VALLEY TRIBUNI

West Nile Virus Advances West To Floyd & Briscoe Counties

On Tuesday, August 13 state and local health officials announced that the West Nile Virus has now reached West Texas. The most recent case involves a horse at the Old Floyd County Fair grounds in Lockney. Last Tuesday, August 6, a horse got very sick, and within 36 hours, it had to be put to sleep. Last Wednesday, August 7, health officials sent a blood sample to a lab inAmarillo and results came back Tuesday, August 13 confirming the horse had the West Nile Virus. A Silverton rancher also received word that his horse has been diagnosed with the West Nile Virus. The horse owner, Gerald Smith, of Silverton, says he's optimistic that his horse will recover Wednesday, August 14 Lockney ranchers began vaccinating their horses

Also a horse in Haskell County, about 50 miles north of Abilene, tested positive on Wednesday, August 7, for the mosquito-borne disease. "Previously WNV had been detected only as far west as Travis County," reported Dr. Joe Garrett of the Zoonosis Control Division of the Texas Department of

"We're continuing to urge owners to have their horses, donkeys, mules and other equids vaccinated against this form of 'sleeping sickness' which continues to spread westward," said Dr Logan. To gain protection against the virus, however, equids need two injections of WNV vaccine administered at least three to six weeks apart. The animal will not develop full immunity for about four to six weeks after the second injection." Dr Logan advised owners to further protect horses with insect repellents, and if possible, house the animals at night in stalls with screens to prevent contact with potentially infected mosquitoes.

Likewise, we urge residents to apply insect repellents if they are going to be outside when mosquitoes are active," commented Dr. Joe Garrett of TDH. "There is no vaccine for humans, so disease prevention is our only option." To protect yourself and your family here are a few tips. *Get rid of any containers outside holding water. *Avoid standing water. *Wear insect repellants, preferably one that contains DEET (Deep Woods Off contains this and gives up to 5 hours of protection) *Keep

weed and grass mowed down around your home

According to the Center for Disease Control in Atlanta, Georgia there have been a total of 150 cases of West Nile Virus in humans confirmed and 18 of those people died, all infected by mosquitoes corrying the virus. The CDC explains further that: "even if the mosquito is infected, less than 1% of people who get bitten and become infected will get severely ill" because most humans infected by the West Nile Virus have no symptoms. The virus just goes away on its own. If you are among the few who develop symptoms, they may include: *Fever * Headache * BodyAches * Lethargy * Skin rash on the chest, back, and arms, or * Swollen lymph glands. Those seriously infected, particularly the elderly, may develop: *Stiff neck * Muscle weakness, or * Disprientation

Although blue jays, crows and more than 70 other species of birds carry the virus, they do not pose a direct WNV health risk to humans or horses, stressed Dr Logan. She explained that the disease cycle must involve mosquitoes that feed on the infected birds, then transmit the disease to humans

We want to receive samples of dead blue jays and crows, particularly from areas west of Houston, so that we can track the progression of this disease as it advances westward," said Dr Garrett. "For surveillance testing at the Texas Department of Health, we need 'freshly' dead birds that have not begun to decompose. If you have a dead bird to submit, call your local health department, or the state office at 1-512-458-7255 for instructions. If you handle the bird, wear gloves to protect your self against any possible parasites or other diseases the bird may have contracted, and double bag the carcass. Prior to laboratory submission, it's best to place the bird in a cool place, such as an ice chest, to slow decomposition.

Additional information about WNV can be accessed on the Internet at http://www.tdh.state.tx.us/ zoonosis/diseases/arboviral/westnile/westnile.asp.

Turkey-Quitaque CISD **Board of Trustees Will Meet** August 26, 2002 @ 8 p.m. at

Valley School The Board of Trustees will have a Budget Hearing, Consider Proposed Budget & Discuss Tax Rate for 2002-2003 The Public Is Invited To Attend

Improvements For Quitaque Discussed By Council

The Quitaque City Council met on August 12, 2002 at 5 p.m. at City Hall. Present for the meeting were Council members Rhonda Farner, Arnold Castillo, Randy Stark, Janice Henson, Phil Barefield. Also present were Maria Cruz, Walter Skinner and a representative from Superior Sanitation.

