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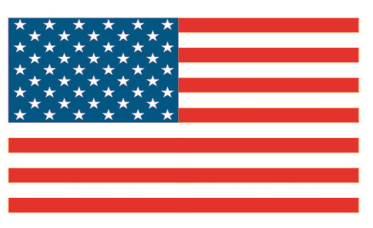
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Action against Yanez tabled at BSHA board meeting

By **ROGER CLINE**
 Herald Staff Writer

The Big Spring Housing Authority's board of directors held a meeting Tuesday during which directors of the organization sought to fire BSHA employee Diane Yanez.

Board Chairperson Linda Blankenburg, who was elected at the start of the meeting, replacing former chairperson Melinda Stapp, read the complaint against Yanez:

"I'm writing to inform you of the recent actions taken by one of the employees, Ms. Diane Yanez. As you are all aware, Ms. Yanez also serves on the Big Spring City Council representing the residents of District 2. By virtue of her office, Ms. Yanez has access to certain information and documents of the city of Big Spring that are not available to the general public. She also has legal duty not to disclose any of those documents unless they have been subject to public release, as well as a legal duty not to use any of those documents or information for her personal benefit or to use the color of her office to restrict or deny anyone's rights or privileges. Most recently, Ms. Yanez, acting in her official capacity as council member, requested copies of mold and asbestos reports from inspections performed on the building that the Big Spring Housing Authority is currently operating at, 1311 W. Fourth Street. She received these documents on May 3, 2022, directly from the City Attorney. Ms. Yanez shared these documents with contracted director Ms. Sharon Fritz. Ms. Fritz is currently using to influence the board of commissioners into moving the BSHA to a new location. Ms. Fritz verified that she had read the reports herself in an email to commission chair Melinda Stapp on May 6, 2022. Ms. Fritz has also indicated to the chair that the commissioners can't see the reports, and has filed a Texas Public Information Act request with the city to obtain the reports. At

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Weather

Wednesday Night: Clear, with a low around 71. West wind 5 to 15 mph becoming southeast in the evening.

Thursday: Sunny and hot, with a high near 105. South wind 10 to 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

Thursday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 72.

Friday: Sunny and hot, with a high near 100.

Source: NWS, via weather.gov

Today in History
 On May 18

- 1804: Napoleon Bonaparte proclaimed Emperor of France by the French Senate.
- 1942: New York City ends night baseball games for the rest of World War II
- 1974: India becomes the sixth nation to explode an atomic bomb.

Daily Quotes

- "Be happy for this moment. This moment is your life."
 — Omar Khayyam
- "War does not determine who is right — only who is left."
 — Bertrand Russell
- "Whenever a situation develops to its extreme, it is bound to turn around and become its opposite."
 — Frank Capra
- "That I can't relate to today's music or morals doesn't make either necessarily bad. Just different. I leave the judgements to others."
 — Perry Como
- "Fans don't boo nobodies."
 — Reggie Jackson

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Special to the Herald

The main weather concerns this week will be the continued heat and critical fire weather conditions for much of the work week. Please see the attached briefing for more details.

Hot afternoon temperatures expected each day through Thursday. With dry fuel still readily available across the region, critical fire weather conditions can be expected during this time. A few thunderstorms may develop this afternoon, mainly across northern portions of SE New Mexico and maybe down near Presidio.

The main concern with this activity will be the effects that dry lightning may have on new fire starts and gusty/erratic winds may have on any fire-fighting efforts. Beyond today, the forecast looks dry. There is some good news though... Temperatures will finally start to cool off by Friday with highs in the 80s expected for the weekend!

During Extreme Heat

- Find air conditioning.
- Avoid strenuous activities.
- Wear light clothing.
- Check on family members and neighbors.
- Drink plenty of water.
- Watch for heat cramps - exhaustion - stroke.
- Never leave people or pets in a closed car.

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BSISD's Summer Food Service to start June 1

Special to the Herald

This summer, the Big Spring ISD will connect children 18 and younger and enrolled students with disabilities up to 21 years old with healthy, no cost summer meals.

The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) is a U.S. Department of Agriculture nutrition program administered in the Lone Star State by the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA). For the children who rely on school meals during the academic year, these meals offer a source of good nutrition when school is out for the long summer vacation.

"Howard County children need good nutrition year-round so they can learn, grow and succeed in life," said BSISD's Food Service Director Judi Rodriguez. "With nearly 2 million food insecure children living in Texas, these healthy meals are vital to nourishing young Texans during the summer vacation."

Meals will be served starting June 1 at Goliad Elementary and Big Spring High School, and June 6 at Big Spring Junior High School. The Summer Food Service Program ends for this year on June 30. Children up to age 18 – whether enrolled

in Big Spring schools or not – can get breakfast at these locations from 7:45 to 8:45 a.m., and can receive lunch from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

"Any child," said Food Service Director Judi Rodriguez. "They can be enrolled in other school districts, or they can be in town visiting. Anyone from one to 18."

The Big Spring ISD is one of the is one of the nonprofit organizations partnering with TDA to serve meals across Texas. Families are encouraged to use these three tools to find a meal site anywhere in the state: Call 2-1-1 to speak to a live operator or visit www.SummerFood.org for an interactive site locator map. You can also text "FOODTX" or "COMIDA" to 877-877.

Organizations partner with TDA to serve meals in areas where more than 50 percent of children are eligible for free or reduced-price meals in the National School Lunch Program. Eligible sponsoring organizations include schools, faith-based groups, nonprofit summer camps, government agencies and other tax-exempt organizations. All meal sites must be sponsored by an organization that has a contract with TDA.

Summer meal sites help children succeed by providing the nourishment they need to return to school in the fall ready to thrive.

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Obituaries

Bessie Luciel Taylor



Bessie Luciel Taylor, 99, of Odessa passed away on Sunday, May 15, 2022, just four days shy of her 100th birthday.

Family visitation will begin at 6 p.m. on Friday, May 20, 2022, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home Crematory in Midland. A graveside service will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 21, 2022, at Trinity Memorial Park Cemetery in Big Spring.

Bessie was born on May 19, 1922, in Seminole, Okla., to Rebbecca Clementine and Paris Lee West. She was one of 12 children and the smallest of a set of twins. She weighed only 2.5 lbs. She grew up and attended school in Seminole. She met her husband Elmo at an outdoor revival and went on to have two daughters, Rebbecca and Tena.

With only an eighth-grade education, Bessie made a career in the food service industry. She worked as a waitress and spent 39 years serving customers at Herman's Restaurant in Big Spring.

She retired at the age of 78.

After retiring, she spent many hours crocheting beautiful baby blankets filled with love. She donated some to the Ector County Library Children's Department for their newborn patrons and she gifted many more to newborns that came into her circle. After all, "every baby needs their own little blanket".

Bessie was well-loved by her family, friends, and neighbors. Her sweet nature extended to everyone from her cafe patrons to the gentleman who cut her yard and the doctors that treated her illnesses. To her, they were all just people. She will be sorely missed.

Bessie is survived by her daughter, Rebbecca; granddaughter, Christena (Montana); and great-granddaughters, Addison and Londyn.

She was preceded in death by her parents; siblings; daughter, Tena; and grandson, Timothy.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory in Midland. Online condolences may be made at www.npwelch.com.

