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Schacht's Flowers closes doors after 41 years

By Charles Keaton
The Hesperian-Beacon

In 1972, Margaret Schacht's parents were offered the opportunity to purchase the local floral shop. Now, 41 years later Schacht has decided to close the shop to enjoy more time with family and relaxing.

"It just kind of happened," Schacht said. "Tom Simpson, who owned the flower shop in 1972, decided he wanted to move to Wyoming and he offered to sell the shop to mom and dad."

Schacht's mom, Eleanor, had been working for Simpson for several years. Her dad, Fritz Otto, agreed to the idea and since 1972 it's been Schacht's Flowers. The shop has been at the same location since it was started prior to Simpson buying the business.

Sometime after her dad's death in 1975, Schacht bought one-half interest in the business from her mom. In 1996, she purchased the rest of the business from her mom.

"After I graduated from Lockney High School, I went to Watson's Business College in Plainview then came back and went to work for the First National Bank until mom and dad bought the flower shop," Schacht said.

Schacht had the opportunity to improve her floral skills by attending the FTD and Teleflora schools and conventions. She enjoyed the opportunities

to learn about the new designs and techniques in developing floral displays.

Schacht said, "When we first started, potted ivy plants, small mum plants, roses and carnations were our main stock but over the years, more colors and kinds of flowers have been developed. Today, we can get nearly any kind of plant at any time of the year."

Improved genetics in the floral industry have help improve the life of plants and cut flowers. Schacht said when they first took over the business, they had to put wires in the stems of flowers just to get them to stand up straight through a funeral. Now, a floral arrangement will last from seven to 21 days without supporting wire.

"I've enjoyed seeing the new colors and varieties develop over the years," Schacht said. "I really love working with all the different flowers and arrangements. I can't name a favorite."

Schacht said that through the years she's enjoyed working with the people in good times and in the bad times.

"I enjoy helping people pick out flowers for everything from new babies, weddings and even funerals," Schacht said. "I will miss the people more than anything."

The final day for business is Dec. 24. After Christmas, Schacht will head to Pasadena, Calif. to work on floats for the Rose Bowl Parade as a petal pusher. The petal pushers place all the flowers,



Photos by Charles Keaton/The Hesperian-Beacon



seeds and other things that make up the floats. She has no idea what float or floats she'll work on but she said it will be busy up until the parade starts.

"I plan to enjoy retirement but I also plan to travel to see my nieces and nephews in some of their activities that I haven't been able enjoy before," Schacht said.

Upcoming

Events are listed free of charge for nonprofit civic organizations, schools and community events. Please submit listings at least two weeks ahead of the date. Listings will run through the date of the event. Emailed submissions are preferred to fchb.editor@yahoo.com.

COME SEE SANTA!

Santa and Mrs. Claus will be at the Floydada Post Office on Friday, December 20th from 12 noon til 4 p.m. to see all the good little boys and girls. Parents are encouraged to bring their cameras so you can capture your children sitting on Santa's lap.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

The First National Bank of Floydada will be holding their annual Christmas Open House on Friday, December 20 from 9 a.m - 3 p.m. in the Community Room.

COMMUNITY KLLL BLOOD DRIVE

Floydada Community KLLL Country Blood Drive will be held Tuesday, December 17th. You may donate between the hours of 12 p.m. and 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall (400 South Wall). For an appointment please contact Kim Perez at the Chamber, 806-983-3434 or log onto bloodhero.com - Sponsor code: klllfloydada. Everyone that donates will receive a t-shirt and be eligible for the daily and grand prize drawings.

CAPROCK CROP PRODUCTION CONFERENCE

The Caprock Crop Production Conference is scheduled for Thursday, January 23, 2014 at the Floyd County Friends Unity Center. Registration begins at 7:00 a.m. The cost of the conference is \$35.00 (we will be accepting pre-registration until January 21) after this date a \$10 late fee will be added. Registration information can be received through the Floyd or Crosby County Extension offices. See article in the Hesperian-Beacon this week for further info.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

Calvert Home Health holds their blood pressure clinic on every first and third Thursday of each month between 9 - 11 a.m. at the Community Room of the First National Bank of Floydada.

Corrections

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News on the go



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Caprock Crop Production Conference

By Caitlin Jackson
CEA-AG/NR Crosby County

The Caprock Crop Production Conference is scheduled for Thursday, January 23, 2014 at the Floyd County Friends Unity Center located 6 miles west on Hwy 70 from Floydada and 4 miles east on Hwy 70 from Lockney. Registration begins at 7:00 a.m. The cost of the conference is \$35.00 (we will be accepting pre-registration until January 21) after this date a \$10 late fee will be added. Registration information can be received through the Floyd or Crosby County Extension offices. Registration will include lunch, 7 CEU's tentative as of now, conference cap, door prizes and program materials. Vista Bank has donated an I-Pad 2 to give away to one lucky attendee. The conference is open to all area producers as well as anyone interested in crop production. The conference will include a trade show with vendors displaying their latest products and equipment.

The 7 tentative Continuing Education Units available by attending the conference will include 3.5 General, 2 IPM, 1 Laws & Regulation and .5 Drift Minimization. We are also approved for 6.5 Certified Crop Advisor credits for those interested and will include 1 Soil & Water Management, 3.5 Pest Management, 1 Crop Management and 1 Professional Development.

The program is scheduled to begin at 8:00 a.m. Speakers will be: Caitlin Jackson, TX A&M AgriLife Extension; Peter Dotray, TX A&M AgriLife Extension; Jason Woodward, TX A&M AgriLife Extension; Jim Bordovsky, TX A&M AgriLife Extension; Shawn Wade, Plains Cotton Growers; John Robinson, TX A&M AgriLife Extension; Jason Coleman, High Plains Underground Water District; Jay Yates, TX A&M AgriLife Extension; Mark Kelley, TX A&M AgriLife Extension; Calvin Trostle, TX A&M AgriLife Extension; and Casey Summers, TX Department of Agriculture. The conference will conclude at 4:00 pm with evaluations and CEU certificates. If you need assistance or have questions please contact the Crosby County Extension Office (675-2347) or the Floyd County Office (983-4912) by January 17, 2014 to advise for auxiliary and/or services needed. Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin. The Extension Office will seek to accommodate all persons with disabilities for the meeting.



Harrington Breast Center Mobile Coach Coming to Lockney

The Harrington Breast Center Mobile Mammography Coach will be in Lockney at the Mangold Hospital on Tuesday, January 7 from 9 a.m. to 5:45 p.m. to provide women 35 and older in the area with their yearly mammograms.

Featuring the largest program of its kind in the state of Texas, the Harrington Breast Center Mobile Mammography Coach has provided mammograms to women of the High Plains region since 1989. Our program features full-field digital mammography equipment, screenings performed inside our self-contained unit,

fast appointments at convenient times and quick reporting back to patients.

For appointments and cost information, please contact the Harrington Breast Center at 1-800-377-4673. The Mangold Hospital is located at 320 N. Main in Lockney.

Deadline for appointments is Monday, January 6th. We encourage women to call and schedule their appointment but will also take patients on Tuesday as walk-ins if appointment times are available.

We look forward to serving you during our visit.

Christmas Eve Services

First United Methodist
Church of Floydada
December 24th - 6 p.m.
Christmas Candlelight Service

108th Christmas Eve Service

St. Mary Magdalen Catholic
Church of Floydada
December 24th -

Rosary - 6:30 p.m.
Mass - 7 p.m.

December 25th
Rosary - 11 a.m.
Nativity of the Lord
11:30 a.m.

First Baptist Church
of Lockney

December 24th - 6 p.m.
Christmas Eve Service

First United Methodist
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December 24th - 6 p.m.
Christmas Eve Service

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December 24th - 6 p.m.



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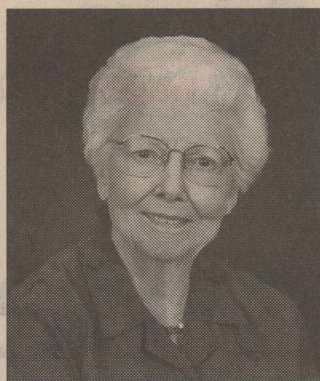
Dorothy Katherine (May) Anderson

Dorothy Anderson, age 89, went home to be with the Lord, Wednesday, December 11, 2013 in Lubbock.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, December 14, 2013 at the First Baptist Church in Floydada.

Interment followed at the Floyd County Memorial Park in Floydada. Arrangements were under the care of Moore-Rose Funeral Home in Floydada.

Dorothy was born on May 15, 1924 in Floydada, Texas. The name Katherine came from her maternal grandmother, Katherine (Kate) Mallow of Silverton, Texas. She was the first daughter of Jim & Ada Lee Jones. An older brother, Leroy, passed away at 15 months of age from complications of pneumonia. Three other children were



DOROTHY ANDERSON
born into the family, Billie Jones Crawford, Albert Carroll Jones, who passed away October 11, 1989, and Margie Jones Smith, who passed away April 29, 2004.

Dorothy gave her life to Christ and was baptized in the Baptist church in Ralls, Texas. A few years later she joined the First Baptist Church of Floydada where she worked in the baby nursery for 45 years, introducing hundreds of chil-

dren to the love of Christ. On January 11, 1941, Dorothy married Otis Calvin Anderson. They had 43 years together before The Lord called Otis home on November 16, 1984.

She is survived by two children, Elaine Galloway and husband, Doug of Floydada and Connie McCulley and husband, David of Lubbock; her grandchildren, Guy Galloway and wife, Suzy, Rusty Galloway and wife, D'Nae, Robin Hambright and husband, Jim Bob, Jim McCulley and wife, Leslie, and Joe McCulley and wife, Kelly. There are eleven great-grandchildren, Kalley, Kylan, and Brody Galloway, Ryan and Rylee Galloway, Faithe and Eden Hambright, Addison, Ayden, and Emryn McCulley, and Kaylynn Honican.

Ray Neal Ford

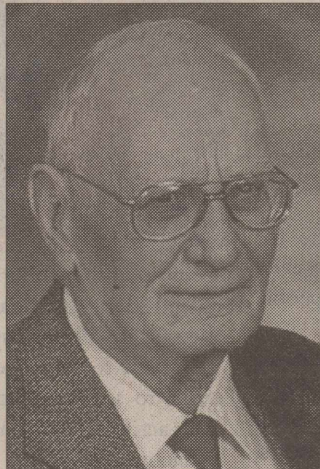
Ray Neal Ford, age 78, of Lockney, passed away Friday, December 6, 2013.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, December 12, 2013 at the First Baptist Church in Lockney.

Interment followed at the Lockney Cemetery. Visitation was held from 6 p.m.-8 p.m. Wednesday, December 11 2013 at Moore Rose Funeral Home in Lockney.

Arrangements were under the care of Moore Rose Funeral Home in Lockney.

Ray was born on May 14, 1935 in Cedar Hill, Texas to Raymond and Mamie Olivia (Carson) Ford. He started school at Liberty, went to Floydada for elementary and middle school, and graduated from



RAY NEAL FORD
Lockney High School in 1953. Ray married Harriett Ann Agee on August 20, 1960 in Paso Robles, California. They moved from Lockney to the farm in 1961. Ray farmed near Cedar Hill and the Muncy

areas for most of his life. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Lockney since 1960. They had six children, all born and raised in Lockney.

Ray is survived by Ann, his wife, of 53 years; children, Randy Ford, Roxanne Hogue, Russell Ford, Rachele Young, Rance Ford and Ryan Ford; 21 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren.

Preceding his death is his parents, Raymond and Mamie Ford and granddaughters, Ashlee Ford and Victory Hennagan.

Because of Ray's desire to help others in need, in lieu of flowers, please make donations to Lifetoday.org. P.O. Box 982000, Fort Worth, TX 76182-8000.

Adelina Guerrero

Adelina Guerrero, age 75, passed away December 14, 2013 in Lubbock.

Mass of Christian burial was held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, December 18, 2013 at San Jose Catholic Church in Lockney with Father Pat Maher officiating.

Rosary was held at 7 p.m. Tuesday, December 17, 2013 at San Jose Catholic Church. Interment followed at the Lockney Cemetery. Arrangements were under the care of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Lockney.

Adelina was born on October 8, 1938 in McAl-



ADELINA GUERRERO
len, Texas to Pedro and Josephina (Garcia) Ayala. She loved her children and grandchildren very much.

She was a member of the San Jose Catholic Church in Lockney.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ruben Guerrero.

Adelina is survived by her children, Ruben Guerrero, Jr., Richard Guerrero, Rene Guerrero, Rigoberto Guerrero, Rogelio Guerrero, Maria Isabel Ybarra, Elizabeth Rodriguez, Jose Luis Guerrero, 28 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren.

Online condolences may be made at www.moore-rose.com

Richard Franklin Stovall, Jr.

"This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it"

Richard Franklin Stovall, Jr., also known as Frank Stovall, beloved husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend, died Monday, November 25, 2013. He was 78 years of age.

Frank was born on December 29, 1934 in Lubbock, Texas. His parents were Richard F. Stovall and Hazel Tyson Stovall. He was raised in Floydada, Texas. In 1953, he graduated from Floydada High School. Immediately upon graduation, he enrolled at The University of Texas. The purpose was to obtain a law degree. In 1959, his purpose was accomplished with honors. He graduated with a business degree (BBA, 1957) and a law degree (LLB, 1959).

After graduation in 1959, Frank went to Houston, Texas, where he began work as an assistant prosecutor in the Houston District Attorney's office. In 1961, he moved back to Floydada and practiced law with his father. In 1963, he moved to Plainview, Texas, established his residency and entered the race for District Attorney of the 64th Judicial District, comprising Hale, Swisher and Castro counties. His election was successful.

Frank served as District Attorney of the 64th Judicial District for four years. He was re-elected without opposition. During his tenure, he tried 51 jury cases, including 17 murder trials resulting in 45 guilty verdicts, three mistrials and acquittals. A total of 393 pleas of guilty were taken by the court.

In December 1968, Frank resigned as the District Attorney of the 64th Judicial District. He returned to Houston, and in January 1969, accepted a position with a longtime established civil trial law firm known as Helm, Jones and Pletcher. In 1971, with the help of a lady from the firm, Mrs. Elizabeth Moreau, he formed his own law firm, which eventually became known as Stovall and Somyak. This law firm continued until it was dissolved in 1992. Frank continued to practice law in Houston. In 1995, his son, Max Franklin Stovall, joined him and they formed the law firm Stovall and Stovall.

In 2004, Frank retired from the practice of law. In 2005, with his wife, Barbara, he moved to Kerrville, Texas, where, until his death, he lived a life of retirement.

Professionally, Frank belonged to the Texas Bar Association, the American Bar Association, the Texas District Attorney Association, and the Texas Trial Lawyers Association (board of directors, 1974).

In his personal life, Frank was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Kerrville. He enjoyed golf, and in Kerrville, he was a member of the Riverhill Country Club and The Club at Comanche Trace. When he lived in Houston, he was a member of the Pine Forest Country Club, Champions Golf Club and Lakeside Country Club.

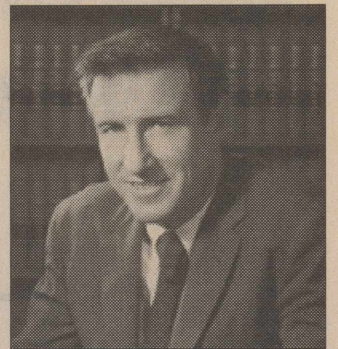
Frank is survived by his wife, Barbara; three children, daughter, Ivy McClain and her son, Chase Clifton McClain and his wife, Christine; daughter, Holly Stovall; son, Max Franklin Stovall and his wife, Kim, together with two children, Kaylan and Sara. In addition, his wife, Barbara has two sons, Jean Paul Hebert and Jason Hebert, whom he considered a part of his family. Also, he is survived by two brothers, Robert Tyson Stovall of Floydada, Texas and Van Clifton Stovall of Montgomery, Texas, together with their respective families.

Frank was preceded in death by his parents, Richard F. Stovall, Hazel Tyson Stovall and deceased wife, Martha Jo Stovall.

Memorial services were held at 1 p.m. Friday, December 6, 2013 at the First United Methodist Church in Kerrville. Rev. Ray Altman officiated.

Burial was held Monday, December 2, 2013 at the family burial space in Floydada, Texas.

In lieu of flowers, offerings may be made to the First United Methodist Church, Kerrville, or your favorite charity.



RICHARD STOVALL, JR.

The Paperboy

The birth of Jesus - not your average party

It's Christmas time in the city. And in the country too!

I hope you're getting ready for the world's largest birthday party.

Speaking of Christmas, I found some interesting facts regarding the holiday at randomhistory.com I thought I'd share:

- Each year more than 3 billion Christmas cards are sent in the U.S. alone.

- All the gifts in the Twelve Days of Christmas would equal 364 gifts.

- In A.D. 350, Pope Julius I, bishop of Rome, proclaimed December 25 the official celebration date for the birthday of Christ.

- According to the Guinness world records, the tallest Christmas tree ever cut was a 221-foot Douglas fir that was displayed in 1950 at the Northgate Shopping Center in Seattle, Washington.

- The traditional three colors of Christmas are green, red, and gold. Green has long been a symbol of life and rebirth; red symbolizes the blood of Christ, and gold represents light as well as wealth and royalty.

- The world's largest Christmas stocking measured 106 feet and 9 inches (32.56 m) long and 49 feet and 1 inch (14.97 m) wide. It weighed as much as five reindeer and held almost 1,000 presents. It was made by the Children's Society in London on December 14, 2007.

- Christmas trees have been sold in the U.S. since 1850.

- Alabama was the first state in the United States to officially recognize Christmas in 1836.

- Christmas wasn't declared an official holiday in the United States until June 26, 1870.

- Ancient peoples, such as the Druids, considered mistletoe sacred because it remains green and bears fruit during the winter when all other plants appear to die. Druids would cut the plant with golden sickles and never let it touch the ground. They thought it had the power to cure infertility and nervous diseases and to ward off evil.

- The poinsettia is native to Mexico and was cultivated by the Aztecs, who called the plant Cuetlaxochitl ("flower which wilts"). For the Aztecs, the plant's brilliant red color symbolized purity, and they often used it medicinally to reduce fever. Contrary to popular belief, the poinsettia is not poisonous, but holly berries are.

- Puritan Oliver Cromwell outlawed Christmas celebrations and carols in England from 1649-1660. The only celebrations allowed were sermons and prayers.

- It is estimated that the single "White Christmas" by Irving Berlin is the best selling single of all time, with over 100 million sales worldwide.

- The first person to decorate a Christmas tree was reportedly the Protestant reformer Martin Luther (1483-1546). According to legend, he was so moved by the beauty of the stars shining between the branches of a fir tree, he brought home an evergreen tree and decorated it with candles to share the image with his children.

- Christmas purchases account for 1/6 of all retail sales in the U.S.

May God bless you and yours this Christmas. I hope it's a time when we reflect on the true meaning, not the trivial meaning.

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Museum Archives

Three Popular Books from Days Gone By

Floyd County Hesperian and Beacon
August 22, 1985

By Will Martin

In early days of Floyd County and other parts of the country, I suppose the Bible was in most homes.

But there were two other books that were popular, especially on the farm. These were "catalogues" for Sears, Roebuck and Company, and Montgomery Ward and Company. I am sure people had other books, such as story books and school books, but these three were the most popular.

Of course the Bible was dependent on for the word of God, and the other two were depended on to order home supplies, and other uses I will try to bring out further.

In these thinly settled communities, the stores did not have as full a line of goods as we have now, and the catalogues had nearly every thing available and often cheaper than the local goods. The mail order companies sent two copies each year, one in the Spring and one in the Fall. Each company had a policy that if you ordered something and it was not satisfactory, you could just send it back and they would refund your money. I'm not sure, but I think they would pay for postage both ways.

None of the families could hardly wait to see the new catalogues when the mailman brought them. But we would soon get over our mail spell and pass it around. Both catalogues had a list of practically every thing anyone would want or need in that time. So I will try to pick out a few things possible interesting and some that are out of style and out of use now.

I shall start on ladies clothing which I as a boy thought they were very pretty, dressed in long frilly dresses and trimmed in lace and beautiful collars. And women mostly wore high heeled buttoned shoes that were high topped. Also they had large brimmed hats with ostrich plumes for dec-

orations. Women wore petticoats and other lighter underwear in Summer, and men and women wore long legged and long sleeved knot underwear in winter time.

As far as men, the catalogues showed them in suits similar to now, with stiff starched shirts with celeloid collars fastened to the shirt with buttons.

The men's dress shoes were button shoes just above the ankles and more flat heels than women wore. Men's work clothes were similar as today, overall, with gray shirts and overalls. But we had for work shoes old solid leather brogans that our feet hurt for two weeks before we could wear them in comfort.

You could find lots of toys and bicycles, tricycles, wind-up toys, trains, fire engines and many other metal toys. The catalogues showed all kinds of household goods. They had beds, dressers and about anything you will find today. Pianos, organs, and all kinds of musical instruments, guitars, violins, etc.

All kinds of kitchenware and table ware, cook ware, coffee mills, sausage grinders, and other things we won't mention.

There were general use things, such as wagons, buggies, wagon sheets, and bow, horse drawn planters and cultivators.

These were carpenter hand tools and saws, drawing knives and fishing gear, as now. I forgot to mention about button shoes having a flap on one side, with the other side having holes to match the buttons. They furnished a button hook with a hook on one end and ring on the other, to put the hook in the hole opposite the button and pull them through.

Men, women and children all had the greatest time looking over all these interesting things and "wishing" they could afford to buy them. They would go over the pictures of things we would never see in reality. When we got a new catalogue the old ones would go the old outside toilet. By and Thanks.

Historic Carr's Chapel to hold it's 108th Christmas Eve service

The historic Carr's Chapel, located in the southwest corner of Floyd County on farm to market highway 378, will hold its 108th Christmas Eve service.

Beginning at 6 p.m. on December 24, the program will consist of congregational singing of familiar Christmas hymns, the reading of the Christmas

story from Luke, and a seasonal meditation. The children in attendance will be invited to present musical selections, poems, and readings.

An offering will be taken to be donated to the Carr's Chapel cemetery.

Santa Claus will make his usual appearance to the congregation's singing of "Jingle Bells". He

will listen to the children's Christmas wishes and help distribute sacks of candy and apples to the congregation. After which, Santa will leave to go on his traditional Christmas Eve rounds around the world.

Everyone in the surrounding communities is invited to attend Carr's Chapel's 108th Christmas Eve observance.

Floydada Senior Citizens News

By Margarette Word
Special for The Hesperian-Beacon

Our attendance has had its ups and down these past several days. If it is icy many of us do not get out of our homes, so the Center has good days of attendance and not so good days.

However, last Thursday we had a large crowd to eat with us and then they played "Bunco" in the afternoon. We had about 20-25 extra ladies that day. We all had a great time visiting and eating a good meal. This is what our Center needs every day.

We do not charge a fee for the use of the game room. It would be nice for study clubs, hobby clubs and etc to come eat with us and then have their meetings. The meals are reasonable. If you want your club to come to the Center, please call Sylvia at 983-2032 and make plans with her.

Our Christmas tree is up and decorated. We will have our Christmas party Wednesday, December 18th at 5:30. Please bring a dish of food, no gifts. We will have a program, singing of Christmas music and good fellowship.