During public comment the Council discussed the possibility of placing a Caprock Canyons State Park sign on I-27 along with the possibility of repairing the sidewalks in town. These possibilities will be discussed with TxDOT. The next discussion was regarding the progress of obtaining and installing street signs in town. Suggestions of possibly involving the Lions Club to help with this

project was discussed. The Council next discussed the type of lettering and design to display the motto for the Stone Monument, Cruz will look into the options available. It was noted that the winner of the Slogan Contest was omitted from last month's meeting. The name of the Motto Contest Winner was Clyde Dudley of Quitaque . Other items discussed were enforcement of City Ordinances, possibilities for enforcement will be looked into by the City Manager It was also noted that the Quitaque Clinic should be open for business within 2 weeks.

Reports from the Library, Ambulance Service and Fire Department were presented. Next before the Council was a representative from Superior Sanitation. She was here to discuss the possibility of the sale of Superior Sanitation to another company She assured the Council the new company would honor the contract signed by the City of Quitaque with Superior, which should be in effect for two more years. A motion was unanimously passed to continue with the new company for the duration of the contract, at which time services will be reviewed.

The Council then discussed the meeting with Sheila Martin, representative with the Texas Department of Agriculture. Those present at the meeting reported a very informative meeting dealing with economic development. They felt Sheila to be a valuable asset to our pursuit of economic development. Sheila had suggested a community profile, a very important tool for promotion of Quitaque. Cruz will gather information for a community profile brochures.

The Council then discussed the new Community Center's progress. Cruz informed the Council of concerns expressed to her about the new Community Center by local citizens, and Quitaque exes. Council member Henson states she had also had received various call by Quitaque exes and local citizens. After discussion the Council has scheduled a Public Information Meeting to be held August 27th at the Community Center at 7 p.m.

Recycling was the next item before the Council. Cruz informed the Council that funds have become available through PRPC for recycling and that she was working with PRPC on possible recycling projects for the City.

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Turkey Economic Development Group To Host Meeting On Our Underground Source Water

The Turkey Economic Development Group will be hosting a meeting along with the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission (PRPC). Jarrett Atkinson, a representative from PRPC will be present to share information about the Panhandle Water Planning Group and local Water Districts. The meeting will be held next Thursday, August 22 at the Senior Citizens Room in the Bob Wills Center in Turkey at 7:00 p.m.

"If you use underground source water for irrigating your crops, this meeting should be of interest to you.", stated Melvin Clinton, a member of the Turkey Economic Development Group. Everyone that is interested in our underground source water is encouraged

All Valley Pre-K & Kindergarten Parents Are Invited To Attend Our

Boo-Hoo Breakfast

August 20 from 8 a.m. - 9 a.m. (The First Day Of School)

We know how hard it is to send your child to school on the first day, so please bring your child to school with their supplies and enjoy breakfast with us

We hope to see all of you parents there!!

Mrs. Lemons, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Castillo, Mrs. Rosie









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Corbie James May

Corbie James May entered the Armed Forces on November 7, 1942. He served in the U.S. Army. He completed Basic Training at Jefferson Barracks,

Corbie served in the Pacific with the 874th Engineer Aviation Batalion in the Philippine Islands and was engaged in building a Philippine airstrip.

He was awarded the Good Conduct Medal, V/C Medals, AT Philippine Liberation, and Asiatic Picific Theatre Ribbons, 4 Overseas Service Bars, 2 Battle Stars and a Glider Pin.

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Bart C. Owens

Bart C. Owens entered the Armed Forces on September 30, 1952. He served in the U.S. Navy. He completed Basic Training at the San Diego, California Naval Station.

Bart served overseas in the Phillippines, Hong Kong, and China. He served on the USS Brinkley Bass Pacific Fleet, and the USS William M. Wood Atlantic Fleet as a FN driverand as a Throttlieman.

He received medals for Expert Marksman and the Malt-

He was discharged from the Navy on September 29, 1960.



