Your community newspaper says 'thank you'

Thank you.

the case today.

It was 25 years ago this week that the Pomper family arrived in the Twin Cities to take over management of the State Line Tribune. For most of these years, Mike Pomper was owner. Then, son Rob joined the paper five years ago, and has assumed ownership.

Over the years, there have been ups and downs, just like any family business can have. About three years after we came, several of our top advertis-Implements and Bill Wooley?

But an auction was held at the Williams Office Supply in Farwell, and we had the opportunity to buy a broken antique press. It took five months of work to get that press running correctly but we did, thanks to the assistance of the late Bob Stovall, of Muleshoe. Thus, we opened Texico-Farwell Printing, which carried us through some of the bad times.

Security State Bank gave us the funds needed to upgrade. That improvement allowed us to cut costs and stay "in the black."

The introduction of digital cameras allowed our photo quality to improve. And we have added full color. Teresa Mesman's contributions over the years are always appreciated. And columnists like Will Anderson and Carolyn Curd add to our little paper greatly.

Meanwhile, the Tribune began branching out. When we arrived, the Tribune was basically the communications vehicle for the Texico-Farwell community. But a couple of years later, we began covering the Lazbuddie community. And five years ago, we were invited to come into Bovina and cover that area, also.

Thus, the Tribune had expanded to cover four school districts. Yet our staff is not what you call large. Instead, area folks have stepped forward to make the Tribune a true community newspaper.

Just look at the various bylines and photo credits each week in our paper. Two simple words that can convey some very strong sentiments. Such is Did we say "our?" We should have said "your." The goodly number of contributors to the Tribune is vital to the Tribune's success.

Correct us if we are wrong, but isn't the Tribune a true "community" paper, whereby so many community members "put it out?" And isn't that the way a newspaper should be?

We think so. And the numbers prove us correct. The Tribune's paid circulation is currently at an all-time high for the past 25 years.

And this comes at a time when major headlines report many newspapers ers closed or were sold. Do you remember names like Worley Mills, Cal Jordan closing or in financial trouble. Thanks to you, the Tribune falls into neither category.

> We try to do the best job possible by our four communities, Farwell, Texico, Bovina and Lazbuddie. We deal with the normal "school rivalries," but have found that doesn't affect us as long as we work hard to keep all our readers informed of events that concern them.

We constantly strive to be your community paper, regardless of which com-Then it came time to computerize. Approval of a loan by Bob Anderson at munity you live in. And this, our quarter-century anniversary here, is a good time to simply say "thank you" and look forward to continuing to serve you for many years to come.

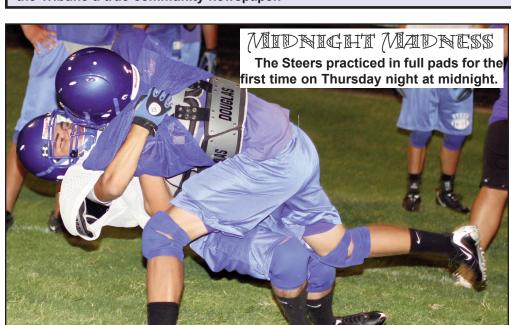
> Weekly newspapers help strengthen the communities they serve. They boost the local economy, both through advertising and in news coverage. They allow "mom and pop" businesses to reach likely customers.

> They help neighbors get to know each other. They provide a forum for expression. They encourage debate. They serve as watchdogs for their local governments by keeping voters informed.

Community newspapers pull communities together.

So we thank you, our readers and our advertisers, for allowing us this priv-

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County proposes lower tax rate

The Parmer County up at a cost of \$7,800. Mental Commissioners Monday agreed on a pro- Auto Group in Georgia. posed tax rate that is lower than last year. The proposed tax rate

is .4859 cents per \$100 County on the Central Actkinson. assessed valuation.

Last year's rate was .5068 cents and the year before was .5258 cents per \$100 assessed valuation.

The proposed rate, which is expected to be approved at the next commissioners' meeting, is the "effective tax rate," which means it is expected to bring in the same amount of money as last year.

This is because the county's overall valuation has increased.

In other business, the commissioners:

-- Held a budget workshop. No decision has been made yet on county employee pay raises, said County Judge Bonnie Heald.

-- Agreed to allow Pct. 3 (the Farwell area) to buy a new vehicle.

A 2003 pickup is being traded in for a 2007 pick-

on The seller is Precision Board.

Plains Mental Health

Retardation

-- Held a workshop on -- Reappointed Robert the juvenile probation White for a two-year term department budget with representing Parmer Sid Felan and Jeff

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Sullivan to head FCC

The Farwell Convalescent Center has a new Director of Nursing, Annette Ternes, and a new administrator, Bryan Sullivan. Sullivan comes from Olton and has over 20 years experience.





3 weeks to go until football contest starts



With three weeks to go until the ever-popular Area Merchants Football Contest starts are, left photo, Connie and Craig James Rohrbach from Parmer County Cotton Growers giving the "3 sig." PCCG is one of the contest sponsors. And in the right photo employees at Lowe's Supermarket Bovina, another contest sponsor, lets you know there are three weeks to go - Jessica Gonzalez, Cathey Riley and Gabriel Medrano.



Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

dream?

I had a dream the other night. I saw a Republican congressman praising President Obama and a Democrat congressman former honoring President Bush.

Just kidding...

If either of those scenarios were to happen, there would be blood on the carpet. There is no longer any congeniality among politicos when it comes to the opposite party.

To a Republican, whatever Obama is for, they are against. And to the Democrats, when Bush was in power, ditto.

Whatever happened to the idea that what was best for America was all that counted. I get so sick and tired when politicos are more interested in "scoring points" than doing what is right.

I see myself as a middle-of-the-roader. On some things, I support Obama; on others, not. Same was true when Bush held the Oval Office.

Why is the hatred so strong nowadays that if a person is of the opposite party, then they are a devil?

I wish the current congressmen and executive branch personnel could watch old newsreels of the **Dwight** Eisenhower era, 1952-1960.

They would see lke, a Republican, having sitdown's with the leaders of the House and Senate - Sam Rayburn and Lyndon Johnson, both Texas Democrats.

Things got done. They worked together for the benefit of our nation.

Compare that to today. the Parmer privately with GOP con- Rodriguez.

gressional leaders? Aint gonna happen. If

would have a cow. No, today, it's all about rancor. And it sickens me. I hate to read the daily newspapers which are so full of angst or to

they did, Nancy Pelosi

commentators on TV. And while the politicos score their points, we, the people, suffer.

watch the biased political

Dee and I had a nice little vacation last week visiting friends in Pagosa Springs, Colo.

The highlight was a chance to dine at a 5-star restaurant. Folks, there are not many 5-stars between the Pacific Ocean and Mississippi. For example, I am told there are none in New Mexico.

The restaurant had six tables. It was part of a building that offered six rooms to rent - each with different nation's décor, like Japan and

It's on 4.200 forested acres which allow for shooting game, too. The whole place is owned by a New York couple that made a fortune in real estate. They fly around the world shooting big

When we drove to the place, we were greeted by a locked gate. So we had to call in to say we had dinner reservations and they opened the gate 24 S 5.0' L25 B26, Farwell. to allow our car in.

That was a first!

Obviously, the meal fantastic (and pricy!). There were three entrees to choose from, and we all picked buffalo

I could go on and on about this place (which X 150' B81 & B84 Bovina. had the best scenic view I have ever seen in my life), but if anyone is interested in going there, Dee has the info.

Marriage License

A marriage license was issued last week by Have you seen any photo clerk's office to Thomas ops of Obama meeting Cook and Savannah

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Texico High School

Volleyball Schedule 2009-2010

DATE	<u>OPPONENT</u>	PLACE	TEAM	TIME
22-Aug	Clovis Scrimmage	Clovis	V, JV	10:00
25-Aug	Lubbock Christian	Texico	V, JV	4:00
28-Aug	Capitan	Capitan	V, JV	4:00
3-Sep	Tatum	Texico	V, JV,C	4:00
5-Sep	Bushland	Bushland	V	1:00
8-Sep	Clovis Christian	Clovis Christian	С	5:30
10-Sep	Jal	Tatum	V,JV	5:00
14-Sep	Clovis Purple	Texico	С	4:00
15-Sep	Eunice	Eunice	V,JV,C	4:00
17-Sep	Clovis Purple	Clovis	С	4:00
9-18/9-19	Mountain Top Tournament	Cloudcroft	V	TBA
21-Sep	Clovis White	Clovis	C	4:00
24-Sep	Dexter	Dexter	V,JV,C	4:00
25-26-Sep	Portales JV Tournament	Portales	JV	TBA
29-Sep	Tucumcari	Tucumcari	V,JV,C	4:30
1-Oct	Lovington	Lovington	V,JV,C	4:00
3-Oct	Clayton	Clayton	V,.JV,C	2:00
5-Oct	Clovis White	Texico	C	4:00
6-Oct	Santa Rosa	Santa Rosa	V,JV,C	4:00
8-Oct	Estancia	Texico	V,JV,C	4:00
13-Oct	Tucumcari	Texico	V,JV,C	4:00
15-Oct	Tatum	Tatum	V,JV,C	4:30
17-Oct	Clayton	Texico	V,JV,C	2:00
22-Oct	Santa Rosa	Texico	V,JV,C	4:00
24-Oct	Ft. Sumner	Texico	V,JV,C	2:00
26-31 Oct	District Tournament	TBD	V	
6-7-Nov	1st Round State Volleyball	TBD	V	
12-14 Nov	State Volleyball	TBD	V	

Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County clerk's office last week recorded these warranty deeds:

David Rosas - Gisela Rosas, L4 B8 Staley.