Paid obituary

Laura Grant

Laura Grant, 95, formerly of Big Spring passed away on Monday, May 16, 2022.

Graveside services will be held at 3:30 p.m., Thursday, May 19, 2022, at Trinity Memorial Park in Big Spring.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences may be made at www.npwelch.com

Olnee Louise Menges

Olnee Louise Menges, 89, formerly of Big Spring, died Sunday, May 15, 2022. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, May 20, 2022, at Trinity Memorial Park in Big Spring.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences may be made at www.npwelch.com

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 1000 block of N Main. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 400 block of W 6th St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 1800 block of N Hwy 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 700 block of I-20. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 4200 block of Birch St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 1400 block of Grafa. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 700 block of E 15th St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 900 block of NW 2nd St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- PUBLIC SERVICE was reported in the 4200 block of Hamilton. No transport was required.

Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity:

Note – Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 89 inmates at the time of this report.

- MICHAEL S ANTHONY CARRILO, 29, was arrested by BSPD on charge of public intoxication.

- LILA S CASTILLO, 38, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of no drivers license.

- DANIELLE COSTA, 29, was arrested by HCSO on charge of assault causes bodily injury family member, resist arrest sear or transport.

- NATHAN BRYAN ENOCHS, 21, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of theft of property more than \$100 less than \$750.

- AZURE LEANN FARMER, 30, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of MAN DEL of controlled substance more than 4g less than 200 grams x2.

- SAVANNAH FLOWERS NELSON, 26, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of possession of controlled substance.

- AMANDA GARCIA, 39, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of bail jumping and fail to appear, driving while intoxicated, no driver's license, fail to maintain financial responsibility, possession of drug paraphernalia.

- ASHLEY DANNEE-NICOLE GONZALES, 19, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana less than 2oz.

- NATALIE NICOLE GOOD, 40, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft of property more than \$100 less than \$750.

- ALEXIS NICOLE GRUIS, 22, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana less than 2oz.

- SHANNON ROSE HALL, 34, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication, possession of drug paraphernalia.

- CALEB LEE HALLFORD, 28, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of resist arrest search or transport, unauthorized use of vehicle, burglary of vehicles.

- DWAYNE KEVIN HEFNER, 44, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of theft of property more than \$2,500 less than \$30k.

- MASON NABAR HERNANDEZ, 33, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

- AARON JOHN BRICE JOSEY, 24, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of unlawful possession of fire-

arm by felon.

- LANCE WAYNE BIDDLE LAND, 32, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of parole violation, criminal trespass.

- JAMIE LARA, 26, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of resist arrest search or transport.

- DANA ROCHELLE LOCKHART, 38, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

- CARLOS BURROLAS MARQUEZ, 61, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated x2, criminal mischief more than \$100 less than \$750.

- JOE LUIS MIRAMONTES, 50, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of unlawful restraint, resist arrest search or transport.

- CAMILO MARTIN NIETO, 48, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of disregard red light-traffic signal, ride not secured by safety belt, violate promise to appear.

- SAMMY OLGIN, 57, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of violate probation/possession of dangerous drug.

- GAVINO ORTIZ, 55, was arrested by HCSO On a charge of parole violation.

- GAVINO JOSE ORTIZ, 55, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of evading arrest detention, driving while license invalid x2, fail to maintain financial responsibility, expired registration.

- LESTER DALE PITTMAN, 51, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of fail to maintain financial responsibility.

- ROBERT SAIZ, 55, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of order to modified conditions.

- ARICO ANTHONY SPINELLI, 40, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of theft of property more than \$2,500 less than \$30k.

- KING WAZURI TERRELL, 30, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of burglary of habitation, possession of dangerous drug.

- JOSHUA B VALENZUELA, 35, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

- LATASHA QUIVITTIE WOODSON, 42, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication, urinating in a public place, aggravated assault with deadly weapon, criminal trespass.

- ABRAN HINOJOS ZUNIGA, 56, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of burglary of building, possession of controlled substance less than 1g.

Support Groups

WEDNESDAY

- Celebrate Recovery meets at First United Methodist Church Youth Hall, 400 Scurry, from 6-8 p.m. Hurts, habits and hang-ups. Leave message for Joyce Webb at 325-212-8600.

THURSDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open discussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Newcomers' meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

- Weight Watchers meets at 6 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Weigh-in is at 5:30 p.m. Weigh-in is confidential and you don't have to talk if you don't want to. Flexible payment options.

- Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group meeting is at 6:30 p.m. at the VA Medical Center Veteran's Healing Center.

- Bring Everyone Into The Zone, or BEITZ Support Group, is a veteran-based peer group. The purpose of the group is to provide peer-to-peer support to service members, veterans and families, especially those suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), traumatic brain injury (TBI), military sexual trauma (MST) and other traumatic events in their lives. BEITZ meets every Thursday at 6 p.m. at 501 Birdwell Lane. For more information, email francisco.garza@wtcmhmr.org, or call 432-268-3003.

- GriefShare is a biblical support group that focuses on helping people who are dealing with a loved one's death. Each DVD session features nationally respected grief experts and real-life stories, followed by small group discussion about the topics presented (with workbook support); there is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held three times per year on Thursday evenings, 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Visit the GriefShare Ministry of TBC Facebook page. You can also call Vivian Gordon at 432-466-3583 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

Submit your Support Group information to be included or updated. Email information to editor@BigSpringHerald.com or call 432-263-7331.

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Take Note

- American Legion Post 506 will host a Fish Fry on Saturday, May 21, at 3203 W. Highway 80. Delivery is available from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and serving on site will be from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Plates are \$10 each. Everyone is welcome.

- The Borden County All-School Reunion will be held Saturday, June 11, in Gail, Texas. All former students, faculty, and friends are invited to attend. No fee is charged for attending and visiting. A meal will be served at the Event Center but pre-paid reservations are required. Deadline to order a meal is May 25. An adult meal ticket is \$18 and \$10 for children 8 years and older. Contact Lisa Dennis Mahler at bordenexes@gmail.com for additional information and a reservation form.

- The Big Spring Art Association meets the third Saturday of the month, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, in the basement of the Howard County Library. Come join us, we would love to have you. Call 432-263-4155; Michelle Worthan at 325-227-3911; Kay Smith at 432-213-1153; or Ruby Bruns at 432-664-1943

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BSHA

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issue here is a conflict of interest Diane Yanez has between her position of council member and her employment with Big Spring Housing Authority. It would appear that Ms. Yanez is violating her oath of office as a member of the Big Spring City Council to unduly influence the operations of the Big Spring Housing Authority and is actively working to circumvent the statutory rights and privileges accorded to the commission to operate and oversee the Big Spring Housing Authority.”

BSHA Director Sharon Fritz argued that she should have been the first step in the complaint process against Yanez.

“I’m a little confused. Personnel policy says that if there’s an action to be taken against an employee, it has to first be brought to the ED (executive director) and our board chairperson. None of that’s been

done,” Fritz said. “Never heard of a complaint, know nothing about a complaint, until this. So how can y’all do this without bringing it to us first? I was hired to do the executive director’s job. There’s been no complaint brought to me concerning Ms. Yanez. She hasn’t even been addressed with anything. So how can this come before a board when it hasn’t even come through the proper steps of our personnel policy? She has a right to address the board and see what’s going on. I had no knowledge of this until today.”