Colvin Appointed Grand Representative Of The Grand Lodge Of Russia

George R. Colvin of the Quitaque Masonic Lodge No. 1248, A.F. was recently appointed as Grand Representative of The Grand Lodge of Russia. This appointment was bestowed upon Colvin by Michael D. Nanny, Grand Master of The Grand Lodge of

This honor had been in the works since December of 1997 when the Committee on Fraternal Relations from The Grand Lodge of Texas, during their Annual Communication meeting, recommended a Resolution establishing relations with The Grand Lodge of Rus-In January of 2001 Grand Master David B. Dribell proposed Colvin for that Grand Representative position. In July of this year Colvin received his commission as The Grand Representative of The Grand Lodge of Russia.

George originally joined the Staked Plains Lodge No. 598, A.F. & A.M. at Big Spring in 1978. He served as Master of that Lodge in 1984, that same year the Staked Plains Lodge celebrated it's 100th year anniversary. He has also served as High Priest of The Royal Arch Chapter in 1985, Thrice Illustrious Master of The Council in 1985, and Commander of Knights Templer in 1987. Colvin achieved his 32nd Degree Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite in 88 and was District Deputy Grand Master of Th District in 1990. In 2000 he became a Charter Member of The Tranquility Lodge No. 2000, A.F. & A.M.

In 1991 after retiring as Business Manager of the State Hospital in Big Spring he and his wife moved to Turkey. At that time he took out plural membership with the Quitaque Masonic Lodge No. 1248, A.F. & A.M. Since joining the Quitaque Masonic Lodge he has served as Worshipful Master in both 1996 and 2001. Colvin also served as District Deputy Grand Master of The 96h Masonic District in 2001 and currently serves as Secretary at the Quitaque Masonic Lodge

Calendar Of Events

August 17

* Otwell Twins at Turkey's Gem Theatre @ 8 p.m.

August 19

* Quitaque Lions Club Meeting August 20

* SCHOOL STARTS TODAY! * Turkey Fire Department Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.

August 21

* Caprock Partners Meeting @ 5:30 p.m

August 21

*Turkey Economic Board Meeting @ 7 p.m

Quitaque Weather Forecast for Next 9 Days

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Dear Valley Tribune,

I've really enjoyed the Tribune this year. Me and my daughter were in Quitaque, TX the 5th of July. We enjoyed the beauty of Quitaque, we took pictures and ate at the Cafe. We enjoyed the Bill Sperry Hmmm.. Keep doing a good

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Roaring Springs

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Wood Carving Classes will be offered during the Old

Settlers Reunion at the Roaring Springs Community Center

on Friday and Saturday, August 23rd and 24th.

Sessions will be held from 9:00 a.m. to II:30 a.m. and

I:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. each day. The cost of the class will be \$30.00. Each person should

bring carving tools as there will be a limited number

available for loan. The instructor, Charlie Brooks from Whitehouse, TX

has been carving and teaching carving for twelve years. He

currently serves as Director of the Texas Woodcarvers Guild

and attends 6 to 8 show/sales per year where he has won

several 1st Place and Merit Awards.

He serves as instructor at the Texas Woodcarvers Guild in

April and September each year and at Rally on the Rio in

Mercedes each January. He and his wife, Kathy have served as chairperson for the East Texas Woodcarving Show in

Tyler for the past 6 years.

Charlie's work may be viewed on his website at www.cbwoodstudio.com and he will answer any ques-

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Bennie Lloyd Stidham

Funeral services for Bennie Lloyd "Blackie" Stidham, 71, of Tulia were held Wednesday, August 14, 2002 at the First Assembly of God Church in Tulia. Rev. Bill Guenther, pastor and Mr. Harold Drake officiated. Burial was in Quitaque Cemetery, by Wallace Funeral Home of Tulia, Texas.

Bennie Stidham passed away on Sunday, August 11, 2002 at BSA Hospice in Amarillo. He was preceded in death by his parents and 7 brothers including his twin brother, Floyd Frank Stidham

He was born on June 18, 1931 in Cherokee County, Texas He grew up and attended school there. He later moved to Quitaque, Texas and graduated High School. Bennie attended Tyler Junior College for one year, then served in the U.S. Army from 1952 until 1960. After his discharge he returned to Tulia. He worked for the Plainview Hospital for 12 years as a LVN. He was also a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Tulia and a member of the VFW and American Legion.