Eugene Besso - William Banwell, N 10' L22 all L23-

Linda Klinger - Patsy Martin, S/2 S37 Blk C Rhea Bros. N/2 S37 Blk C Rhea Bros., and , N/2 S36 Blk C Rhea Bros.

Carolyn Wetmore - Patsy Martin, same as above. Susan Harkey – Patsy Martin, same as above.

Patsy Martin - Jerry Martin, S/2 S37 Blk Rhea Bros., N/2 S37 ExceptE 169.5 AC Blk C Rhea Bros., N/2 S36 Blk C Rhea Bros.

Graciela Cervantes - Alfredo Sanchez, S70' L4 80'

Bank of New York - RELY Home Loan Servicing, L24 S2' L25 B6 Lakeview.

Cary Magness - Phyllis Herington, L2 B2 Ridgecrest #1.

Donald Placek - Carol Litzelman, L19-22 B31

Benjamin Kirton - Ella Kirton, L23 B6 Lakeview

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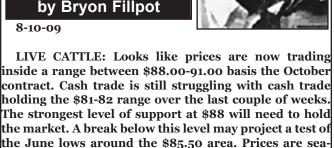
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sonally week during August. FEEDER CATTLE: Feeder prices have also been trading inside a sideways pattern with most of the support around \$99.50 and resistance around the \$103.00 level A break below support would also project a move into the June lows around \$96.00 basis the October contract. Cash sales have also begun to show some signs of weakness with the rest of the market. Prices should rebound into the September time frame.

CORN: Corn prices turned down last week and have almost traded all the way back into their late July lows at \$3.15 basis the December contract. Unlike beans, prices have come under pressure partly because of the significant strength seen in the U.S. Dollar. Crop conditions are reportedly ideal and traders continue to focus on production. Usage for feed and ethanol are still expected to come in lower than year ago levels.

SOYBEANS: Prices have remained the strongest of the grain complex. Beans have been able to hold on to significant gains seen over the last couple of weeks Strong demand for proteins coming out of China have helped to support prices. The range is tight with support coming in around \$10.15 and resistance around \$10.50 basis the November contract.

WHEAT: Wheat prices were able to break down into new low territory late last week which now projects down into the \$5.32 area basis the December KC contract. Seasonally, wheat prices will normally find a low during the late August time frame before turning back higher. The significant shift in the U.S. Dollar had a negative impact on prices. The higher Dollar may stifle exports over the near term.

COTTON: Cotton prices have seen some improvement over the last couple of weeks, but prices look like they are now beginning to consolidate at current levels. The stronger Dollar hasnít had near the impact on cotton prices as it has in the grain complex. Sharply lower production levels have helped to support the market to some degree. Support around the \$58.00 level basis the December contract should hold.

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Texico football practices begin













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Judy Lekovich e3 Borderline Cuts



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From page 1

-- Approved an agree-

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(Dumas, Texas, area) to allow them to house their

inmates in the Parmer

Clovis, to conduct a wedding on the courthouse

steps and lawn in

-- Approved a request from Daniel Hackett, of



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Wed. - Bible class - 7 p.m.

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Methodist Church

Rev. Ken Peterson

Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m.

Worship -- 10:30 a.m.

San Jose Catholic

Church, Texico

Sunday Mass - Noon

Religious Education -

1:15 - 2:15 p.m.

Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.

Church of Christ

110 Ninth St.

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer

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Methodist Church

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Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church

Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Assembly of God Church, Texico

Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 6 p.m.

First Baptist Church Of Bovina

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship & youth, 7 p.m.

Farwell **Convalescent Center**

Sunday services -- 9 a.m. Bible study - 9:30 a.m. Friday

Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church Worship Service -- 9 a.m.

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

St. John Lutheran

Church, Lariat David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church Jim Peabody - minister

Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship-10:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. winter 7:30 p.m. summer

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Wesley Roach - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer

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Rafael Marin, pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship, 7 p.m.

Lazbuddie

Worship - 10:20 a.m. & 5 p.m.

Wednesday -- 7 p.m.

Church of Christ Mickey Chambiss - minister Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m.

Apostolic Truth United Pentecostal

Church of Texico Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 11:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt

of Lazbuddie

First Baptist Church

Church of God in Christ Mennonite Farwell Country Church James Koehn, Orie Nightingale - ministers

Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.

First Baptist Church

of Farwell Sunday School -- 9:45 a.m. Worship -- 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Children & Youth -- 5:45 p.m. Wed. Prayer meeting -- 6:30 p.m. www.fbcfarwell.org

Farwell Church of Christ

Phillip Steyn -- preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship; 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. In Search -- 7:30 -- Ch. 4 Sun.

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Rev. Briyan Phillips Sr. Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mst Worship - 11 a.m. mst

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~ Dr. Gary Bigham, Interim Superintendent

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We invite you to call (806) 965-2156 if you have any questions. Registration for the 2009/2010 school year will be for High School, the morning of Aug. 18; Junior High, the afternoon of Aug. 18; for all others, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Aug. 20.

We encourage you to come take a look at Lazbuddie ISD, meet our faculty,

And share in the good food and fellowship at our Annual Community-Wide Cookout Thursday, Aug. 20th at 6:30 p.m. in the Lazbuddie Cafeteria. followed by Meet the Longhorns at the football field.

We hope you will choose to Come Home to Lazbuddie!



Flying high

Farwell's Vane and Alice Dosher were honored by Vernon Luce and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3280, of Clovis, with a special Patriots Citizen Award in honor of Dosher flying the American flag daily and in the correct way, including lighting it at night.

Golf tourney results given

Here are the results of the Penny Anderson Golf **Tourney at the Farwell Country Club last week:**

Championship flight - 1st, Brett Hargrove and Scott Attaway (who had a hole in one on No. 2), 132; 2nd, Kyle Boatman and Ethan Peterson, 135; 3rd, Blake Berry and Josh Hurley, 137.

1st flight – 1st, Jack Nuttall and Gary Hoadley, 141; 2nd, Clay Bracken and Scott Calvert, 142; 3rd, Randy Pitcock and Roger Dial, 144.

2nd flight – 1st. Ty Gast and J. B. Caldwell, 147; 2nd, Taylor Nichols and Gage Gregory, 147; 3rd, Greg Hanks and Robert Boatman, 150.

3rd flight – 1st, Les Curtis and Lonnie McFarland, 146; 2nd, Larry Aldridge and Terry Hutton, 153; 3rd, Richard Gallegos and Tyson Hardy, 154.

4th flight - 1st, Jourdan Nichols and Gabe Anderson, 157; 2nd, Ronald Byrd and Chad Byrd, 158; 3rd, Ron Anderson and Duane Bender, 162.

5th flight – 1st, Eric Chadwick and M.C. Haarhoff, 150; 2nd, Josh Reames and Jerry Wilson, 157; 3rd, Gary Patterson and Tom Beekman, 158.

Jurors to report

The following jurors are to report to the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell on Aug. 19:

Shirley Abeyta, Jennifer Alaniz, James Anthony, Randy Armstrong, Leslee Avalos, Johnnie Battey, Brittni Black, Cody Bracken, Lance Bradley, Micheal Branscum, Dustin Brown, Kirby Burch, Melanie Cabello, Claudia Campos, Maria Cano, Patricia Carmicheal, Rickie Carr, Isabel Carrasco.

David Carrillo, Raul Chavez, Sharolyn Cline, David Cochran, Carroll Cook, Desiree Cordova, Santos Cuevas, Edwina Davenport, Anna DeLaCruz, Deborah Dillon, Claudia Cominguez, Alice Dosher, Antonio Duran, Beverly Elam, Sharlet Espach, Victor Espinoza, Jose Estrada.

Manuel Estrada, Linda Evans, Christina Everhart, Derek Fairweather, Rhonda Field, Brandie Fitch, Norma Flores, Stephanie Foster, Robert Fowler, Andrew Friesen, George Frye, Joe Fuston, Carlos Garcia, Catalina Garcia, Crystal Garcia, Elizabeth Garza, Brandon Gatlin, Ryan Geries.

Shanna Glover, Jimmy Gonzales, Roberto Gonzales, Rosa Gonzales, Violeta Gonzales, Manuel Grado, Andria Griswold, A[ril Guevara, Javier Guevara, Hilda Guillen, Tomasa Guzman, Homer Haile, Randy Hardin, Jeremy Hart, Pamela Haseloff, Richard Haseloff, Donna Hernandez, Nestor Hernandez.