The board adjourned into closed session, and when they emerged, voted to table the issue.

“Okay, the disciplinary action... We’re going to table the disciplinary action because she received no prior... She has no prior knowledge of it,” Blankenburg said.

Following the vote to table, the meeting was adjourned.

“This is the first knowledge that I had that it was

even about me,” Yanez said following the meeting. “I was never addressed, never called, never gone to my executive director or anything else. We had no knowledge. We didn’t even have knowledge that the meeting was going to be today. They did not even notify us. The only reason we found out is, we are working from a separate building right now because we can’t work at the one we were at because there’s no air conditioning or anything else. It’s so hot in there. So we went to that building to get files and transfer them to the building we’re working at, and we happened to see it posted there. We had no knowledge.”

Also during the meeting, in addition to Blankenburg’s election as board chairperson, Patty Neighbors was elected vice chairperson. Both Blankenburg and Neighbors were added to the authorized users on the BSHA’s checking account at State National Bank, while Stapp was removed from the list.

Take Note (cont.)

• Everyone welcome! Western swing by Michael Leonard. New Life mature adult dance at the Dora Roberts Community Center, 100 Whipkey Drive, every month on the third Friday from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Entry fee is \$5. Bring snacks to share. Refreshments are provided. The next dance is May 20, sponsored by Park place retirement center. For more information call 432 517-9097.

• Ready for Home School or individualized education in school? Maranatha Baptist Academy, located at 903 Johnson Street, in Big Spring, Texas, is currently open and taking applications for enrollment for the 2022-23 School year. We are a faith-based Christian Academy and use the individualized Accelerated Christian Education Curriculum for Kindergarten through 12th grade, published in Hendersonville, Tennessee. July 20 is our startup date, and applications will be accepted year-round. Someone will take your call for information at 432-213-1046. Please leave a message and we will get back with you.

• The Big Spring Art Association is looking for community businesses to display pieces of their artwork. In an effort to build awareness for the importance of the arts and highlight local talent, the Big Spring Art Association displays different art pieces across the community. If you would like a piece of art work displayed in your business lobby contact any member of the Big Spring Art Association.

• Drive-through COVID-19 Vaccine Clinics are held from 3-6 p.m. each Thursday afternoon at Whatley Plaza, located on the northwest part of the Scenic Mountain Medical Center campus, 1601 W. Martin Luther King Boulevard, also known as 1601 W. 11th Place. The vaccination is free. For more information, visit www.scenicmountainmedical.org/vaccine.

• The Great Courses history video lecture series is taking place each Wednesday in the Theater Room in the First Presbyterian Church, located at 701 Runnels Street. No charge for the lectures.

• Howard County Community Health Center is offering the Moderna – a two dose and Janseen – a single dose, Covid-19 vaccine to those over the age of 18. Businesses, churches, groups or organizations of 10 members or more who would like the vaccine can schedule a time to have a mobile vaccine clinic. The staff will to the business, church, or organization to administer the vaccine. For ore information, call 806-894-7842 ext 178 or 124 or e-mail Covid19@sprhs.org

• Scenic Mountain Medical Center Auxiliary is looking for new members. If you have a heart for serving people, have at least four hours a week to spare, SMMC Auxiliary might be the fit for you.

Duties include working in the gift shop, delivering newspapers to inpatients, hospitality services, popcorn and more. To find out more about opportunities available with the SMMC Auxiliary, contact Amy Miramontes at 268-4809 or April Arms at 268-4907.

• St. Vincent de Paul food distribution will take place the second Thursday of each month from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and other assistance will take place the third Thursday of each month from 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. Both distributions will take place at 1009 Hearn at SVDP Building.

• Interim HealthCare is looking for volunteers. Those who would like to find out more about becoming a volunteer can call 432-263-5999.

• VFW Post 2013 meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. New members are being sought. The Post is located at 500 Driver Rd. Qualified veterans, those who have served in a foreign war, who are interested in joining the VFW are encouraged to attend a meeting to find out more information.

• DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features nationally respected experts, such as Christian Counselors and Pastors. Small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations. We cover pertinent issues like: • Will I survive? • How to get out of debt. • How do you know when you are ready for a new relationship? • How to lessen the impact of divorce on your children. • Is reconciliation possible? There is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held two times per year on Tuesday eve-

nings from 6 to 8 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Visit the DivorceCare Ministry of TBC Facebook page for information. You can also call Donna Burcham at 267-6344 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

• O’Neal-Kunkle, Chapter #47 of the Disabled American Vets (D.A.V.), meets the third Monday of every month at 6:30 p.m. at 2204 Runnels Street. For more information, please contact Mike Tarpley at 432-556-2227.

• Home Hospice is looking for volunteers (18+) and junior volunteers (9-16 years old). Applications can be picked up at the Home Hospice office, located at 111 E. Seventh Street, Suite A between 8 a.m and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Adult volunteers will need to complete a training and must be able to pass a background check. Volunteer duties will include home visits; junior volunteers will be helping with office work, community events and holiday activities. More information can be obtained by calling 264-7599 or 432-967-0901.

• Keep Big Spring Beautiful meets at noon the first Monday of every month at Howard College in the Cactus Room. Our vision is that every Big Spring citizen will take individual responsibility for making Big Spring the most beautiful city in Texas. Visitors are always welcome. For more information call Tammy at 432-935-0057.

• Big Spring and surrounding counties are in need of foster families. Foster parents are the caretakers for the children in the community who have been abused or neglected. For more information on becoming foster parents or adoptive families, call the Children’s Protective Services office at 432-263-9669.

• Victim Services is a non-profit independent community-based program serving victims of all violent crime, including, but not limited to, assault, sexual assault and domestic violence.

Victim Services advocates are available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, to provide crisis intervention or accompaniment to the hospital and law enforcement agencies, as needed. If you can commit to 30-hour training, an interview process and a background check, we need you. For more information, call Lynn Creswell or Chavonna Parker at 432-263-3312.

• The mission of CASA of West Texas is to promote and support quality volunteers who speak for the best interest of abused and neglected children in court in an effort to find each child a safe, nurturing and permanent home. We need your help. If you’re interested in volunteering, contact Sara Basaldua at 1-877-316-8346 or visit www.BecomeaCASA.org or www.casawtx.org.

• The Howard County Democrats meet every Monday at 5:30 p.m.at the Cactus Room at Howard College in the Student Union Building. For more information, e-mail howardcountytxdems@gmail.com.

• The Emergency Services Chaplains Corps is seeking volunteer chaplains. The corps provides spiritual services to Howard County residents and visitors in crisis situations.

Prospective chaplains don’t require any specific experience or education to qualify for the position, just a calling from God and a willingness to devote time to the program, which requires a 24- to 30-week training program and dedication of one day per week for emergency call-outs. Those interested should contact Senior Chaplain Jacqueline Roland at 432-213-1221.

• Howard County Republicans meet the second Monday of each month. Club members meet in the Cactus Room at Howard College at 11:30 a.m., with Dutch treat lunch and meeting at noon.

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Coahoma softball advances to UIL regional semifinals Forsan and Coahoma baseball teams end season in area matchups



Courtesy photos

Left, Coahoma's Hannah Wells (20) runs the bases after a hit, putting the Lady 'Dogs up 9-6 in the bottom of the fifth inning. Above, the Coahoma Bulldogs huddle following their Game 2 12-2 loss to Brock Friday.