Thank you for remembering the Center when you need to make a memorial donation or just want to donate some money to

help us and all the seniors to have a place to go eat a good hot meal, visit with some friends and just to get out of our house to keep us from being lonely. Those of us who do attend every day find it helps in so many ways. We wish you would come and join us.

Our mailing address is P.O. Box 573, Floydada, Texas 79235.

In memory of Darlene Lackey, Randell Moore, Tommy Assiter, Doris McLain, and Opal Kratzer - Emogene Stansell

In memory of Dorothy Anderson - Margarette Word

Thought for the Week - Christmas began in the heart of God. It is complete only when it reaches the heart of man.

MENU

December 23 - December 27

Monday - Glazed meatloaf, red bliss potatoes, bread stick, mixed vegetables, country apple crisp, low-fat milk

Tuesday - Closed

Wednesday - Closed

Thursday - Ham & beans, cornbread, margarine, spinach, seasoned corn, orange pineapple cup, low-fat milk

Friday - Homestyle lasagna, garlic bread, brussel sprouts, pears, low-fat milk

Lockney Senior Citizens News

By Renee Armstrong

Merry Christmas from all of us here at the Lockney Senior Citizens Center. We hope you all have a great one.

Remember the Center will be CLOSED the Wednesday, 25th, Thursday, 26th and Friday, 27th for lunch. Coffee drinkers

will meet on Thursday and Friday. As of press time I do not know about pot luck on Thursday night

We had 44 for Family Night on the 13th

Please come and join us on Friday, Dec. 27th for our Fish Fry - 5-8 p.m.

C.F. Barber is ill so please keep him and Wanda and the rest of the fam-

ily in your prayers. Keep the Ray Ford family in your prayers as well.

MENU

Dec. 23 - Dec. 27

Monday - Ham

Tuesday - Baked Potatoes & Tuna Salad.

Wednesday - Closed

Thursday - Closed

Friday - Closed

1956 Study Club

By Kay Dean Smith
Special to the Hesperian-Beacon

The 1956 Study Club met Tuesday, December 10 for the annual Christmas party in the home of Janet Lloyd.

A delicious meal was served by Janet and co-hostess, Susan Simpson.

Terry Simmons, Minister of Education and Music at the First Baptist Church in Floydada was the featured program guest. Terry brought hand chimes and let members in playing chimes and singing Christmas Carols. Everyone had so much fun.

Janet Lloyd introduced a fun and unique game for members to exchange Christmas gifts. Following the gift exchange, members revealed their plans for spending Christmas with their families.

Guests attending were Sheryl Back and Nina Sanders. Members present were Sheree Cannon, Anne Carthel, Judy Dunlap, Sherry Hacker, Linda Harbin, Charline Hendrix, Janis Julian, Janet Lloyd, Linda Matsler, Judy Schacht, Susan Simpson, Trena Simpson, Kay Dean Smith, Virginia Stringer and Jan Willson.

Home Country

By Slim Randles

Herb tried on the Santa suit this morning.

Couldn't button the middle button on the jacket, but fortunately the pants had a drawstring that made allowances for yet another year of good living and fine food.

To fix the unbuttoned

button situation, Herb thought this Christmas Eve he'd wear this red vest he has under the jacket, and maybe the kids won't notice.

They always seemed to pay more attention to his face, anyway, during these annual pilgrimages to that spot on the highway in front of the

convenience store. Each Christmas Eve now for how many years?

Well, I guess Cindy was maybe six when she first became Dad's head elf and wore the green outfit. And now?

Cindy will be there again, of course, even though she has some elves of her own now. Will she be 30 this spring? Whaddya know...

Cindy could've passed this job along to others, but she always insists. Says it's a "daddy/daughter thing." Herb's awfully glad about that, too.

Looking at himself in the mirror now with the beard and cap, he thought he knew at least part of why actors get hooked on their profession. For a time, one small time each year, Herb gets to be someone else. He gets to play someone loved by everyone, someone who does only good things for others all year.

He wouldn't miss out on this couple of hours in his year. He gets to be part of something special, something based in love, something ... magic in the eyes of children.

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FLOYDADA SCHOOL

FISD Honors Students, Accepts Resignations

By Sara Sisemore
Correspondent

The Board of Trustees for the Floydada Independent School District met Thursday, Dec. 12, 2013, to honor the following educators, support staff, and students of the month: Dalles Hernandez (2nd grade), Alex Glass (8th grade), Yareli Martinez (11th grade), Laura Nutt (A.B. Duncan Elementary educator), Nelda Ochoa (A.B. Duncan Elementary support staff), Sonya Glass (FJH/FHS educator).

Boardmember Marty Lucke made the motion to accept the resignation of District 3 Board Member, Rachael Castillo, following which the board discussed filling her vacant seat. Castillo resigned due to recently having moved to Amarillo. She had served on the board for 14 years. Superintendent Gilbert Trevino said, "It was an honor working with such a dedicated board member. Rachael's loyalty to our district was unsurpassed and she always made decisions based on what is best for our students and district."

The board also unanimously accepted the resignation of A.B. Duncan Elementary Principal, Mac Sherman. Trevino noted of Mr. Sherman, "He devoted many good years of service to our

district and he will be missed."

The board reviewed the attendance and training hours for each board member: Kay Brotherton had 11.5 hours and was present 72 percent of the time, Rachel Castillo had 11.75 hours and was present 66.7 percent, William Dean had 8.5 hours and was present 94.44 percent, Roger Hughes had 6 hours and was present 88.89 percent, Marty Lucke had 9.25 hours and was present 83.3 percent, Lyle Miller had 8.25 hours and was present 94.4 percent, and John Woelfel had 2 hours and was present 83.3 percent.

Business Manager Sharon Rainwater presented the tax report and cash flow statement. M&O current tax roll is \$2,706,133.02, with net collections of \$2,082,301.58. I&S tax roll is \$318,884.32, with net collections of \$245,373.50. The percent of current roll collected is 76.95, compared to 75.96 percent this time last year.

Boardmember William Dean made the motion to approve the audit report as presented by Robison, Johnson, and Patton. The vote was unanimous in favor of the motion.

In other business, Univision made a presentation to the board regarding advertising opportunities for FISD. The item



Floydada ISD honored students and educators of the month at their December board meeting. Pictured left to right: Yareli Martinez (11th grade), Sonya Glass (FJH/FHS educator), Alex Glass (8th grade), Laura Nutt (A.B. Duncan Elementary educator), Nelda Ochoa (A.B. Duncan Elementary support staff), and Dalles Hernandez (2nd grade - front row).

was tabled until next month. The campus counselors presented the board with their annual report of services offered

at each campus and then the board approved the minutes from the Nov. 14, 2013 meeting and set their next meeting for Jan.

9, 2014 (public hearing for the 2012-2013 AEIS and Annual Performance Report at 6:30p.m. and regular meeting at 7p.m.).

VFW Honors FJH and FHS Students and Staff for Superior Accomplishments

By Cynthia Smith & Hunter Schwertner

On Wednesday, December 11, 2013, local veterans of the VFW club presented several students with awards for an outstanding job on their written and digitally recorded essays answering the question, "What does patriotism mean to you?" The Patriot's Pen and the Voice of Democracy awards were among the honors recognized at the assembly last week.

The Patriot's Pen award was established in honor of the late J.W. Harrison, the first man from Floydada who was KIA (Killed In Action) in WWII. The top three junior high students who received this award were: Alex Glass, Lauren Hall, and Michael Hinojosa.

The Voice of Democracy contest was specifically designed for high school students who had written an essay and then

transferred that essay in to a recorded response. The top four high school students who received this award were: Yareli Martinez, Kaylee Morren, Omar Peralez, and Christian Chavarria.

In addition to being awarded a certificate from the VFW, the principal presented all participating contestants with a \$10 iTunes gift card. In concluding the ceremony, math teacher Sonya Glass was presented with the Teacher of the Year award.

By writing the scholarship essays, students had a chance to express their personal feelings.

"My inspirations were all the people who have fought for our country and the numerous wars that we have been through," said freshman, Kaylee Morren.

"I was thinking about everything the veterans had to go through and it helped me put together my story," said junior,



Photo by Cynthia Smith

Yareli Martinez. Mrs. Glass was grateful after being acknowledged for her dedication.

"This is an extreme honor because I know I work with a lot of individuals that work very hard and put in a lot of hours,"

she said. "To be recognized for my hard work and effort feels great."

Floydada ISD Christmas Open House

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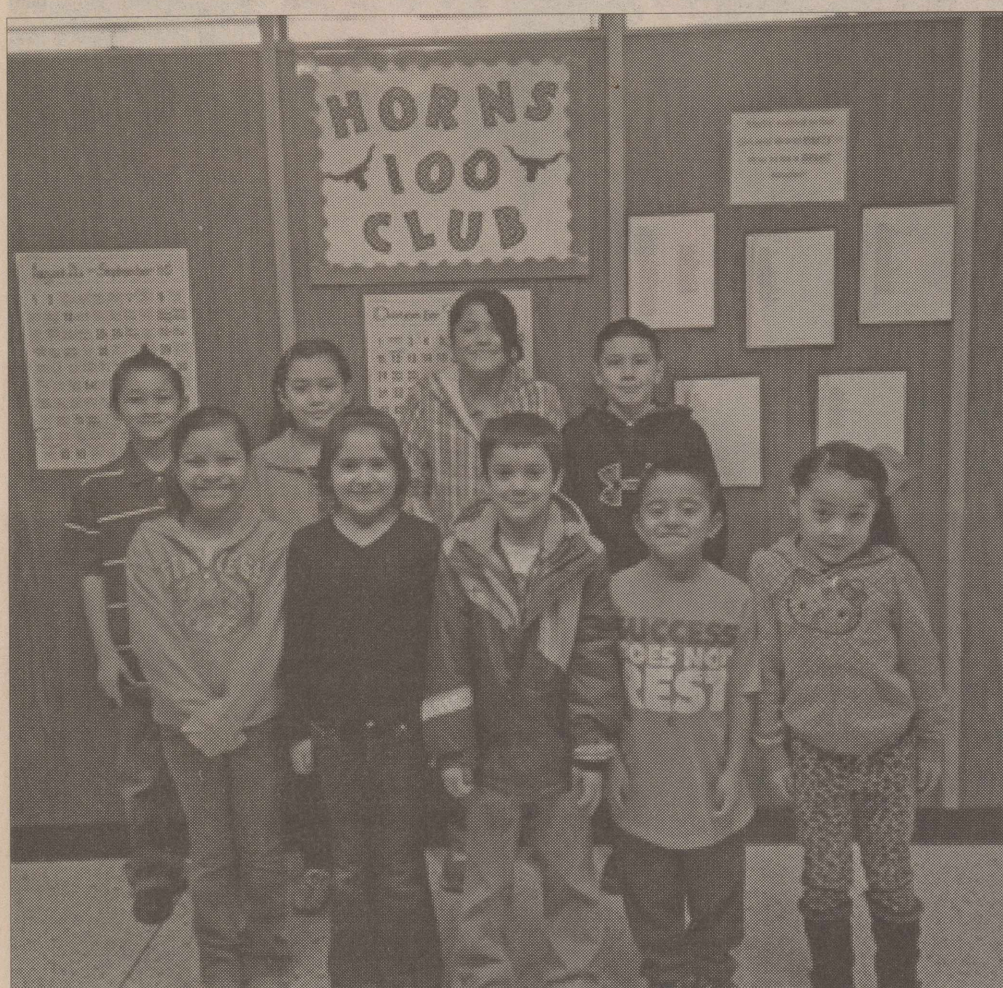
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Boy Scout Troop 259 helped collect cans for the Salvation Army. Scouts that participated include: (top left to right) Brett Moore, Clay Moore and Diego Azua. Bottom: JoJo Rodriguez Luna and Krista Azua.



Other Boys Scouts that helped collect food for the Salvation Army are: (left to right) Aiden Bustillos, Jeremiah Hernandez, Adrian Hernandez and Andrew Bustillos.

The Salvation Army would like to thank Boy Scouts Troop #259 of Lockney for their effort and 24 Years of Service in helping the needy in our Community. Bill Hunter is the Scout Master and is assisted by Sam Moore and Jerry Klein. All together the schools, the Health Fair, local churches and the Boy Scouts gathered for the Salvation Army 2,046 cans and nonperishable foods. Thank You for your Support.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Administration of the estate of ROBERT FRANK DUCKWORTH, DECEASED, has been commenced by the issuance of letters testamentary to the undersigned on December 12, 2013 by the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, acting in Cause No. 5964 styled IN RE ESTATE OF ROBERT FRANK DUCKWORTH, DECEASED, in which court the matter is pending. All creditors having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned at the address shown below within the time prescribed by law.

Dated this 12th day of December 2013.

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Lockney Junior High Basketball Seventh Grade Boys Compete with Ralls, Hale Center

By Coach Kyle Browne

The Lockney Longhorns Seventh grade boys' basketball team saw their record go to 3-1 on the season with a close win over Ralls 23-21. The Horns started off quick with nine points in the first quarter but then Ralls stepped up its defense holding the horns to just four points in the second and third quarters. The Horns stepped their game up in the fourth quarter however when they found themselves down by nine. They came

back to win the game. The Horns were led in scoring by Bryson Walker with 10, Daniel Palomin and Austin Ascensio with six and Bryson Hallmark with one.

The Lockney Longhorns Seventh grade boys' basketball team fell short in their game against Hale Center 39-9. The Horns played really hard but could not overcome the quick start by Hale Center. The Horns where led in scoring by Daniel Palomin with four, Austin Ascensio and Billy Dillard with two, and Bryson Hallmark with one.

Eighth Grade Boys Defeat Ralls and Hale Center

By Coach Jay Ragland

On Monday, Dec. 2, the Lockney Eighth grade boys' basketball team traveled to Ralls on Monday, Dec. 2 and defeated the Jackrabbits by a score of 38-16. The team was led in scoring by Jaden Rosales with 19 points followed by Isreal Cuellar with eight and Efren Nunez with four. Ricky Cuellar, Julio Lara, and Tristan Schluter each had two. Lockney led 14-0 at the end of the first quarter, 28-6 at half time and 36-13 after the third quarter.

On Monday, Dec. 9, the eighth grade team hosted the Hale Center Owls defeating them by a score of 47-34. The eighth grade team remains undefeated on the season and will travel to New Deal to finish out the first half of play. The team was led in scoring by Jaden Rosales with 31 points, Isreal Cuellar with 10, Kevin Lopez with four and Nick Rendon with two. Lockney led 9-7 after the first quarter, 19-14 at halftime and 37-25 after three quarters.

The Lockney B Team lost 9-4 in their game with Hale Center B Team. John Cleto and Jose Gonzales each had two points in the game.

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1. Whether or not to create one or more County Energy Transportation Reinvestment Zone (CETRZ), as authorized by law, to promote one or more infrastructure projects to be located within the County to be funded by the CERTZ. Additional information on this topic may be found on the Texas Department of Transportation website: <http://www.roadstortexasenergy.com> under the "Legislation" tab.
2. The potential boundaries and requirements of a County Energy Transportation Reinvestment Zone (CETRZ), as authorized §222.1071 of the Texas Transportation Code.

Individuals wishing to participate in the public hearing by either oral or written testimony will be asked to complete a Speaker's Form to be provided at the meeting. Oral testimony should be limited to three (3) minutes in the interest of time and to permit maximum participation by others. Rules of Decorum will apply.

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Texas Tech University System Announces Grant Supporting White-tailed Deer Industry

Researchers at The Institute of Environmental and Human Health at Texas Tech University (TIEHH) recently received a start-up grant from the Deer Breeders Corp. to look for drug residues and study insect-borne disease transmission dynamics in white-tailed deer.

The goal of the partnership between Texas Tech and Deer Breeders Corp. is to strengthen and promote an emerging and growing sector of the agricultural industry.

The Texas Tech University System Office of Corporate Engagement is hosting Chris Timmons, president of the Deer Breeders Corp., and members of his board in Lubbock Friday (Dec. 13) to discuss the ongoing research project and opportunities to develop a white-tailed deer research program at Texas Tech, with the vision to construct a dedicated research facility in the Lubbock area.

"Our office wants Texas Tech to be the

research university of choice for the Deer Breeders Corporation and white-tailed deer industry," said Russell Thomasson, associate vice chancellor of corporate engagement.

This grant is expected to mark the start of a long-term research partnership between the two entities. The grant went to TIEHH associate professors Ernest Smith, Steven Presley and senior research associate Galen Austin.

"Deer breeding and farming is a big industry," Thomasson said. "Significant dollars are invested by breeders and ranchers to meet the demand of private and commercial hunting operations. Currently, deer breeders have no antibiotics or other pharmaceuticals labeled for use in these animals, and so they use medicines developed for cattle and other animals. We hope to find healthy solutions for the deer industry."

Timmons, a Texas Tech alumnus and

president of Deer Breeders Corp., said that deer breeding is an \$8 billion industry in the United States. Part of the problem producers face is that veterinary medications used on their animals are labeled for use in livestock, not white-tailed deer.

"We keep having the same questions crop up in our industry, such as how long do these medications stay in the deer's system," Timmons said. "No one is doing any research on it."

"Right now, there are very few vaccines or antibiotics labeled for use in deer," Timmons added. "Knowing the lifespan and effectiveness of these medications in white-tailed deer helps us, as producers, continue to offer a healthy product for the market. Finding these answers will be a real breakthrough for the deer industry. The beneficiaries of these studies not only will be the deer breeders but the ranchers who are managing their native herds for

profit, which results in a better product for the hunter. Who better to do it than Texas Tech?"

For this initial study, Texas Tech will receive blood samples from deer bred in captivity. Texas Tech will develop testing procedures to detect pharmaceuticals to see how long it takes for the deer's body to eliminate them.

Thomasson said deer breeders have significant capital invested and need to use pharmaceuticals for the humane treatment and protection of their deer herd.

"By conducting the drug residue research, Texas Tech hopes to provide deer breeders with the information they need to ensure that their deer herds are healthy and profitable," Thomasson said.

CONTACT: Russell Thomasson, Associate Vice Chancellor of Corporate Engagement, (806) 742-4105, or russell.thomasson@ttu.edu.

High yield, water efficiency of drought tolerant wheat due to higher biomass

AMARILLO - Drought tolerance in wheat has been increased through breeding over the years, but a group of Texas A&M AgriLife Research scientists in Amarillo wanted to determine what plant physiological characteristics were making the biggest difference.

The results of this study, "Yield Determination and Water-Use Efficiency of Wheat Under Water-Limited Conditions in the U.S. Southern High Plains," will be published in the Crop Science journal in January.

The study was completed by the AgriLife Research team of Dr. Qingwu Xue, crop stress physiologist; Dr. Jackie Rudd, wheat breeder; Dr. Shuyu Liu, small grains geneticist; Kirk Jesup, research associate; Ravindra Devkota, associate research scientist; and Dr. James Mahan, U.S. Department of Agriculture-Agricultural Research Service plant physiologist in Lubbock.

Funded in part by the Ogallala Aquifer Program and Texas Wheat Producers Board, the study featured a two-year field experiment with 10 different wheat varieties. The varieties

were grown under dryland and irrigated conditions, looking primarily at yield determination and water-use efficiency.

Drought is the most important stress for reducing wheat yield and water-use efficiency in the southern High Plains states, Xue said. Adoption of varieties with higher yield and water-use efficiency under drought conditions is critical in the area.

"The bottom line is the newer, drought-tolerant varieties have higher grain yield than the relatively older varieties, but we wanted to know what was really determining the yield under drought," he said.

"Under water-limited conditions, wheat yield is determined by above-ground biomass at maturity and harvest index. Biomass is made up of stems, leaves and heads; while harvest index is the percentage of the biomass that is grain.

"What we have found is that yield under drought was more correlated to biomass production than harvest index," Xue said. "Therefore, the ability to produce higher biomass is important for dryland wheat production."

The study also showed bio-

mass at flowering - before grain production - significantly contributed to higher yield under drought, he said. Yield, heads per square foot and harvest index were correlated to head, stem and total dry weights per unit area at flowering.

For dryland wheat, translocation of carbohydrates stored in the stems before flowering to the developing grain also contributed to yield.

This is particularly important during grain fill at the end of the season when the green leaf area is decreasing.

The amount of translocation was directly related to individual stem dry weight at flowering.

"The results of this study indicated that stem dry weight at flowering is an important trait for high yield under drought in the southern High Plains environment," he said.

The team is currently summarizing other studies to investigate what contributes to higher biomass in wheat under drought.

"Our initial results indicated the higher biomass of drought tolerant varieties is related to their ability to efficiently extract water from the soil," Xue said.

Bovine TB Monitoring Effort Expanded to Include Mule Deer and Elk

AUSTIN - Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC) and Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) are seeking input on a cooperative effort to monitor for Bovine Tuberculosis (TB) in Texas, which would include sampling hunter-harvested mule deer and elk. The tissue samples used for this effort would be the same samples currently collected as part of the ongoing Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) monitoring effort.

The expanded TB surveillance is in response to a bill passed during the 83rd Legislative Session charging the TAHC with conducting a study regarding the current risk level for TB in parts of El Paso and Hudspeth counties. As part of the study, susceptible animals in these counties will be tested for TB. Testing will include cattle, goats, sheep, swine, exotic hoofstock, captive deer and free ranging deer.

Bovine TB is a bacterial disease found in cattle, but can also be found in deer. CWD is a progressive, fatal disease that attacks the brain of affected animals. Both diseases have the potential to affect the health of the state's deer population.

A public meeting will be held on Thursday, December 19 at 7 p.m. Mountain Time at the courthouse in Sierra Blanca to discuss this expanded surveillance effort with landowners and other interested parties.

Hunters are being urged to take advantage of the opportunity to provide valuable test samples. All mule deer and elk harvested within the CWD Containment Zone, which covers portions of Hudspeth, Culberson, and El Paso counties, are required to be submitted for testing at mandatory hunter check stations within 24 hours of harvest. See map of CWD zones at www.tpwd.state.tx.us/cwd.

Mandatory check stations will be open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. through Dec. 16. Stations will

be located in Cornudas at May's Café (on US 62-180) and in Van Horn at Van Horn Convention Center (1801 West Broadway).

Hunters who harvest deer in the Containment Zone outside the general season under the authority of MLDP (Managed Lands Deer Permits) will need to call TPWD at (512) 221-8491 the day the deer is harvested to make arrangements to have the deer sampled for CWD and TB.

In addition to protocols within the Containment Zone, TPWD has established check stations for voluntary sampling for deer harvested in other parts of West Texas.

Voluntary check stations will be established at the following locations Saturday through Dec. 14-16, from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday and 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Monday:

Midland at Naturally Fresh (Deer Processor) (1501 Elwyn)

Bakersfield at Chevron Station (south of I10; Exit 294)

Sanderson at Slim's Auto Repair (823 West Oak; Intersection of US 90 and 285)

Alpine at Hip-O Taxidermy (east side of town on US 90, across from Dairy Queen)

More information on CWD can be found on TPWD's website, www.tpwd.state.tx.us/cwd or at the Chronic Wasting Disease Alliance website, www.cwd-info.org.

Information on Bovine TB can be found on TAHC's website: www.tahc.state.tx.us/animal_health/cattle_tb/cattle_tb.html

Founded in 1893, the Texas Animal Health Commission works to protect the health of all Texas livestock, including: cattle, swine, poultry, sheep, goats, equine animals, and exotic livestock.