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SCHOOL CALENDAR

Aug. 21	Teacher Workday
	School Begins/First Semester
	Teacher Inservice Day
	First Six Weeks Ends
Oct 5	Second Six Weeks Begins
	Teacher Inservice Day
Nov 6	Second Six Weeks Ends
Nov 16	Third Six Weeks Begins
Nov 26, 27	Thanksgiving Holidays
Dec 23	First Semester Ends
Dec 24 – Dec 31	Christmas Holidays
Jan 1	Teacher Inservice Day
	Teacher Workday
Jan 5	Second Semester Begins
Feb 15	Teacher Inservice Day
	Fourth Six Weeks Ends
	Fifth Six Weeks Begins
	Spring Break
	Snow Day
	Fifth Six Weeks Ends
April 19	Sixth Six Weeks Begins
May 10	Snow Day
	Second Semester Ends
May 29	Teacher Workday

NOTE: April 2 and May 10 will be bad weather makeup days. If one day of school is missed for bad weather, school will be held on April 2. If two days are missed, school will be held on both April 2 and May 10.

REPORTING PERIODS

August 21 – October 2 October 5 – November 6 November 9 – December 23	25 Days
First Semester	87 Days
January 1 – February 19 February 22 – April 16 April 19 – May 29	34 Days
Second Semester	100 Days
Total Days	187 Days

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Just Listed - 160 acres north of Bovina. 3 wells, new circle sprinkler.

Southwest of Texico, 40 acres on paved road. Will split into 10 acre tracts. Call for details!

Just Listed 160 acres northeast of Bovina. 2 wells, new circle sprinkler.

640 acres, irrigated east of Hub, 3 circle sprinklers,

West of Lazbuddie, 960 acres irrigated with 7 cir-

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320 irrigated acres east of Hub. 2 circles, 3 wells.

480 acres irrigated. Southeast of Cooks truck stop 3 circles, 5 wells.

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Bailey County – Produce processing facility, 2400 sq. ft. cold storage. Boxcar, truck loading dock. Large shedded concrete area. ALL on 4.7 acre tract. Call for details.

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Texico City Council pushes property owners to clean up

Several local homeowners came to the Texico City Council meeting on Tuesday to discuss their properdemn and tear down their houses.

Bill Autrey, owner of 718 N. Turner St. recently bought the property and is interested in cleaning it up. City Inspector Terry Martin asked him to board up the windows and doors until he gets around to fixing up the house.

Police Chief Doug Bowman said the house was a safety hazard as people could walk in and possibly fall into the basement. He also said the house was condemned 6 months ago, but the windows and doors are still open.

Autrey agreed to board up the doors and windows until he is in a position to fix up the house.

George Kent Carter, of 413 N. Anderson St. was given a 30 permit to demolish his garage. He will also have to secure the windows and doors of the property with plywood as well as paint the plywood to match the rest of the house.

Property owner Lawana Autrey, of 600 S. Rose, had asked to move a trailer off the property, but did not show up at the meeting.

Maria Estrada, of 510 Florence St., also did not show up. Martin said a trailer and garage will have to be removed, as well as debris on the property. He said he will contact the owner by certified letter, and at this time the property should not have people liv-

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Law Firm, of Amarillo, to

be the school's attorney.

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school housing by staff.

Lazbuddie schools propose tax rate

The Lazbuddie School search for a new superin-Board on Tuesday adopted a proposed tax rate of \$1.17 per \$100 assessed

valuation. The board will meet on Aug. 25 to approve the rate.

The proposed tax rate is the same as last year. In other business, the board:

Discussed the

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Wednesday - pot roast with gravy & veggies, tossed salad, broccoli with cheese rolls, pear cobbler.

Thursday - burritos, tomato, lettuce, cheese, onion, tortilla, fruit, cookie.

Friday – chef's salad, crackers, celery sticks, baby carrots, cottage cheese, peaches.

Friday - closed. Seniors over 60, \$3; all take-outs, 50 cents extra

guests under 60, \$6.

Martin also said he will be in contact with Roy Hagler about his property as well as check on tires ty upkeep and make sure the city didn't move to con- on the roof of a property at the corner of Wheeler **Avenue and Griffin Street**

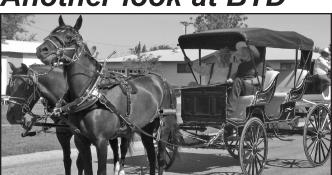
In other news, the council:

- Heard from Bowman that recent letters sent to property owners about weeks have been responded to well. He said most folks did a really good job.
- Renewed the 10-year franchise contract with SuddenLink. The city receives 3 percent of their pro-
- Discussed the wastewater treatment plant cleanup. The city is looking at using biotics to clean up the solid waste, but have to wait for the state to approve the payment. Texico would be the first municipality in the state to try this.

The council also approved buying a new control panel box for the wastewater plant. The only one had fallen apart, and something was needed until the new plant is operational.

- Heard that Duncan Disposal has asked for a 5 percent increase in their prices. This was expected and had been planned for.

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The 287th Parmer County District Court

Laurance Kriegel - Plaintiff, Pre Se v. Diversified Financial Services, LLC. - and employees as Individual Parties; John L. Seymour, Litigation Manager; Brian S. Kelley, Portfolio/Collections Servicing Manager; Chris Ford, A VP; Mike Hughbanks, Senior V.P, Chief Operations Officer, Defendant's.

To the Honorable Judge of said Court;

Now Comes Plaintiff, to show the Court:

This Motion to Replevin allows Plaintiff to recover the security interest Defendant has taken. The actions of Defendant are unjust. Defendant had notice this proceeding was appealed to the Supreme Court of Texas at the time of the taking. This Motion to Replevin grants authority to The 287th Parmer County District for Plaintiff to have the property of Plaintiff returned with two new Model 8000 Valley Irrigation Sprinkler Center Pivot System 1296' of the same type and the one irrigation booster pump, with electric motor, and electric control panel.

The 'Order of Sale' submitted to Plaintiff on Aug. 4, 2009 by Sheriff Randy Geries was not file marked by The 287th Parmer County District Court.

The Courts action to rule to allow the two sprinklers to be removed and sold was unjust and violated the Statutes established by the People of Texas and upheld by The Supreme Court of Texas. The 287th Parmer County District Court is to uphold the Statutes of the People and the Statutes upheld by The Supreme Court of Texas.

The removal of the two sprinklers creates a hardship on Plaintiffs' ability to provide for himself. The income potential of the farm is severely reduced with the taking of the two sprinkers. The unjust taking, which violated Statutes established by the people to conduct business with people were broken by Defendant. This created immediate and irreparable hardship, financial injury, loss of income will be the result to Plaintiff.

The Courts action to rule to allow the two sprinklers to be removed and sold was unjust and violated the Constitution and Statutes of Texas. A number of Notices of Appeal have been presented to The 287th Parmer County District Court to show and explain the Court's err. The Court misinterpreted the Statutes of Texas. The Court did not follow the correct Judicial Practice and Procedure, including Motion Practice, and the correct Trial Procedure. This unjust taking, which violated Statutes established by the people to conduct business with people were broken by The 287th Parmer County District Court. These violations then constitute a Civil Rights violation because the Statutes of Texas were not upheld for this citizen, Plaintiff.

A Motion to Transfer, Change of Venue is still pending before The Supreme Court of Texas in this proceeding. The 287th Parmer County District Court Clerk and Defendant are not allowed to request the Sheriff of Parmer County Texas to 'Order a Sale' for the two sprinklers when a Appeal is pending before The Supreme

A Motion for a Restraining Order to keep Defendant for removing the two sprinklers is still pending before The 287th Parmer County District Court. Defendant did not respond to the Restraining Order submitted by Plaintiff, therefore the Retraining Order should have been signed by the Court about a year ago.

Plaintiff learned from Defendant's documents approximately 30 days before this proceeding began, Plaintiff was not Delinquent with Defendant, Diversified. Defendant's refinancing plan offered to Plaintiff was not

The Judgment signed on June 15, 2009 by the Judge allows a unlawful interest rate greater than 10%. The daily rate for late payments is also not allowed, since the filing of this Court Action stopped any interest from being charged.

The Judge did not accept Defendant's Exhibit's 18 and 19, which were the Defendant's attorney's fees on the day of the trial. Therefore the Court cannot sell property to recover Defendant's attorney's fees. Therefore the Judge cannot enter a Judgment for Defendant's attorney to collect any fees for the Defendant's attorney fees.

Wherefore Premises Considered, Plaintiff request this Motion to Replevin be Affirmed.

Wherefore Premises Considered, Plaintiff request the described collateral be returned.

Respectfully Submitted; Dated Aug. 10, 2009

Laurance Kriegel



Farwell's Class of '64 holds reunion

Farwell's Class of 1964 had a reunion at Border Town Days, with 14 members attending: Jane Bradshaw Williams, Jane Hubbel Moore, Melody Coffman Drake, Janie Woodson Martin, Brenda Dale Conner, Vicki Moss Barrow, Bill Quickel, Darrell Crook, Joe White, Champ Landrum, Leon Lovelace, Jimmy Armstrong, Roy Donaldson and Melvin Lingnau.

Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer Sheriff Randy County Geries:

On Aug. 4, Adan ty court. Salcido, 29, of Odessa, was arrested by the shertheft, pending in county court.

On Aug. 7, Larry McIntosh, 47, of Farwell, was arrested by Farwell police on a charge of DWI, pending in county court.

On Aug. 7, Debra Hines, 32, of Friona, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of failure to ID, pending in county court.

On Aug. 8, Felipe Guarcus, 39, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on charges of failur to ID and duty striking unattended vehicle, both

Texico

Monday – no school. Tuesday – beef & bean burritos, corn, fruit, milk.

Wednesday – chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes & gravy, green beans, hot roll, fruit, milk.

Thursday - hamburgers, French fries, LTP, fruit, milk.

Friday – corn dogs, pork & beans, pickle spears, fruit, milk.

MENUS Citizens Bank Texico Branch pending in county court.

On Aug. 7, Alfredo Alonzo, 47, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of assault, pending in coun-

On Aug. 8, David Chapman, 19, of Clovis, iff's office on a charge of was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of possession of marijuana with intent to a "Meet the Longhorns"

and 5 lbs., pending before the grand jury.

Lazbuddie cookout set

The annual Lazbuddie School community cookout will be held on Aug. 20 at 6:30 p.m. at the school cafeteria.

It will be followed with deliver, between 4 oz. at the football field.

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<u>Date</u>	Grade	Team	Pla	ace Time	
09/01/09	(7,8)	Marshall (Red)	Tex	rico 4:00 pn	n/5:00 pm
09/03/09	(7,8)	Portales B	Port	tales 4:00 pn	n/5:00 pm
09/08/09	(7,8)	Yucca (White)	Tex	ico 4:00 pm	n/5:00 pm
09/10/09	(8)	Melrose	Meli	rose 4:00 pm	ı
09/14/09	(7,8)	Marshall (White B)	Mar	shall 4:00 pm	n/5:00 pm
09/15/09	(8)	Melrose	Texi	ico 4:00 pm	1
09/17/09	(7,8)	Marshall (Red)	Mar	shall 4:00 pm	n/5:00 pm
09/21/09	(7,8)	Marshall (White)	Texi	ico 4:00 pm	/5:00 pm
09/24/09	(7,8)	Portales (A)	Texi	ico 4:00 pm	/5:00 pm
09/28/09	(7)	Clovis Christian	Clovis Chris	stian 4:00 pm	1
09/29/09	(7,8)	Portales (A)	Port	ales 4:00 pm	/5:00 pm
10/08/09	(7,8)	Yucca (Blue)	Yuco	ca 4:00 pm	/5:00 pm
10/14/09	7 th Grade Y	ucca Tournament	Yuco	ca TBD	
10/17/09	8 th Grade M	arshall Tournament	Mars	shall TBD	

Plague reported in county

A case of Bubonic died off, and one of the possible Plague has been con- animals was tested. firmed by the Texas Department of Health wiped out half of Europe County.

A prairie dog town near Bovina had recently or would like to report a

The plague, which healthcare officials.

If you have questions

outbreak, please contact your local

Also, make sure family Services in Parmer in the 1340s, is currently pets are treated with a treatable with antibiotics. good flea and tick preventative.

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The heroes of Woodstock?

You may recall the 3day rock concert in 1969 on a 1,000-acre farm in upstate New York and "The billed as Woodstock Music and Art Fair: An Aquarian Exposition."

Its crowd of about 500,000 endured three days of heavy rains, thick mud, and crankedup music. The reviews said that almost all its performers, while great in a studio, were terribly disappointing on the stage. With the amount of illegal drugs and illicit sex in the crowd, it is by unlikely that many noticed or cared.

Those three inconsequential days would seem to be an oddity of American cultural history, worth little more than a footnote one place or another, but sure enough, a concert to mark the 40th anniversary of Woodstock is touring the nation.

The purpose of this concert tour is supposedly to honor the alleged courage of the 500,000 at Woodstock because they

opposed the Vietnam say they would serve dead two years before many gifts that their knowing how the conflict "flower power" counter- would end. culture left our nation.

Woodstock."

military men and women citizens. who served in Vietnam.

American heroes of trumpet about what our Vietnam are provided at missions the History Channel's Vietnam and about how website (history.com) our government fumbled and it is impressive. whatever it was trying to From the first 15,000 accomplish but one fact combat troops who were is beyond contestation. Kennedy until the last Vietnam and more than troops were withdrawn two million Americans 12 years later, more than stepped forward and 3 million would serve in said, "Here I am, take Vietnam.

More than two-thirds of the Americans in Vietnam had volunteered for that duty. Of the more than 58,000 who died there, almost 80 percent them were not draftees but those volunteers. To this day, 91 percent of Vietnam veterans say they are proud of their service in that conflict and three out of four

One of the best definistop and think about that than self, and that definibefore we lay the wreath tion more than applies to of "heroism" on the the Americans who fevered brows of the served in Vietnam. The Woodstock crowd. We Americans who served in have a pantheon of Vietnam weren't doing it high-water mark heroes from that decade for the money, they that are much more wor- weren't doing it for the thy of the honors we adventure, and they sure might bestow and those weren't doing it for the three days of empty rhetheroes are the American gratitude of their fellow

Armchair historians The details of the will argue to the final were in me."

> And that is the differof "peace and love" were Their minds are set on

War and because of the there all over again, even Woodstock ever happened. By 1967, the counter-culture degenerated to such a The concert tour is tions of "heroism" I have level of crime, disease, Americans called "The Heroes of heard is personal sacri- and drug-induced death fice made on the behalf that its birthplace in the Perhaps we should of something greater Haight-Ashbury district across the country in of San Francisco conducted a symbolic funeral, burning a coffin only the Government labeled "summer love", and declaring the "flower power" to be dead and gone.

> Woodstock was just oric, tired chants, and cookie-cutter answers to problems, complex mixed liberally with sex and drugs and rock and roll. It was not in service to anything other than each individual's capacity for debauchery and illegal drugs.

Woodstock was nothstationed there in 1963 America said a task ing heroic and nothing President John needed to be done in worthy of honor and, in fact, it seems to me that one translation Philippians 3:19 could be called The Woodstock Verse:

☐ In the end they will ence between these real be destroyed. Their own heroes and the so-called emotions are their god, "heroes" of Woodstock. and they take pride in the The sweet idealistic days shameful things they do.

worldly things. Issue simple gray stone In the three days that to mark their passing. Woodstock soiled the

They gave their all for landscape of northern their country and for New York, 109 young their friends and for their killed in families. They are the action in Vietnam. Their real heroes of those graves are scattered three days 40 years ago.

Why isn't there a confamily plots and military cert touring the country cemeteries, each with to honor them instead?

The Latest

Dickie G. Geries has become the sixth chairman of the board of the First State Bank of Uvalde, Texas.

He also was elected bank CEO. He joined the bank in 1982 as senior vice president and head of the lending division.

The former Farwell resident is a graduate of West Texas A&M and served in the U.S. Army in World War

A deacon at the First Baptist Church, he and his wife, Glenda, have 2 children and 3 grandchildren.

At the state level, he has served as chairman of the Texas Ag Finance Authority and a past director of the Texas Cattle Feeders Association.

Monti Vandiver, Parmer County extension agent -IPM, reports:

Very warm temperatures following the precipitation received have been near perfect for crop development. The high temperatures and high moisture demands of crops have made it necessary for irrigation systems to run at "full bore".

Even so, many irrigation systems are losing ground and will need additional precipitation to continue to meet crop moisture demands. While the early planted corn's moisture demands are beginning to decline, the later planted corn and cotton are just approaching peak moisture demand.

The pest situation in cotton is so quiet it's scary.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The Lazbuddie ISD will hold a public meeting at 7:45 PM 08/25/2009 in Lazbuddie ISD Boardroom Lazbuddie, Texas. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted. Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

Maintenance Tax

\$1.170000 /\$100 (Proposed rate for maintenance and operations) School Debt Service Tax Approved by Local Voters \$0.000000 /\$100 (Proposed rate to pay bonded indebtedness)

Comparison of Proposed Budget with Last Year's Budget

The applicable percentage increase or decrease (or difference) in the amount budgeted in the preceding fiscal year and the amount budgeted for the fiscal year that begins during the current tax year is indicated for each of the following expenditure categories:

Maintenance and operations 5.000000% (increase) or % (decrease) Debt service 0.000000% (increase) or % (decrease) Total expenditures 5.000000% (increase) or % (decrease)

Total Appraised Value and Total Taxable Value (as calculated under section 26.04, Tax Code)

Current Tax Year Preceding Tax Year Total appraised value* of all property \$59,284,517 \$66,320,711 Total appraised value* of new property** \$11,330 \$1,461,382 Total taxable value*** of all property \$55,538,164 \$62,778,745 Total taxable value*** of new property** \$1,461,382 \$11,330

"Appraised value" is the amount shown on the appraisal roll and defined by Section 1.04(8), Tax Code.

