND ITS EXTENSION TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID GENE GOOD SUBDIVISION; THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID SOUTH LINE TO THE WEST LINE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT 2013-100156; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID WEST LINE TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID DESCRIBED TRACT; THENCE SOUTHERLY TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 13 OF CHARLES S. WRIGLEY'S RE-SUBDIVISION OF A PART OF LOT 3 OF THE ASSESSOR'S SUBDIVISION OF SAID SECTION 35; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON THE WEST LINE OF SAID WRIGLEY'S RE-SUBDIVISION TO THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF VAN BUREN STREET; THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SIXTH STREET; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO ITS INTERSECTION WITH THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF THOMAS STREET; THENCE WESTERLY ON SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE WEST LINE OF LOT 2 IN BLOCK 2 OF THE WM. F. THOMAS ADDITION TO THE CITY OF WYOMING; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID WEST LINE AND ITS EXTENSION, AND THE WEST LINE OF LOT 9 IN SAID BLOCK 2 AND ITS EXTENSION TO THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF WILLIAMS STREET; THENCE WESTERLY ON SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE EAST LINE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCU-MENT 2018-104962, AS RECORDED IN THE STARK COUNTY RECORD-ER'S OFFICE; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST LINE AND ITS EXTENSION TO THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF AN ALLEY IN BLOCK 7 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWN, NOW CITY, OF WYOMING; THENCE WESTERLY ON SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF FIFTH STREET; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF ELM STREET; THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE NORTHERLY EXTENSION OF THE EAST LINE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT 2018-104656, AS RECORDED IN THE STARK COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID NORTHERLY EXTENSION AND SAID EAST LINE TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID TRACT; THENCE WESTERLY ON SAID SOUTH LINE OF SAID TRACT TO THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF FIFTH STREET; THENCE SOUTH-ERLY ON SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF AGARD STREET; THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SEVENTH STREET; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SOUTH STREET; THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE WEST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF MAIN STREET; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON THE SOUTHERLY EXTEN-SION OF SAID WEST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE NORTH LINE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT 2015-102141; THENCE EASTERLY ON SAID NORTH LINE TO THE EAST LINE OF SAID DE-SCRIBED TRACT; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST LINE TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID DESCRIBED TRACT; THENCE WESTERLY ON SAID SOUTH LINE AND ITS WESTERLY EXTENSION TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT 88324; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON THE EAST LINE OF SAID DESCRIBED TRACT TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID DESCRIBED TRACT; THENCE WESTERLY ON THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID DESCRIBED TRACT TO THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SEVENTH STREET; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON SAID EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE SOUTH LINE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT 2009-95325 AS TRACT 1 (SECTION 1); THENCE WESTERLY ON THE WESTERLY EXTENSION OF SAID SOUTH LINE TO THE WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION 1; THENCE NORTHERLY ON SAID WEST LINE TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