Cotton Market Weekly

This was a good week for bulls in the cotton market as cotton futures prices at the Intercontinental Exchange (ICE) settled higher three consecutive days. Following strong gains last Friday when March cotton settled 156 points higher at 80.41 cents per pound, the first time it had broken above 80 cents in four weeks, the market seemed to pause Monday ahead of the December supply and demand reports from USDA. The March contract lost 5 points to settle at 80.36 cents after trading in a narrow 70-point range but regained its footing the following day.

Traders appeared to ignore the fact USDA found an additional one million bales in India, and estimated world ending stocks increased almost 700,000 bales when the supply and demand reports were released Tuesday. After briefly moving below 80 cents that morning, March cotton found momentum when buyers returned and settled 33 points higher at 80.69 cents per pound.

Some cotton analysts and traders may have been caught a bit off guard by a decline in the estimate of 2013-14 U.S. production as USDA cut the figure by almost 40,000 bales compared to the previous month's estimate. It was somewhat widely anticipated that the production number would be raised. The U.S. cotton crop was pegged at 13.07 million bales compared to November's estimate of 13.11 million. Domestic consumption, exports and ending stocks were unchanged. More significant changes were found in the estimates for the rest of the world.

After reviewing data for India's crop during the past couple of years, USDA raised its estimate of that country's beginning stocks by one million bales. The department also reduced its estimate of China's cotton crop by 500,000 bales but left con-

sumption and imports there unchanged. Overall, world production is now pegged at 116.83 million bales, down from 117.22 million last month, and world consumption is now projected to be 50,000 bales more than was estimated in November. However, the increased stocks in India resulted in estimated world ending stocks of 96.41 million bales, up 700,000 bales from a month ago.

The Texas cotton crop was pegged at 4.1 million bales, down 900,000 from last year's crop. The High Plains region accounted for almost 2.48 million bales in this year's estimate, and the Rolling Plains crop was estimated at 820,000 bales. The Oklahoma crop was estimated to be 200,000 bales, and Kansas production was pegged at 37,000 bales.

Cotton futures prices rallied sharply Wednesday with March settling at 82.49 cents, up 180 points and at its highest level since Oct. 23. The May and July contracts also posted triple-digit gains. March cotton gained an additional 57 points during Thursday's ICE session, settling at 83.06 cents per pound. Since Dec. 5, the March contract has gained 421 points. Solid export sales seem to be helping support the cotton market.

USDA reported net upland sales of 174,100 bales in the week ended Dec. 5, and China, Turkey, Taiwan, and Indonesia were the top four buyers. Export shipments for the week totaled 165,200 bales, and the primary destinations were China, Turkey and Mexico.

Meanwhile, the spot cotton market is surging as producers sold 141,804 bales online in the week ended Dec. 12 compared to 76,924 bales the previous week. Average prices received ranged from 75 to 76 cents per pound versus 73 to 74 cents the prior week.

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Rita Martinez
Jordon Moore
Alyson Perez
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11th A Honor Roll

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Desiree Guerra
Rebekah Hall
McKenna Johnson
Kimberly Pacheco

11th AB Honor Roll

Chelsea Byrd
Rikardo Cervera
Aimee Chavarria
Joshua Chavarria
Lindsey Deleon
David Henry
Tucker Lowrance
Yareli Martinez
Bethany Morales
Karla Moreno
Annette Pena
Valerie Reyes

12th A Honor Roll

Kyarah Pesina

12th AB Honor Roll

Samantha Caballero
Casandra Delgado
Alora Ferrara
Adrian Gonzalez
Cristal Irlas
Stephanie Lerma
Maria Lira
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Michael Moreno
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FJHS Honor Roll

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Staff Writer

7th A Honor Roll

Gabriel Delafuente
Drake Emery

7th AB Honor Roll

Julian Alaniz
Arianna Diaz
Allison Muniz
Allison Orr

Kylie Ricketts
Cutter Smith
Monty Stambaugh
Jonah Trevino
Dylan Zavala

8th A Honor Roll

Donald Gibbens
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8th AB Honor Roll

Daniel Cervera
Jacob Chavarria
Rachel Graham
Catharine Kemp
Arnoldo Martinez
Caleb Miller
Keenan Nixon
Brittany Pena
Alejandro Pinon

Student/Teachers for the month of December



The educators and students of the month for December were presented at the school board meeting on Thursday, December 12. (L-R) Junior-Yareli Martinez, Jr. High math teacher-Sonya Glass, eighth grader-Alex Glass, second grader-Dalles Hernandez, elementary science teacher-Laura Nutt, and A.B. Duncan support staff- Nelda Ochoa.

A.B. Duncan Honor Roll

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Kindergarten A Honor Roll

Cayden Arvizu
Tavianne Bullock
Maria Castillo
Ivana Gonzalez
Trevor Green
Enrique Hartline
Jaime Hernandez
Brody Hughes
Isabel Johnston
Jordan Jones
Roy Jones
Katie Landin
Hazel Lloyd
Hiram Lopez
Myra Maldonado

Alejandra Martinez
Dahlenn Mendoza
Adelle Ramos
Marty Riojas
Josue Rosa
Kyra Segura

Kindergarten AB Honor Roll

Jessica Alaniz
Daelin Austin
Brandon Carmona-Contreras
Armando Chavarria
Miranda Cuba
Juan Delafuente
Anai De La Fuente
D'Anthony Delarosa
Dominic Delarosa
Jakob Deochoa
Ismael Flores

Madilyne Garcia
Andreyra Garza
Avrian Garza
Azael Gomez
Aidyn Gonzalez
Jerald Henderson
Alli Hernandez
Ellianna Jimenez
Braylen Landeros
John Lopez
Naomi Lopez
Ricardo Loustaunau Gonzalez
Devin Luna
Brittney Machado
Grayson Marks
Jaylin Mendoza
Isaiah Ortega
Christopher Perez

Upcoming Events for Floydada ISD

By: Hunter Schwertner- Assistant Editor

- Dec. 20: Basketball JV/Varsity Girls VS Hale Cnt, There 5:00 pm
Basketball JV/Varsity Boys VS Hale Center, There 5:00 pm
End of Third Six Weeks
- Dec. 25: Christmas
- Dec. 26: Caprock Tournament, TBA
- Dec. 27: Caprock Tournament, TBA
- Dec. 28: Caprock Tournament, TBA
- Dec. 31: Basketball JV/Varsity Girls VS Crosbyton, Here 1:00 pm
Basketball JV/Varsity Boys VS Crosbyton, Here 1:00 pm
- Jan. 3: Basketball JV/Varsity Girls VS Childress, There 6:00 pm
Basketball JV/Varsity Boys VS Lockney, There 5:00 pm
- Jan. 7: Basketball JV/Varsity Girls VS Roosevelt/Abernathy, Here 5:00 pm
Basketball JV/Varsity Boys VS Roosevelt/Abernathy, Here 5:00 pm
- Jan. 9: Basketball JH Girls VS Post, Here 5:00 pm
Basketball JH Boys VS Post, There 5:00 pm
- Jan. 10: Basketball JV/Varsity Girls VS Post, There 5:00 pm
Basketball JV/Varsity Boys VS Post, There 5:00 pm

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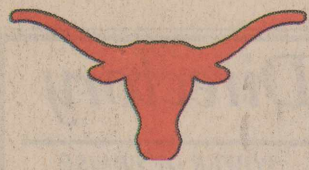
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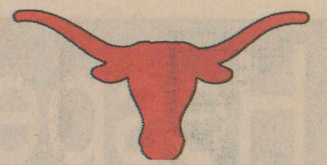
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Cheerleading Fundraiser

Recently, the LHS Varsity Cheerleading squad sold breast cancer awareness shirts to help raise money for people in the community who are struggling with cancer. Their fundraising efforts totaling \$1500.00 enabled them to help seven Lockney residents; Linda Bailey, Ralph Hernandez, Orfa Perales, Guinda Emert, Susie Morales, Efran Perez, and Alicia Fierros. Last Friday the cheerleaders presented

the families with the money they had raised due to Christmas being around the corner. "We wanted the money to help you out in any way possible because we know that it can be hard during this time of the year." The families were very grateful for the love and support shown to them by the LHS cheerleaders and wanted to thank everyone for their help.



Angelica Fierros and Alicia Fierros



Susie Morales and Tori Morales



Carri Palomin



Libby Hernandez

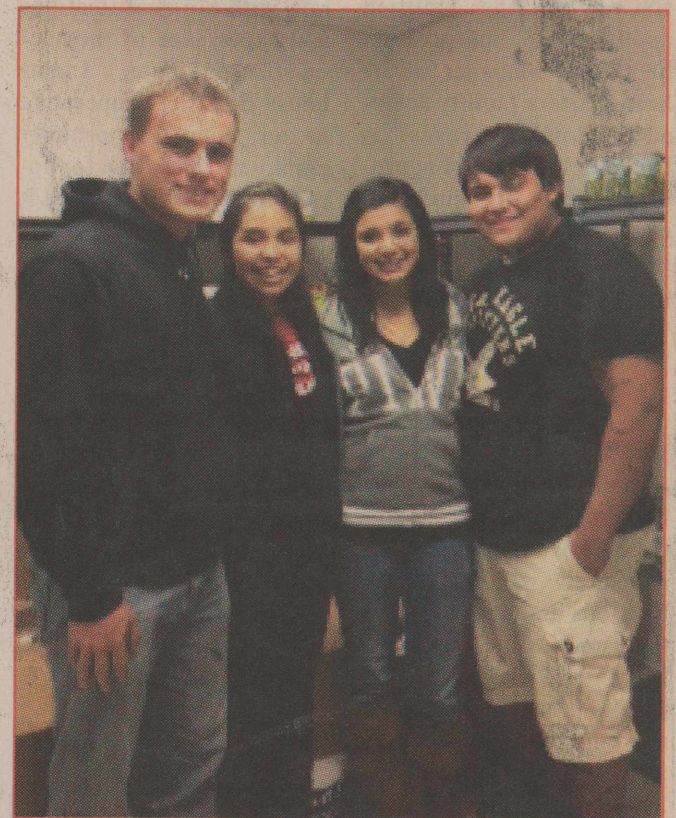


Orfa Perales



Efran & Maria Perez

Canned Food Drive



NHS members held a canned food drive collecting over 1100 cans to help stock the shelves at the local Salvation Army. From left to right are Jake Bramlet, Janette Ybarra, Alyssa Cruz, and Dillon De Leon.

Have a Blessed Christmas

UIL Academic Meet



The LHS UIL academic teams competed in the first meet of the season on November 16 at Texas Tech's Fall Fandango. The LHS Science who were state qualifiers last year, finished 2nd as a team. Jace Klein placed 1st overall in the small school division. He also placed 4th in Current Issues and Events. David Johnson placed 6th in 12th grade Number Sense and 6th in 12th grade science. Hunter Thompson placed 5th in 12th grade science. Levi Kasner earned 3rd in 10th grade math and 6th in 10th grade science. Luke Kasner placed 7th in 9th grade science and 10th in 9th grade math. Lawson Sullivan placed 4th in 9th grade science. Nic Sherman finished 7th in Feature Writing. Jake Moore won 1st in Literary Criticism. The next meet for the math and science teams will be December 7 at Tech. Congratulations to these outstanding students! Pictured left to right are Levi Kasner, Jace Klein, Hunter Thompson, David Johnson. Not pictured were Luke Kasner and Lawson Sullivan.

Lockney Junior High U.I.L. 2013

6th Grade

- Oral Reading- Ainslee Dunn 5th
- Art - Diego Azua 5th, Ainslee Dunn 6th, Josiah Rodriguez 6th, Team 3rd
- Calculator - Saria Martinez 2nd, Josiah Rodriguez 5th, Team 2nd
- Dictionary Skills - Team 3rd
- Maps, Graphs, and Charts - Brett Moore 6th, Team 3rd
- Music Memory - Emily Longoria 6th
- Oral Reading - Ainslee Dunn 5th
- Social studies - Diego Azua 2nd, Team 3rd
- Spelling - Kayla Archer 2nd, Team 2nd

7th Grade

- Art - Fernando Valdez 6th
- Calculator - Bryson Hallmark 1st, Bryson Walker 3rd, Austin Ascencio 4th, Team 1st
- Editorial Writing - Alexa Poole 2nd, Mia Rodriguez 3rd
- Maps, Graphs, and Charts - Lyndee Setliff 1st, Addison Sullivan 3rd, team 3rd
- Mathematics - TJ Blackledge 5th, Team 3rd
- Number Sense - Bryson Walker 4th, Fernando Valdez 6th, team 2nd
- Oral Reading - Lyndee Setliff 3rd, Alexa Poole 4th
- Ready Writing - Sierra Martinez 5th
- Science - Bryson Walker 6th
- Spelling - Lyndee Setliff 1st

8th Grade

- Art - Ricky Cuellar 6th
- Calculator - Julio Lara 3rd, Joe Ochoa 4th, Shawn Marquez 5th, Team 1st
- Dictionary Skills - Destiny Soliz 5th, team 3rd
- Impromptu speaking - Destiny Soliz 4th
- Listening - Tristin Schlueter 1st, team 3rd
- Mathematics - Andrew Castro 5th, team 3rd
- Number Sense - Tristin Schlueter 1st, Shawn Marquez 5th, Team 1st
- Oral Reading - Jackie Salzar 4th
- Ready Writing - Destiny Soliz 3rd
- Science - Tristin Schlueter 4th, C J Perales 5th
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Dennis Butler, Pastor
Morning Worship ..11:00 a.m..

- BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**
810 S. 3rd, Floydada
Darwin Robinson, Pastor
983-5278
Sunday School10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ..10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m
Wednesday.....7:00 p.m

- CALVARY'S CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP**
Floydada
Armando Morales, Pastor
Sunday School9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..11:00 a.m.
Bible Study6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

- CARR'S CHAPEL**
Service Every Sunday:
Morning Worship9:00 a.m.
Sunday School10:30 a.m.

- CHURCH OF CHRIST**
West College & Third,
Lockney
Morning Worship ..10:30 a.m.
Afternoon Worship ..1:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

- CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST**
Levi Sisemore, Minister
Ivan Gomez, Minister
Floydada
Sunday Bible Study..9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship ..10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study7:00 p.m.

- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
Tim Franks, Pastor
Terry Simmons,
Minister of Ed./Music
Josh Burgett - Min. Students
Sunday School9:15 a.m.
Morning Worship ...10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study6:30 p.m.

- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Lockney**
Jonathan Sullivan, Pastor
Chad Cook, Youth Min.
Phil Cotham, Music Min.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m
Wednesday.....6:30 p.m.
Wednesday (Youth) .7:15 p.m.

- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**
Floydada
Rev. Les Hall, Pastor
Morning Worship9:30 a.m.
Sunday School..... 10:50 a.m.
Youth (Sunday).....5:00 p.m.
Youth (Wednesday).....6:30 p.m

- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**
Lockney
Rev. Ricky Carstensen
Pastor
Sunday School9:30 a.m.
Worship Service10:30 a.m.
Evening Service..... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Jr. High5:30 p.m.
Wed. High School... 6:30 p.m.

- GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**
Joe Bennett, Pastor
Sunday School10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ...11:00 a.m.
Evening Service.....7:30 p.m.
Tuesday8:00 p.m.
Wed. Service7:30 p.m.

- MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST**
Lockney
Beau A. Hart, Minister
Bible Study9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship ..10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday7:00 p.m.

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Wednesday Study ...6:00 p.m.

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Sunday Bible...10:00 a.m.
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Wed. Worship.... 7:00 p.m
- POWER OF PRAISE FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**
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Wednesday.....7:30 p.m

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Sunday School9:45 a.m.
Worship Service11:00 a.m.
Discipleship5:00 p.m.
Wed. Service7:00 p.m.

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Floydada
Rev. Toby Gonzales
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship ..10:40 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Evening7:00 p.m.

- SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH**
Lockney
Jim McCartney, Pastor
Wed. Communion....8:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass.....11:30 a.m.

- SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH**
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Wednesday.....7:00 p.m.

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Rev. Angelo Consemio
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Sunday Mass.....11:30 a.m.
Mon./Wed. Mass6:30 p.m.
Confession Sat.....10-11 a.m.

- TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM**
Lockney
Rev. Joe Hernandez
Sun. Prayer Service 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School9:45 p.m.
Worship Service11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Meeting7:00 p.m.

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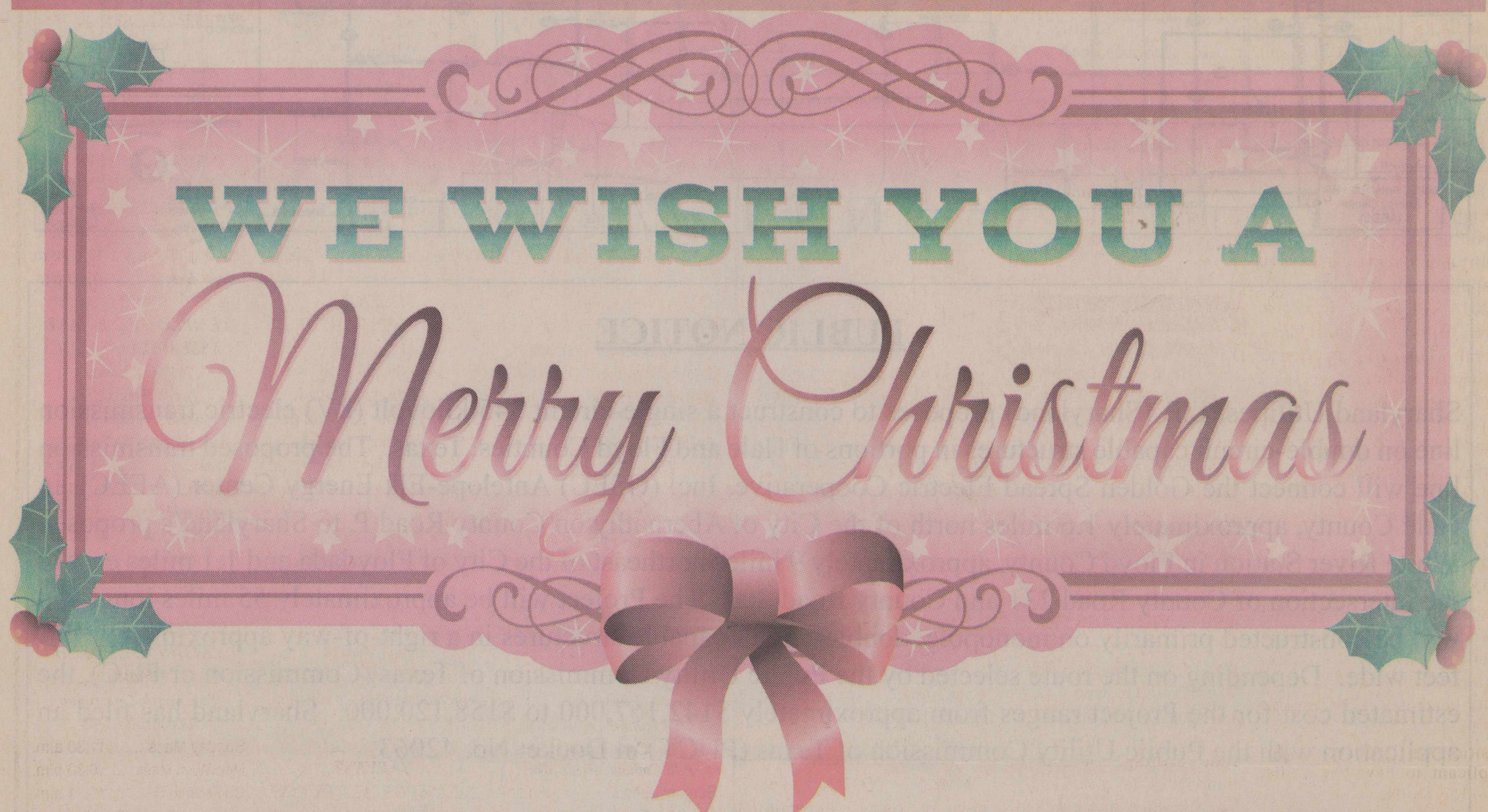
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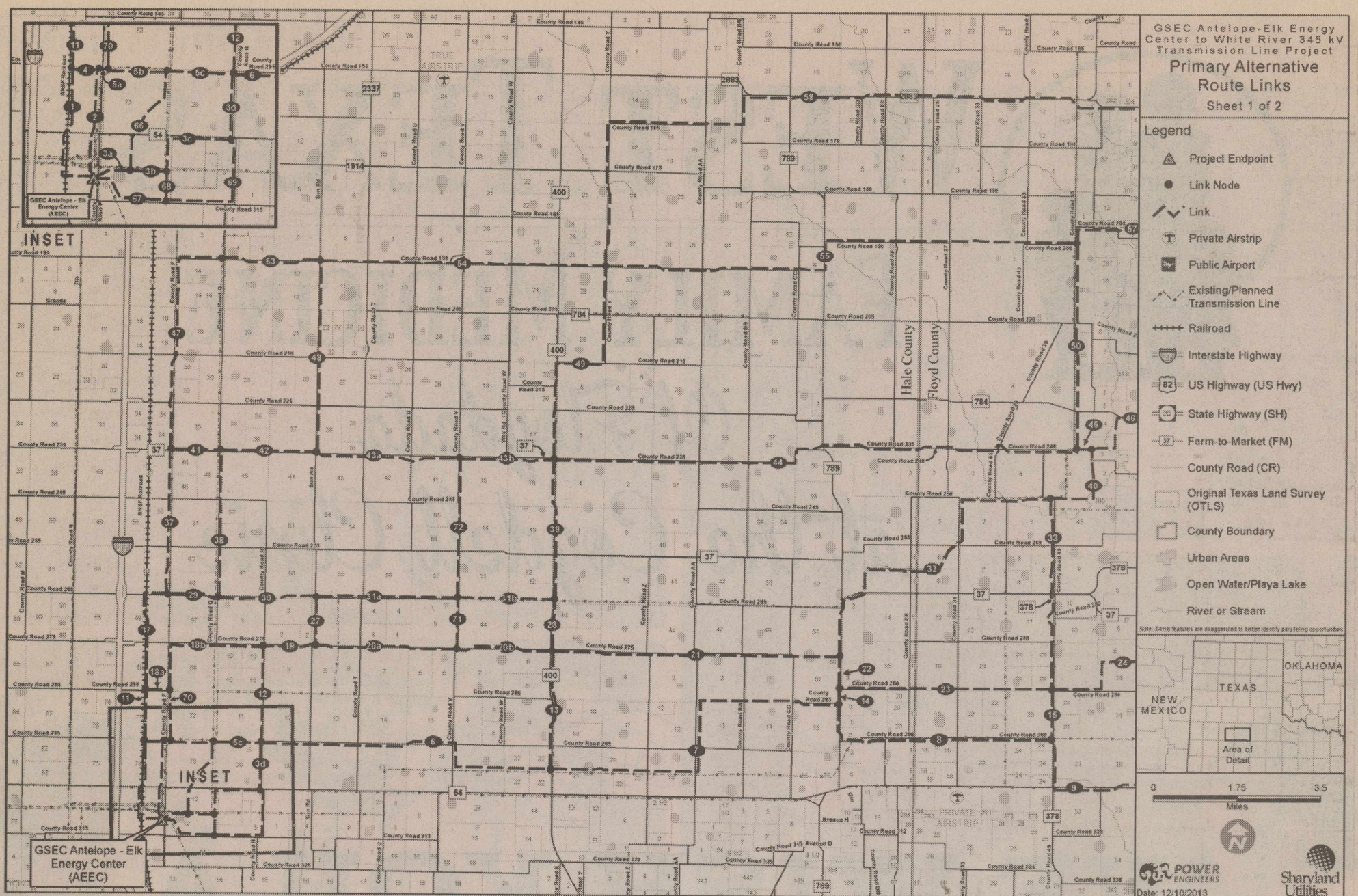
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Sharyland Utilities, L.P. (Sharyland) proposes to construct a single-circuit 345 kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line on double-circuit capable structures in portions of Hale and Floyd Counties, Texas. The proposed transmission line will connect the Golden Spread Electric Cooperative, Inc. (GSEC) Antelope-Elk Energy Center (AEEC), in Hale County, approximately 1.6 miles north of the City of Abernathy on County Road P, to Sharyland’s proposed White River Station in Floyd County, approximately 9 miles northeast of the City of Floydada and 1.1 miles east of the intersection of County Road 231 and County Road 200. The Project will be approximately 55 miles long, and will be constructed primarily on monopole, double-circuit capable structures in a right-of-way approximately 175 feet wide. Depending on the route selected by the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission or PUC), the estimated cost for the Project ranges from approximately \$142,167,000 to \$158,120,000. Sharyland has filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT) in Docket No. 42063.