'New property" is defined by Section 26.012(17), Tax Code "Taxable value" is defined by Section 1.04(10), Tax Code.

Bonded Indebtedness

Total amount of outstanding and unpaid bonded indebtedness:

Outstanding principal

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF PARMER **NOTICE OF SALE** Writ of Execution

By virtue of a writ of execution issued out of the 287th District Court of Parmer County, Texas, on a judgment rendered on the 18th day of June, 2009, in the case of Laurance Kriegel, Plaintiff, v. Diversified Financial Services, LLC, Defendant, Cause No. 9699 in said court, judgment being in favor of Defendant and against Plaintiff, I did on the 7th day of August, 2009, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., levy upon the followingdescribed real estate of the Plaintiff:

- 1- 207 North Street Bovina, Texas Original Town Bovina, Block 3, Lot 5-6 (Gaines Hardware) All of Lot 6 and the Southwesterly 20 feet of Lot 5, of Block 3, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas. Building approximately 1,530 square feet.
- 2- 213 North Street Bovina, Texas (Drug Store) All of Lot 7, in Block 3, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas and the northeasterly 5 1/2 feet off of Block 8, in Block 3, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas, being a strip of land 5 1/2 feet wide lying along the boundary lines between Lots 7 and 8 of said Block. Building approximately 3.500 square feet.
- 3- 215 North Street Bovina, Texas The southwest 24 1/2 feet of Lot 8, Block 3, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas. Building approximately 936 square feet.
- 4- 105 North Second Bovina, Texas All of Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, of Block 3, except the Northerly 58 feet thereof heretofore conveyed, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas. Building approximately 1,080 square feet.
- 5- 202 Avenue A Bovina Texas Lots 11, 12, 13, and 14, and the Southwesterly 20 feet of Lot 15, of Block 3, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas.

And, on the 1st day of September, 2009, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m., at the courthouse door of the county shown above, I will offer for sale and will sell at public auction, for cash, all the rights, title and interest of Plaintiff in and to said property.

Dated at Parmer County, Texas, this the 7th day of August, 2009

Sheriff Randy Geries

Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Vear's Rates

Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates							
	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student		
Last Year's Rate	\$1.170000	\$0.000000*	\$1.170000	\$4,711	\$6,907		
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$1.212630	\$0.000000*	\$1.212630	\$5,413	\$6,047		
Proposed Rate	\$1.170000	\$0.000000*	\$1.170000	\$5,211	\$6,780		

The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence						
	Last Year	This Year				
Average Market Value of Residences	\$67,757	\$67,757				
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$50,627	\$50,627				
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$1.170000	\$1.170000				
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$592.33	\$592.33				
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes	\$0.00	\$0.00				

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is 1.170000. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of 1.170000.

Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

> Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s) Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)

\$250,000

Farwell RA chapter attends summer camp

From Jack Smallwood:

The Farwell Royal Ambassadors chapter attended summer camp July 15-18 at Plains Baptist Assembly near Floydada, Texas.

The group included 30 boys and sponsors. Also attending from Farwell were four young men who served as camp staff. RA camp includes lots of the things men and boys enjoy, such as riflery, archery, hiking, camp skills and swimming.

Highlights were the campfire and worship time pline. which the boys will say "really rocked".

The Farwell group received the outstanding group award for the second year in a row.

Mason Byrd received the top award of Honor Camper for the 1st through 3rd grade division. He was selected from nearly 300 campers.

Criteria for selection included how well the camper exhibited the RA virtues of loyalty, faith, friendship, compassion, courage, perseverance, responsibility, teamwork, honesty, and self disci-



Ellen Judah

Obituary

Services for Ellen Ann Caillouet Judah, 62, of Lubbock, were held Aug. 8 at the First Baptist Church of Texico with Rev. Rob Hollis officiating.

died Aug. 4. She Steed-Todd Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

She was born in Greeville, Miss., on Oct. 8, 1946, to Lewis and Helen Caillouet. She grew up in Texico and married George Judah on Oct. 7, 1967.

Surviving are her husband; a son, Louie; 2 grandchildren; a sister, Peggy Box, of Moriarty, N.M., and a brother, Donald, of Ulysses, Kan.

It's football time! The Farwell Steers (varsity and JV) host a scrimmage with

Sundown at 10 a.m. on

Aug. 15. The Texico Wolverines will scrimmage Farwell and Vega at Farwell on Aug. 20 at 6 p.m.

Lazbuddie The Longhorns will scrimmage on Aug. 15 at Kress against Christ the King and Kress at 10 a.m.

Lazbuddie School registration dates have been changed:

The high school registration will be the morning of Aug. 18; the junior high the afternoon of Aug. 18, and all others from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on critical but stable condi-

Aug. 20.

Tammie Mitchell has resigned as Farwell High School secretary.

She will be replaced by **Sheryl Christian.**

Mrs. Mitchell and her husband, Randy, have purchased The Apple Shack from Greg and Roberta Howard.

New Mexico State

Police said an accident Sunday night on NM 467 involved two Texico men, Mario Castillo-Rodriguez, 38, and Herman Rodriguez, 29, both of whom were transported to a Lubbock hospital.

They were listed in

tion.

A Clovis man died in Marca Morris of Lazbuddie. the crash.

over the weight room Muleshoe. and the art room.

3371.

noted Homecoming would be Debbie Weir. Sept. 4 against Plainview Christian.

That has been

ing will now be Oct. 2



Amy Sullivan and Don Burch

Bridal shower held

Amy Sullivan, bride-elect of Don Burch, was honored on Aug. 8 with a bridal shower in the home of

Along with the bride, special guests included Jan Sullivan of Arlington, Kiley Crabb of Dallas, Vickie Farwell School is plan- Burch of Lazbuddie, Jessica Partain of Plains, ning to repair the roofs Brenna Burch of Lazbuddie and Lillian Street of

Guests were served lemonade punch garnished If you are interested in with fresh fruit, grape salad and an assortment of bidding on it, contact cheese and crackers from a table decorated with Supt. Mike Read at 481- plum and brown table linens.

Hostesses included Sarah Black, Janice Bradshaw, Claire Brown, Beckye Conklin, Sheryl In the Lazbuddie foot- Engelking, Paulette Foster, Stephanie Foster, Debbie ball schedule printed Gallman, Ellen Gallman, Coralynn Jarman, Linda recently in the Tribune, it Martin, Marca Morris, Vicki Morris, Debra Redwine, that Jana St. Clair, LaDonna Scott, Terry Thomas, and

The couple will marry Oct. 17 at Kerrville, Texas.

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Dennis, Don R, PO Box 35, Texico, NM Desantiago, Flor & Robert, PO Box 915, Farwell, TX Dosher, Jack, 668 FM 292, Farwell, TX Dosher, Tennie, 668 FM 292, Farwell, TX Drager, Virginia, PO Box 1104, Farwell, TX Dyer, Kenneth, PO Box 140, Farwell, TX Eason, Dorothy, 1205 Oakland, Plainview, TX Echols, David, 1700 Breezy Dr, Waco, TX ECO Tank Systems Inc, PO Box 27116, ABQ, NM Emery, Tad & Julie, Gen Del, Farwell, TX Ennen, Bryan Douglas, PO Box 1114, Farwell, TX Erwin, Mildred, 12800 Cammache Rd, ABQ, NM Espino, Anna & Baudelio, PO Box 75, Texico, NM Farm Direct, PO Box 381, Dona Ana, NM Farwell Body Shop & Restorations, PO Box 447, Farwell,

Ford, Bobby D, 6605 B Quitman, LBBK, TX Foster, Caleb & Jennisca, 4703 CR TT, Friona, TX Franco, Luis, PO Box 102, Farwell, TX Fuller, Treva, PO Box 460, Farwell, TX Galaviz, Lucia, PO Box 86, Farwell, TX Garcia, Erica, PO Box 282, Texico, NM Garcia, Francisco & Debora, Gen Del, Farwell, TX Garcia, Lorena, 404 Ash St. Clovis, NM Garcia, Megan, PO Box 54, Farwell, TX Garcia, Patricia R, PO Box 1052, Farwell, TX Garcia, Ricardo G, PO Box 1102, Farwell, TX Garner, Beverly K, 1313 Fink Rd, Niceville, FL Garner, Duane L, 1313 Fink Rd, Niceville, FL Gomez, Juan & Teresa, PO Box 1012, Farwell, TX Gomez, Sergio, 11717 County Rd 8, Ft Lupton, CO Gonzales, Teresa J, 721 W 18th, Clovis, NM Gott, Mark, 1500 S Ave K #3891, Portales, NN