#### EXCEPTING THEREFROM THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PARCELS:

PART OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 12 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST OF THE 4TH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS; COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2, THENCE NORTH ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2 A DISTANCE OF 1211.0 FEET, THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 46 MINUTES EAST 33.0 FEET TO AN IRON PIPE ON THE EAST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF A PUBLIC HIGHWAY (1ST STREET), THE POINT OF BEGINNING, THENCE EAST PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF AGARD STREET 165.0 FEET, THENCE NORTH ALONG A LINE PARALLEL WITH THE EAST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID PUBLIC HIGHWAY (1ST STREET) TO A POINT ON THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID AGARD STREET, THENCE EASTERLY ALONG THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF AGARD STREET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 6 IN BLOCK 15 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWN OF WYOMING, THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE FAST LINE OF SAID LOT 6 TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 6, THENCE WESTERLY ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LOT 6 TO ITS INTESECTION WITH THE WEST LINE OF THE EAST 15 FEET OF LOT 5 IN SAID BLOCK 15 EXTENDED SOUTHERLY, THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE EAST 15 FEET OF SAID LOT 5 AND ITS EXTENSION SOUTHERLY TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE EAST 15 FEET OF SAID LOT 5, SAID POINT BEING ON THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SMITH STREET. THENCE WESTERLY ALONG THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID SMITH STREET TO THE WEST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF 4TH STREET, THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE WEST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID 4TH STREET TO THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF ELM STREET, THENCE WESTERLY ALONG THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF ELM STREET TO THE EAST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF 3RD STREET, THENCE SOUTHERLY ALONG THE EAST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF 3RD STREET TO THE SOUTH LINE OF AN ALLEY LOCATED IN BLOCK 11 IN THE ORIGINAL TOWN (NOW CITY) OF WYOMING, THENCE WESTERLY TO THE SOUTH LINE OF AN ALLEY ON THE WEST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID 3RD STREET IN BLOCK 12 IN THE ORIGINAL TOWN (NOW CITY) OF WYOMING, THENCE WESTERLY ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID ALLEY TO ITS INTERSECTION WITH THE WEST LINE OF LOT 2 IN SAID BLOCK 12 EXTENDED SOUTHERLY, THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG SAID SOUTHERLY EXTENSION AND THE WEST LINE OF SAID LOT 2 TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 2, SAID POINT ALSO BEING ON THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF ELM STREET, THENCE WESTERLY ALONG THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF ELM STREET TO THE EAST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID 1ST STREET, THENCE SOUTH-ERLY ALONG THE EAST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID 1ST STREET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL SITUATED IN THE CITY OF WYOMING, STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

#### ALSO EXCEPTING:

THAT PART OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PARCEL LYING WEST OF THE WEST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF 1ST STREET:

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A TRACT OF LAND LOCATED IN A PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 12 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, MORE PARTICULARLY BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS AND BEARING ARE FOR THE PURPOSE OF DESCRIPTION ONLY: COMMENCING AT AN IRON ROD AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2; THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREES 18 MINUTES 15 SECONDS WEST, ALONG THE EAST LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2, A DISTANCE OF 1991.82 FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGIN-NING FOR THE TRACT TO BE DESCRIBED; THENCE CONTINUING SOUTH 00 DEGREES 18 MINUTES 15 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE EAST LINE OF THE NORTHWEST OUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2. A DISTANCE OF 44.20 FEET: THENCE NORTH 84 DEGREES 46 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST, 754.57 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE SOUTH 76 DEGREES 10 MINUTES 02 SECONDS WEST, 77.24 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE NORTH 87 DEGREES 36 MINUTES 56 SECONDS WEST, 250.06 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE NORTH 04 DEGREES 25 MINUTES 31 SEC-ONDS EAST, 8.0 FEET EAST OF AND PARALLEL WITH THE EAST LINE OF A SHED, 160.00 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE SOUTH 83 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 35 SECONDS EAST, 143,64 FEET TO AN IRON ROD: THENCE SOUTH 64 DEGREES 21 MINUTES 23 SECONDS EAST, 192.00 FEET TO AN IRON ROD: THENCE SOUTH 84 DEGREES 12 MINUTES 45 SECONDS EAST, 752.28 FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING AND

CONTAINING 1.77 ACRES, MORE OR LESS A TRACT OF LAND LOCATED IN A PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 12 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST OF THE 4TH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS. MORE PARTICULARLY BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2; THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREES 18 MINUTES 15 SECONDS WEST. ALONG THE EAST LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SEC-TION 2, A DISTANCE OF 2036.02 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF A 1.77 ACRE TRACT; THENCE NORTH 84 DEGREES 46 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 754.57 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE SOUTH 76 DEGREES 10 MINUTES 02 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 77.24 FEET; THENCE NORTH 87 DEGREES 36 MINUTES 56 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 250,06 FEET TO AN IRON ROD AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID 1.77 ACRE TRACT AND THE PLACE OF BEGINNING FOR THE TRACT TO BE DESCRIBED. THE LAST THREE (3) NAMED COURSES BEING ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID 1.77 ACRE TRACT; THENCE NORTH 87 DEGREES 36 MINUTES 56 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 65.66 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE NORTH 04 DEGREES 25 MINUTES 31 SECONDS EAST, A DISTANCE OF 165.12 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE SOUTH 83 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 35 SECONDS EAST, A DISTANCE OF 65.68 FEET TO AN IRON ROD AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID 1.77 ACRE TRACT: THENCE SOUTH 04 DEGREES 25 MINUTES 31 SECONDS WEST, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID TRACT, A DISTANCE OF 160,00 FFFT TO THE PLACE OF BEGIN-