The attached map shows Sharyland’s alternative routes for the Project as well as a written description of these routes. **All routes and route segments included in this notice are available for selection and approval by the Public Utility Commission of Texas.** A complete copy of the application filed at the PUC and a detailed routing map may be viewed at the following locations:

Floyd County Library
 111 S. Wall Street
 Floydada, Texas 79235

Abernathy Public Library
 811 Avenue D
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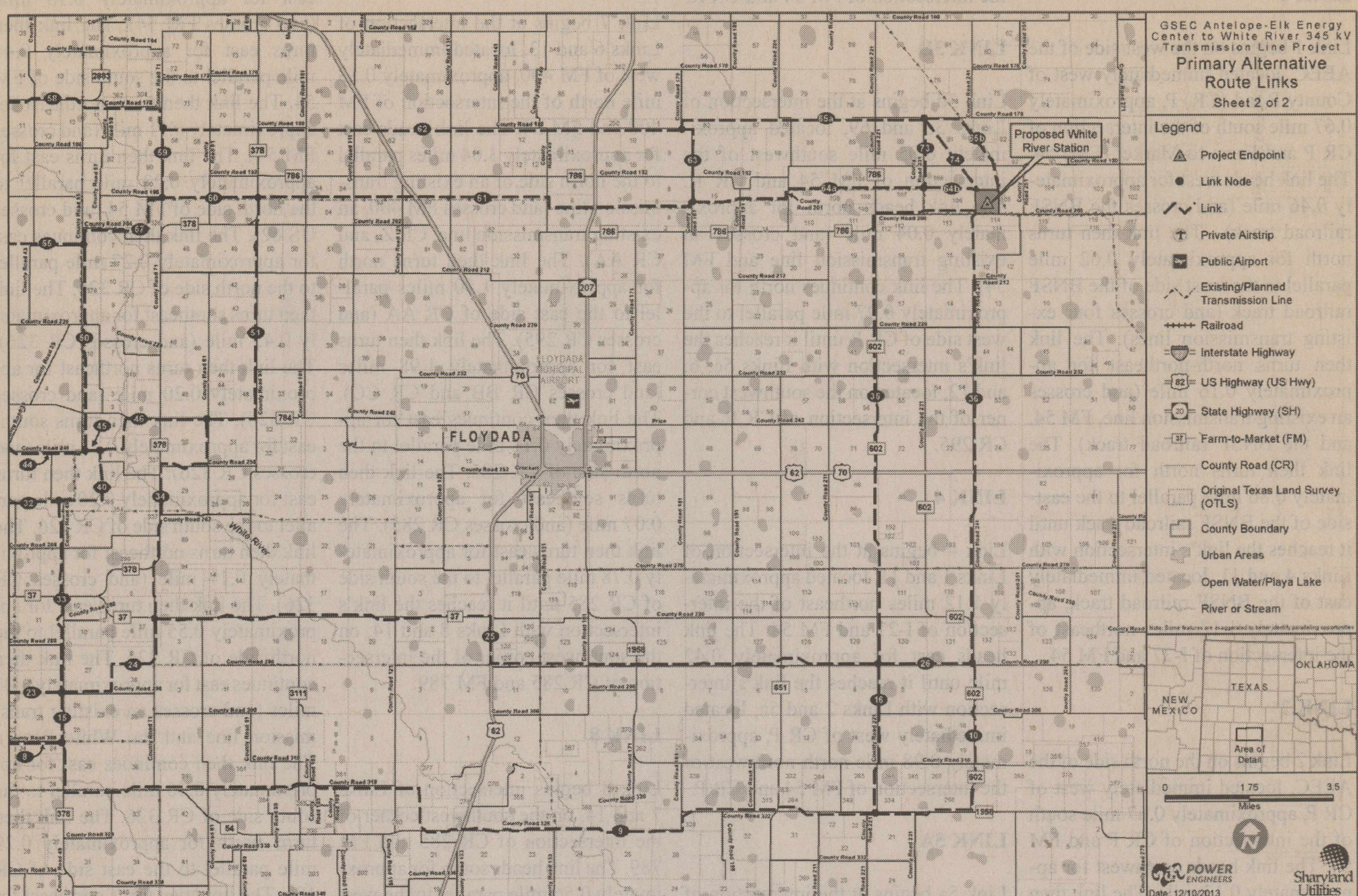
If you have questions about the Project, you may contact Sherry Kunka at (866) 354-3335 or e-mail your questions to suhelp@sharyland.com.

The PUC has a brochure entitled “Landowners and Transmission Line Cases at the PUC.” Copies of the brochure are available from Sherry Kunka, Sharyland Utilities, L.P. toll free at (866) 354-3335 or by email at suhelp@sharyland.com, or may be downloaded from the PUC’s website at www.puc.state.tx.us. To obtain additional information about this proceeding, you may call the PUC’s Customer Assistance Hotline at (888) 782-8477. Hearing and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (“TTY”) may contact the PUC’s Customer Assistance Hotline at (512) 936-7136 or toll free at (800) 735-2989.

If you wish to participate in this proceeding by becoming an intervenor, **the deadline for intervention in the proceeding is January 27, 2014**, and the PUC should receive a letter from you requesting intervention by that date. Mail the request for intervention and 10 copies of the request to:

Public Utility Commission of Texas
 Central Records
 Attn: Filing Clerk
 1701 N. Congress Ave.
 P.O. Box 13326
 Austin, Texas 78711-3326

Persons who wish to intervene in the docket must also mail a copy of their request for intervention to all parties in the docket and all persons that have pending motions to intervene, at or before the time the request for intervention is mailed to the PUC. In addition to the intervention deadline, other important deadlines may already exist that affect your participation in this docket. You should review the orders and other filings already made in the docket. The enclosed brochure explains how you can access these filings.



Sharyland Utilities, L.P. (Sharyland) has filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT) to amend its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity (CCN) to construct the proposed GSEC Antelope-Elk Energy Center (AEEC) to White River 345 kV Transmission Line. In its CCN application for this project, Sharyland has presented 21 different alternative route combinations for consideration by the PUCT. The following table lists the link combinations that make up Sharyland's 21 alternative routes. A general description of each link is also included below. All routes and route links are available for selection and approval by the PUCT. Only one transmission line route will ultimately be constructed.

ROUTE	COMPOSITION
1	1-11-17-37-47-53-54-55-57-60-61-64a-64b
2	2-4-11-17-37-41-42-48-54-58-62-65a-74
3	2-5a-70-18a-17-37-47-53-54-58-62-65a-73-64b
4	1-11-17-29-38-42-43a-43b-44-45-46-51-61-64a-64b
5	1-11-17-37-47-53-54-58-62-65a-65b
6	2-5a-5b-5c-6-13-28-39-49-58-62-63-64a-64b
7	1-11-18a-18b-19-20a-20b-21-22-23-24-34-51-61-64a-64b
8	2-5a-5b-5c-12-19-20a-20b-21-32-40-45-50-57-60-61-64a-64b
9	3a-66-5c-12-19-20a-20b-21-32-40-46-51-61-64a-64b
10	3a-3b-3c-3d-6-7-14-23-33-40-45-50-57-59-62-65a-74
11	1-11-17-29-30-31a-31b-39-44-50-57-59-62-65a-73-64b
12	2-5a-70-18a-17-29-30-31a-72-43b-44-45-46-51-61-64a-64b
13	3a-66-5c-12-19-20a-71-72-43b-49-55-57-59-62-65a-74
14	3a-66-5c-6-13-28-39-49-58-62-63-64a-64b
15	67-69-3d-12-19-20a-71-72-43b-49-55-57-59-62-65a-65b
16	3a-3b-3c-3d-12-19-20a-20b-21-22-14-8-9-16-35
17	3a-66-5c-12-19-20a-20b-21-22-23-24-25-35
18	67-68-3c-3d-6-7-14-23-15-9-16-35
19	67-69-3d-12-19-20a-20b-21-22-23-24-25-26-36
20	67-69-3d-6-7-8-9-10-36
21	3a-3b-3c-3d-12-19-27-31a-31b-39-44-45-46-51-61-64a-64b

LINK 1

Link 1 begins on the west side of the AEEC, located immediately west of County Road (CR) P, approximately 0.67 mile south of the intersection of CR P and Farm-to-Market (FM) 54. The link heads west for approximately 0.46 mile (and crosses the BNSF railroad track). The link then turns north for approximately 0.62 mile parallel to the west side of the BNSF railroad track (and crosses four existing transmission lines). The link then turns north-northeast for approximately 0.16 mile (and crosses an existing transmission line, FM 54, and the BNSF railroad track). The link then turns north for approximately 0.86 mile parallel to the east side of the BNSF railroad track until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 4 and 11, located immediately east of the BNSF railroad track, approximately 1.12 miles northeast of the intersection of I-27 and FM 54.

LINK 2

Link 2 begins on the north side of the AEEC, located immediately west of CR P, approximately 0.67 mile south of the intersection of CR P and FM 54. The link heads northwest for approximately 0.13 mile. The link then turns north for approximately 0.52 mile parallel to the west side of two existing transmission lines and CR P (and crosses six existing transmission lines). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.12 mile (and crosses FM 54). The link then turns north for approximately 0.89 mile parallel to the west side of CR P until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 4 and 5a, located approximately 0.98 mile north of the intersection of FM 54 and CR P.

LINK 3A

Link 3a begins on the northeast side of the AEEC, located immediately west of CR P, approximately 0.67 mile south of the intersection of CR P and FM 54. The link heads northeast for approximately 0.28 mile (and crosses CR P and two existing transmission lines). The link then turns east for approximately 0.31 mile parallel to the south side of an existing transmission line until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 3b and 66, located immediately south of an existing transmission line, approximately 0.72 mile southeast of the intersection of FM 54 and CR P.

LINK 3B

Link 3b begins at the intersection of Links 3a and 66, located immediately south of an existing transmission line, approximately 0.72 mile southeast of the intersection of CR P and FM 54. The link heads east for approximately 0.55 mile parallel to the south side of an existing transmission line until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 3c and 68, located immediately south of a transmission line, approximately 1.11 miles southwest of the intersection of FM 54 and northbound CR R.

LINK 3C

Link 3c begins at the intersection of Links 3b and 68, located immediately south of a transmission line, approximately 1.11 miles southwest of the intersection of FM 54 and northbound CR R. The link heads north for approximately 0.49 mile parallel to the east side of an existing transmission line (and crosses an existing transmission line). The link then turns east for approximately 0.95 mile parallel to the south side of FM 54 and an existing transmission line until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 3d and 69, located approximately 0.05 mile southwest of

the intersection of FM 54 and CR R.

LINK 3D

Link 3d begins at the intersection of Links 3c and 69, located approximately 0.05 mile southwest of the intersection of FM 54 and CR R. The link heads north for approximately 0.04 mile (and crosses an existing transmission line and FM 54). The link continues north for approximately 0.97 mile parallel to the west side of CR R until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 5c, 6, and 12, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR R and CR 295.

LINK 4

Link 4 begins at the intersection of Links 1 and 11, located approximately 1.12 miles northeast of the intersection of I-27 and FM 54. The link heads east for approximately 0.42 mile until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 2 and 5a, located immediately west of CR P, approximately 0.98 mile north-northwest of the intersection of FM 54 and CR P.

LINK 5A

Link 5a begins at the intersection of Links 2 and 4, located immediately west of CR P, approximately 0.98 mile north of the intersection of FM 54 and CR P. The link heads east approximately 0.14 mile (and crosses CR P and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 5b and 70, located approximately 0.99 mile north of the intersection of FM 54 and CR P.

LINK 5B

Link 5b begins at the intersection of Links 5a and 70, located approximately 0.99 mile north of the intersection of FM 54 and CR P. The link heads east for approximately 0.18 mile (and crosses an existing transmission line). The link then continues east for approximately 0.71 mile parallel to the south side an existing transmission line until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 5c and 66, located approximately 1.03 miles west of the intersection of CR 295 and CR R.

LINK 5C

Link 5c begins at the intersection of Links 5b and 66, located approximately 1.03 miles west of the intersection of CR 295 and CR R. The link heads east for approximately 1.0 mile (and crosses an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 3d, 6, and 12, on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 295 and CR R.

LINK 6

Link 6 begins at the intersection of Links 3d, 5c, and 12, on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 295 and CR R. The link heads east for approximately 2.98 miles parallel to the south side of CR 295 (and crosses CR R, Sun Rd and CR T). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.18 mile (and crosses CR 295). The link then turns east for approximately 0.87 mile parallel to the north side of CR 295 (and crosses CR V). The link then turns south for approximately 0.50 mile parallel to the east side of CR V. The link then turns east for approximately 2.03 miles parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 7 and 13, located immediately west of FM 400, approximately 0.53 mile north of the intersection of FM 400 and FM 54.

LINK 7

Link 7 begins at the intersection of Links 6 and 13, located immediately west of FM 400, approximately 0.53 mile north of the intersection of FM 400 and FM 54. The link heads east for approximately 3.04 miles parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line (and crosses FM 400, an existing transmission line, CR Z, and CR AA). The link then turns north for approximately 1.50 miles parallel to the east side of CR AA (and crosses CR 295). The link then turns east for approximately 1.98 miles (and crosses CR BB and CR CC). The link then continues east for approximately 0.14 mile parallel to the north side of CR 285. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.07 mile (and crosses CR 285). The link then turns east for approximately 0.78 mile parallel to the south side of CR 285 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 8 and 14, on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 285 and FM 789.

LINK 8

Link 8 begins intersection of Links 7 and 14, on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 285 and FM 789. The link heads south for approximately 0.56 mile parallel to the west side of FM 789. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.09 mile (and crosses FM 789). The link then turns south for approximately 0.09 mile parallel to the east side of FM 789. The link then turns east for approximately 0.44 mile parallel to the north side of CR 290 (and crosses an existing transmission line). The link continues east for approximately 0.01 mile parallel to an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 290). The link continues east for 1.11 miles parallel to the south side of CR 290 and an existing transmission line (and crosses CR EE and the county border). The link continues east for approximately 2.87 miles parallel to the south side of CR 308 and an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 31 and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 9 and 15, on the southwest corner of the intersection of FM 378 and CR 308.

LINK 9

Link 9 begins at the intersection of Links 8 and 15, on the southwest corner of the intersection of FM 378 and CR 308. The link heads southeast for approximately 0.17 mile (and crosses FM 378 and an existing transmission line). The link then turns south for approximately 0.85 mile parallel to the east side of FM 378 and an existing transmission line (and crosses an existing transmission line and FM 54). The link then turns east for approximately 1.26 miles parallel to the south side of FM 54 (and crosses CR 61). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.17 mile (and crosses FM 54 and an existing transmission line). The line then turns east for approximately 0.91 mile parallel to the north side of FM 54 and an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 71). The link then continues east for approximately 2.33 miles parallel to the north side of CR 318 (and crosses CR 81 and CR 99). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.19 mile parallel to the north side of CR 318. The link then turns east for approximately 0.31 mile parallel to the north side of CR 318 (and crosses FM 3111 and CR 103). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.14 mile (and crosses CR 318). The link then turns east for approximately 1.57 miles parallel to the south side of CR 318 (and crosses CR 109 and CR 121). The link continues east for approximately 0.50 mile. The link then turns south for approximately 0.82 mile. The link then turns south-

east for approximately 0.18 mile (and crosses FM 54). The link then turns east for approximately 0.41 mile parallel to the south side of FM 54. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.11 mile (and crosses FM 54). The link then turns east for approximately 0.23 mile parallel to the north side of FM 54 (and crosses US 62). The link then continues east for approximately 0.27 mile parallel to the north side of CR 326. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.45 mile (and crosses CR 326). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.20 mile (and crosses CR 326). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.13 mile (and crosses CR 326). The link then turns east for approximately 0.20 mile parallel to the south side of CR 326. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.11 mile (and crosses CR 326). The link then turns east for approximately 0.55 mile parallel to the north side of CR 326. The link then continues east for approximately 2.01 miles (and crosses an existing transmission line and the White River). The link then continues east for approximately 0.66 mile parallel to the south side of CR 326. The link then turns north for approximately 0.29 mile parallel to the east side of CR 181. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.33 mile (and crosses CR 322). The link then turns east for approximately 1.65 miles parallel to the north side of CR 322 (and crosses CR 195). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.08 mile parallel to the west side of FM 651. The link then turns east for approximately 0.42 mile (and crosses FM 651). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.22 mile (and crosses FM 1958). The link then turns east for approximately 1.45 miles parallel to the south side of FM 1958 (and crosses CR 211 and CR 221) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 10 and 16, located immediately south of FM 1958, located immediately southwest of the intersection of FM 1958 and northbound CR 221.

LINK 10

Link 10 begins at the intersection of Links 9 and 16, located immediately southwest of the intersection of FM 1958 and northbound CR 221. The link heads east for approximately 1.07 miles parallel to the south side of FM 1958 (and crosses CR 231). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.10 mile (and crosses FM 1958). The link then turns east for approximately 0.83 mile parallel to the north side of FM 1958 (and crosses FM 602). The link then turns north for approximately 1.91 miles parallel to the east side of FM 602 (and crosses CR 310). The link then turns northwest for approximately 0.14 mile (and crosses FM 602 and CR 300). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.17 mile (and crosses FM 602). The link then turns north for approximately 0.77 mile parallel to the east side of FM 602. The link then turns northwest for approximately 0.10 mile (and crosses FM 602, CR 290, and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 26 and 36, on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 602 and CR 290.

LINK 11

Link 11 begins at the intersection of Links 1 and 4, located approximately 1.12 miles northeast of the intersection of I-27 and FM 54. The link heads north for approximately 1.05 miles parallel to the east side of the BNSF railroad track (and crosses CR 285) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 17 and 18a, on the northeast corner of the intersection of

BNSF railroad track and CR 285, approximately 0.55 mile east of the intersection of I-27 and CR 285.

LINK 12

Link 12 begins at the intersection of Links 3d, 5c, and 6, on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR R and CR 295. The link heads north for approximately 2.00 miles parallel to the west side of CR R (and crosses an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection of Links 18b and 19, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 275 and CR R.

LINK 13

Link 13 begins at the intersection of Links 6 and 7, located immediately west of FM 400, approximately 0.53 mile north of the intersection of FM 400 and FM 54. The link heads north for approximately 0.90 mile parallel to the west side of FM 400 (and crosses CR 295). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.16 mile (and crosses FM 400 and an existing transmission line). The link then turns north for approximately 1.41 miles parallel to the east side of FM 400 and an existing transmission line until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 20b and 21, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of FM 400 and CR 275.

LINK 14

Link 14 begins at the intersection of Links 7 and 8, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 285 and FM 789. The link heads north for approximately 0.33 mile parallel to the west side of FM 789 (and crosses CR 285) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 22 and 23, located immediately northwest of the intersection of FM 789 and CR 280.

LINK 15

Link 15 begins at the intersection of Links 8 and 9, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of FM 378 and CR 308. The link heads north for approximately 1.03 miles parallel to the west side of FM 378 and an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 308 and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 23, 24 and 33, located immediately northwest of the intersection of FM 378 and CR 296.

LINK 16

Link 16 begins at the intersection of Links 9 and 10, located immediately southwest of the intersection of FM 1958 and northbound CR 221. The link heads north for approximately 0.90 mile parallel to the west side of CR 221 (and crosses FM 1958). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.14 miles (and crosses CR 221 and CR 310). The link then turns north for approximately 2.06 miles parallel to the east side of CR 221 (and crosses CR 290 and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 25, 26 and 35, located approximately 0.05 mile northeast of the intersection of CR 221 and CR 290.

LINK 17

Link 17 begins at the intersection of Links 11 and 18a, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of the BNSF railroad track and CR 285, approximately 0.55 mile east of the intersection of I-27 and CR 285. The link heads north for approximately 1.47 miles parallel to the east side of the BNSF railroad track (and crosses CR 275). The link then turns northwest for approximately 0.14 mile (and crosses the BNSF railroad track). The link then turns north for

approximately 0.38 mile parallel to the west side of the BNSF railroad track (and crosses CR 265). The link then turns east for approximately 0.48 mile parallel to the north side of CR 265 (and crosses the BNSF railroad track) until it reaches the link's intersection of Links 29 and 37, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR P and CR 265.

LINK 18A

Link 18a begins at the intersection of Links 11 and 17, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of the BNSF railroad track and CR 285, approximately 0.55 mile east of the intersection of I-27 and CR 285. The link heads east for approximately 0.47 mile parallel to the north side of CR 285 (and crosses an existing transmission line and CR P). The link then continues east for approximately 0.04 mile until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 18b and 70, located approximately 0.05 mile northeast of the intersection of CR P and CR 285.

LINK 18B

Link 18b begins at the intersection of Links 18a and 70, located approximately 0.05 mile northeast of the intersection of CR P and CR 285. The link heads north for approximately 0.96 mile parallel to the east side of CR P and an existing transmission line. The link then turns east for approximately 1.93 miles parallel to the south side of CR 275 (and crosses an existing transmission line and CR Q) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 12 and 19, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 275 and CR R.

LINK 19

Link 19 begins at the intersection of Links 12 and 18b, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 275 and CR R. The link heads east for approximately 0.83 mile parallel to the south side of CR 275 (and crosses CR R). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.15 mile (and crosses CR 275). The link then turns east for approximately 0.12 mile parallel to the north side of CR 275 (and crosses Sun Rd.) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 20a and 27, located on the northeast corner on the intersection of Sun Rd. and CR 275.

LINK 20A

Link 20a begins at the intersection of Links 19 and 27, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of Sun Rd. and CR 275. The link heads east for approximately 0.21 mile parallel to the north side of CR 275. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.11 mile (and crosses CR 275). The link then turns east for approximately 0.70 mile parallel to the south side of CR 275 (and crosses an existing transmission line and CR T). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.14 mile (and crosses CR 275). The link then turns east for approximately 0.74 mile parallel to the north side of CR 275. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.09 mile (and crosses CR 275). The link then turns east for approximately 0.99 mile parallel to the south side of CR 275 (and crosses CR V) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 20b and 71, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 275 and northbound CR V.