Graham, Nancy, PO Box 143, Glenco, NM Granado, Gilberto A. PO Box 1175, Farwell, TX Graves, Arthur, PO Box 709, Muleshoe, TX Green MD, William, Gen Del, Farwell, TX Greenway, Marian L, 2500 Hinkle #405, Denton, TX Grigsby, John A, PO Box 634, Orangefield, TX Groom, Jeffrey, PO Box 4863, Cave Creek, AZ Guerra, Violeta Saray, PO Box 1031, Farwell, TX Guss, Ricky & Angela, PO Box 591, Farwell, TX Gutierrez, Ricardo, PO Box 892, Farwell, TX Hall, Robert Tra & Angela, PO Box 480, Farwell, TX Hammit, Johnny D, PO Box 440, Texico, NM Hancock, Kathryn A, 106 W Ave H, Muleshoe, TX Hardin, Jodi, 1022 Edd Rd, Dallas, TX Hart Julie PO Box 875 Glenrio NM Hart, Stow & Sharla, PO Box 436, Farwell, TX Hay, Lloyd, 3103 B 75th St, LBBK, TX Hayes, Lee & Alexandra, PO Box 225, Texico, NM Hernandez, Fernando, PO Box 328, Farwell, TX Hickman, Pat, PO Box 15520, Surfside Beach, SC Hilburn, Rae D. PO Box 40321, Bakersfield, CA Hill, Tony & Trudy, 7214 Alpine St, AMA, TX Hodges, Eddie, PO Box 1075, Farwell, TX Holland, Matthew & Kristan, PO Box 1012, Farwell, TX Hopp, Mike, PO Box 552. Farwell. TX Howard, Coy, 8617 Geronimo Trail, Ft Worth, TX Hubbell, Rickey D, PO Box 254, Farwell, TX

Hudson, Johnny & Krista, 2255 Switzer Rd #1306, Gulfport, MS Hunton, Irene Elaine, 3524 Delfield Ln, Clovis, NM Jacobs, Michelle, PO Box 1002, Farwell, TX Jesko, Dixie, 3020 Yorkshire Ct, Flower Mound, TX Jeter, David, Rt 1 Box 186, Copan, OK Johnson, Rodger Q, 5620 River Rd, AMA, TX Johnson, Joan, 4625 27th St. LBBK, TX Johnson, Brian C, 404 Anita Ave, Keller, TX Johnson, Eddie & Mitzi, RR 2 Box 70 B, Farwell, TX Jones, Lou, 502 Broadmoor Acres, Portales, NM Jones, Suzanne & Cary, 6001 W 34th St #14, LBBK, TX Juarez, Victoria, PO Box 404, Texico, NM Kaiser, Laurie, PO Box 851, Farwell, TX Kelm, Linda G, PO Box 878, Farwell, TX Kelton, Ray & Holley, PO Box 736, Texico, NM Klousis, George John, PO Box 576, Farwell, TX Koehler, Mark, 234 Walnut, Goodland, TX Kubin, Greg L, PO Box 399, Bovina, TX La Porte, Don E, 54 Longhorn, Clovis, NM Lambirth, Dorvles, 1852 W Astolat Rd, Tucson, AZ Landerman, Brian, 8931 S Lori Ln, Tempell, AZ Landrum, Elbert, 5322 Miller Heights Dr, Lowlett, TX Lane, Tim, PO Box 192, Farwell, TX Lang, David, 601 John Doe St, Clovis, NM Lara, Kimberly N, RR 2 Box 335-141, LBBK, TX

Lindauer, Patrick & Jana, 4611 Woodrow Rd, LBBK, TX Loera, Andres & Mickie, PO Box 642, Texico, NM Logou, Theologos dba George's Goldstrike, 803 W 8th St, Muleshoe, TX Longoria, Leroy, PO Box 328, Farwell, TX Looper, Debra A, PO Box 86, Farwell, TX Lopez, Guadalupe, PO Box 643, Farwell, TX Lopez Jr, Joe, 403 E Grant Ave, Morton, TX Lovelace, Woodrow, 20407 Lionsgate Ln, Humble, TX Lozano, Armando, PO Box 1102, Farwell, TX Lozano, Miguel L, PO Box 662, Farwell, TX Ludington, Amber, 3321 Hobbs Rd, AMA, TX Luebken, Edward C, PO Box 761, Farwell, TX Mancusi, Robert & Staci, PO Box 494, Farwell, TX Mann, Danna, PO Box 641, Farwell, TX Martin, Ted S, PO Box 821, Farwell, TX Martinez, Barbara, PO Box 447, Farwell, TX Martinez, Raechell R, PO Box 485, Farwell, TX May, Lawrence E, 417 2nd St, Farwell, TX

Lewis, Robert & Andrea, PO Box 272, Texico, NM

Liethen, Mark, RR 1 Box 194, Farwell, TX

McIntire, Harold & Edna, 1904 W 2nd St #27, Portales McLain, Vernon Keith & Tara, 459A CR 4, Clovis, NM Meeks, Cindy, Farwell Country Club Snack Shack, 1107 Wallace St, Clovis, NM Meier, Harald, PM AG Products Inc, PO Box 577,

Mayes, April, 47 Royal Crest, Los Alamos, NM

Mayes, Diane L, 20407 Lionsgate Ln, Humble, TX McCluskey, Earl W, PO Box 1103, Farwell, TX

McDaniel, Colleen C, PO Box 478, Goodwell. OK

Farwell, TX Mendez, Cleofas & Maria, 509 Hinkle, Clovis, NM Mendez, Fernando P, PO Box 1023, Farwell, TX Mendoza, Victor A, PO Box 1551, Carlsbad, NM Merimon, Jeff, PO Box 604, Dimmitt, TX Meza, Monica, PO Box 312, Farwell, TX Milk Movers, Food Grade Transporters, 7723 Comox Rd, Miller, Jerrell W, PO Box 444, Ralls, TX Mills, Prentice L. 6717 Club Meadows Dr. AMA, TX

Minnis, Charles D, 7722 Beth, Liberty, MO Mitchell, Mrs Clarence, PO Box 606, Earth, TX Mitchem, Alice F, RR 1 Box 208A, Farwell, TX Mitchem, Kelvin Joe, 2612 E 7th, Clovis, NM Moberley, Lee, Pioneer Hi-Bred Int Inc, 1616 S Kentucky Ste C 150, AMA, TX Monterey Construction, PO Box 630, Wolfforth, TX Moore, Carolyn, 24 Spring Forest Cir, Asheville, NC Morris, Doyle, PO Box 412, Farwell, TX Morris, Richard, PO Box 39, Muleshoe, TX Mullen, Richard A, 820 Praireview Dr, Clovis, NM Murphy, Bobby H, PO Box 7276, Huntsville, TX Murrah, Gary A, Rt 2 Box 1125, Muleshoe, TX Myers, Lee, PO Box 445, Roosevelt, UT Myers, Teri L, PO Box 646, Farwell, TX

Myers, Tracy, 321 Wilmington Cir, Clovis, NM

Milton Christopher PO Box 891 Farwell TX

Nieto, Ramiro, PO Box 565, Cactus, TX Nigh, Connie, 901 W Ave K, Muleshoe, TX Nigreville, John F, 2017 S Prince, Clovis, NM Nix, Cynthia, 225 Sasser, Clovis, NM Oberg, Travis, 913 Sandia Dr, Clovis, NM Oldham, Cuma, 1509 Grayson Ct, Clovis, NM Osbourn, Jeff & Angie, PO Box 880, Glenrio, NM Osbourne, Shelia, Agri Credit Management, 210 W Pierce St, Morton, TX

Nance, Dwayne, Riverside Chemical, PO Box I, Bovina,

Ott, Nathaniel B, PO Box 222, Muleshoe, TX Oursbourn, Sherie & Jeff, PO Box 453, Olton, TX Pacheco, Manuel, PO Box 951, Farwell, TX Pageau, Ronald A, PO Box 339, Farwell, TX
Paine, Michael & Ann, 90 Lexington Ct, Richmond Hill,

Papa, Robert K, PO Box 1302, Clarendon, TX Pearce, Juli, Gen Del, Farwell, TX Pedersen, Billy N, Gen Del, Farwell, TX Perez, Daniel & Criselda, PO Box 1042, Farwell, TX Perez, Francisco & Engracia M, PO Box 883, Farwell, TX Perez, Jesse, 105 Ave F, Farwell, TX Perez, Jesus & Manuela, PO Box 402, Farwell, TX Perez, Juan & Maria Emma, 921 N Zaragosa, El Paso

Peterson, Charles D, Gen Del, Farwell, TX Pierce, Denise & Rickey, PO Box 294, Farwell, TX Pierce, Mark, PO Box 1174, Farwell, TX Pollard Jr, Lester J, PO Box 766, Tulare, CA Pool, Teddy R, PO Box 1008. Farwell TX Pottorff, Craig, 5102 Galley Rd #213 B, Colorado Springs,

Pottorff, Scott A. PO Box 882, Farwell, TX Pruitt, William, Bill's Lock & Key, PO Box 783, Farwell, TX Quinonez, Enedina, PO Box 954, Farwell, TX Ramirez, Jessie, PO Box 323, Farwell, TX Ramirez, Mike, PO Box 328, Farwell, TX Ramiro, Vera & Tomasa Cruz, 2908 Chestnut St, San