He is survived by two sisters: Emma Choate and Bonnie Purdy both of Tulia; and one brother Roy Stidham of Albuquerque, New

resessesses

Louise Vaughan

Funeral services for Louise Vaughan, 90, of Silverton were held Friday, August 9, 2002 at the First Baptist Church in Silverton. Rev Willis Blair of Sudan officiated. Burial was in Silverton Cemetery by Myers-Long Funeral Directors of

Louise went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, August 6, 2002. She was a resident of Lake Ridge Nursing and Rehabilitation Care in Lubbock, Texas. She was born in Mansfield, Texas on January 16, 1912 to Daniel Edwin and Rosa Caroline (Bishop) Brown. She moved to Briscoe County in 1925. She married Ewing Baughan on December 3, 1932 in Silverton. She was a member of the First Baptist Church where she taught Sunday School for over 25 years. Louise graduated from Silverton High School in 1929. She grew to love art at an early age and studied art in addition to her education. She taught art for over 30 years in Silverton, both for the school system and in her art studio at her home. Survivors include her daughter

and son-in-law: Helen and Clifford Youngquist of Lubbock; a son and daughter-in-law: Ronald and Annette Vaughan of Arlington; a sister: Wilda Lightsey of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; 6 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Silverton Cemetery or to the Silverton Fire Department and Silver-

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August 20 Mr & MrsKirk Saul Mr & Mrs Ben Edwards August 21 August 22 Mr & Mrs Edward Valdez

Ray Whitaker

Funeral services for Ray Whitaker, 77, of Turkey were held Wednesday, August 14, 2002 at the Turkey Church of Christ. Mr. Earl McDonaugh and Mr. Daniel Hardesty officiated. Private burial followed church services.

Ray Whitaker was born in Tucumcari, New Mexico on Septem ber 12, 1924, where his family owned a ranch. He was cowboy and calf roper working on ranches in Texas and New Mexico until the age of twenty-two. He then started into the electrical business and worked at that trade till he retired in September of 1986.

Ray married Audrey Rosser on July 23, 1972 in Greenville, South Carolina. Audrey was living in Columbia S.C. when Ray flew twenty-four hundred miles to marry her He said it was worth every mile of it and he would have done it again. They moved to Turkey on September 10, 1972.

Ray was baptized in 1952 at Hugh's Spring, Texas. He enjoyed collecting things and anything to do with horses. Prior to his marriage to Audrey, he was married to Nita Martin who passed from this life on August 8, 1971.

Survivors include his wife: Audrey Whitaker of the home; 3
daughters: Beverly Jean Hardesty
of Clovis, N.M.; Judy Ann
Schumacher of Mesa, Arizona and
Debbie Rosser of Mesa, Arizona; a
son: Phill Rosser of Childress; a
brother: Murrel Whitaker of Hedley; 5 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

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Free Blood Pressure **Blood Sugar Clinic**

The Texas Cooperative Extension of Briscoe County is collaborating with Kathy Fuston of Covenant Home Health Care to provide a free blood pressure/blood sugar clinic The clinic will be held in the basement of the Briscoe County Courthouse on Thursday, August 22, 2002 from 9 a.m. to approximately 12 noon. Everyone is invited to take advantage of this free service!

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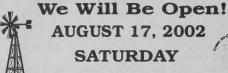
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FLOMOT NEWS

BY EARLYNE JAMESON

OVERHEARD

Disappointments are like weeds in a garden. You can let them grow and take over your life, or you can route them out and let the flowers

Decorated Hand Work Show At Do Gooders' Club Meeting The Do Gooders' Club met Tuesday afternoon, August 6th at the Flo mot Community Center. Mrs. B. Rogers, vice president greeted the mem bers and guests and opened the meeting reciting the amusing poem, "A

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Those attending circled around a large table and the hostesses, Mrs. Trula Martin and Mrs. Geneva Martin served glasses of iced peach tea. On the table, Mrs. Trula Martin had a display of her beautiful decorated hand work. They enjoyed seeing and talking about the cross stitch, chicken scratch, embroidery and applique designs with fancy stitches.