LINK 20B

Link 20b begins at the intersection of Links 20a and 71, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 275 and northbound CR V. The link heads east for approximately 0.19 mile parallel to the south side

of CR 275. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.18 mile (and crosses CR 275). The link then turns east for approximately 0.87 mile parallel to the north side of CR 275. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.15 mile (and crosses CR 275). The link then turns east for approximately 0.61 mile parallel to the south side of CR 275 (and crosses an existing transmission line and FM 400) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 13, 21, and 28, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of FM 400 and CR 275.

LINK 21

Link 21 begins at the intersection of Links 13, 20b, and 28, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of FM 400 and CR 275. The link heads east for approximately 5.06 miles parallel to the south side of CR 275 (and crosses CR Z, CR AA, CR BB, and CR CC). The link then continues east for approximately 0.97 mile until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 22 and 32, located immediately west of FM 789, approximately 0.70 mile north of the intersection of FM 789 and CR 280.

LINK 22

Link 22 begins at the intersection of Links 14 and 23, on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 789 and CR 280. The link heads north for approximately 0.67 mile parallel to the west side of FM 789 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 21 and 32, located immediately west of FM 789, approximately 0.70 mile north of the intersection of FM 789 and CR 280.

LINK 23

Link 23 begins at the intersection of Links 14 and 22, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 789 and CR 280. The link heads east for approximately 0.02 mile (and crosses FM 789). The link then continues east for approximately 1.44 miles parallel to the north side of CR 280 (and crosses CR EE and the county border). The link then continues east for approximately 2.98 miles (and crosses CR 31 and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 15, 24, and 33, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 378 and CR 296.

LINK 24

Link 24 begins at the intersection of Links 15, 23 and 33, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 378 and CR 296. The link heads 0.03 mile east (and crosses FM 378). The link then continues east for approximately 1.02 miles parallel to the north side of CR 296 (and crosses an existing transmission line). The link then turns north for approximately 0.58 mile. The link then turns east for approximately 0.82 mile. The link then turns north east for approximately 0.15 mile (and crosses CR 71). The link then turns north for approximately 0.81 mile parallel to the east side of CR 71 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 25 and 34, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR 71.

LINK 25

Link 25 begins at the intersection of Links 24 and 34, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR 71. The link heads east for approximately 1.28 miles parallel to the south side of FM 37 (and crosses CR 81). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.22 mile (and crosses FM 37). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.51 mile (and crosses FM 37). The

link then turns east for approximately 0.27 mile parallel to the south side of FM 37. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.34 mile (and crosses FM 37). The link then turns east for approximately 1.89 miles parallel to the north side of FM 37. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.17 mile (and crosses FM 37). The link then turns east for approximately 0.90 mile parallel to the south side of FM 37 (and crosses CR 121). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.17 mile (and crosses FM 37). The link then turns east for approximately 1.25 miles parallel to the north side of FM 37. The link then turns south for approximately 0.98 mile parallel to the west side of U.S. Hwy 62 (and crosses FM 37). The link then turns east for approximately 5.86 miles parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line and CR 290 (and crosses U.S. Hwy 62, CR 151, an existing transmission line, CR 161, FM 1958, and CR 191). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.24 mile (and crosses FM 651). The link then turns east for approximately 0.33 mile. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.23 mile. The link then turns east for approximately 1.45 miles parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line and CR 290 (and crosses CR 211 and CR 221) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 16, 26, and 35, located approximately 0.05 mile northeast of the intersection of CR 290 and CR 221.

LINK 26

Link 26 begins at the intersection of Links 16, 25, and 35, located approximately 0.05 mile northeast of the intersection of CR 290 and CR 221. The link heads east for approximately 1.96 miles parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line and CR 290 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 10 and 36, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 602 and CR 290.

LINK 27

Link 27 begins at the intersection of Links 19 and 20a, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of Sun Rd. and CR 275. The link heads north for approximately 1.00 mile parallel to the east side of Sun Rd. (and crosses CR 265) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 30 and 31a, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of Sun Rd. and CR 265.

LINK 28

Link 28 begins at the intersection of Links 13, 20b and 21, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 275 and FM 400. The link heads north for approximately 1.08 miles parallel to the east side of FM 400 and an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 275 and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 31b and 39, located immediately east of FM 400, approximately 1.05 miles north of the intersection of FM 400 and CR 275.

LINK 29

Link 29 begins at the intersection of Links 17 and 37, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR P and CR 265. The link heads east for approximately 0.56 mile parallel to the north side of CR 265 (and crosses an existing transmission line and CR P). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.39 mile (and crosses CR 265). The link then turns east for approximately 0.10 mile parallel to the south side of CR 265 (and crosses CR Q and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links

30 and 38, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 265 and CR Q.

LINK 30

Link 30 begins at the intersection of Links 29 and 38, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 265 and CR Q. The link heads east for approximately 0.99 mile parallel to the south side of CR 265 (and crosses CR R). The link then continues east for approximately 0.25 mile. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.19 mile. The link then turns east for approximately 0.62 mile (and crosses Sun Rd) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 27 and 31a, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR 265 and Sun Rd.

LINK 31A

Link 31a begins at the intersection of Links 27 and 30, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR 265 and Sun Rd. The link heads east for approximately 0.33 mile parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line and CR 265. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.12 mile. The link then turns east for approximately 2.51 miles parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line and CR 265 (and crosses northbound CR T) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 31b, 71, and 72, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR 265 and CR V.

LINK 31B

Link 31b begins at the intersection of Links 31a, 71, and 72, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR 265 and CR V. The link heads east for approximately 2.02 miles parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line (and crosses FM 400 and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 28 and 39, located immediately east of FM 400, approximately 0.93 mile south of the intersection of FM 400 and FM 37/CR 255.

LINK 32

Link 32 begins at the intersection of Links 21 and 22, located immediately west of FM 789, approximately 0.70 mile north of the intersection of FM 789 and CR 280. The link heads north for approximately 0.84 mile parallel to the west side of FM 789. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.16 mile (and crosses FM 789). The link then turns north for approximately 0.18 mile parallel to the east side of FM 789 and an existing transmission line. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.47 mile parallel to the south side of FM 37 and an existing transmission line. The link then turns north for approximately 0.41 mile parallel to the east side of an existing transmission line (and crosses FM 37). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.12 mile parallel to the southeast side of an existing transmission line. The link then turns east for approximately 1.45 miles parallel to the south side of an existing transmission line (and crosses CR EE and the county border). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.78 mile parallel to the southeast side of an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 268 and CR 31). The link then turns north for approximately 0.88 mile parallel to the east side of an existing transmission line and CR 31. The link then turns east for approximately 1.70 miles parallel to the south side of a transmission line (and crosses CR 41). The link then continues east for approximately 0.16 mile parallel to the south side of CR 49 and an exist-

ing transmission line until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 33 and 40, located approximately 1.03 miles south-southeast of the intersection of CR 49 and CR 248.

LINK 33

Link 33 begins at the intersection of Links 15, 23, and 24, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 378 and CR 296. The link heads north for approximately 1.36 miles parallel to the west side of FM 378 and an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 288). The link then turns northwest for approximately 0.18 mile. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.20 mile. The link then turns north for approximately 0.37 mile parallel to the west side of an existing transmission line (and crosses FM 37). The link then continues north for approximately 1.98 miles parallel to the west side of an existing transmission line and CR 49 (and crosses an existing transmission line and CR 268) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 32 and 40, located approximately 1.03 miles north-northwest of the intersection of CR 49 and CR 248.

LINK 34

Link 34 begins at the intersection of Links 24 and 25, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR 71. The link heads north for approximately 0.42 mile parallel to the east side of CR 71 (and crosses FM 37). The link then turns northwest for approximately 0.10 mile (and crosses CR 71). The link then turns north for approximately 0.62 mile parallel to the west side of CR 71 (and crosses FM 378). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.21 mile parallel to the west side of FM 378. The link then turns north for approximately 0.58 mile parallel to the west side of FM 378 (and crosses CR 268). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.13 mile (and crosses FM 378). The link then turns north for approximately 1.16 miles parallel to the east side of FM 378 (and crosses CR 262, an existing transmission line, White River, and CR 250). The link then turns east for approximately 0.31 mile parallel to the north side of CR 250. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.20 mile (and crosses CR 250). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.20 mile (and crosses CR 250). The link then turns east for approximately 0.26 mile parallel to the north side of CR 250. The link then turns north for approximately 0.95 mile parallel to the west side of CR 81 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 46 and 51, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of FM 784 and CR 81.

LINK 35

Link 35 begins at the intersection of Links 25 and 26, located approximately 0.05 mile northeast of the intersection of CR 290 and CR 221. The link heads north for approximately 1.95 miles parallel to the east side of CR 221 (and crosses CR 280). The line then continues north for approximately 2.01 miles (and crosses CR 270, an existing transmission line, and U.S. Hwy 62/70). The link then continues north for approximately 0.77 mile parallel to the west side of FM 602. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.10 mile (and crosses FM 602). The link then turns north for approximately 0.50 mile parallel to the east side of FM 602. The link then turns northwest for approximately 0.13 mile (and crosses FM 602). The link then turns north for approximately 3.88 miles parallel to the west side of FM 602 (and crosses CR 232, CR 220, and FM 786). The link then turns east for ap-

proximately 0.02 mile. The link then continues east for approximately 0.92 mile parallel to the north side of CR 200 (and crosses FM 602). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.15 mile (and crosses an existing transmission line). The link then turns east for approximately 1.03 miles parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line and CR 200 (and crosses CR 231) until it reaches the southwest corner of the proposed White River Station, approximately 1.10 miles east of the intersection of CR 231 and CR 200.

LINK 36

Link 36 begins at the intersection of Links 10 and 26, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 602 and CR 290. The link heads north for approximately 0.80 mile parallel to the west side of FM 602. The link then continues north for approximately 2.22 miles parallel to the west side of CR 241 (and crosses FM 602, CR 270, and an existing transmission line). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.14 mile (and crosses CR 241). The link then turns north for approximately 4.79 miles parallel to the east side of CR 241 (and crosses U.S. Hwy 62/70, CR 232, CR 220, and CR 212). The link then continues north for approximately 1.30 miles. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.09 mile (and crosses CR 200 and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the southwest corner of the proposed White River Station, located, approximately 1.10 miles east of the intersection of CR 231 and CR 200..

LINK 37

Link 37 begins at the intersection of Links 17 and 29, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR P and CR 265. The link heads north for approximately 3.01 miles parallel to the west side of an existing transmission line and CR P (and crosses CR 255, CR 245, and FM 37) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 41 and 47, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR P.

LINK 38

Link 38 begins at the intersection of Links 29 and 30, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 265 and CR Q. The link heads north for approximately 3.05 miles parallel to the east side of CR Q and an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 265, CR 255, CR 245, and FM 37) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 41 and 42, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR Q.

LINK 39

Link 39 begins at the intersection of Links 28 and 31b, located immediately east of FM 400, approximately 1.05 miles north of the intersection of FM 400 and CR 275. The link heads north for approximately 1.92 miles parallel to the east side of FM 400 and an existing transmission line (and crosses FM 37). The link then turns northwest for approximately 0.11 mile (and crosses FM 400 and an existing transmission line). The line then turns north for approximately 0.89 mile parallel to the west side of an existing transmission line and FM 400 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 43b, 44, and 49, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of FM 37/CR 235 and FM 400.

LINK 40

Link 40 begins at the intersection of Links 32 and 33, located approxi-

mately 1.03 miles south-southeast of the intersection of CR 49 and CR 248. The link heads east for approximately 0.08 mile parallel to the south side of CR 49. The link then continues east for approximately 0.81 mile (and crosses an existing transmission line and CR 49). The link then turns north for approximately 0.81 mile (and crosses CR 248). The link then continues north for approximately 0.22 mile parallel to the east side of CR 248 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 45 and 46, located approximately 0.37 mile east of the intersection of CR 55 and CR 248.

LINK 41

Link 41 begins at the intersection of Links 37 and 47, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR P. The link heads east for approximately 1.04 miles parallel to the north side of FM 37 (and crosses an existing transmission line, CR P, an existing transmission line, and CR Q) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 38 and 42, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR Q.

LINK 42

Link 42 begins at the intersection of Links 38 and 41, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR Q. The link heads east for approximately 2.00 miles parallel to the north side of FM 37 (and crosses Sun Rd.) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 43a and 48, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and Sun Rd.

LINK 43a

Link 43a begins at the intersection of Links 42 and 48, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and Sun Rd. The link heads southeast for approximately 0.13 mile (and crosses FM 37). The link then turns east for approximately 1.63 miles parallel to the south side of FM 37 (and crosses CR T). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.29 mile (and crosses CR U). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.27 mile. The link then turns east for approximately 0.73 mile parallel to the south side of FM 37 (and crosses CR V) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 43b and 72, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR V.

LINK 43b

Link 43b begins at the intersection of Links 43a and 72, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR V. The link heads east for approximately 1.32 miles parallel to the south side of FM 37. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.16 mile. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.18 mile. The link then turns east for approximately 0.33 mile parallel to the south side of FM 37 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 39, 44, and 49, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of FM 37/CR 235 and FM 400.

LINK 44

Link 44 begins at the intersection of Links 39, 43b, and 49, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of FM 400 and FM 37/CR 235. The link heads east for approximately 5.04 miles parallel to the south side of CR 235 (and crosses an existing transmission line, FM 400, CR AA, and CR BB). The link then turns north for approximately 0.29 mile parallel to the east side of CR 235. The link then

continues north for approximately 0.02 mile (and crosses CR 235). The link then turns east for approximately 0.34 mile parallel to the north side of CR 235. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.23 mile (and crosses FM 789). The link then turns east for approximately 0.74 mile parallel to the north side of CR 235. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.16 mile (and crosses CR 235). The link then turns east for approximately 1.06 miles parallel to the south side of CR 235. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.15 mile (and crosses the county border and CR 235). The link then turns east for approximately 0.56 mile parallel to the north side of CR 248 (and crosses CR 27). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.16 mile (and crosses CR 248). The link then turns east for approximately 0.71 mile parallel to the south side of CR 248. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.12 mile (and crosses CR 248). The link then turns east for approximately 0.08 mile parallel to the north side of CR 248 (and crosses CR 39). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.16 mile (and crosses CR 248). The link then turns east for approximately 1.44 miles parallel to the south side of CR 248 (and crosses CR 49 and two existing transmission lines). The link then turns north for approximately 0.05 mile (and crosses CR 248) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 45 and 50, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR 248 and northbound CR 55.

LINK 45

Link 45 begins at the intersection of Links 44 and 50, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR 248 and northbound CR 55. The link heads east for approximately 0.31 mile parallel to the north side of CR 248 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 40 and 46, located approximately 0.37 mile east of the intersection of CR 248 and CR 55.

LINK 46

Link 46 begins at the intersection of Links 40 and 45, located approximately 0.37 mile east of the intersection of CR 248 and CR 55. The link heads east for approximately 0.49 mile. The link then turns north for approximately 0.63 mile. The link then turns east for approximately 1.69 miles parallel to the south side of FM 784 (and crosses FM 378) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 34 and 51, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of FM 784 and CR 81.

LINK 47

Link 47 begins at the intersection of Links 37 and 41, located immediately west of an existing transmission line, on the northwest corner of the intersection of FM 37 and CR P. The link heads north for approximately 0.85 mile parallel to the west side of an existing transmission line and CR P. The link then turns northwest for approximately 0.11 mile. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.13 mile (and crosses CR 225). The link then turns north for approximately 0.73 mile parallel to the west side of an existing transmission line and CR P. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.15 mile (and crosses an existing transmission line and CR P). The link then turns north for approximately 2.04 miles parallel to the east side of CR P and an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 215 and CR 195). The link then turns east for approximately 0.94 mile parallel to the north side of CR 195 until it reach the link's intersec-

tion with Link 53, located immediately west of an existing transmission line, on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR 195 and CR Q.

LINK 48

Link 48 begins at the intersection of Links 42 and 43a, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of FM 37 and Sun Rd. The link heads north for approximately 3.99 miles parallel to the east side of Sun Rd (and crosses CR 225, CR 215, and CR 195) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 53 and 54, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR 195 and Sun Rd.

LINK 49

Link 49 begins at the intersection of Links 39, 43b and 44, located immediately west of an existing transmission line, on the southwest corner on the intersection of FM 400 and FM 37/CR 235. The link heads north for approximately 2.00 miles parallel to the west side of an existing transmission line and FM 400 (and crosses FM 37 and westbound CR 215). The link then turns east for approximately 0.98 mile parallel to the south side of CR 215 (and crosses an existing transmission line and FM 400). The link then turns north for approximately 2.04 miles parallel to the west side of CR Y (and crosses CR 215, FM 784, an existing transmission line, and CR 195) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 54, 55, and 58, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR 195 and CR Y.

LINK 50

Link 50 begins at the intersection of Links 44 and 45, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR 248 and northbound CR 55. The link heads north for approximately 4.27 miles parallel to the east side of two existing transmission lines and CR 55 (and crosses FM 784 and CR 220) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 55 and 57, located approximately 0.35 mile south of the intersection of CR 55 and CR 204.

LINK 51

Link 51 begins at the intersection of Links 34 and 46, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of FM 784 and CR 81. The link heads east for approximately 1.00 mile parallel to the south side of FM 784 (and crosses CR 81). The link then turns north for approximately 4.05 miles parallel to the west side of CR 91 (and crosses FM 784, CR 212, and CR 202). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.12 mile (and crosses CR 91). The link then turns north for approximately 0.42 mile parallel to the east side of FM 378 (and crosses an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 60 and 61, located approximately 0.46 mile south of the intersection of FM 786/CR 192 and FM 378.

LINK 53

Link 53 begins at the intersection with Link 47, located immediately west of an existing transmission line, on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR 195 and CR Q. The link heads east for approximately 0.38 mile parallel to the north side of CR 195 (and crosses an existing transmission line and CR Q). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.15 mile (and crosses CR 195). The link then turns east for approximately 1.03 miles parallel to the south side of CR 195. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.10 mile (and crosses CR 195).

The link then turns east for approximately 0.40 mile parallel to the north side of CR 195 (and crosses Sun Rd) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 48 and 54, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR 195 and Sun Rd.

LINK 54

Link 54 begins at the intersection of Links 48 and 53, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR 195 and Sun Rd. The link heads east for approximately 2.69 miles parallel to the north side of CR 195 (and crosses CR T, CR U). The link then continues east for approximately 0.36 mile (and crosses CR 195 and CR V). The link then continues east for approximately 2.90 miles (and crosses Way Rd/CR W, and FM 400) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 49, 55, and 58, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR 195 and CR Y.

LINK 55

Link 55 begins at the intersection of Links 54, 49, and 58 located on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR 195 and CR Y. The link heads east for approximately 1.08 mile parallel to the north side of CR 195 (and crosses CR Y). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.14 mile (and crosses CR 195). The link then turns east for approximately 1.11 miles parallel to the south side of CR 195 (and crosses CR AA). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.15 mile (and crosses CR 195). The link then turns east for approximately 1.59 miles parallel to the north side of CR 195 (and crosses CR BB). The link then continues east for approximately 0.55 mile (and crosses CR CC and FM 789). The link then turns north for approximately 0.61 mile parallel to the east side of FM 789 (and crosses CR 190). The link then turns east for approximately 2.01 miles parallel to the north side of CR 190 (and crosses CR EE and the county border). The link then continues east for approximately 0.59 mile parallel to north side of CR 206 (and crosses CR 27). The link then continues east for approximately 1.55 miles. The link then continues east parallel to the north side of CR 206 (and crosses CR 43, two existing transmission lines, and CR 55) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 50 and 57, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR 206 and CR 55.

LINK 57

Link 57 begins at the intersection of Links 50 and 55, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR 206 and CR 55. The link heads north for approximately 0.32 mile parallel to the east side of an existing transmission line and CR 55. The link then turns east for approximately 0.84 mile parallel to the south side of CR 204 and an existing transmission line. The link then continues east for approximately 0.48 mile parallel to the south side of an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 204). The link then turns north for approximately 0.60 mile parallel to the east side of an existing transmission line. The link then continues north for approximately 0.04 mile (and crosses an existing transmission line). The link then turns east for approximately 0.29 mile parallel to the south side of CR 196 (and crosses CR 71) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 59 and 60, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 196 and CR 71.

LINK 58

Link 58 begins at the intersection of

Links 49, 54, and 55, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR 195 and CR Y. The link heads north for approximately 0.36 mile parallel to the west side of CR Y. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.15 mile (and crosses CR Y). The link then turns north for approximately 0.98 mile parallel to the east side of CR Y. The link then turns northwest for approximately 0.20 mile (and crosses CR Y). The link then turns north for approximately 1.31 mile parallel to the west side of CR Y (and crosses CR 175). The link then turns east for approximately 2.03 miles parallel to the north side of CR 165 (and crosses CR Y and CR AA). The link then continues east for approximately 0.76 mile (and crosses CR BB). The link then turns north for approximately 0.58 mile parallel to the east side of CR BB. The link then turns east for approximately 2.49 miles parallel to the south side of FM 2883 (and crosses FM 789 and CR DD). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.12 mile (and crosses FM 2883). The link then turns east for approximately 2.36 mile parallel to the north side of FM 2883 (and crosses CR EE, the county border, and CR 25). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.11 mile (and crosses CR 33 and FM 2883). The link then turns east for approximately 0.78 mile parallel to the south side of FM 2883. The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.07 mile (and crosses FM 2883). The link then turns east for approximately 0.94 mile parallel to the north side of FM 2883 (and crosses CR 43). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.26 mile (and crosses FM 2883, an existing transmission line, and CR 55). The link then turns east for approximately 0.47 mile (and crosses CR 59). The link then continues east for approximately 1.11 miles parallel to the south side of CR 178. The link then turns south for approximately 0.32 mile parallel to the west side of CR 71. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.12 mile (and crosses CR 71) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 59 and 62, located approximately 0.44 mile south of the intersection of CR 178 and CR 71.

LINK 59

Link 59 begins at the intersection of Links 57 and 60, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 196 and CR 71. The link heads north for approximately 1.43 miles parallel to the east side of CR 71 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 58 and 62, located approximately 0.44 mile south of the intersection of CR 178 and CR 71.

LINK 60

Link 60 begins at the intersection of Links 57 and 59, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 196 and CR 71. The link heads east for approximately 2.00 miles parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 81 and FM 378) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 51 and 61, located immediately north of an existing transmission line, approximately 0.46 mile south of the intersection of FM 786/CR 192 and FM 378.

LINK 61

Link 61 begins at the intersection of Links 51 and 60, located immediately north of an existing transmission line, approximately 0.46 mile south of the intersection of FM 786/CR 192 and FM 378. The link heads east for approximately 6.04 mile

parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 101, CR 111, CR 121, U.S. Hwy 70, CR 131, and CR 149). The link then turns south for approximately 0.19 mile parallel to the east side of an existing transmission line and CR 149. The link then turns east for approximately 2.91 miles parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line (and crosses State Highway [SH] 207). The link then turns north for approximately 0.09 mile parallel to the west side of CR 181. The link then turns east for approximately 0.08 mile parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 181) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 63 and 64a, located approximately 0.51 mile south of the intersection of CR 192 and CR 181.