Rice, Ricky, PO Box 1034, Farwell, TX Riggle, Christopher, RR 2 Box 70B, Farwell, TX Riley, Birdie Lee, 6300 Ridglea Pl Ste 119, Ft Worth, TX Riley, Clarence, 8041 E Hedges Ave, Fresno, CA Roach, Billy dba Doozer Construction, 1927 S RR 8,

Robbins, Kathy, PO Box 20402, AMA, TX Roberson Sr, Jimmie L, 1517 US Hwy 60/84 #24, Clovis, Rodriguez, Mario & Elizabeth, PO Box 951, Farwell, TX

Rodriguez, Ricardo D, 820 Ave G #B, Farwell, TX Roeser, Barbara, PO Box 762, Farwell, TX Rogers, Sommer & Justin Goodwin, PO Box 178, Farwell,

Rohder, Robert F, PO Box 2094, Yucca Valley, CA Roubinek, Kathie, 806 W Ave K, Muleshoe, TX Rowton, Carol & Richard, 303 Lamar, Texico, NM

Rubio, Rosario G, PO Box 360, Farwell, TX Sales, Milton Wavne, PO Box 874, Farwell, TX Sanchez, Roberto & Ruth, 436 W Tierra Blanca, Clovis,

Sarmiento, Miguel, PO Box 190, Farwell, TX Sartain, Monty W, 218 N Beaver, Guymon, OK Saxon, Michael & Kristy, PO Box 238, Wills Point, TX Scales, Warren & Wilma, 3004 Shelby Dr #102, Bristol,

Schmidt, John R, PO Box 55, Merna, NE Schuch, Pamala, PO Box 84, Farwell, TX Schwertner, Nancy, 5857 CR 296, Breckenridge, TX Scott, Steven & Kathryn, 807 Cedar Ave, Idalou, TX Sena, Aaron, PO Box 110, Farwell, TX Shaw, Virgie, 404 8th St, Farwell, TX Siemens, Jesse, 251 SR 523, Texico, NM Sinor, Carol, PO Box 6005, Salem, OR Smith, Scott & Shelly, PO Box 432, Texico, NM Snildr, Scott & Sheny, PO Box 452, Texted, NWI Snider Trucking, PO Box 128, Farwell, TX Snow, Misty D, PO Box 1978, Stephenville, TX Sorrels, Betty R, 102 E 14th St, Friona, TX Soto, Miguel, PO Box 448, Farwell, TX Spears, Kevin, PO Box 618, Texico, NM St Clair, Michael, PO Box 390, Farwell, TX Stanton, J T. PO Box 331, Texico, NM Stanton, Michael, PO Box 331, Texico, NM Stewart, Brad & Brenda, PO Box 1061, Farwell, TX Strasser Jr, Joseph, PO Box 843, Farwell, TX Street, John W. PO Box 203, Farwell, TX Stroud, C E, Gen Del, Farwell, TX Sunbelt Savings FSB, PO Box 732, Farwell, TX Suvdam, Virginia, 9314 Ravenswood Rd, Grandbury, TX Syms, Carl & Rebecca, 206 E Ave F, Muleshoe, TX Talley, Carie A, 1100 Maple, Clovis, NM Taylor, Rick D, 1623 68th St, LBBK, TX Tele Comm of Texas Inc, dba Inmates Phones Inc, 928 Shady Ln, Lake Charles, LA Teleserve Communications, 1601 N Collins Blvd Richardson, TX
Texas Tobacco, Mark Allsup, PO Box 751, Farwell, TX

Thiessen, Pedro, PO Box 767, Farwell, TX Thigpen, Billy F, PO Box 147, Texico, NM Thomas, Becky & Jerry L, 908 Theron, Garden City, KS Thomas, Marshall W, 800 Cooke St, Nocona, TX Thornbury, Andrew Enoch, PO Box 1135, Farwell, TX Thurmond, Bryan P, PO Box 1105, Farwell, TX Tolbert, John & Birdy, PO Box 6, South Bend, TX Toscano, Monica, 417 E Austin, Muleshoe, TX Transactive Corporation, 8520 Tuscany Way #100, Austin, TX

Travis, Marianne C, 2702 31st St, LBBK, TX TSC Payphone Corp, PO Box 851378, Richardson, TX Valadez, Juanita, Gen Del, Farwell, TX Vanlandingham, Rhonda, Rt 4 Box 60, Hereford, TX Vanrensburg, Andre, 998 County Rd 11, Farwell, TX Vasquez, Jose, PO Box 1147, Farwell, TX Vasquez, Juanita, Gen Del, Farwell, TX Vaughn, Paul L, RR 2 Box 44A, Minco, OK Vega, Ismael, PO Box 1041, Farwell, TX Vega, Jaime, PO Box 892, Plainview, TX Vega, Patricia, PO Box 1041, Farwell, TX Velasquez, Elizabeth G. PO Box 1175, Farwell, TX Vizcarra, Isidro Veronica Delgado, PO Box 32, Farwell,

Walker, Emsley Asaberry, 318 W Sears, Denison, TX Walkup, Thomas Pat, PO Box 722, Farwell, TX Welch, Elaine, PO Box 631, Farwell, TX Wheetley, Arley, Gator Transportation Inc, PO Box 9472, Little Rock, AR

Whitaker, Audrey L, PO Box 877, Farwell, TX White, James, 5527 76th St, LBBK, TX White, Rochelle F. PO Box 433, Levelland, TX Wilcox, Aurora, PO Box 854, Farwell, TX
Williams, Chris & Lorri, PO Box 53, Farwell, TX Williams, John S. RR 1 Box 194, Farwell, TX Williams, Lloyd L, 1532 Hickory, Clovis, NM
Williamson, Donald M, 110 W Manana Bvld, Clovis, NM Willis, Craig, PO Box 406, Vega, TX Wolfe, Shannon B, PO Box 1063, Farwell, TX Woodson, Robert L, PO Box 976, Farwell, TX Zatarain, Christian, PO Box 71, Farwell, TX Zimmerman, Kristopher, PO Box 110, Farwell, TX

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Jeff Casas

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Jeff doesn't plan to re-enlist, but is planning on working for a security detail team to trans-



port nuclear weapons across the U.S. for the Department Defense or Enforcement.

He wants everyone back here at home to know this:

"If you agree with the war on terror or not, just know it exists. And by sitting around debating doesn't change a thing.

"Just know that there is someone's son, daughter, brother, sister, father and mother fighting for peoples' freedom. So enjoy the luxuries you have because if the U.S. armed forces didn't sacrifice and give up theirs, you wouldn't have yours. Also, to all those who prayed and supported my family and me through the years thank you very much."

We are proud to have a man like Jeff make sacrifices to serve our country. He is in our prayers and we wish him the best.

One last thing Jeff wants everyone to know:

"To all my future Marines: sacrifice, dedication, discipline is what it takes to be the worlds finest. Semper Fidelis."

2009 Property Tax Rates in Farwell Hospital

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Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes \$38,939 Last year's debt taxes \$0 \$38,939 Last year's total taxes \$119,444,371 Last year's tax base Last year's total tax rate 0.032600/\$100

This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property) This year's adjusted tax base

(after subtracting value of new property) = This year's effective tax rate

This year's rollback tax rate:

Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)

\$38,942 \$127,074,556 This year's adjusted tax base 0.030600/\$100 This year's effective operating rate 1.08 =this year's maximum operating rate 0.033000/\$100 + This year's debt rate 0.000000/\$100

= This year's rollback rate

Statement of Increase/Decrease

Date prepared: July 30, 2009

If Farwell Hospital adopts a 2009 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.030600 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2008 taxes by \$ 1,955.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 305 3rd Street, Bovina, Tx 79009. Name of person preparing this notice: Curby Brantley
Title: Chief Appraiser

Johnny Dopp in Egypt

Dopp goes global

Johnny Dopp just got home from a remarkable trip.

Dopp, a 1994 Bovina graduate and son of Larry and Linda Dopp, of Bovina, is a junior high science teacher in Childress, Texas. He is working on his Masters Degree at West Texas A&M.

He was invited to go on a 'Go Global' study abroad class to Turkey, Cappadocia, Greece and Egypt.

He visited the Blue Mosque in Istanbul, the most famous Muslim church and the Hagia Sophia church across the street.

In Cappadocia he saw a city covered in ash -- houses and churches that were dug into ash pillars.

The temperature in Egypt was 115 degrees, but he said the pyramids were magnificent.