Mrs. Rogers presided at the business meeting. Mrs. Alma Shorter read

the minutes and gave a financial report that was approved. They voted to have the club's annual Bazaar Saturday, November 9th as to not interfere with other county events in October . They discussed buying smaller lighter tables at the Community Center for use of the club. The tables at the Community Center now are large, heavy tables used for capacity crowds. This was tabled until more information could be obtained.

At the raffle gift ticket drawing the name of Mrs. Ersie V ancheeve of Dougherty was drawn. She was pleased with the wall hanging of three hearts engraved with Faith, Hope and Charity.

Those attending were Mesdames Leona Degan, Mary Jo Calvert, Nada Starkey, Suzie Shannon, Erma Washington, Kathy Shorter, Connie Franks, Barbara Payne, Alma Shorter, Trula Martin, Geneva Martin and B. Rogers. Guests were Mrs. Christi Milam, Emily and Haley of Petersburg, Mrs. Ersie VanCleeve of Dougherty, along with Natalie and Brooke Rog-

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hand of Roaring Springs and granddaughter, Hannah Alexander of Lubbock were luncheon guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs.

Weekend houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Franks were Barry Pickett of Dallas, Cary Franks and Sorrel Schmidt of Lubbock and Cara Franks

of Lubbock. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Washington.
Raymond Kendall, resident at the Lockney Care Center visited last Monday with son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Kendall. They visited with him Sunday at the Care Center and reported he is regaining his

strength after an illness.

Tom Ross visited his cousin, Mrs. Ruth Williams at the Nursing Home in Crowell, Tuesday. Mrs. Williams is receiving therapy following an accident recently in her home in Quanah.

Mrs. Christi Milam, Emily and Haley of Petersburg visited T uesday and Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter. Haley visited overnight Thursday with them when her family, Christi, Dwain and Emily Milam attended the enjoyable circus in Lubbock.

Luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin Wednesday were Mrs. Lou Burleson of Floydada and Mary Ellen Barton of Flomot.

Mrs. Ersie VanCleeve of Dougherty is visiting her mother, Mrs. C.W.

Joe Ike Clay and grandchildren, Kyler and Karlee Kleibrink of Clifton daughters, Mrs. Tina Carson of Turkey and Mrs. Julie Edwards of Lub-bock attended the Clay family reunion Saturday, August 3rd at Murrey Lake near Ardmore, Okla. Joining them there were Lori and Kevon Klei-brink of Clifton who accompanied home children who visited the past week with the Clay family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Franklin of Lindale visited Donnie Rogers Friday evening and accompanied home Natalie and Brooke Rogers who visited here the past six weeks. En route to Lindale, they visited in Amarillo with Mrs. Merle Nall.

Aleda Elaine Ross is visiting in Lubbock with her aunt and husband, Elisa and Stan Wigley.

Mrs. Geneva Martin, Mrs. Kathy Shorter and Mrs. Anna Beth Clay attended a baby shower, Sunday in Lubbock honoring Lee and Karen Flores and new baby son, Tristen. Special guests were grandmother, Mrs. Brenda Davis and great grandmother, Mrs. Joy Barham of Hart.

Mrs. Ruth Ann Scrivner and daughter, Khaki of Turkey visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin, Sunday.

and Mrs. Wilburn Martin, Sunday.

Brian Sehon of Ropesville visited from Friday until Sunday with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter. Mrs. Shorter met his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Kevin Sehon in Lubbock, Sunday for his return trip home.

Mark and JoAnn Clay of Terrell visited from Wednesday until Thurs-

day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay. They visited in Lockney, Thursday with Mrs. Margaret Lane of Turkey who is in rehabilitation at Lockney Care Center. They also visited other relatives and friends in

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These cookies have great taste.