By **PATRICK GONZALES**

Herald Sports Writer

COAHOMA SOFTBALL

The Coahoma Bulldogette Softball team are the regional quarterfinal champs after beating the Merkel Lady Badgers over the weekend in the best of a 3-game series. The Bulldogettes won game 1 on Friday in Big Spring, beating the Lady Badgers 5-3. Game 2 took place in Abilene at Abilene Christian University, where the Bulldogettes started the game behind early on. Down 6-1 heading into the fourth inning, the Bulldogettes would rally back taking a 7-6 lead and would go on to win the with

help leading the Bulldogettes were Madison Rodgers 2 HR (1 in game 1 and 1 in game 2), Naveah Kerby's in the park grand slam tying up the game in the fourth, Karleigh Blum in the sacrifice RBI to help the Bulldogettes take the lead in game 2, and Hannah Wells who's pitching contributed tremendously to Bulldogettes success.

The Coahoma Bulldogettes advance to the UIL semifinals round where they will face the Bushland Lady Falcons in a best of a 3-game series. Game 1 will be on Friday at 6:30 and Game 2 will be on Saturday at 1:00 PM. If game 3 is needed it will be 30 minutes after the end of game 2. All games will be played at Lubbock Cooper.

a final score 9-6. Notable players throughout the series

COAHOMA BASEBALL

The Coahoma Bulldogs baseball team ended an amazing season on Friday, losing to the Brock Eagles in a best of 3 game series. This was the Bulldogs first area playoff appearance since 2013. The Bulldogs lost the first game 3-0 and drop the second game to Brock 12-2. The Bulldogs finished the season 12-5 and second place in District 5-3A with a 6-1 record.

FORSAN BASEBALL

Originally scheduled for Friday the Forsan vs Coleman baseball game was canceled due to weather. The game was rescheduled for Saturday where Forsan would play Coleman in a double header on Saturday at Hardin-Simmons University. The Buffaloes would lose both game 1 to the Bluecats 8-5 and game 2 13-7. The Forsan Buffaloes ended an amazing season finishing the season with a 14-10 record and were the District 8-2A champions.

Sands Lady Mustangs and Vance Ott shine at UIL State Track Meet

By **STEVE BELVIN**

Contributing Sports Writer

The Sands Lady Mustangs made it two-in-a-row when they claimed a state track championship in the girls Class 1A state track meet in Austin.

Coach Ben Connell's crew scored 44 points to outdistance Cross Plains by four points.

Like last year, the Mustangs won it with relays. Same thing this year. The foursome of Elysa Martinez, Lilli Porras, Hayley Morrow won gold in the 800 and 1600 meter relays. Morrow scored four more points in the 100 hurdles and it was good enough to earn its second straight state title.

"It was just like last year, we didn't win a single track meet all year. We just won the big one," said Coach Connell.

What made this championship so amazing was that the Lady Steers qualified for the 800 relay as a wild card. They finished third at the regional meet behind Turkey Valley and Hart.

At state, Turkey Valley and Hart finished 2-3 behind Sands.

"We weren't talking about winning the state track meet, our goal was just to win the relays. When



we won the 800, we just wanted to win the 1600. True story. After we had won the 1600 the last event of the meet. It wasn't until 20 minutes later the girls knew they had won the meet," Connell said.

Coach Connell will lose three of those team members to graduation. His daughter Hayley, a freshman, is the lone returner.

"This was a proud moment for me, both as a coach and a father,"



Courtesy photos

Coahoma's Vance Ott won gold in the 100 meter and 400 meter wheelchair sprints at the UIL State Track Meet Friday.

he said. "We're losing some very talented girls, we got some good girls coming up. We'll have lots of reloading to do. Hopefully it will be alright."

The other area gold medalists was the Klondike 1600 relay team of Caden Barron, Alexis Serrano, Stephen Armendariz and David Boshman. Sydney Gonzales bought gold to Grady, winning the pole vault with a 10-10 effort.

Coahoma's Vance Ott repeated to win the 100 wheelchair (16.23) and 400 (58.24). Tough times for the Big Spring track. took to state a possible combined 50 points, came away with zero.

Area Results	
3A Boys	
100 wheelchair	1. Vance Ott, Coahoma 16.23.
400 wheelchair	1. Ott, Coahoma 58.24.
Shot Put wheelchair	5. Ott, Coahoma 19-3.
2A Boys	
110 Hurdles	5. Jordan Raschke, Colorado City, 15.32.
2A Girls	
Shot Put	6. Aleena Nelson, Forsan 37-8.
1A Girls	
Shot Put	3. Neihmaya Howard, Klondike 36-5.
Pole Vault	1. Sydney Gonzales, Grady 10-10.
100 Hurdles	4. Landry Morrow, Sands 16.05.
800 Relay	1. Sands 1:47.16.
1600 Relay	1. Sands 4:11.05.
1A Boys	
800	6. Wiley Gaskins, Sands 2:04.54.
400	2. Alexis Serrano, Klondike 50.41.
1600 Relay	1. Klondike 3:27.10 3. Garden City 3:29.60.

Coach Roy Green announces sports camp and recruiting event Special to the Herald

Coach Roy Green will present his Hidden Gems Basketball Sports Camp and College Recruiting event at Big Spring High School June 3 through 5.

With the primary focus on educating players, parents and coaches on how to be your best and do your best to become a champion for life, Coach Roy Green has devised a series of live and web-based seminar events that will take place continuously throughout the US and Inter-nationally. The subject matter will be ever-changing based on the needs of today's youth, changes in rules and regulations and the content desired by our participants.

The main focus of the three events is not driven to make a profit but to provide "At risk youth" the opportunity for those who can't afford to attend these types of events!

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different groups: (1). Those who can afford it (2) Players who are very good and get things for free and (3) Those who are good but not the "so called Elite Players" and can't afford to attend events like this!

Big Spring is the perfect place for an event like this. Within 30 minutes to an hour of Big Spring you can be in a different city in every direction.

The cost for the event is \$75 for the three-day camp. Our sports camp portion will be for any sport, baseball, track, softball or volleyball! Players will receive Scholarships if they are a hardship case- through donation & Coach Roy Green. We will focus on the following:

- Inspiration/Motivation
- Leadership: What is it? How do I get it?
- College Athletic Recruiting- NIL & the Transfer Portal
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Big Spring Little League wraps up season, announces All-Stars Special to the Herald

The Big Spring Little League has finished their season and have announced their All-Star teams for the 8-10 year old division and the 11-12 year old division. Congrats to all the kids that were selected for the All-Star team!



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Lady 'Dogs to face Bushland in regional semis

By **STEVE BELVIN**

Contributing Sports Writer

Alexander Orosco says it's something happening in Coahoma and it just keeps getting better. Oh, its been big since the '90s. But now it has grown to even greater heights — softball in Coahoma has reached the point like back in the day with the Odessa Permian football teams of the '70s and 80's.

Everyone knows about Coahoma softball. They know all little girls start playing at an early age and continues into high school dominance.

"You know it's all about kudos to the community and the parents," said Orosco, the head softball coach of the Coahoma Bulldogettes. "We're one of the few communities around here that have kids five and six years old playing Little League softball. That's one thing that makes us so good. Then we have the parents and volunteers who take the time to teach them out to play the right way. It makes us better in the long run. Coahoma's softball future is pretty bright."