Johnny Dopp in Greece

2009 Property Tax Rates in Parmer County Hospital

This notice concerns 2009 property tax rates for Parmer County Hospital. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes \$697,882 Last year's debt taxes \$645,188 \$1,343,070 Last year's total taxes Last year's tax base \$428,411,581 Last year's total tax rate 0.313500/\$100

\$1,343,316

\$953,677

\$452,616,993

0.296700/\$100

This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property) This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property) This year's effective tax rate

This year's rollback tax rate:

\$38,942

\$127,074,556

0.030600/\$100

0.033000/\$100

Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)

\$698,128 \$452,616,993 This year's adjusted tax base This year's effective operating rate 0.154200/\$100 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate 0.166500/\$100 This year's debt rate 0.210200/\$100 This year's rollback rate 0.376700/\$100

Statement of Increase/Decrease

 $If \ Parmer \ County \ Hospital \ adopts \ a \ 2009 \ tax \ rate \ equal \ to \ the \ effective \ tax \ rate \ of \ 0.296700 \ per \ \$100 \ of \ value, \ taxes \ would \ decrease \ compared \ to \ 2008 \ taxes \ by \ \$ \ 2,955.$

Schedule B: 2009 Debt Service:

= Total Debt Levy

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Desc	cription of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
Hosp	pital Bond	906,208	15,000	0	921,208
	Total required for 2009 debt service	e			\$921,208
-	Amount (if any) paid from funds list		\$0		
-	Amount (if any) paid from other re-		\$0		
-	Excess collections last year				\$15,215
=	Total to be paid from taxes in 2009				\$905,993
+	Amount added in anticipation that taxes in 2009	he unit will collect	ct only 95.0000	000% of its	\$47,684

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 305

3rd Street, Bovina, Tx 79009. Name of person preparing this notice: Curby Brantley Jr. Title: Chief Appraiser Date prepared: July 30, 2009

Bovina Banter

Deanna Curtis • 251-1405

A special note from Mike Pomper:

This marks the first anniversary of Jana Pitcock becoming Bovina city manager.

There have been a lot of success stories in the past 12 months.

Although the main sewer plant project was begun by Ernest Terry, Mrs. Pitcock has worked hard to get it moving along. And the sewer projects to two small you have been waiting for that to go shopping get areas adjoining Bovina are next up to the plate.

Mrs. Pitcock also has been working hard at getting grants and this has gone extremely well.

The city now has two fulltime police officers at work, and a lot of other civic improvements could be mentioned here. And don't forget the new city website.

Suffice it to say that Mrs. Pitcock has had an excellent start in her job ... with benefits to the entire

Well done.

It's football time!

The Mustangs host a scrimmage with Memphis at 10 a.m. on Aug. 15.

A report from Jim Bob Swafford:

Last week, Jen Petersen of Alpha Wind Energy from Denmark was here to install the third wind data tower for the Mariah Wind Farm Project. The latest wind data tower is four miles west on Highway 2013 and four miles north on CR 14.

Dennis Slagle owns to the tower.

The wind will be measured at 100 meter (300 feet), 80 and 50 meters.

The Mariah Project has sited 1,100 three megawatt turbines in the northwest corner of Parmer County. Scandia Wind Southwest of Bovina is working on permitting certificates with local, state and federal agencies.

Parmerton Rhea LLC of landowners announced current enrollment of committed land for the Mariah Wind Farm Project at 100,000 acres.

A blood drive will be conducted by Coffee Memorial Blood Center at the Bovina EMS building from 4 to 7 p.m. on Aug. 20.

Free hot dogs will be served.

To make an appointment, call (877) 574-8800.

We received 3/4 of inch of rain on Sunday at my house. Along with the rain we got just a small bit of pea size hail. Not enough hail to do any damage.

Tax Free Weekend for Texas will Aug. 21-23. So if ready. In conjunction with this tax free time is great sales for back to school clothes and products. Now remember this is not New Mexico ... they have already held theirs.

School supplies are no cheap commodity. If you are migrant, the program at school will help provide your student with supplies. You can also contact Rocio Mata at the High School and she will try to refer you to some alternative resources to help if you

Casas back from Iraq

By Deanna Curtis One of our own has sacrificed his time to preserve our freedom and the freedom of people from another nation. Jeff Casas is a 2005 Bovina graduate who is residing in Jacksonville, N. C.

He has a wife, Alicia, and a son, Gage.

His parents are Javier Sandy Casas. Sisters Evang and Kimberly, and niece

Joseph are still Bovina.

Lejuene, N.C.

His latest deployment 2008 to April 28, 2009.

ence for Jeff.

"Being deployed and seeing Arabic people try to speak English and learn our language is amazing. No matter what the media shows or what media says, we know deep in our hearts that Bovina. through sacrificing sweat, blood, tears, and even Marines' lives, we have made a difference. We've helped stop these people from living in fear," he said.

Last year's tax rate:

Makaylah, and nephew

Jeff enlisted in the Marines the year he graduated high school. Since then, he has served in Camp Pendleton, Calif.; Norfolk, Va.; Kings Bay, Ga.; Scotland, and Camp

was in Iraq from Sept. 22,

Serving overseas was a life changing experi-

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are in need.

The new Smart Board were put into the classrooms. This in a incredible new tool to assist teach the latest and greatest. We all know that we have got to jump on technology bandwagon. We do not want our kids to be left behind and the school is doing a great job trying to keep up.

The auditorium is getting revamped and included with that are new seats. I know that has really been a long time coming. Some seating was compromised but only about 10 to 12 seats were lost. I know that

we need all of them but something has to give. The new seats will be much more comfortable.

City Council will meet Aug. 18th at the ambulance building. The Chamber and City continue to work together in the hopes of new playground equipment for our City Park. If you are interested in what is going you are always welcome to attend.

I often hear the lack of attendance at the these meetings is a concern. A little word of advice for our councilmen and councilwoman ... when we voted we voted for you to represent our interests. So lack of presence does not mean we do not care but trust in you!

God Bless and have a great week!

Interesting Fact of the Week: It was difficult for Colgate to sell in foreign countries because the translation for Colgate in Spanish is "Go hang yourself." Try selling that one!

Strike up the band

From Bovina Band Director Brad Walker:

The Bovina Mustang Band will start its annual summer band rehearsals beginning Aug. 17 at 9 a.m.

All band students in grades 7-12 are asked to attend. If you are planning to be in the Mustang Band these rehearsals are really a must

We have a great deal of music to prepare for the upcoming football season along with the halftime show marching drills. Students are encouraged to bring their own drinks to rehearsals in non-spill containers. They will also need to dress in comfortable/cool clothing for the hot weather.

If you did not sign up for band last spring but still would like to be part of the Mustang Band this fall, please come to these rehearsals and we will work to change your schedule to include band. We are very excited about another marching season here in

Here is the summer band schedule:

Monday, Aug. 17 -- 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., with a short lunch break from 12:15 to 1 p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 18 – 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., with the short lunch break from 12:15 to 1 p.m.

Parmer County

Wednesday, Aug. 19 – 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 20 – 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Friday, Aug. 21 - 9 a.m. to noon.

2009 Property Tax Rates in Parmer County

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Farm to Market Road

Las	t year stax rate.		
	Last year's operating taxes	\$596,714	\$2,199,447
	Last year's debt taxes	\$0	\$255,918
	Last year's total taxes	\$596,714	\$2,455,365
	Last year's tax base	\$596,713,808	\$603,580,278
	Last year's total tax rate	0.100000/\$100	0.406800/\$100
Γhi	s year's effective tax rate:		
	Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$596,834	\$2,455,799
÷	This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new		
	property)	\$622,831,756	\$629,409,792
=	This year's effective tax rate	0.007000/0400	0.0000000000000000000000000000000000000
	for each fund	0.095800/\$100	0.390100/\$100
	Total effective tax rate	0.485900/\$100	
Γhi	s year's rollback tax rate:		
	Last year's adjusted operating taxes		
	(after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any		
	transferred function, tax		
	increment financing, state		
	criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent		
	health care expenditures)	\$596,834	\$2,199,881
÷	This year's adjusted tax base	\$622,831,756	\$629,409,792
	This year's effective operating		
=	rate	0.095800/\$100	0.349500/\$100
×	1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.103400/\$100	0.377400/\$100
+	This year's debt rate	0.000000/\$100	0.038800/\$100
=	This year's rollback rate for each fund	0.103400/\$100	0.416200/\$100
	This year's total rollback rate	0.519600/\$100	

Schedule A: Unencumbered Fund Balances: Parmer County

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund General

Schedule A: Unencumbered Fund Balances: Farm to Market Road

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fisca encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund Farm To Market Balance 1,472,478

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 305 3rd Street, Bovina, Tx 79009.

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Bovina Schools get Prometheus boards

Supt. Bill Bizzell shows off one of the new Prometheus boards. The interactive boards will allow teachers to incorporate pictures, videos and sound into their lesson plans.

Bovina School switches back to 7-period day

Board on Monday voted had last year. to rescind its decision from a 7-period to an 8- od. period school day.

Supt. Bill Bizzell board: reported that there was a problem in the high contract with Brown. school with this change Graham & Co. in that too many teachers periods.

od day, with the same were "recognized" and quiet last week.

The Bovina School start and end times, as it the high school was

Tutorials will be given earlier this year to switch at the end of the 7th peri- an elementary teacher.

In other business, the now been filled.

-- Renewed the audit

would have several open on the state accountabil- 24 and Texico starts Aug. ity ratings for the three 18. So the school will con- campuses: the elementinue to stay on a 7-peri- tary and middle schools

"acceptable."

-- Hired Carly Barbie as All teaching posts have

The Latest

School is approaching. Farwell, Lazbuddie, -- Heard Bizzell report and Bovina begin Aug.

Texico police report all

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