These cookies have great taste,
baking and good for warm

weather.
PEANUT BUTTER QUICKIES

1 1/2 cups sugar 3/4 cup flour

1/4 teaspoon salt 1/2 cup margarine or butter 1/2 cup milk

1 1/2 cups rolled oats 1/2 cup chopped nuts 1/2 cup coconut

1/2 cup peanut butter
1 teaspoon vanilla
Lightly spoon flour into measuring
cup;level off. In large saucepan,
combine sugar, flour, salt, margarine and milk. Bring to a full rolling boil (one that comput he stirred ing boil(one that cannot be stirred down). Boil 3 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat;add remaining ingredients. Mix well. Drop by rounded teaspoonfuls onto waxed paper. Cool. Makes about 60 cookies.

These have lots of kids' favorites all in one cookie! CHILDRENS' CHOICE COOKIES

2 1/4 cups flour 1/2 cup sugaar 1/2 cup firmly packed brown sugar

1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 teaspoon soda 1/2 teaspoon cinnar

1/4 teaspoon nutmeg

1 cup shortening

1/2 cup peanut butter 1/4 cup applesauce

1/2 teaspoon vanilla

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Truly Foliations of the State o balls;place 2 inches apart on ungreased cookie sheets. Press with fork dipped in sugar, making a criss-cross design. Place 1/8 teas-

poon jelly on center of each cookie. Bake at 350 for 12-14 minutes until light, golden brown. Makes 5 dozen TIP: Instead of a fork to criss-cross the cookies, I use a meat tenderizer. Makes a cool design and is faster.

These bar cookies are so easy you won't mind when everyone asks for more!

CRESCENT S'MORE BARS

3 oz. can refrigerated crescent rolls 1/2 cup margarine or butter,melted 11/2 cups(21 squares) graham

11/2 cups/21 squares) granam cracker crumbs 11/2 cups miniature marshmallows 1 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips Unroll dough into 2 long rectangles. Place in ungreased 13x9 pan; press over bottom to form crust, sealing perforations. Combine remaining perforations. Combine remaining ingredients; spoon evenly over dough. Bake at 375 for 15-20 minutes or until golden brown. Cool completely; cut into bars. Makes 36. Enjoy these dwindling days and summer and this week's recipes. GOD BLESS AMERICA!

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Tuesday, August 20

Breakfast: Cereal, Apple

Lunch: Pizza, Salad, Corn,

Wednesday, August 21 Breakfast: French Toast, Syrup, Apples, OJ/Milk

Lunch: Chicken Strips & Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Honey, Milk

Thursday, August 22 Breakfast: Breakfast Pizza, ces, OJ/Milk

Lunch: Pigs in a Blanket, French Fries, Salad, Carrot Sticks, Chocolate Pudding, Milk

Friday, August 23 Breakfast: Cereal, Butterd

Lunch: Mexican Stack, Pinto Beans, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Hot Sauce, Peanut Butter Cookies,

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By: Brandon McGinty, CEA-Ag, Briscoe County **Meat Vision**

USDA scientists have developed a method to detect contaminated food before it reaches the consumer. Using a real-time imaging system scientists are able to detect feces and recently ingested materials on animal carcasses. The system scans the poultry carcass to detect material in shadowed area and small particles. An on-line prototype that scans 140 birds per minute is under development. It approximates the processing speeds used in the U.S. poultry plants. Researchers expect the system to work at 180 birds per minute, which is the maximum European line speed. It has only been tested on poultry, but it has the potential to be used in various processing situations. A broad patent application covering poultry and other meat products has been filed.

By Cory Edwards, Briscoe County ExtensionAgent, FCS

Tips To Prevent Foodborne Illness

Extension nutrition specialist Petty V an Laanen say foodborne illnesses are easily avoided. She recommends buying food from reputable sources instead of buying from street vendors. And, urges consumers to take the newly purchased foods straight home to be stored. The refrigerator should have a temperature of 40 degrees Fahrenheit or below, and the freezer zero degrees Fahrenheit or below. Van Laanen says food should not stay in temperatures between 40 and 140 degrees. Fahrenheit for more than in temperatures between 40 and 140 degrees Fahrenheit for more than two hours. She suggests using a solution of one teaspoon of bleach to one quart of water to sanitize surfaces where food will be prepared. V an Laanen suggests washing fresh fruits and vegetables under cold running tap water to rinse off dirt and bacteria. Throw away suspect food. She say a general rule of thumb is "If in doubt, throw it out!"