NING AND CONTAINING 0.24 ACRES, MORE OR LESS.

#### ALSO EXCEPTING:

A TRACT OF LAND LOCATED IN A PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 2. TOWNSHIP 12 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, MORE PARTICULARLY BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS AND BEARINGS ARE FOR THE PURPOSE OF DESCRIPTION ONLY: COMMENCING AT AN IRON ROD AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 35, TOWNSHIP 13 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN; THENCE SOUTH 330 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE ORIGINAL CEMETERY GROUNDS OF THE CITY OF WY OMING: THENCE WEST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID CEMETERY GROUNDS, 376.90 FEET TO A PIPE AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF AN EXISTING 3.93 ACRE TRACT; THENCE SOUTH 88 DEGREES 53 MIN-UTES WEST, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID 3.93 ACRE TRACT, 82.80 FEET TO A PIPE AND THE PLACE OF BEGINNING FOR THE TRACT TO BE DESCRIBED; THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREES 09 MINUTES 30 SECONDS EAST, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID CEMETERY GROUNDS, 436.04 FEET TO AN IRON ROD: THENCE NORTH 53 DEGREES 16 MINUTES AND 15 SECONDS WEST, 242.56 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE NORTH 56 DEGREES 54 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST, 330.76 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE NORTH 01 DEGREES 26 MINUTES 09 SECONDS EAST, 56.08 FEET TO AN IRON ROD AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID 3.93 ACRE TRACT; THENCE NORTH 83 DEGREES 23 MINUTES 44 SECONDS EAST, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID 3.93 ACRE TRACT, 472.01 FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, AND CONTAINING 2.60 ACRES, MORE OR LESS; SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF STARK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS.

#### **ALSO EXCEPTING:**

A PART OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION TWO (2), TOWNSHIP TWELVE (12) NORTH, RANGE SIX (6) EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, MORE PARTICULARLY BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION TWO (2); THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 19 MINUTES WEST, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER THIRTY-THREE (33) FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE NORTH FOUR HUNDDRED FIFTY AND FOUR TENTHS (450.4) FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 19 MINUTES WEST, FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY EIGHT AND FIVE TENTHS (438.5) FEET TO AN IRON ROD; SAID IRON ROD BEING THE PLACE OF BEGINNING FOR THIS DESCRIPTION:

THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 19 MINUTES WEST, FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE AND NINE TENTHS (525.9) FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 21 FEET FAST, FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY

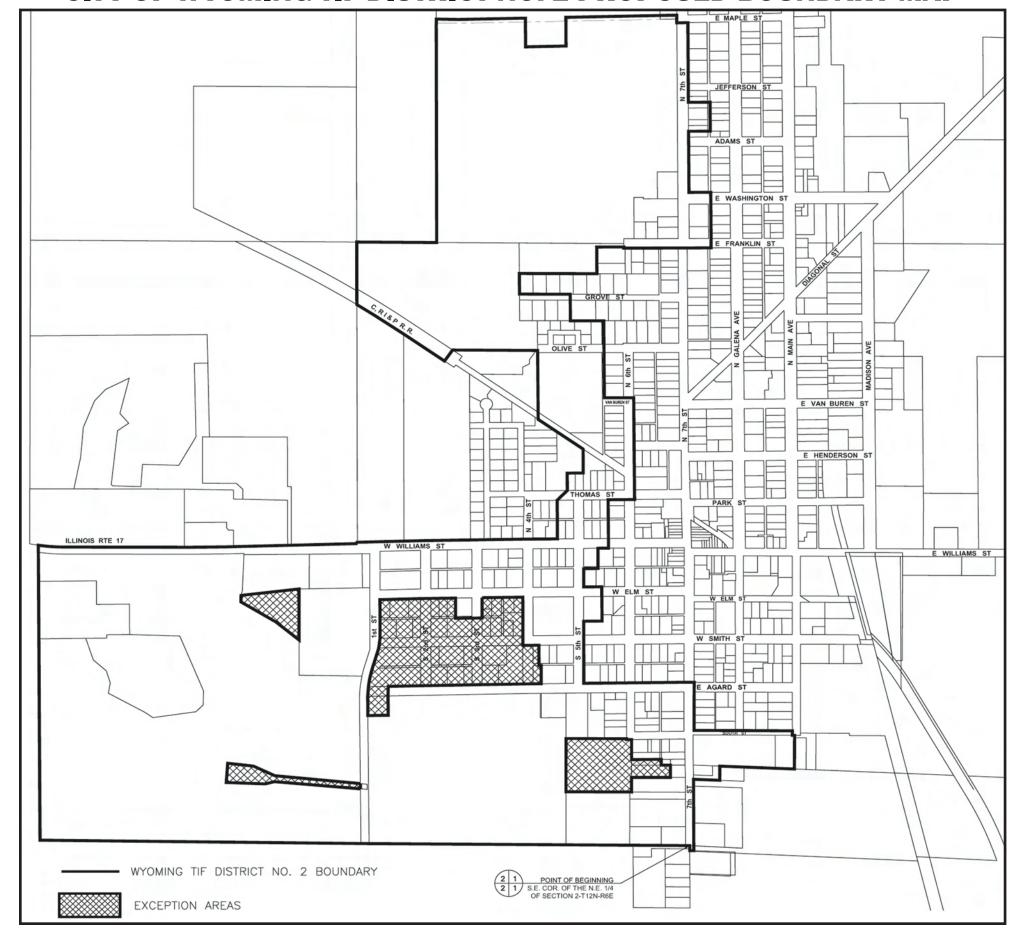
TWO AND TWO TENTHS (452.2) FEET TO AN IRON ROD, ALONG AN EXISTING FENCE AND PROPERTY LINE BY POSSESSION. (SAID LAST MENTIONED BEARING BEING IN ERROR IN A WARRANTY DEED OF RECORD IN BOOK 89, PAGE 430, FROM SAMUEL B. ADAMS AND WIFE TO CHARLES P. DANCER, WHEREIN SAID BEARING APPEARS AS BEING "N 30 DEGREES E"). THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 13 MINUTES EAST ALONG AN EXISTING FENCE AND PROPERTY LINE BY POSSESSION, FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY-THREE AND SIX TENTHS (523.6) FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE SOUTH TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING.