Getting back to the matter at hand, this year's version of the Coahoma Bulldogettes are currently ranked No.7 in the state and field 28-4-1 record. They will play No. 15 ranked Bushland in the regional semifinals in a three-game series this weekend, probably in Lubbock.

Bushland and Coahoma are no strangers to each other. The two met in Lubbock during Spring Break in March. Coahoma came away with a 4-1 victory thanks to a two-hit, 12-strikeout performance by freshman Hannah Wells.

Offensively, Coahoma got 10 hits in the game with junior Christian Everett going 4-for-4 at the plate. Karleigh Burt, Madison Rodgers and Avery Rodri-

guez each got two hits in the win. Coahoma has put up some jaw-dropping statistics this season.

The team has seven players batting over .400. Freshman Rodriguez leads the way at .525. Freshman Wells leads the team with 17 homers and 43 runs batted in.

In the circles Wells and sophomore Makayla Calvio have been rocky steady on the mound. Calvio is 13-2 with and 1.79 earned run average. Wells is 11- with an 0.82 ERA.

Bushland is known for its hitting power. Affectionately known as "The Bushland Bomb Squad" the Falcons are currently chasing their own state high school record for home runs in a season. Last season the Falcons hit 91, This year it currently has 88.

"With a lineup like Bushland, it is hard to get those girls out. They're disciplined hitters," Orosco said.

In the win over Bushland, Coahoma played some "small ball" confusing Bushland with its bunting and base stealing game.

"They (Bushland) did make the plays when they had to. But the key to any sport is to put pressure on the defense. But I imagine Bushland will be well drilled on how to play the bunt game this time," Orosco said.

Regardless on how this series pans out, Coahoma is in great shape for years to come. The Bulldogettes are only losing four seniors from this year's squad. Perhaps best of all, because of its caring, tight knit community, help is on the way.

Forsan's Hernandez signs with Wayland Baptist



Courtesy photos

Forsan High School recognized Nathaniel Hernandez as he signed with Wayland Baptist University, on Monday morning. Hernandez is the son of Lee and Elise Hernandez. Family, friends, the student body and staff celebrated in a short ceremony held in the library. Hernandez will continue playing football while he pursues a business degree. According to Herandez, Wayland Baptist was the choice for his next step because of the quality football program they have to offer.

Story, Bogaerts homer to help Red Sox beat Astros 6-3

By **JIMMY GOLEN**

AP Sports Writer

BOSTON (AP) — With J.D. Martinez on second after his tiebreaking double and the crowd thinned by a 98-minute rain delay, there were still enough fans in Fenway Park on Monday for a healthy chant of "Re-sign Xander!"

"Yeah, I heard it," said Red Sox shortstop Xander Bogaerts, a three-time All-Star and two time World Series champion who is eligible to be a free agent after the season. "I just told myself, I said, 'Listen here, brother, don't strike out. Put it in play, see what happens. Just don't strike out.'"

Bogaerts did not strike out. He hit a two-run homer that was enough for the Red Sox to relax — even after Houston's leadoff hitter reached in the ninth — and hold on for a 6-3 victory over the Astros.

"A game that got a lot of rain — you don't even know how many people are going to stick around and see if the game's going to go ahead," Bogaerts said. "Yeah, I heard it. I mean if I struck out, it wouldn't help my cause."

Trevor Story homered to tie it in the seventh inning and the Red Sox scored three in the eighth to cool down a Houston team that earlier this month won 11 in a row. Martinez and Kiké Hernandez had two hits apiece for Boston in the teams' first matchup since the Astros won last year's AL Championship Series.

Chas McCormick hit a home run and a double for Houston, which saw starter Jake Odorizzi leave on a stretcher in the fifth inning with a leg injury. Odorizzi was on crutches and wearing a boot afterwards, and Astros manager Dusty Baker said it may have looked worse than it was.

Matt Strahm (2-1), the fifth Red Sox pitcher, got five outs, striking out three and allowing one hit for the win. Hansel Robles pitched the ninth for his second save and Boston won for the third time in four.

Hector Neris (1-2) gave up three runs on three hits and a walk while striking out one in the eighth. Houston has lost two of three since winning 11 in a row to go from .500 to the top of the AL West.

The Red Sox twice took one-run leads only to see the Astros tie it. Houston went ahead 3-2 on Jose Altuve's single through a drawn-in infield in the seventh, but Story tied it on his first home at Fenway Park since signing with the Red Sox this spring.

"That was probably one of our biggest swings of the season," Bogaerts said.

Jackson and Alday win Star Dodge Cornhole Tournament



Photos courtesy Amanda Duforat

Star Dodge was the site of the second annual Cornhole Tournament benefiting Big Spring's Disabled American Veterans organization.

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**

Contributing Writer

The bags were flying at Star Dodge on Saturday afternoon, for the 2nd Annual Cornhole Tournament benefiting the D.A.V. (Disabled American Veterans) Chapter 47 in Big Spring. At the end of the day, more than \$1,000 was raised to help local veterans.

"This is our second year for this cornhole tournament. We are thankful for all those who have come out and supported the event, which in turn supports our local veterans," Tabitha Clark, Star Dodge PR Representative and event coordinator, said. "Our local sponsors are also one of the main reasons we can donate these funds to the D.A.V. and without them events like this couldn't happen."

The prize money for First through Third Place was made possible through the sponsorship of Bulldog Steel, Metal Solutions, Star Dodge, Hangar 25 Air Museum, and West Texas Baggers. This year, all the proceeds from registration were donated to the D.A.V., in addition to the money raised from a silent auction and donations at the event.

"Our veterans sacrificed for our freedoms and events like this one are just one of the many ways communities can come together and show their appreciation for that sacrifice," Clark said. "While there is no way for us to ever repay the sacrifice that has been made, it is one more oppor-

tunity to show our appreciation, extend gratitude and let our veterans know they are not forgotten."

While the tournament was taking place, Patriot Snow, Sealed in Sweetness and ALSA set up to offer drinks, refreshments and food. Members of the D.A.V. and the West Texas VA Medical Center were on hand to provide information for those wanting to find out about services provided or membership.

"Our community has been good to us over the years. The support we receive is what allows us to continue to serve veterans in our community. There are times when veterans need a helping hand or just a simple reminder that they are not forgotten, and because of our community and the support we have received, we are able to offer that support."

Out of the 16 teams registered, there were three teams who claimed top prizes and trophies. The Third Place team was: Sonny Vasquez and Steven Salinas ; Second Place team was: Charlie Garcia and Eric Herrera; and First Place team was: Adrian Jackson and Vic Alday.

"We appreciate all those who came out and supported the event and are looking forward to an even bigger event next year," Clark said. "Now, we are onto planning the next big fundraiser - Bikes Across Big Spring."

Bikes Across Big Spring will take place the last weekend in September.

USA Today's Epstein wins award as emerging NFL writer

By **The Associated Press**

Jori Epstein, who covers the Dallas Cowboys and the NFL for USA Today, has been selected as the 2022 Terez A. Paylor Emerging Writer Award winner by the Professional Football Writers of America.

Epstein, the second Paylor Award winner, has covered the league and the Cowboys since 2018. Epstein was also a finalist for last year's inaugural award won by Jourdan Rodrigue of The Athletic.