'Aching Back' - A Common But Painful Complaint

Back pain leads to nearly 12 million doctor visits each year . According to the Mayo Clinic, back pain is the second most common complaint. About 90% of these painful conditions clear up without medical treatment. But, if not taken care of, some back conditions can become disabling. To treat back pain at home: apply cold; followed by heat; get comfortable; rest for short periods of time; and try over the counter pain relievers. But, if pain makes moving difficult, is followed by a fever and/or vomiting, or causing unexplained weakness in other areas of the body then a doctor should be consulted. Prevention is the best way to deal with back pain. Three steps to prevention are: exercise, posture, and diet. Exercise strengthens the back, improves overall fitness, reduces stress, and helps shed excess pounds. Maintaining good posture keeps the back healthy. And a healthy, balanced diet also helps maintain a healthy weight. If ever in doubt of how serious a condition is, contact a health care provider

Walk Across Texas Update

By Cory Edwards, FCS, Briscoe County Cooperative Extension

After the 5th week of the Walk Across Texas! competition, The "Double Nickels & Older" are already heading back home! Their team has accumulated a total of 879.25 miles. They have made it to T exas City, turned around and headed back home, and are now on Interstate 45 just outside of Madisonville, Texas.

Also on their return trip are the "Road W arriors" with 835.5 total miles. "Ankle Express" is not far behind with 695.5 miles, and the "Fairmont Flyers" are still doing well with 387.5 miles. "ASKEBAT" has accumu-lated 326.12 miles and the "Wild Women Walkers" are holding their own

Here are some fun facts about Madisonville as we take a 'Texas Trip' Madison County sits astride the hills that divide the waters flowing

east into the Trinity River and west into the Navasota River.

* Madisonville started as a settlement located on one of the routes of the El Camino Real; site of the lost Spanish settlement of Bucareli.

Madison County produces more cattle per acre than any other county in the State of Texas

* Madison County is also the Mushroom Capital of T exas. Keep up the good walking

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FARMING OUR GREAT STRENGTH West Texas Agricultural Chemicals Conference To Be Held On August 28 At Lubbock Civic Center

West Texas agriculture producers and agribusiness people can update their chemical use and application skills, and learn more about water conservation, the current Farm Bill, and pest control on August 28 at the 50th annual West Texas Agricultural Chemicals Conference at the Lub-

On-site registration over coffee and donuts begins at 7 a.m. and costs

The morning conference session runs from 8 a.m. to noon, and will include presentations on food safety, the future of Texas agriculture, plant stress and water conservation. The afternoon general session begins at stress and water conservation. The attention general session begans at 12:45 p.m. with presentations on the current Farm Bill, boll weevil eradication and textile quality issues. Concurrent educational sessions on precision agriculture; biotechnology; insect identification and control; crop disease; and a weed workshop will be presented by Extension specialists,

disease; and a weed workshop will be presented by Extension spectalists,
Texas Agricultural Experiment Station scientists and T exas Tech University and industry representatives following the afternoon general session at 3:15 p.m. and wrap up around 4:45 p.m.

More than 500 producers, chemical dealers and agribusiness people are expected to attend. Participants can earn up to five continuing education units (CEU's) required by the T exas Department of Agriculture for

cation units (CEO's) required by the Facta Ceptification of commercial and noncommercial pesticide applicators, or as many as 6.75 CCA education units.

The conference is sponsored by the West Texas Agricultural Chemicals Institute (WTACI), an organization of scientists, educators, industry representatives and agribusiness leaders. The institute has sponsored-content of the content of the cont ducted research and educational programs focusing on safe ag chemical use since 1953.

For more information on the WTACI conference, call Sheryl Smith at 806-746-6101.



Producers Requested To Tell TBWEF About Spray Activities

Cotton producers use several insecticides to control pests in their fields, such as Furadan for aphids. So Texas Boll Weevil Eradication officials request that growers contact their district office with information on when a field has been treated with any chemicals and what chemicals were

Although fields that have been treated must be posted, contacting eradication personnel will help ensure that employees take the necessary precautions to protect their health and safety when working in these fields.