#### ALSO EXCEPTING:

A PART OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 12 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN. STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 19 MINUTES WEST, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2, A DISTANCE OF 33 FEET; THENCE NORTH 33 FEET WESTERLY OF AND PARALLEL WITH THE EAST LINE OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2 AND ALSO BEING ALONG THE WESTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SBI ROUTE 91, A DISTANCE OF 574.40 FEET TO THE SOUTH-EAST CORNER OF DOC. NO. 2015-101690 AS RECORDED AT THE STARK COUNTY RECORDERS OFFICE, THENCE WESTERLY ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID TRACT 120 FEET MORE OR LESS TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING, SAID POINT BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PIN 07-02-219-004 PER THE STARK COUNTY GIS MAP, THENCE CONTINUE WESTERLY ALONG SAID SOUTH LINE TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID DOC. NO. 2015-101690, THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID DOC. NO. 2015-101690 TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID DOC. NO. 2015-101690, SAID POINT ALSO BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF DOC. NO. 2010-98832 AS RECORDED AT THE STARK COUNTY RECORDERS OFFICE, THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID DOC. NO. 2010-98832 50 FEET MORE OR LESS TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF PIN 07-02-200-007 PER THE STARK COUNTY GIS MAP, THENCE EASTERLY ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID PIN 07-02-200-007 AND ITS EXTENSION FASTERLY TO THE EAST LINE OF DOC. NO. 86027 AS RECORDED AT THE STARK COUNTY RECORDERS OFFICE, THENCE SOUTHERLY ALONG SAID EAST LINE TO THE NORTH LINE OF SAID DOC. NO. 2015-101690, THENCE EASTERLY ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID DOC. NO. 2015-101690 TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID PIN 07-02-219-004, THENCE SOUTHERLY ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID PIN 07-02-219-004 TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL SITUATED IN STARK COUNTY,

All PINs are as of July 29, 2020.

### CITY OF WYOMING TIF DISTRICT NO. 2 PROPOSED BOUNDARY MAP





Pictured are: Front from left, Natalie Hawes, Kaylyn Gale, Isabelle Wigant, Lily Wigant, and Lilly Hollenbeck. Back from left, Volunteer Jackie Clucas, Kalleigh Gale, Ariel Martinez, Madison Bates, Mackenzie Peck, Amber Plummer, Kailynn Townsend and Coach Jen DeCrane.

## **Perfect season for Galva softball**

The Galva Junior High Lady Cats softball team finished a perfect 11-0 in the regular season and beat Ridgewood last Thursday in Cambridge, 7-1. This is the first undefeated regular season posted by a Galva sports team - high school or junior high - since 1998.

Galva is also the Lincoln Trail Conference champion.

The girls were to play Stark County in the Class 1A IESA regional semifinals at Galva Park on Thursday at 5 p.m. The winner of that game advances to the regional final on Saturday, Sept. 26, which will be played at the higher seeded team, with time to be determined.

Williamsfield and Princeville were to play in Thursday's other semifinal.

## Stark Co. girls XC second at Kewanee

**By Jeff Lampe** 

KEWANEE - The Stark County girls cross country team finished second on Sept. 16 in a triangular meet at Kewanee Dunes Golf Course.

The Rebels posted 43 points to finish second to Ridgewood (33) and ahead of Annawan-Wethersfield (50).

Alyssa Dyken (5th, 22:20) was first to finish

for the Stark County girls. The other four team scorers were Lena Becker (6th, 23:44), Paige Rewerts (7th, 24:11), Trinity Shimmin (10th, 24:51) and Riley Menssen (15th, 26:23).

Also finishing for the girls were McKenzie Stahl (16th, 27:01) and Kimora Barnwell (17th, 27:10).

Ridgewood won the boys race with a perfect score of, as neither the

Rebels nor A-W had the required five finishers for a team score.

With two Stark County runners injured, the boys had only four runners in the race. Caden Daum (4th, 18:58) continued his strong season to lead the boys across the finish line. Payton Stahl (5th, 19:40) was next followed by Colby Carroll (9th, 21:24)

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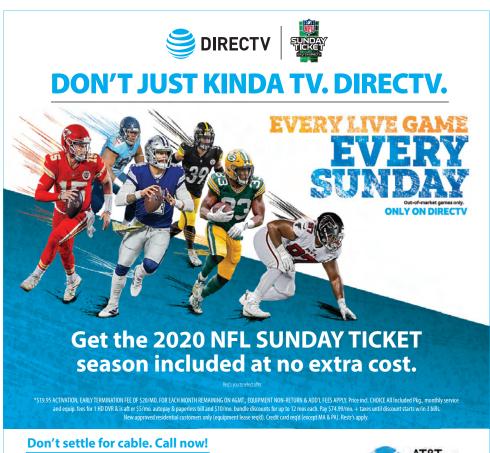


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