The Paylor Award recognizes a rising talent in pro football writing who exemplifies the qualities of Paylor, the former

Yahoo! Sports and Kansas City Star football writer who passed away in February 2021 at the age of 37.

Epstein, a graduate of the University of Texas, started her career at the Dallas Morning News and she also worked for Sports Illustrated and the Philadelphia Daily News. Her book "The Upstander," a non-fiction account about Holocaust survivor and activist Max Glauken, was published in 2021.

The other finalists for the 2022 award were Michael-Shawn Dugar (The Athletic), Emmanuel Morgan (New York Times) and Tashan Reed (The Athletic).

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All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

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GEORGE WILMAS NEILL, III, RALPH JAMES NEILL, JR., THEDA JOANNE NEILL,

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TERRY DEAN NEILL, WILLIAM REID WHEELER, MARY LYNN CAYLOR, BRYAN ALLEN WHEELER, KRISTINA JOY NEILL SHUGART, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WITH AN INTEREST OR CLAIM AGAINST THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IN THIS PROCEEDING, Defendants.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS 118TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS FOR PUBLICATION

Pursuant to Rule 21.016(d)(3), Texas Property Code, the Special Commissioners hereby issue this Notice of Hearing in connection with their Order Setting Hearing entered this same day.

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TO: THEDA JOANNE NEILL, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WITH AN INTEREST OR CLAIM AGAINST THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IN THIS PROCEEDING, to be served by publication pursuant to § 21.016(d)(3) of the Texas Property Code and

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signed Special Commissioners appointed by the Judge of the 118th District Court of Howard County, Texas, will convene a hearing to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation by the City of Big Spring, as Condemnor, to acquire the subject property described below in fee simple for the construction, operation, and maintenance of a sewer lift station to be installed, operated, and maintained upon and across the property identified as a 1.417 acre tract of land, out of the Northeast Quarter of Section 44, Block 32, T-I-N, T. & P. Railroad Company Surveys, Abstract No. 631, City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, and being out of a tract of land described in a deed from J.G. Amett et ux to G.W. Neill, dated January 28, 1924, and recorded in Volume 54, Page 215, Deed Records of Howard County, Texas, said tract having a municipal address of 1505 East 2nd Street Big Spring, Texas 79720.

These are proceedings in eminent domain in a case styled: *CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS v. GEORGE WILMAS NEILL, III, RALPH JAMES NEILL, JR., THEDA JOANNE NEILL, TERRY DEAN NEILL, WILLIAM REID WHEELER, MARY LYNN CAYLOR, BRYAN ALLEN WHEELER, KRISTINA JOY NEILL SHUGART, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WITH AN INTEREST OR CLAIM AGAINST THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IN THIS PROCEEDING*, Cause Number 55354, filed in the 118th

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District Court of Howard County, Texas. The undersigned, having heretofore duly selected such time and place for hearing as required by law, will proceed to hear said parties and receive evidence on damages and to act thereon in the manner directed by law.

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at 10:00 a.m. on the 7th day of June, 2022 at the North entrance of the Howard County Courthouse lawn, in Big Spring, Texas, the properties described below:

CAUSE NO 6981
STYLING
City of Big Spring, et al vs. Owners of Various Properties Located Within the City Limits of Big Spring, Texas
LEGAL DESCRIPTION
Tract 1. Lot Two (2), in Block One Hundred and Sixteen (116), of the Original Town of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000008783) (209 NE 2nd)
Tract 2. Lot Two (2), in Block One Hundred and Sixteen (116), of the Original Town of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000008784) (209 NE 2nd)
Tract 3. South Part (S/Pt) of Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve (12), in Block Nine (9), Jones Valley Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000005589) (511 Galveston)
Tract 4. South Part of Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve (12), in Block Nine (9), Jones Valley Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County,

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Texas (R000005590) (1008 W 6th)
Tract 5. West Half (W/2) of Lot Thirteen (13), in Block Ninety-nine (99), of the Original Town of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000008653) (615 Sargent Paradez)
Tract 6. A 161' x 50' tract of land out of the Southwest Quarter (SW/4) of Section Twenty-six (26), in Block Thirty-three (33), T 1 N, T & P Ry. Co Survey, Howard County, Texas as more particularly described in a Warranty Deed recorded in Volume 406 and Page 88 of the Deed Records of Howard County, Texas (R000049636) (902 Ohio)
Tract 7. Lot Ten (10), in Block Seven (7), Brown Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000001194) (1607 Meadow)
Tract 8. Lot Eleven (11), in Block Seven (7), Brown Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000001195) (16009 Meadow)
Tract 9. Lot Twelve (12), in Block Seven (7), Brown Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000001196) (1611 Meadow)

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Tract 10. Lot Five (5), in Block Three (3), Rosemont Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000009226) (19 Channing)
Tract 11. Lot Eleven (11), in Block Eighteen (18), Cole & Strayhorn Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000002408) (603 E 16th)
Tract 12. Lot Eight (8), in Block Forty-nine (49), of the Original Town of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000008301) (601 Goliad)
Tract 13. Lot Four (4), in Block E, Moore Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000007395) (907 NW 4th)
Tract 14. Lot Two (2), in Block Four (4), Belvue Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000000830) (1503 Tucson)
Tract 15. A tract of land containing 0.161 acres, more or less, out of Section Twenty-six (26), in Block Thirty-three (33), T 1 N, T & P Ry. Co Survey, Howard County, Texas (R0000049606) (812 Father Delaney)
Tract 16. A tract of land containing 0.177 acres, more or

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less, out of Section Forty-two (42), in Block Thirty-two (32), 1 N TR 1, Tract Thirty-nine (39), William B. Currie, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000046922) (502 N Goliad)
Tract 17. North Eight Feet (N/8') of Lot Three (3) and all of Lots Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), and Seven (7), in Block Nine (9), Tennyson Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000010059) (108 N Benton)
Tract 18. A 53' x 132' tract of land being 0.424 acres more or less, out of the North Part (N/Pt) of Block Nine (9), Tennyson Addition, to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000010060) (200 N Benton)
CAUSE NO 6935
STYLING
Howard County, et al vs. Andrea Marsch, et al
LEGAL DESCRIPTION
Tract 1. Lots Thirteen (13) and Fourteen (14), in Block Four (4), Wrights Airport Annex No. Two (2), an Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (R000011162) (1215 Utah)
CAUSE NO

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STYLING
Howard County, et al vs. CC Nix Estate, et al
LEGAL DESCRIPTION
Tract 1. Lot Eight (8), in Block One (1), South Haven Addition, Howard County, Texas (R000013065) (5210 Wasson)
ALL BIDDERS MUST NOW DISPLAY PROOF OF COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 34.015 OF THE TEXAS PROPERTY TAX CODE.
LEVIED ON the 10 day of May, 2022, as the property of those persons listed above to satisfy taxes, penalties, and interest and all costs of seizure and sale against those persons listed in said Warrant and any other unknown owners in favor of the Taxing Units listed in said Tax Warrants.
GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS THE 10 DAY OF May, 2022.
Stan Parker
Sheriff, Howard County, Texas
Deputy