LINK 62

Link 62 begins at the intersection of Links 58 and 59, located approximately 0.44 mile south of the intersection of CR 178 and CR 71. The link heads east for approximately 1.98 miles (and crosses CR 81 and FM 378). The link then continues east for approximately 1.00 mile parallel to the south side of CR 180 (and crosses CR 101) the link then continues east for approximately 3.00 miles (and crosses CR 111, U.S. Hwy 70, and CR 131). The link then continues east for approximately 4.80 miles parallel to the south side of CR 180 (and crosses CR 149 and SH 207) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 63 and 65a, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 180 and CR 179.

LINK 63

Link 63 begins at the intersection of Links 62 and 65a, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 180 and CR 179. The link heads east for approximately 0.22 mile parallel to the south side of CR 180 (and crosses CR 181). The link then turns south for approximately 1.49 miles parallel to the east side of CR 181 (and crosses CR 192) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 61 and 64a, located approximately 0.51 mile south of the intersection of CR 192 and CR 181.

LINK 64A

Link 64a begins at the intersection of Links 61 and 63, located approximately 0.51 mile south of the intersection of CR 192 and CR 181. The link heads east for approximately 0.59 mile parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line. The link then turns east-northeast for approximately 0.41 mile parallel to the north side

of an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 191). The link then turns east for approximately 0.92 mile parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line. The link then turns north for approximately 0.20 mile parallel to the west side of an existing transmission line and CR 201. The link then turns east for approximately 2.87 mile parallel to the north side of an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 201, FM 786, and CR 231) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 64b and 73, located approximately 0.55 mile north of the intersection of CR 200 and CR 231.

LINK 64B

Link 64b begins at the intersection of Links 64a and 73, located approximately 0.55 mile north of the intersection of CR 200 and CR 231. The link heads east for approximately 0.97 mile. The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.16 mile until it reaches the northwest corner of the proposed White River Station, located approximately 1.24 miles northeast of the intersection of CR 231 and CR 200.

LINK 65A

Link 65a begins at the intersection of Links 62 and 63, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 180 and CR 179. The link heads north for approximately 0.23 mile parallel to the east side of CR 179 (and crosses CR 180). The link then heads east for approximately 3.54 miles (and crosses CR 201). The link then continues east for approximately 1.5 miles parallel to the south side of CR 178 (and crosses CR 221 and CR 231) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 73, 74, and 65b, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 178 and CR 231.

LINK 65B

Link 65b begins at the intersection of Links 65a, 73, and 74, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 178 and CR 231. The link heads east for approximately 0.72 mile parallel to the south side of CR 178. The link then turns southeast for approximately 1.12 miles parallel to the south side of an existing transmission line. The link then turns south-southeast for approximately 0.64 mile parallel to the west side of an existing transmission line (and crosses CR 190) until it reaches the northeast side of the proposed White River Station, located approximately 0.75 mile southwest of the intersection of CR 190 and CR 251.

LINK 66

Link 66 begins at the intersection of Links 3a and 3b, located immediately south of an existing transmission line, approximately 0.72 mile southeast of the intersection of FM 54 and CR P. The link heads north for approximately 0.47 mile (and crosses two existing transmission lines). The link then turns northeast for approximately 0.82 mile (and crosses an existing transmission line and FM 54). The link then turns north for approximately 0.40 mile parallel to the west side of an existing transmission line it reaches the link's intersection with Links 5b and 5c, located approximately 1.03 miles west of the intersection of CR 295 and CR R.

LINK 67

Link 67 begins on the east side of the AEEC, located immediately west of an existing transmission line, approximately 0.67 mile south of the intersection of FM 54 and CR P. The link heads east for approximately 0.21 mile (and crosses an existing transmission line, CR P, and another existing transmission line). The link then turns southeast for approximately 0.36 mile parallel to the east side of an existing transmission line. The link then turns east for approximately 0.73 mile parallel to the north side of CR 315 until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 68 and 69, located approximately 1.04 miles west of the intersection of CR 315 and CR P.

LINK 68

Link 68 begins at the intersection of Links 67 and 69, located approximately 1.04 miles west of the intersection of CR 315 and CR P. The link heads north for approximately 0.44 mile until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 3b and 3c, located immediately south of an existing transmission line, approximately 1.01 miles northwest of the intersection of CR 315 and CR R.

LINK 69

Link 69 begins at the intersection of Links 67 and 68, located approximately 1.04 miles west of the intersection of CR 315 and CR P. The link heads east for approximately 1.01 mile parallel to the north side of CR 315. The link then turns north for approximately 0.85 mile parallel to the west side of CR R (and crosses an existing transmission line). The link then turns northwest for approximately 0.12 mile until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 3c and 3d, located approximately 0.05 mile southwest of the intersection of FM 54 and northbound CR R.

LINK 70

Link 70 begins at the intersection of Links 5a and 5b, located approximately 0.99 mile north of the intersection of FM 54 and CR P. The link heads north for approximately 1.05 mile parallel to the east side of CR P and an existing transmission line until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 18a and 18b, located on the northeast corner of the intersection of CR P and CR 285.

LINK 71

Link 71 begins at the intersection of Links 20a and 20b, located on the southwest corner of the intersection of CR 275 and northbound CR V. The link heads north for approximately 1.07 miles parallel to the west side of CR V (and crosses CR 275, CR 265, and an existing transmission line) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 31a, 31b, and 72, located on the northwest corner of the intersection of CR 265 and CR V.

LINK 72

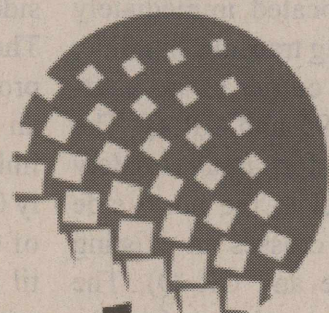
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LINK 73

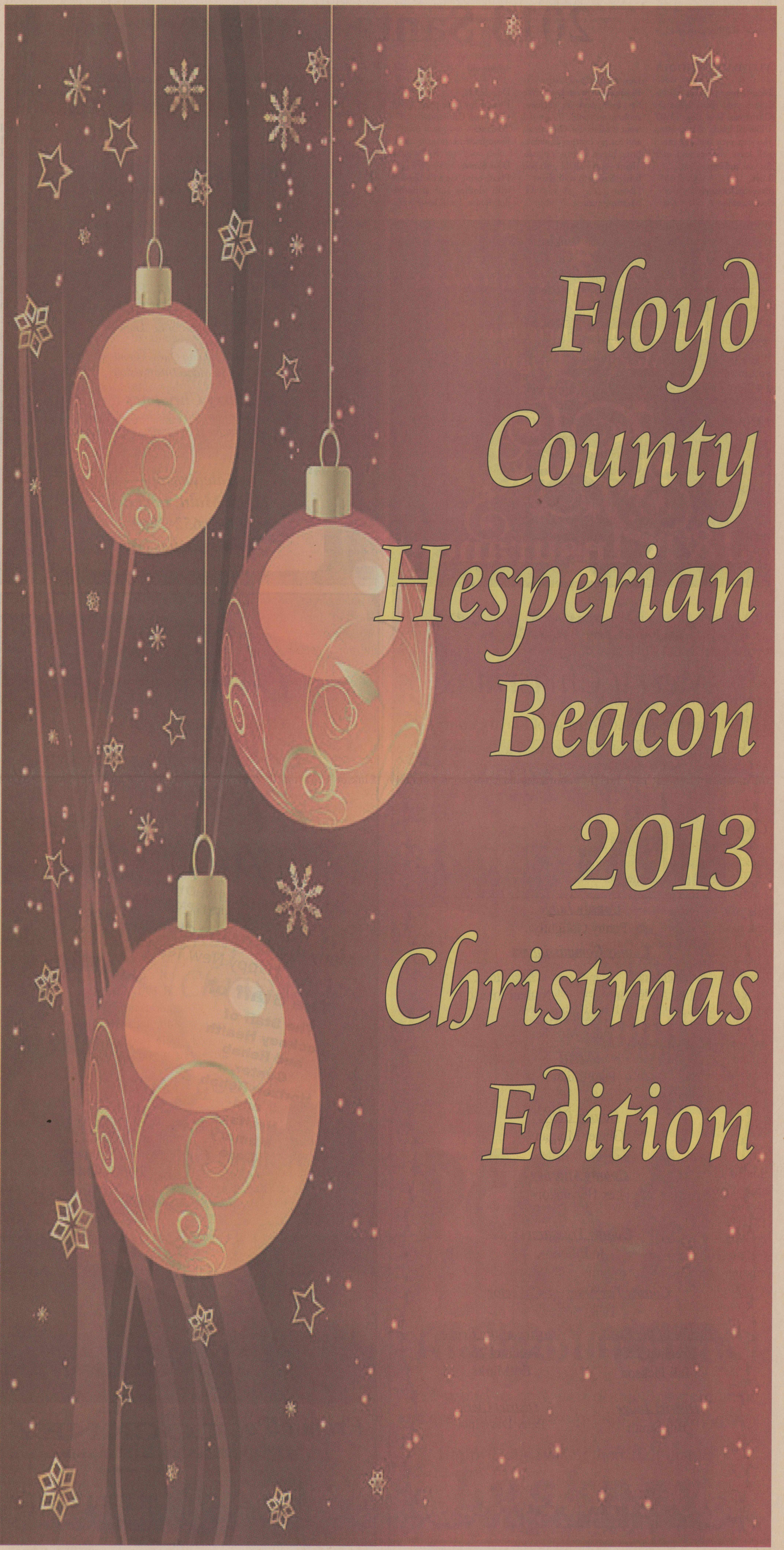
Link 73 begins at the intersection of Links 65a, 65b, and 74, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 178 and CR 231. The link heads south for approximately 1.43 miles parallel to the east side of CR 231 (and crosses CR 190) until it reaches the link's intersection with Links 64a and 64b, located approximately 0.55 mile north of the intersection of CR 200 and CR 231.

LINK 74

Link 74 begins at the intersection of Links 65a, 65b, and 73, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of CR 178 and CR 231. The link heads southeast for approximately 1.87 miles (and crosses CR 190) until it reaches the northwest side of the proposed White River Station, located approximately 1.24 miles northeast of the intersection of CR 231 and CR 200.



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2013 Santa Letters

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Dear Santa,
I love you. All I want for Christmas is a new DVD. I like all kinds of movies so you can pick one for me. I will leave cookies and milk for you and Mrs. Claus.
Love,
Braedon Ramirez
3 years old.

Dear Santa Claus,
Please come to our house. We have been good. We will leave cookies and milk for you. I want a tablet for Christmas, and for my brother Braedon, bring him a toy truck please. Thank you for all the gifts you bring. Say hi to your elves.
Love,
Martin Ramirez

4 years old

Dear Santa,
I want my little pony. I will see you on Christmas.
To Santa
From Jaiden Luna

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Barbie doll with clothes and a Barbie doll house. I will leave you a

burrito. I love you.
Jazlyn
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me two pet rabbits. A real rabbit. I will leave you some cookies and milk. I love you.
Martin
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a machine to make motorcycles. I will leave cookies for you on Christmas. I love you.
Eduardo
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a football and some toys. I will leave


you some cookies. I love you.
Elijah
PK-1

Dear Santa,
I would like....a doll and some clothes for my doll. I will leave you a sandwich. I love you.
Marissa
PK-1

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Dear Santa,
Please bring me a monster truck that goes fast and has lights that turn on. I will leave you a Sprite and a burrito. I love you.
Braiden
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a baby doll that drinks a bottle and clothes for my baby doll. I will leave you some cookies. I love you.
Desiree
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a red racer car that lights up and goes fast. I also want a tractor and a Sponge Bob and Patrick toy. I will leave you some cookies and a burrito. I love you.
Jason
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a teddy bear that lights up and has music. I will leave you some cookies. I love you.
Kyra
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a little truck that I can drive. I will leave you some hot chocolate. I love you.
Nalia
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a trampoline

and a Barbie with clothes. I will leave you a burrito. I love you.
Jaquelyn
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a small bike with a light and horn on it. I also want a little race car and track. I will leave you some milk and cookies. I love you.
Angel
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a pet cat. I want an orange cat and a collar for him. Also a plate for his food and water. Some clothes and toys for him too. I will leave you some cookies. I love you.
Briann
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a baby doll. I want baby clothes for my baby too. I will leave you a sandwich. I love you.
Marisol
PK-1

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a teddy bear that lights up. I will leave you some hot chocolate. I love you.
Nayohmi
PK-1

Dear Santa,
I would like a baby doll that

drinks a bottle and a cradle for my baby. I will leave you a note that says, "I love you".
Sofia
PK-1

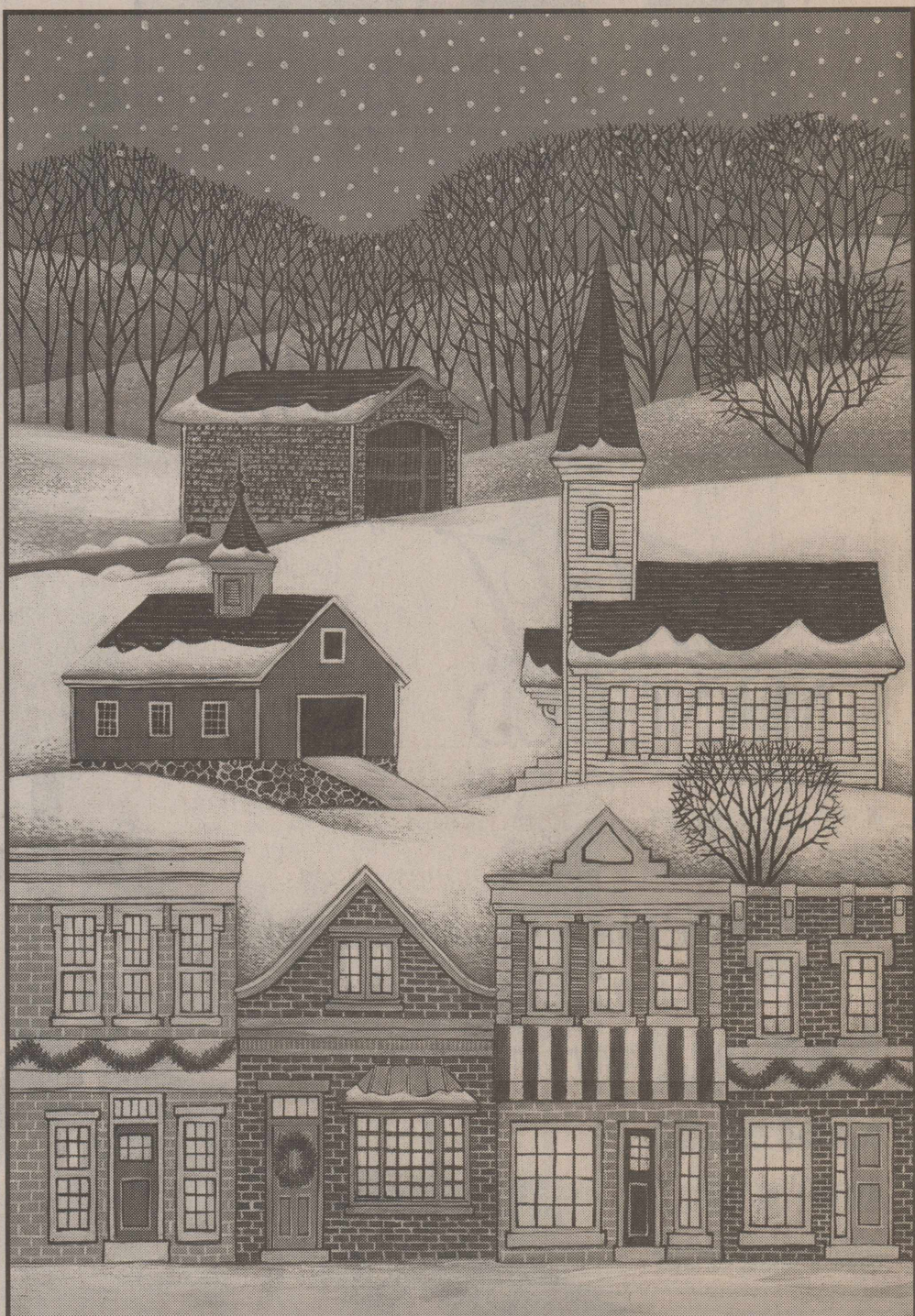
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a baby doll with a diaper bag and some make-up. I will leave you a piece of cake. I love you.
Ashley
PK-1

Dear Santa,
I want a present. Bring my Mom nails. A toy for JP and I want cookies. Doing good at school. I love you.
Santiago Miranda
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I would like some roller skates. I want some Sponge Bob toys. I gonna be good in the good list. I love you Santa.
Ariahna Duran
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I would like... A Princess jewelry and a Barbie dream house. My Mom wants nail polish and I want a play-dough mixer. I have been good at school. Please come see me Santa. I love you.
Aivery Bennett
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I would like... Playdough, a chair for my bear, a doll and a dog. I want make-up for my grandma. I want a cat for my



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sisters. My grandpa wants Christmas lights. I will leave you some milk and cookies. I love you.
Amareah Taylor
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I want polish and crayons, books and pencils. A ball for my sister and for my brothers cars. I'm making bad choices at school. Sorry Santa for making bad choices. I'll follow rules. Thank you Santa Clause. I love you.
Bailey Jones
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I want some dolls, I want a Princess ballerina. I want a Lala Loopsy Doll. I want a trampoline. I want ballerina shoes. I been doing good at school. I know letters. I know numbers and I know shapes. I love you.
Ashtyn Hernandez
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I would like....You to bring me a toy. I want a play kitchen. I want a chair to sit on. I want a bike for James. My sister wants nail polish. I been good. I love you.

ChristiAnna Jimenez
PK-2
Dear Santa,
I would like....a nail polish. I want Barbie house and a Barbie. I'm listening at school. I'm gonna be good and follow the rules. I love you Santa Claus.
Jada DeOchoa
PK-2

Dear Santa,
Bring me a car and jewelry. Pink lipstick for my sister. For my sister a music box. Mommy wants makeup and Daddy wants a hat. I've been good at school. Thank you and I love you.
Nori Medellin
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I would like...A doll. I want numbers. Bring me a Nemo movie. I'm making good choices at school. Thank you Santa. I love you.
Miley Rodriguez
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I would like a baby doll, a teddy bear. My baby brother wants a teddy bear. Jonathan wants a spiderman toy. My

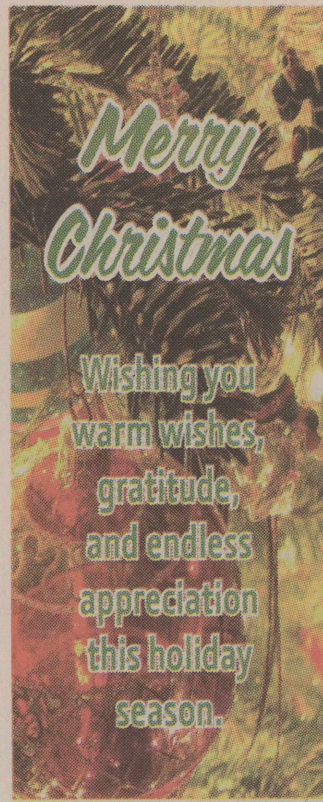
sister wants a purple baby doll. My sister wants a tablet. A pen for my brother, a smart board for my big brother. I been listening in school. I been acting bad yesterday. I love you.
Emily Garza
PK-2

Dear Santa,
Will you bring me a ninja turtle car and I learned patterns and my letters. Will you bring me the Donatello ninja turtle. I been learning. I love you Santa.
Logan Gutierrez
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I want a yellow car. I want a necklace. I've been bad. I love you Santa.
Aleron Espinosa
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I want a red race car. I want a walkie talkie. I want crayons. I'm learning my letters, my numbers. I love you Santa.
Valentin Martinez
PK-2

Dear Santa,
Bring me skates. Be good. I love you Santa.



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Isaiah 9:6

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Dustin Coursey
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I want a toy horse. A toy gate for the horse. A farm toy and animals. Santa I been doing bad at school because I'm on the naughty list. I have to make good choice to get on the good list. I get out the naughty list when Santa comes. Good night Santa. I love you.
Julius Flores
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I want a motorcycle, a trumpet. I want a TV and a toy. I'm making better choices at school. Thank you. I love you!
David Sanchez
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I would like...Bring me toys. Santa gonna bring me cars. Santa gonna bring me transformers. I been bad at lunch. Santa bring me robots. I love you.
Jayden Lafuente
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I would like...A truck, a car, playdough. My Mom wants pads. My Dad needs a dog. My sisters want cookies. I will leave you a coke and a hotdog. I love you.
Alex Pacheco
PK-2

Dear Santa,
I would like...Playdough, a bubble and I want a DS. I'm making bad choices at school. I'm gonna make good choices. Thank you. I love you.
Dylan Mendoza
PK-2

Dear Santa Claus,
What kind of dood does Rudolf like. How old are you. How may reindeers do you have. How big is your shop. How many elfs do you have. Has my baby brother been good and my other brother been good to. I want the resler blue sin cara.
Love,
Edgar Cervera
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
How is ruddlph. He good. I want a bopit techris and a big RC helicopter and a hot wheel angrey Birds track, Battborg and a Tenkiy Night and a romot contro little racecar and a Bubba fet Lego and a Rudolph soft worm teddy Bear, and Broncles Jersey, and a Texas Tech hellment.
Love,
Ilan
2nd grade

Dea Saint Nick,
How Ard you doing this. Year How old is Rudolph Please give me a laptop and
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
Thank you Santa for my presents and how is Rudolph are you. Oh I hope you a Merry Christmas and is the other reindeer ok Thank you for my ipod and other gift do you want other cookies.
Love,
Justine Delgado
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want to thank you for the presents you Brot me last year. How is Rudolph does

he led the sleigh. And what do they eat. And I am going to lev you some cookies and milk. By the way can you get my mom a shirt and some close. And my sister some shoes. And I want a new jakelit.
Love,
Janeisi Garza
2nd grade

Dear Santa Claus,
I wud li some coueralls. Wut wood Yoo Like for crismos some cookies and milk. How ar is roodrof. I hop you kum to light house and some werk boot for walking.
Love,
Diego Martinez
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
Thank you for the presentes last year. I liked you're presentes last. But is roudolph reel or is he fack? You're a nice man. And I hope you have a grate crismise.
Love,
Marcus Roberts
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
How old is rood off and how miny Ders how you got and I got so thagths I wot the ant farm and a geode makere and a Potrewel and a laptop.
Thank you,
Leighton Calin Teeple
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
Win you come to my house they will br cookies and milk on the table bring lot of presents and my sisters bin go and Mom and Dad bin go.
Love,
Zachary Cuba
2nd grade

Dear Santa Claus,
Thank you how is Rudolph how old is Rudolph I hope you find me Santa Claus are you ok Santa Claus I love Christmas santa I hope you been ok Santa.
Love,
Noel Corona
2nd grade

Dear Santa Claus,
Some people say that you are not reall but I thenk you are. I don't know where I would be. I don't know if I am on the naughty list I have not been that good lately. How old is Rudolph? What kind of coockys do you like? Arnt you tierd at night when you fly?
Robert Organista
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
Thank you for Cumign to Jackson Street last Christmas I was so hapeey that you came to my house. Thank you For thou presents. I Love the gif.
Love,
Emily Arianna Gonzales
2nd grade

Dear Mr. Claus,
You slmuy like Peppermint. Catharine nees a Password journal. So She can be happy. I want her to de happy. I tode you wut for Christmas. A mp3 player my daddy want's a grass dragon.
Love,
Cristin Kemp
2nd grade

Dear Saint Nick,
Have I ben good? How is Rudolph? are you tired of cookies? How old is Rudolph? dus Rudolph Really have a Red nose? And how are you? are you tired of bressing in Red? Do you wish you can dress in green? How merrey are you reindeers? How is Miss Clus? I seen you at walmart and I won't a ipod. I won't a monster high doll.
Love,
Aaliyah Marmolejo
2nd grade

Dear Santa Claus,
How is Rudolph is He good Thank you for last year It was fun last year Thank you so much I have Bean Good this year ani I whont A Shtrolr from you and a doll hous. And I whont to get my famly something and my Mom and dad and Jose and all of them have Bean good thay all deserve something to not Just me every one deserve something to santa.
Alea Lira
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want all the People who hav canser I want their hair to grow back and a dog and my famiy to come home and I wish I had a Christmas tree and the dicarachins and I wish my mom and dad to hav money.
Love,
Audri
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want a are my air Plane I also want a john deer tractor. My Dad some edssome too is I want a smll cotton stripr I want army gun set I want

army hummer I want a army fort.
Chevy
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I wont a meggreada smurf my Dad ned sum fiks stuf my Mom neds sum stuf food I wont a xbox and my shipa-tank PSP a monster truck.
Love,
Gilbert
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I wood like an iphone 5 and a new pecup for my GrandPa sarg. And a playstashon 4 and sum new clowes for me, my mom, my brother and that is all. And merry christmas
Sincerely,
J.P.
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I wot a ball and a laptop for christas Dad ned a so de for christmas and my caznn ned sa fof christas to and my bother wot a Playtoun chrtoas.
Love you Santa,
Teasia
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a little puppy, a Wii, a ipad, some new shoes, a charger for my laptop, a little Christmas tree, a little psp, a cool toys, a little kitchen, a TV that sticks on your walls. A snow glob, some cute balls, some cute boots, a lot of cute teddy bears. Merry Christmas.
Yours truly,
Analise
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I whnt a playstation 3 and a toy movie, a football game, a wwi game a baschall game and a college football game and gcv People a jacket, I whnt a laptop and a fast and furious game and

Christmas - that magic blanket that wraps itself around us, that something so intangible that it is like a fragrance. It may weave a spell of nostalgia. Christmas may be a day of feasting, or of prayer, but always it will be a day of remembrance - a day in which we think of everything we have ever loved.

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a fore wheeler and a swimming pool. Merry Christmas Santa.
I love you,
Ryna
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
That I want of Christmas is a stuffies my mom ned a flayer my Dad need a nque sandl my Bruther need a latop I want an IPod.
Love Santa,
Rosantina
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I wut a latop and my Mom wus sut for my Babrudr Dap wos estri mshn big Brudr and sitr Brudrwus ebosone sitrwws a curt for hr Ifen.
John David
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want to have shoes. And I want to have a laptop. I want to have a xBox 360. I want to have a PS3 I want to have a puppy I want to have a controller. Merry Christmas.
Love,
Derrik
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I wot a minerat 2 of a eBox 360 I wat a Christmas on a crteBer to ba tos a tv of I wot a Dog 10 to I wot a litl gims.
Elijah
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want a I Pad and a Pupy and my dad what mune and tine-shus and a blabe Santa Ples I what clos and my Sistr Babe she what she What a doll. Happy Christmas Santa.
Love,
Victoria
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
Are you having a great year Santa I want the people have cancer there hair to grow back and my dad need a car me and my sister need shoes

and my mom and need a jackets.
Love,
Giovanny
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want for Christmas is a laptop and a Ipod and a Ipad and a Bear and my mom a horse and my Dad a car.
Love,
Marques
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I hop you will have a great Christmas you are truly the best. May I Pleases get a zoomer, a Pack of notbooks may My brother get a new truck. May my Mom Pleases get a new Pot. May me and my sister get some new games.
Sincerely,
Emma
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I would like for Christmas a in defni my gapolones and a pukup my Babruvr nes now klose my Gromo nesov hositemy o fonk nesnov hoshe my mom and nes a corue.
I love you,
Eriberto
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I hope you will gett me a Play Stat 4 and my Mom needs a now tv and my brather a hand laptop and my big brother a new iPhone.
Sincerely,
Cameron
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I well wut a brbedol I well wut liptopreiwun and mi Mom wut a now Peka and mi Dad neds a now gun Mi Sistr neds a now play crt.
Love you,
Cuiya
2nd grade

Dear Santa,

I wats a little PSP I riley Love you and I dievin you and my bothr ino he won't a dike and mom want a dig home and for Grantmell dog and something for my sister Doll and that all.
Love you,
Samara
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I Baylor tacit and a nrf gun and a Lap Top and a Z100 miu mom neez a sup kuling suf and a wir gun.
Santa Kloz
Kason
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want the skylandrs shop fors and rockett and a nrf gun. And all of the Hero factory that I have and the frog sisy juty.
Love,
Reese
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want skilander swapfors and a Ked15 and 2K14 and a Xbox 1 and a ramot contro helicopter ramot contro trac.
Love,
Dean
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want a blod bpd a x.box and the gam wokmg bed and the zhow wokpng ded and a blower that can blowe letuwus a zomb
Love,
Hagen
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I wot a Plastash for a ndex poone and Call of Doode.
Samuel
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want a 22 and a knife and Lincoln logs and a toy gun and toy knife and a toy sord and flaneck cinch and brest coler and lincoln logs people. Merry Christmas.

Love,
Jaxson
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I whont a plastashen 4 and o forc movie and Duces of hasord movie and scaylander swopforc and RC moster truck. I love you Santa.
Love,
Kyler
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
This year I what a xBox 1 and a PS3 a PS4 with a football game and a Baseball Game.
Love,
Angel
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
Ensted of all the star wars and the Lego of Cemn I what a smart fone and I Love toby. Mery Christmas toby and Santa.
Love,
Aiden Ryain Trevino
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want a cupcake machine and a snowcone machine and I will give you cokois and milke to on the table on chirstmas.
Love,
Gigi
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want a for Christmas is a baby doll to Play wite me and a game is call a Xbox is a game. A Scooter and a Cupcake Machine. And a Bike Colod Pink and Purple and blue.
Thank you,
Byalize
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want flipes hats. I want those cook colers. And cupcake machine. I want a snowcone machine. I want a IPone5. and a owl. And a cokois machine. I will give you cokois

and milke on the table on Chrismtas.
Love,
Mariah
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want a baby doll and a boll hous and a little dogy arda bt an bolle to clean my hear I will like a litl sister and a litl brother and a litl hats and a lot of shors and a litl jackets and a litl books and a litl candy canes.
Love,
Jordan
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
Thacke you for evretheing that you Hav gave us Now to J the Presinst. I want some footy PJ's and some stompys and a Bed set that is Pokedot.
Love,
Zayli
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want to have blade blade tirgr.
Thank you,
Braxton
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
Will you mind to breing me a xbox one and a PS four and a scooter and a diabwore and a Playsashn four.
Thank you,
Luis
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I wol lic a PST4 fwcms and a xbox one to dend risn.
Thank you,
Jose
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I want a skateboard for Christmas. And a Bike for Christmas. And a Baseball Bat glove for Christmas. And a remot control car for Christmas.
Thank you,

Dalles
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I whia a goon Christmas and I whin a Ps4 and I whant a scooter and I whant a ball and I whna Xbox one and I whia a Bike and house and a Baseball.
O'Brian Diaz
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I whant a dog for chrismson and a hamstr and a cat. and a Bike and a scooter.
Love,
Jaca Brian
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I whut a X dox 1 and a bike and a Whe Xbox and PS3 and a Scooter for christmas
Love,
John
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
I whant for rote and buster I got my prisit list and But I wont for crisms is a Playn Luv,
Joel
2nd grade

Dear Santa Claus,
I Den good. ever day on Christmas. Year naoin want for Chrstmas is PS4.
Love,
Christopher Yannis
2nd grade

Dear Santa Claus,
Thank you for everytheing I wish I had a gnone and ipad and play station thank you Santa have a Great Chrstmas.
Love,
Isaha Herrera
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
how do yoll meek tozs up in the nott poll. how are you in the reindeers do ing. haw old is rodif the red noss deer do ing. What cide of cuces do you like. how do you git to



The employees of the City of Floydada wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

the cide tass for the prazis fame lass yirr. i am stare for whin I fitt whit my sister. i gist love side time whit my family.

Love,
Pamela Chapman
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
How old are you. Does Mrs. Claus ever hit you with a pan. Are you slay really magic. I rather be good then bad. Did Rudouf really get maked frun of. Is it reall cook in the north pole. Can I ride in your slay. Love you,
Louallen
2nd grade

Dear Santa,
what I want for christmas is more food for my easy-bake oven and a I phone and a candy cane.
Erin Trevino
4th grade

Dear Santa,
all I want for christmis is ferrary monster truck, God Mustang, thousands of dollars and some special presents for my teachers and friends.
Oscar
4th grade

Dear Santa,
I want a puppy so my dog Max can have a new friend.
Alex
4th grade

Dear Santa,
I want a Bop it, Books, Clothes, new shoes, Jewelry, Toys, Head phones, CD's, new pencils for school, Justice clothes, new Jacket. I also hope that my teachers and Mrs. Ochoa get good presents. Also i want a furby Boom, mini iPad, movies, and Bows and last a white christmas.
Kailee
4th grade

Dear Santa,
When are you going to send red fred? All I want from you

is a Wii U, laptop and tenki knights.
Charles Gwinn
4th grade

Dear Santa,
My whole family is wonderful and my teachers are wonderful to and i would like for you to bring me some presents and i would like you to bring me clothes or shoes or and i pad or a Laptop and that is what i would like and i Love christmas and i love Santa Love you and i would love to wish you a Merry christmas.
Love,
Serina Arellano
4th grade

Dear Santa,
I don't care what I get for Chrismtas but it can't be any thing boring. I'm happy with what I got and I don't know any things to write but I still want presents for Christmas.
Aliana S.
4th grade

Dear Santa,
I love my mom, dad and all my family. If you could get me 11 gifts and give a few of people who need gifts please give some to them please. I would like a tablet/computer, smelly hand sanitizer, Baseball, bean bag chair, a Border collie GIRL puppy, furby Boom, Crazy Loom, zike, play house, new shoes/crazy colors, clothes, new jacket. Also through in a little something for the teachers.
Love,
Ashlyn Green
4th grade

Dear Santa,
How is Chippy doing? Hurry and send him back. Christmas is almost here. There are two expensive gifts that I want. Please give me them both. Please please please please please with a cherry on top. The first thing I want is an XBOX 360 and a game with it. The game is called CALL OF DUTY BLACK-

OPPS II. The second things I want is beats headphones. I need good headphones so I can listen with my IPOD TOUCH. The last thing I want is a camoflauge backpack so I can play army with it. I hope I get lots of presents this year.
From
Trace
4th grade

Dear Santa,
I would like a orange bike and a easy bake oven, a wooden horse, and anything you would like to give me.
From
Holly Brooke Monroe
4th grade

Dear Santa,
I want a Blu-Ray player and WII. Also I want a great life and family.
Jack William Brooks
4th grade

Dear Santa,
I want a real hamster, an real Ipod touch, some cowboy boots, a higheel chair, a Real Laptop, and I want something big so surprise me Santa. I want santa to give thanks to all my family and hope nothing goes wrong. So be good family and thank all my teachers and hope you also have a good christmas and also to the people on the street i hope you could have a christmas to but sometimes you just have to take care of your self so be careful out and have a happy christmas and New Year bye. Hope I get everything I wanted but thanks anyway. OXOXOXO Go Christmas and New Year!
Clarissa DeLafuente
4th grade

Dear Santa,
My Mom and Dad are wonderful and so are you I have Been good this year and I want a gutiar and a lego set.
From
Camo

4th grade
Dear Santa,
I don't want anything for Christmas give it to someone else.
Bryan
4th grade

Dear Santa,
I have everything I need I have a family and that is all I need for life I guess.
Love,
Caitlyn C.
4th grade

LOCKNEY SCHOOLS

Dear Santa Clause
How are you. I want remote control trak.
Sincerely
Edward

Dear Santa Clause
How are you and Mrs. Clause. Tell Ranger hi for me. I want a ipod and a Ds2 and ds2 games and lip stick.
Sincerely,
Brinley

Dear Santa Clause
How are you. I want a toy. I want a truck. I want a tow truck. I want a we. I want a john Deere. I want a car. I want a remote truck.
Sincerely
Dahlen

Dear Santa Clause
How are you doing? I want x box 360, wie and a nintedo 3ds.
Sincerely
Dimitri

Dear Santa Clause
How are you? I want dog.
Sincely,
Kyleigh

Dear Santa Clause
I bin goo. I want a 22. I rile want a x box. I rile rile want a wii. I want a xbox foo my bothr. I want a Iyman toy. I want a neckless. I want a foolet. I

want a pencil bag. I want a peysp.
Sincerely
Xavier

Dnta Clause
How are you? I want a bar-bee doll. I want a Babee doll. I want a Ipod.
Sincerely
Trinity

Dear Santa Clause
I ben good this yier. I want a Barbi doll hoes. I want the easea Bake oven. I want a Big princess Panting Book. I want a School learning Book. I want a number Book. I want a StraBerea Shorckack Set. I want a noow Pencil bag.
Sincerely
Jailee

Dear Santa Clause
I want a Leap Pad. I want a Ipad. Tane you.
Sincerely
Kaiden

Dear Santa Clause
Ox xbox wiiou. I luf santa. I want a toy santa clause.
Sincerely
Johnny

Dear Santa Clause
I want teenane mutant ninca turez an I wot a dog I wot a tow I wot to hav ninda an x box
Sincerely
Jacob

Dear Santa Clause
I was good. Hay missis Clause. Hay mistr clause. I want a big ckeng ckoochr with a cooke. I want a doll. I want a ckichin tooy. I want a ipod. I want a foon. I want a branoow pinsool. I want a branoow staf with a braslet.
Sincerely
Azailey

Dear Santa Clause
How are you? I want Ipod.
Sincerely
Jessal

Dear Santa
How are you? I want ipod and I want a DS and DS games, lipstick.
Sincerely
Adrianna Solis

Dear Santa Clause
I hav bin vere good. I wont for crismis I riley wont a doli hasu and a younicorn that can riley wood lit up.
Sincerely
Brianna

Dear Santa
How is Rudolph the Red-nose Reindeer? Please bring me a tablet and a new bike. I also want a remote controlled helicopter with batteries.
Your friend
Roman Olmos

Dear Santa
I want a gine pig and a evr afrtr hiy doll and a ipad mine and a doll and a mackup and a Brbe doll and a bab dog.
Krista

Dear Santa
I want a new bike and a toy that look like ms Hooten
Love
Rudy

Dear Santa
How is Rudolph? I want a nobe
Love
Kaileigh Cook

Dear Santa
I wonder How Rudolph is.
Love
Victoria

Dear Santa
I want a 22 and Arme mens and a toy tomegun and Baturans xbox one
Sincerely
Preston

Dear Santa
I want a laptop and a tablet and a big doll hos and dolls
Love
Madison Jimenez



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Merry Christmas!



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Dear Santa
I want a bik. How is roodof doen.
Love
Meadow

Dear Santa
How is mrs clause? I want a laptop and how is Rudolph
Love
Miannette

Dear Santa
How is Mrs Claus. I want a laptop and how is Rudolph?
A wii.
Eddie Ascencio

Dear Santa
How is miss Claus. I want a tablet. How are you.
Love
Adrianna G.

Dear Santa
I want a laptop and a tablet.
Love
Rico Salas

Dear Santa
I want 2 tablets. I want a new bike. I want a hamster with a caje with water and food. I want a stuff pet of Rudolph.
Love
Sophie

Dear Santa
Leggos, rudolgh, Ironman, barf gun, crayons 24, woke tok, a sleigh, xbox1, wii
Angel

Dear Santa
I wont Rudolph. How is misis clos. How ar your elfs. How is Rudolph and Dasher and a flying angel and a flying Nathan Mochanol and a flying Bradin mocntrol and a flying mocntoh and hou ar you. I wont a Lockney tain and a noo picup
Colton

Dear Santa
I would like to have a pupy and a back to the Fuche lab toy and a aving Lego game and a barf gun and a duck talls muve and a Iron man and a Kid Kide of car and

a Junie B Jones Book and a Bike and a Scate bor xbox.
Love
Bryson

Dear Santa
I wot a puppy and Barbie hous and Leggos and cookies and milk and gum and a toy Santas and a toy kilah and crayons and crayla and poolped pencils and a toy Lockney and cupcakes and Rudolph. I love Santa
Love
Jay

Dear Santa
I like a Barbie house. Santa I like a hedband. I like pupys. I like to giv you milk and cookies. I like a toy colteon. I like a toy Haygen. I like a toy Bryson. I like a toy Jay. I like a toy Kilah.
Love
Michelle

Dear Santa,
Puppys, Ironman, Leggos, fishnet, snoop house, bees, tooy santa and tooy mrs. Clos, cookies, milk, bible, a xBox game mincraft, coloring marvel super Hero, sauand fodr noow glus noo tv, Duck Dynasty, pelt pisool, hemit, math pisool, Rudolph noo sool tooy elf.
Love
Haygen

Dear Santa
I whead like a puppy. Dear Santa I whead like a Barbie hose and a coloring book and sum leggos and a hat and a sligh and a crayons and a crayons pencils and a super tip makers and aa fodr to and sum cookies. I wheod like a barf gun, crayons too and a bibe and a Junie B book and a x box.
Love
Kilah

Dear Santa
I wont oy dear. Dear santa I wont two ribyrw. Dear santa I wont oy Leggos. Dear santa I wont oy puppy. Dear santa I

wont oy sleigh. Dear santa I wont oy barf gun
Jovieh

Dear Santa
I wut xbox and a xbox own and a barf gun and freebres and a Ironman and a puppy and a cookies milk and a Leggos and a gingerbread man and a rascar and a plesh tatin tree a playshtatins and a rbot and a mashtle trak and a motrelpad and a rascar and a moshtr truc and a motel play and a rodt and a muster and a rascar and a moecplay.
Love
Johnny

Dear Santa
I wut a xbox games a hedcotn and crzs. Dear Santa I wut a motechot crzs. Dear Santa I wut a trbo is a crz and a chack and a moobe. Dear Santa I wut a tars wif a modsico. Dear Santa I wut a moobe a Santa moobe. Dear Santa I wut a Santa tors.
Nathan

Dear Santa
Leggos camlot if Dear Santa bablo tock to Thattplas. Dear Santa cookies how is Mrisis Santa filigg. Is orthere being good. Dear Santa Chrackll Dear santa Mavis was your athr fun. I luv you Santa. Dear Santa brfgun howis the lafs. Dear Santa milk.
Bradyn

Dear Santa
Santa can I hav a van. Dear Santa a barfgun. Dear Santa legos. Dear Santa sleigh. Dear santa nu dalfh. Dear Santa nigit. Dear Santa milk.
Josiah

Dear Santa,
I want a Hot Wheel Maker Machine. I hope you have a wonderful Christmas and an infinity game.

Drake Gonzales

Dear Santa,
I would like an iPad please. I will miss you because it won't be Christmas any more. How are the elves? I love you Santa! How is Rudolph and the other reindeer?
Love,
Addison Durham

Dear Santa,
I want Skylander Swap Force. I would also like Star Wars Legos and Disney Infinity for my Wii.
Love,
Hagen Pate

Dear Santa,
I want a BB gun, a iPod, a toy elf, an xBox 360, a helmet and a football.
Love,
Adrian Hernandez

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie Dreamhouse

for my dad's house. I have nothing there. I want a Barbie, I have fun with Polle and Sarkoll they are funny. I want clothes for my Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer from Bear workshop. I got the song I got Frosty the Snowman. Happy Birthday to baby Jesus. I got music it is fun. I love it!
I love you Santa,
Niki Cantu

Dear Santa,
I want a dirt bike and a bicycle, an electric skateboard and an xBox 1.
Love,
Louis Riddley

Dear Santa,
I want cars and Lego story. How is Rudolph? How are your elves? Do you have any animals? I love you Santa!
See you soon,

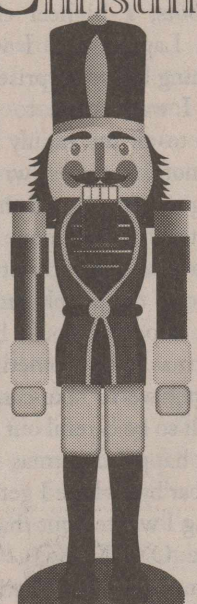
Micheal Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
I would like a dog that is real and a puppy. I want a bear that is black and little. I would like a toy that is a game. I want a Nintendo that is blue and has games like Luigi Moon Masion and Mario.
Love,
Rene Olmos


Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie Dream House and a Barbie doll and an iPad for Christmas.
Love,
Jennifer Sanchez

Dear Santa,
I want a truck to play with my toys. When is Christmas? Happy Christmas! Do you have a brother?


In the spirit of Christmas



Celebrate the season with lots of love, and good cheer. Best wishes and many thanks for your support.
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Glory to the Newborn King



May you and the ones you cherish enjoy all the many gifts this precious season has to offer. We really appreciate the gift of your friendship.

Lowe's Pay-n-Save

221 Main Street • Lockney, Texas
Lowe's Staff




With Heartfelt Thanks at Christmas

The best part of any journey is the people we meet along the way, and we're pleased to say we've never met a better bunch of folks than you. Thanks for making the trip worthwhile!

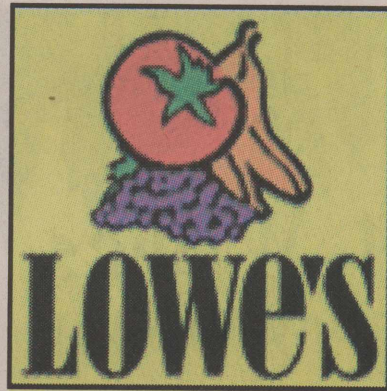
Merry Christmas! Probasco Flying Service



Merry Christmas To All & TO ALL MANY THANKS!

Just in the nick of time we'd like to deliver our message of warmth and gratitude to our many good customers and friends. We really appreciate your dropping by this past year.

Johnny Summers
Manager



Pay-N-Save
Floydada
220 South 2nd

Hark!
The herald angels sing,
Glory to the newborn King!

Merry Christmas
and a
Happy New Year!

Dr. and Mrs. Gary Mangold, Dr. and Mrs. Kevin Stennett, Dr. Sharie Moore and Mr. Sam Moore, and Dr. Cynthia Schlueter and Mr. Chad Schlueter and their families.