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Public Auction Pursuant to Chapter 59 of the Texas Property Code. Big Spring Lock Storage, located at 3301 E FM 700, Big Spring, Texas 79720, will hold an online auction of property being sold to satisfy a landlord's lien. Sale date is Friday, May 20, 2022 at 10am. Property will be sold to the highest bidder. All items are sold as is, no warranty. All announcements made on sale day super-cede any written. Seller reserves the right not to accept any bid, and to withdraw any property from sale. Property from each unit may be sold by space only! The site for Auction is STORAGE TREASURES.COM Property being sold includes contents in units of the following:
AF87- Stephanie Williams - Mattresses, home goods, tv, totes, diaper changer, Misc. items
E122- Chelsea Castaneda - boxes, bags, twins size bed, toys, electronics, misc. items

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	KMID 3 Midland	UNI 4 Spanish	KPEJ 5 Odessa	KOSA 7 Odessa	KTLE 8 Telemundo	KWES 9 Midland	KMLM 12 Odessa	KPBT 13 Odessa	KWWT 14 Odessa	KOSA2 16 Midland	WTBS 33 Atlanta	TNT 34 Atlanta	ESPN 35 Sports	ESPN2 36 Sports	BSN 38 Sports	USA 55 New York	A&E 58 New York	DISC 60 Discovery
5 :30	Big 2 Good Morning Basin	Como dice el dicho	FamFeud Business	CBS7 Wake Up	Al rojo vivo (SS)	Newsweek 9 Sunrise	Hidden Restaura	Cat in the Hat	Paid Prg. Paid Prg.	Paid Prg. Paid Prg.	Matters George	Charmed	SportsCenter	Keyshawn, JWill and Max	Legs, feet Relief	NCIS: Los Angeles	Jeremiah Joyce M.	Moonshiners
6 :30		¡Despierta America!	Les Feld Robison	CBS7 Wake Up	Hoy dia (SS)	Newsweek 9 Sunrise	Truth for Life	Peg & Cat Super	Patemty Court	Highway Thru Hell	George George	Charmed	SportsCenter		Ninja Warrior	NCIS (DVS)	Parking Parking	Moonshiners
7 :30	Good Morning America		Good Morning Basin	CBS Mornings		Today	Light of Southwest	Tiger Tiger	CBS7 Wake Up	Divorce Jerry	George George	Charmed	Get Up	SportsCenter	Ninja Warrior	NCIS (DVS)	Parking Parking	Moonshiners
8 :30			FamFeud Wom				Light of Southwest	Sesame Elnor	CBS7 Wake Up	Maury	Broke Girl Broke Girl	Charmed	SportsCenter	TMS Pre. The Blitz		Chicago Fire	Parking Parking	Master Distiller
9 :30	The 700 Club		Wendy Williams	Kelly and Ryan	És es mi hijo (SS)	Today 3rd Hour	Rico Cor Our Mess	Clifford Dinosaur	Kelly Clarkson	Steve Wilkos Show	Broke Girl Broke Girl	Supernatural	First Take	Get Up	WNBA Basketball: Mystics at Wings	Chicago Fire	Court Court	Master Distiller
10 :30	The View	Como dice el dicho	The Real	The Price Is Right	La casa De siones	Today-Hoda	Families Go Luna	Words of Curious	Drew Barrymore	Maury	Friends Friends	Supernatural	SportsCenter	First Take		Chicago Fire	Court Court	Master Distiller
11 :30	Jeopardy!	Noticiero	Tamron Hall	Young & Restless	Más sabe Noticias	The Good Days	Shepherd's Heart	Nature Xavier	The Doctors	Nick Cannon	Friends Friends	Supernatural	SportsCenter	First Take	Live on the Line	Chicago Fire	Court Court	Master Distiller
12 :30	News	Nosotr.				Days of our Lives	You Need The China	Molly Hero	Dateline	Hot Hot	Friends Friends	Supernatural	SportsCenter		MLB Baseball: Los Angeles Angels at Texas Rangers.	Chicago Fire	Court Court	Master Distiller
1 :30	General Hospital	Contigo sí	The People's Court	The Talk	En casa con	Blast	Eye on Israel	Cyber Pink	The First 48	Relative Friends	Supernatural	This Just In	SportsCenter			Chicago Fire	Court Court	Master Distiller
2 :30	Rachael Ray	S.O.S. me estoy	Judge Mathis	Let's Make a Deal	La mesa caliente	Elien DeGennaro	Light of Southwest	Pink Elnor	Monk	Jerry Jerry	Lucifer (DVS)	NBA Today	The Point			Law & Order: SVU	Court Court	Master Distiller
3 :30	Jdg Judy	El gordo y la flaca	FamFeud	Kelly Clarkson	(2:58) Al rojo vivo	Dr. Phil	Light of Southwest	Donkey Curious	Chicago Fire	Divorce Divorce	Lucifer (DVS)	NFL Live	Jalen	Inside Polaris	Law & Order: SVU	Court Court	Master Distiller	
4 :30	You Bet	Primer impacto	Two Men	CBS 7 News	En casa con	News	Ignite	Almas Xavier	25 Words	Steve Wilkos Show	Sheldon Sheldon	Lucifer (DVS)	Around Pardon	NFL Live	Live on the Line	Law & Order: SVU	The First 48	Master Distiller
5 :30	Jeopardy!		Two Men	News		Inside Ed.	Hidden	Xavier	25 Words				SportsCenter	Daily Wager	The Rally	Law & Order: SVU	The First 48	Master Distiller
6 :30	Big 2	Noticiero	Big Bang	CBS 7 News		News	The Gath	Molly King	King	Nick Cannon	Big Bang	Foodies				Law & Order: SVU	The First 48	Master Distiller
7 :30	ABC News	Noticiero	Big Bang	CBS 7 News		News	Freedom	Hero King	King		Big Bang	The Great Debate	NHL Hockey: Second Round: Teams TBA.	NFL Live		Law & Order: SVU	The First 48	Moonshiners
8 :30	Wheel	Rosa de Guadalupe	Sheldon	CBS 7 News		News	Rico Cor	Wild Kratt	Last Man	Fam. Guy	Big Bang					Law & Order: SVU	The First 48	Moonshiners
9 :30	Gold	Soltero con hijas	The Masked Singer	Survivor		Chicago Med	News	Israel	Wild Kratt	Last Man	Fam. Guy	Big Bang				Law & Order: SVU	The First 48	Moonshiners
10 :30	Wonder						Chicago Med	Truth	Odd Odd	Dateline	The Flash	All Elite Wrestling: Dynamite	NBA Pre-game	UFC 267: Blachowicz vs. Teixeira	MLB Baseball: Los Angeles Angels at Texas Rangers.	Law & Order: SVU	The First 48	Moonshiners
11 :30	Conners	Mi fortuna es	So You Think	Beyond the Edge	Hasta que la plata	Chicago Fire	Light of Southwest	Arthur Arthur	Dateline	Kung Fu		NBA Basketball				Law & Order: SVU	The First 48	Moonshiners
12 :30	Home E						Chicago P.D.	Cyber Pink	Mike Mike	News Gold	American American					Temptation Island	(:01) The First 48	Moonshiners
1 :30	Million Little	El último rey: El hijo	FOX 24 News at 9	FBI	Pasión de gavilanes	Chicago P.D.	Light of Southwest	Pink Friends	Mike Mike	News Gold	American American					Temptation Island	(:01) The First 48	Moonshiners
2 :30	Jimmy Kimmel Live!	Noticiero	TMZ	CBS 7 News	Tele	News	News	Friends Friends	Mike Mike	Burgers Burgers	American American					Temptation Island	(:01) The First 48	Moonshiners
3 :30	Nightline	Contacto deportivo	Mod Fam	James Corden	Caso cerrado (SS)	Seth Meyers	Words of Dr. Wil	Elnor Donkey	Friends CBS 7	Burgers black-ish	American American	Inside the NBA	SportsCenter	E60	Postgame World Poker	Law & Order: SVU	(:03) The First 48	Moonshiners
4 :30	Extra	Las tontas no van	Mom	Drew Barrymore	Caso cerrado (SS)	News	News	Jesus IS	Xavier Forensic	Creek Creek	George George	The Great Debate	SportsCenter	Around Pardon	MLB Baseball: Los Angeles Angels at Texas Rangers.	Law & Order: SVU	(:04) The First 48	Moonshiners
5 :30	Meet Emenil	Soltero con hijas	Broke Girl	Dr. Carras	Programa Programa	Top Story With	Light of Southwest	Molly Jerry	Springer	Liquidator Gold	George George		SportsCenter	NHL Hockey: Second Round: Teams TBA.		Law & Order: SVU	(:04) The First 48	Moonshiners
6 :30	(:06) ABC World News Now	Vecinos	Seinfeld	(:07) CBS Overnight News	Programa 12 corazones (SS)	Inside Ed.	Light of Southwest	Wild Kratt	Minute	Prostate Unlited	Wipeout	NBA Basketball	SportsCenter			Law & Order: SVU	(:05) The First 48	Moonshiners
7 :30	World News Now	El gordo y la flaca	Law & Order: SVU		Programa Minute	Minute	Cost The	Odd Odd	Paid Prg. Paid Prg.	Home	Wipeout					Law & Order: SVU	Get Paid Prg.	Diesel Brothers
8 :30	AM	Nosotr.	Laughs		Programa	Early Tdy	Heritage	Arthur Arthur	Paid Prg. Paid Prg.	Fresh	Matters		SportsCenter	The Icons	Secrets	Law & Order: SVU	Alopecia? Prince	Diesel Brothers
9 :30	AM	Morning	Noticiero	Funny	News	Programa	Early Tdy	Dr. Young	Arthur	Paid Prg.	Matters	Shaq Life						



By Steve Becker

Card-reading

South dealer. East-West vulnerable.
NORTH
♠ A 9 7 6
♥ K Q
♦ A Q 9 4
♣ K 8 5
WEST
♠ Q 10 4 2
♥ 9 7 6 5 2
♦ 2
♣ 10 9 7
EAST
♠ J 5 3
♥ 10 4
♦ K J 6 5 3
♣ 6 4 3
North
♠ A 9 7
♦ A Q 9
West
♠ Q 10 4 2
♥ 9
♦ 2
East
♠ J 5 3
♥ K J 6
South
♠ K 8
♥ A J 8 3
♦ 10 8 7
♣ A Q J 2

The bidding:
South West North East
1 NT Pass 2 ♣ Pass
2 ♥ Pass 2 NT Pass
3 ♣ Pass 6 NT
Opening lead — ten of clubs.

This deal occurred in the Life Masters Pairs some years ago. North-South were Kathie Wei and Judi Radin, who reached six notrump as shown. Radin then put on a fine display of card-reading to bring in the slam.
Wei's two-notrump bid, after employing Stayman, was forcing in the partnership's methods and asked Radin to further describe her hand. After South's three-club response, North leaped to the notrump slam.
Radin won the opening club lead with dummy's king and cashed the

Tomorrow: Malfesance in office.
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Today is Wednesday, May 18, the 138th day of 2022. There are 227 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On May 18, 1980, the Mount St. Helens volcano in Washington state exploded, leaving 57 people dead or missing.

On this date:

In 1652, Rhode Island became the first American colony to pass a law abolishing African slavery; however, the law was apparently never enforced.

In 1863, the Siege of Vicksburg began during the Civil War, ending July 4 with a Union victory.

In 1896, the U.S. Supreme Court, in Plessy v. Ferguson, endorsed "separate but equal" racial segregation, a concept renounced 58 years later by Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka.

In 1910, Halley's Comet passed by earth, brushing it with its tail.

In 1927, in America's deadliest school attack, part of a schoolhouse in Bath Township, Michigan, was blown up with explosives planted by local farmer Andrew Kehoe, who then set off a bomb in his truck; the attacks killed 38 children and six adults, including Kehoe, who'd earlier killed his wife. (Authorities said Kehoe, who suffered financial difficulties, was

field should not be a tool of American criminal justice.

In 2020, President Donald Trump said he'd been taking a malaria drug, hydroxychloroquine, and a zinc supplement to protect against the coronavirus despite warnings from his own government that the drug should be administered only in a hospital or research setting. Moderna announced that an experimental vaccine against the coronavirus showed encouraging results in early testing.

Ten years ago: Social network Facebook made its trading debut with one of the most highly anticipated IPOs in Wall Street history; however, by day's end, Facebook stock closed up only 23 cents from its initial pricing of \$38. In his first meeting with President Barack Obama, French President Francois Hollande (frahn-SWAH' oh-LAWND') declared he would withdraw all French combat troops from Afghanistan by year's end.

Five years ago: President Donald Trump denounced the appointment of a special counsel to investigate his campaign's potential ties with Russia, repeatedly calling it an unprecedented "witch hunt" that "hurts our country terribly." Roger Ailes, who created and ruled Fox News Channel for two decades before being ousted for alleged sexual harassment, died in Palm Beach, Florida, at age 77.

One year ago: Palestinians across Israel and the occupied territories went on strike in a rare collective protest of Israel's policies;

the action came as Israeli missiles toppled a six-story building in Gaza and militants in the Hamas-ruled territory fired dozens of rockets that killed two people. The New York attorney general's office said it was conducting a criminal investigation into former President Donald Trump's business empire, expanding what had previously been a civil probe. Actor and writer Charles Grodin, whose films included "Midnight Run" and "The Heartbreak Kid," died in Connecticut of bone marrow cancer at 86.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Priscilla Pointer is 98. Baseball Hall of Famer Brooks Robinson is 84. Actor Candice Azzara is 81. Bluegrass singer-musician Rodney Dillard (The Dillards) is 80. Baseball Hall of Famer Reggie Jackson is 76. Former Sen. Tom Udall, D-N.M., is 74. Country singer Joe Bon-sall (The Oak Ridge Boys) is 74. Rock musician Rick Wakeman (Yes) is 73. Rock singer Mark Mothersbaugh (Devo) is 72. Actor James Stephens is 71. Country singer George Strait is 70. Actor Chow Yun-Fat is 67. International Tennis Hall of Famer Yannick Noah is 62. Rock singer-musician Page Hamilton is 62. Contemporary Christian musician Barry Graul (MercyMe) is 61. Contemporary Christian singer Michael Tait is 56. Singer-actor Martika is 53. Comedian-writer Tina Fey is 52. Rock singer Jack Johnson is 47. Country singer David Nail is 43. Actor Matt Long is 42. Actor Allen Leech is 41. Christian singer Francesca Battistelli is 37. Actor Spencer Breslin is 30. Actor Violet Beane is 26. Actor Hala Finley is 13.

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