Love,
Jisiah Lara

Dear Santa,
I want a football. Merry Christmas! I would like a car, a ball, a game, and books.
Love,
Salvador Ascencio

Dear Santa,
I would like a Nabi 2 for Christmas, I would like a bike and an iPod for Christmas,
I want a snow globe for Christmas and shoes and bows for my hair.
Love,
Mika Perales

Dear Santa,
I want a keyboard and telescope for Christmas! Have a Merry Christmas Santa!
Love,
Brailey Kidd

Dear Santa,

I want a new bike and a scooter and a laptop and a robot dog. I want a remote control car and a brand new football. I would also like a remote control rocket. I want a dog named Coco and that is black and a K-9.
Love,
Josiah Ascencio

Dear Santam
I want a game called Real Steel and a soccer game and a Gear of War 3 and Call of Duty.
Love,
Jose Martinez

Dear Santa,
I want a bike. I would like a Barbie House and a tablet.
Love,
Mariah Salas

Dear Santa,
I want a bike and a tablet and a big teddy bear and a kit.
Love,
Anna Sanchez

Dear Santa,
I love you. I want to ride on a reindeer. I want an iPad mini. Caleb and Carson want to see you.
Love,
Caden Pritchard

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would love a Kurio Touch, a Border Collie, a Monster High Color Me Creepy Chamber. I want a scooter. How is Rudolph the deer and how are the elves? How is Mrs. Claus? I hope she is great!
Love,
Saylee Diepenhorst

Dear Santa,
I want roller skates and I want

an Austin Mahone poste. I want an xBox 1 and a Wii U. I want more Monster High Dolls and some American doll clothing and shows for them too. I wish you a Merry Christmas.
Love,
Adalayah Jones

P.S. Can I have an Elf on the Shelf?

Dear Santa,
I want an Elf for Christmas and a lot of snow. I want more presents. I love them! I want a dog.

Love,
Nadia Perez
Dear Santa,
I want an A.R. 15 and a bow

and arrow. I would also like a private airplane with TVs. It will be a black bird. It will carry trucks and cars! I want a crossbow for Christmas!

Love,
Tucker Schlueter

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? Are you making presents for kids now? I would like a turkey decoy for Christmas and NFL Rush Zone figures and Dallas Cowboys. I want Call of Duty

Black Cops Landz.
From,
Creek Evans

Dear Santa,
I want a Zoomer for Christmas and a laptop. How have you been? Is Jackson coming back? How is Rudolph? Are you coming to church? I like your hat, your coat and your beard. I like you!

You are fun,
Cutter Evans

*We're sending you our best!
Merry Christmas and
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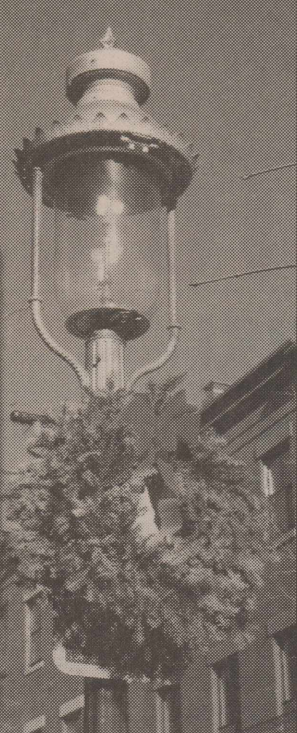
**LIGHTEN UP
IT'S CHRISTMAS!**

*Here's hoping your season
Is merry and bright.
Knowing all of you has
Been a delight.*

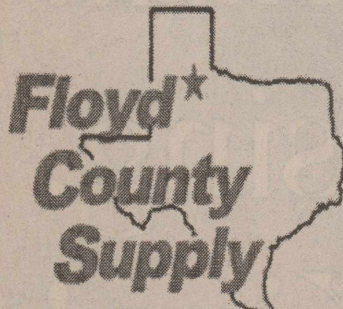
*With best wishes and thanks
from all of us this Christmas.*

**Floyd County
Abstract**

*Judy Thayer-Manager
Owners-Tom Reese,
Barbara Lovett and
Andrea Wolf*



*Merry Christmas
and many thanks
for doing business
with us.*



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Austin, Shelle,
Paul, Robert,
J.R., David,
Justin

Floyd County Central Appraisal District

Merry Christmas!

From our flock to yours, go our best wishes for a picture-perfect season filled with lots of love, laughter, joy, and serenity. Your business means a lot to us, and we thank you for your friendship and support this year.

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**Best Wishes
and many thanks!**

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and a
Happy New Year
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Celebration! +

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GREETINGS**



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Still Seek
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Dear Santa,
May I have an xBox 360 for Christmas? I would also like some games and a telescope. I want to know what kind of animals live at the North Pole.

Love,
Colby Guerrero

Dear Santa,
Do you know what I want for Christmas? An iPad, a Kurio touch, an Elf on the Shelf. Merry Christmas to you!

Love,
Anyaleigh Tambunga

Dear Santa,
I would like a iPad for Christmas. I would also like a dog, a teddy bear and a reindeer ride.

Love,
Jaylin Reyes

Dear Santa,
I would like an iPod for Christmas. I would like to feel Rudolph. He has a cute nose. Santa, I want an iPad and a Kindle HD. Santa is it cold up their?

Love,
Aniyah Solis

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie and spa and an electric scooter. And too Justin Beiber movies and Taylor Swift movies and two pairs of roller skates. and a girl Elf on the shelf and an action figure of Santa Claus and one electric scooter.

Love,
If that is to hard to bring get

Journee Cienfuegos

Dear Santa,
I want a boy elf on the shelf and a girl Elf on the shelf and a bike and skates and a doll house and pant.

Love,
Mia

Dear Santa,
I want a Rudolph Doll and an iPad and a bike and a pair of roller skates and a Elf on a shelf girl. I love you Santa. To Santa from Cynthia Naranjo. Merry Christmas Santa.

Love,
Cynthia Naranjo

Dear Santa,
I want for Christmas a motorcycle and a Wii and Donkey Kong and a Wii Donkey Kong and a phone with games and a bike for Christmas.

Love,
Eric Martinez

Dear Santa,
I want the game Cold Lego City and Mario World.

Love,
Cole Martinez

Dear Santa,
I would like a bren doll for Christmas. I want an Elf on the Shelf. Rudolph has a cute nose.

Love,
Darian Luna

Dear Santa,
I want Golden studio beats. If that is to hard to bring get

an Xbox one with Dead Rising 3.
THANK YOU,
Ky Rendon

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? Can you please bring me a basketball goal? If you don't that's ok. I promise I will leave milk and cookies. I'll be better. So please bring me more goods. Merry Christmas,
Austin Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I hope you can bring me two games for my xbox 360. I want Madden 25, iPad, Big truck, Dirt bike and an Atv. I will leave you a bunch of cookies and milk and lots of food for your reindeer. I hope you have Jolly Christmas.

Merry Christmas,
Zeke Ramos

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I would like the book Diary of a Wimpy Kid the Ugly Truth. Also a Wii u and a seat pet. I would like an I phone 4s and I would also like an Elf on the Shelf. I would also like 2 Wii U games. If you don't get me all this stuff it's okay. But please bring me the I phone 4s. Have a Holly Jolly Christmas.

Love,
GABRIELLA CER-

VANTES

Dear Santa,
How are you? I would like for you to give me these presents for Christmas an ipod, Beats, iphone 5s and some shoes. I would also leave you some cookies and milk.

Love,
JAY ASCENCIO

DEAR SANTA,
How are you? I was wondering how are you and Mrs. Claus are doing. For Christmas I would like a laptop, a talking monkey. I also will leave cookies and milk out for you.

Merry Christmas,
MALIEA HUERTA

DEAR SANTA,
How are you and how are the elves and the reindeer doing? I would like for you to give me Beats. I always wanted Beats. And I would like a Michael Jordan outfit. I would like Jordan shoes a Jordan flat bill hat, Jordan socks, Jordan shirt and Jordan pants, and a talking elf. And a new game like madden 25 or nc double a 14. And a 2ds. Merry christmas love,
Ernest Alvarez.

DEAR SANTA,
How are you and Mrs. Clause? I hope your reindeer and elves are doing good, too.

I think I have been good this year but it's up to you and my mom and dad. What I would like for Christmas is some beats and an x box 360 and a lot of other stuff, but that's what I want the most. If I said all the stuff I wanted the list would go on and on, and your elves would have to be working a lot but I don't want them to go through that much trouble just for me. I hope you have a good Christmas.

Love,
Emma Dunn

DEAR SANTA,
How is everyone in the North Pole? I want is. I want is to go live with my dad. You see I lived with my mom 9 years. I just want to spend time with him. HE is part of my family. Now do you see? Thank you.

Love,
Jerimiah Chavira

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Clause? I have been very good this year. I would want a xbox1 with 2 games I would want the games to be madden25 and infinity. If you don't give me that it's okay I would also want an Ipod5. If you don't give that it's okay. You could give me whatever you want I will be fine with that. Hope you have a Merry Christmas!

Love,
Joshua Jimenez

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I want an I pod, school supplies, laptop, board games, shoes, headphone, headbands and a clubhouse that is all I want for Christmas.

Love,
J'Ann Pena

Dear Santa,
When you come I would like a thing called batterborg and some blocks because I like to build and batterborg

because I like to work out. A cotton candy maker and a new bike please. If I am on the naughty list I will give you milk and cookies to forgive me. How are Dixon and the other reindeer and the elves? I think they are pretty good, that's all I would want. Have a Holly, Jolly, Merry Christmas!

Love,
Nick Perez

Dear Santa,
What I would like for Christmas is a iPod with games, texting, and calling. Another thing I would like for Christmas is a bike with elbow pads and a Batchro Borge and one of those I Pads that turn into a computer and a 3DS with Mario cart brothers. And a box of batteries for my play station 2's remote controllers. Have a Holly Jolly Christmas.

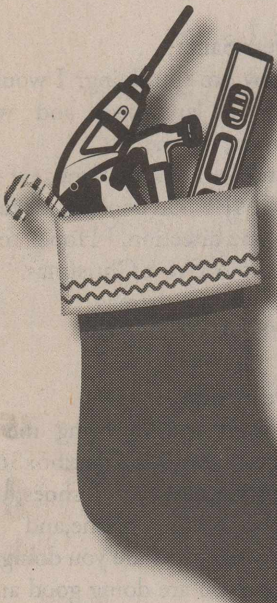
Love,
Aidan Bustillos

Dear Santa,
How are you? I was wondering how you and Mrs. Claus are doing. This year I don't want a lot of stuff all I want is a tablet, and some minotocas. I would also like a fur real pet monkey and a dsi xl. P.S I will leave you milk and cookies. Thank you!

Merry Christmas!
Love,
Mireya Ascencio

Dear Santa
How are you ? If you are not busy can you bring a microwave to my mom the microwave is kind of broken, my mom will really appreciate it if you can. I don't really want anything except 3ds games and a control car. If you can would you please bring my brother a I phone 5 please? Can you bring my other brother some boots please I know it is too much but can you please bring my sister toys and my dad a tool box.

Deck the Halls



Deck the halls with joy for the most wonderful season of all. May the happiness last all the year through!

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Wishing you a Merry Christmas!



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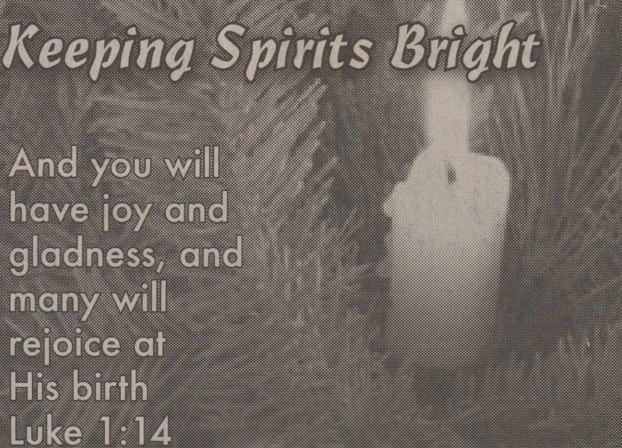
Bushels of Thanks!



We wish all our neighbors and friends a joyous holiday season. We're very grateful for your valued business.

Darty Gin Dougherty

Keeping Spirits Bright



And you will have joy and gladness, and many will rejoice at His birth
Luke 1:14

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983-2100



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We wish you and your family a

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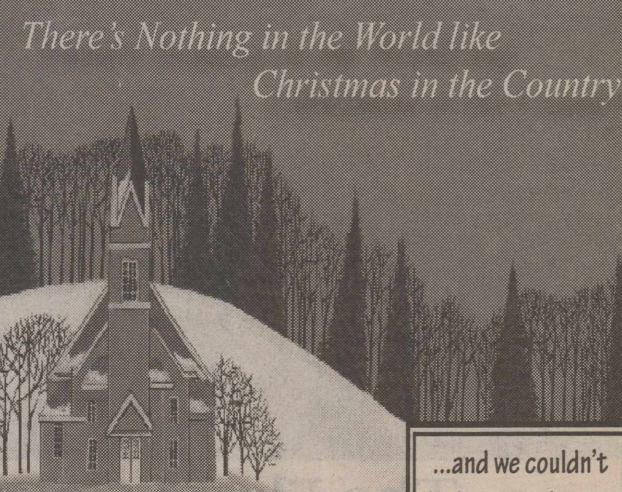
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As you take steps to enjoy this merry season of good cheer and goodwill, we'd like to express our best holiday wishes to all.

Thanks so very much for your patronage.

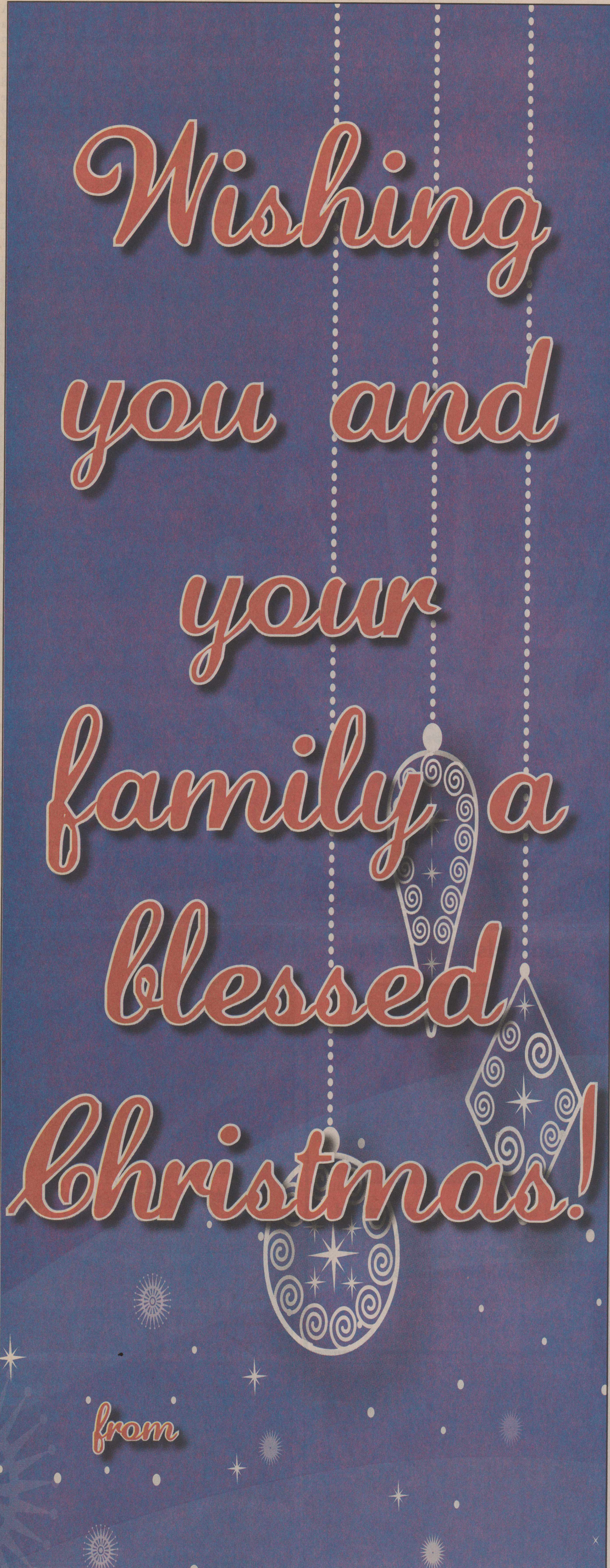
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Love,
Nathan

Dear Santa
How are you?
Santa can you please bring me legos and a remote control airplane or a helicopter. Can you please bring me a remote control car?
Merry Christmas
Damion

Dear Santa,
How are you doing. I think your good because you can sprinkle some magic on your self to feel better. For Christmas I want not that much. Just some of that cheer and joy for my family or some legos for my family to build. Or can you give my family a game that will give them joy. Or give me a game for PSP but something good please. I will be happy if you get any of this stuff.
LOVE
QUINTEN

Dear Santa,
I want a puppy for Christmas. I also want a MP3 player and a DS. I really want a sewing machine. I hope we make cookies and leave some for you. I believe in you and I hope you can give me all of this stuff. But if you can't it is ok. I also want a tablet because you get to play games on it. We already set up the Christmas tree and all the other stuff. The Christmas tree looks beautiful it has a lot of stuff on it. I hope I have a good Christmas and I hope you do to. - ps you have tiny elves.
Merry Christmas,
Eulyssia

Dear Santa, Morris
For Christmas I want a drum set, iPod, more games for my wii, a phone, a tablet, books, a TV, a cat, a duck, computer. That's all. Thank you
Hope you and Mrs. Claus have a great Christmas
From
Morris Salas

Dear Santa
You are the nicest person ever. I want to know what your elves were. I want a car I can fit in. I want a baby doll that uses the bath room and to bags of diapers. School supplies. I want a green dress, black high heels. I would like a cell phone, head phones, headbands, pink, blue, and purple and a digital clock, ten different color bows, a kid oven to bake stuff. I want cookie and cupcake mix.
Love
Deserae

Dear Santa



God's gift is still the greatest ever given...

We wish you all a very Merry Christmas as we thank you for your friendship and patronage

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How is that good raindeer roodolf? I just want to tell that my family has BEEN VERY GOOD THIS MONTH. So I would like some new games for my psp and my xbox 360 and some wrestlers for Christmas too. Please get my sisters make up or hair products. Give my dad a wallet or a Ram's jersey. Give my mom dresses that have been bedazzled.
Thank you!
Love,
Justin Gonzales

Dear Santa,
I want a Ninja Turtles battle-ship fatt toy. I want a shark toy.
Caleb Pritchard

I want a tablet
I want new shoes
I want hair bows
I want an iphone
From Taylor St. Dennis

Dear Santa
I want a Wiiu with a keritouch and beats audio that turns into a tablet.
Eli Alvarez

Dear Santa
How are you doing? Well I want a lot for Christmas but I think you could only get me a little bit of stuff for the other boys and girls so this is what I want for Christmas. The first thing I want is an iphone and the second thing I want is a bike, shoes and an ice cream maker, jewelry, perfume, a very soft blanket, cookie machine, very interesting books, that is all I don't want to ask for too much because other boys and girls need presents too.
Merry Christmas
Miranda

Dear Santa
How are you doing? I would like a laptop, wii and wii games, iphone 5 kindal, a book of Diray Of A WIMPY kid book, ds, tickets to one direction, I Hope You Have A Great Christmas.
Merry Christmas,
Brianna Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
I want you to bring me a laptop, dsi, 3ds, 2ds, xbox 360 connect, new shoes, fun toys, tablet, I phone, and a reindeer. How are you doing? I hope you are doing good and I hope your elves don't mess up on any of the toys.
Love
Jesus Gonzales

Dear Santa,
How are you? What I really want for Christmas is a laptop. So please get me one Santa can you also get me a phone, ipod, shakira head phones, and earrings I promise I will be good next year to that is all thank you.
love
Samantha Longoria

Dear Santa,
How are you at the North Pole how're the elves? What I



Warm Wishes at Christmastime

As another year comes to a finale, we'd like to offer a chorus of thanks to all of those who made this year a noteworthy one for us.

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want for Christmas I
I want a Xbox one, call of
duty ghost, a two year mem-
ber ship, Black ops two and
one
for my Xbox 360 also. and
another controller for my
sister and sky landers for my
Xbox 360
also. And thank you Santa
and I hopE you are fine too.
And a two year member ship
is for my
Xbox 360 it lets you play on-
line with my friends.
[Thank you]
[Derek LUNA]

Dear Santa Claus,
How are you doing? How is
everyone in the northpole?
I want to know how Mrs.
Santa doing .I bet it is cold
in the northpole.I would like
a ipod or a xbox one and a
game.I would like a kindle
or a phone it is a good game
.I been good and I would
like a cover for my ipod .The
elves are working very hard
to wrap those presents .I will
leave cookies and milk on the
table for you to eat
love
Taylor Egnew



MERRY CHRISTMAS

A Christmas Poem

T'was the night before Christ-
mas,
He lived all alone,
In a one bedroom house
made of plaster and stone.
I had come down the Chimney
With presents to give,
And to see who in this home did
live.
I looked about,
A strange sight I did see,
No tinsel, no presents
Not even a tree.
No stocking by mantle,
Just boots filled with sand,
On the wall hung pictures
Of far distant lands.
With medals and badges
Awards of all kinds
A sober thought
Came through my mind.
For this house was different.
It was dark and dreary
I found a home of a soldier,
Once I could see clearly
The Soldier lay sleeping,
Silent, alone curled up on the
floor
In this one bedroom home.
The face was so gentle,
The room in such disorder
A United State Soldier.
Was this the hero of whom

I'd just read?
Curled up on a poncho,
The floor for a bed.
I realized the families that I saw
This night, Owed their lives
To these soldiers who were will-
ing to fight.
Soon round the world,
The children would play,
And grownups would celebrate
A bright Christmas Day.
They all enjoyed freedom
Each month of the year,
Because of the soldiers
Like the one living here.
I couldn't help but wonder
How many lay alone,
On a cold Christmas eve.
In a land far from home.
They very thought
Brought a tear to my eye,
I dropped to my knees
And started to cry.
The Soldier awakened
And I heard a rough voice
"Santa don't cry this
life is my choice
I fight for freedom
I don't ask for more
My life is my God My country
My Corps."
The Soldier rolled over
and drifted to sleep,

I continued to weep.
I wept for hours,
So silent and still.
We both shivered from
the cold nights chill.
I didn't want to leave
On that cold, dark night,
This guardian of honor
So willing to fight.
Then the Soldier rolled over
With a voice soft and pure,
Whispered "Carry on Santa,
It's Christmas Day,
All is secure."
One look at my watch
And I knew he was right,
"Merry Christmas my friend
And to all a GOOD NIGHT."

*This is passed on by a young Ma-
rine. As Christmas will be coming
soon and some credit is due to our
US. Service men and women for
being able to Celebrate these fes-
tivities. Let's try in this small way
to pay a tiny bit of what we owe.
Make people stop and thin k of our
heros living and dead who sacrificed
themselves for us.
Please do your part to plant this
small seed.*



Merry Christmas

Wishing you and yours
a gifted season filled
with good times, good
friends and good
fortune. We
know we feel fortunate
to have neighbors like
you.

McCoy Gin

*Peace
Warmth
Goodwill
Cheer*

*Spread it around
this Holiday
Season!*

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Friendship
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May the Christmas season shower you and
your loved ones with many blessings!

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Happy Holidays!

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At Christmas

*We're overflowing
with best wishes,
And gratitude, too...*

*From everyone here,
To each one of you!*

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everywhere go our very best
wishes for the happiest holiday
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bring you the joy of family
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