The Foundation also wishes to avoid unnecessarily treating fields, as

some of the pesticides growers use provide control of boll weevils. For more information, growers may contact their local eradication office. The Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation is a nonprofit, grower

initiated and funded organization dedicated to eliminating the cotton boll weevil from the state in the most cost effective and environmentally re-

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A hands on computer fundamen tals class will be offered this fall at Clarendon College. The class, cov-ering topics from basic computer terminology to Internet and e-mail

ise, will begin September 9 and end

available, POFI 1091, from 10 a

to 11 a.m. or 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Mon-

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For more information, please contact Clarendon College at 800-

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DON'T:

* Do not leave items at this Center when it is not open and attended. Items left after hours will be considered illegally dumped and the responsible party can be fined under Chapter 365 of the Health and Safety Code.

* Items such as old furniture, tires, batteries, porcelain fixtures, glass, water heaters, etc. <u>CAN NOT</u> be accepted at this Center

Cotton By Shawn Wade News

Texas FSA Holds First DCP Training Sessions

The past two weeks have found Texas Farm Service Agency County Executive Directors and key staff members hitting the books during two week long training sessions detailing specific components of the new Farm

The FSA training sessions focused on base and yield update provisions included in the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002.

The training sessions worked to familiarize county FSA employees with the training sessions worked to familianze county FSA employees with key portions of the new program, referred to as the Direct and Counter Cyclical Program (DCP) by Farm Service Agency personnel.

Included in the training was information on what producer materials county FSA offices will be asked to prepare prior to the start of the formal

sign-up process and more detailed information about how to carry out specific sign-up details.

Of key importance to producers is the fact that farm operators who have been taking care of paperwork for absentee landlords through Power of Attorney (POA) agreements under the 1996 Farm Bill's provisions will be required to update virtually all of their POA paperwork in order to do the same under the DCP program.

Operators needing copies of the new forms can get them through the

FSA website (www.fsa.usda.gov) or from county FSA offices.
Future FSA training sessions will cover DCP program details for which final decisions have not been made. They are also likely to include an retraining necessitated by changes to previous implementation decisions.

Producers should begin receiving important information from their local county offices in the very near future. Producers are encouraged to read through the materials completely and to take appropriate actions by whatever dates are indicated.

Among the first mailings will be summaries of 1998-2001 acreage fig-ures that producers will be asked to verify for accuracy. This will become an important part of the sign-up process because many later decisions will be made based on the acreage history on file with FSA.

Saying Thanks To Chairman Larry Combest

Business and agriculture leaders across the State are coming together August 27 in Lubbock to express their appreciation to House Agriculture Committee Chairman Larry Combest of Lubbock for his efforts to secure passage of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002.

The event is open to anyone wishing to attend. Scheduled to begin at 5:00 p.m. and conclude by 7:00 p.m., August 27, festivities will be conducted in the Main Exhibit Hall at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

Forty-four agricultural and business entities have signed on to cosponsor the event to date. There is no charge to attend and business people farmers, ranchers and all other interested individuals are encouraged to

Last Week To Get WPS Tractor Raffle Tickets

Women's Protective Services of Lubbock is sponsoring their 3rd Annual Tractor Raffle, August 17 at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center and time is running out to get your chance to win a John Deere 7810 tractor. Tickets will be available through August 16.

Only 2,000 tickets will be sold for the event with raffle ticket prices at \$100. Each ticket purchase includes entry in the raffle and entry for two to the main event August 17. The raffle will be conducted through a reverse draw with the last ticket proclaiming the winner.

The fund-raising event benefits the Lubbock District of W omen's Pro-

To purchase tickets, or to find out where tickets are being sold in your area, contact Women's Protective Services at 806-748-5292

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Natalie Wheeler takes these kids for a Cart Ride at Midnight Madness held last week at Valley School.

4-H Sign-Up Night & Swim Party

It's time to reenroll in 4-H for the 2002-2003 year Briscoe County 4-H will have a 4-H Sign-up Night & Swim Party on Thursday, August 22 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. This year a prize will be given to the 4-Her who recruits the most new 4-H members (not previously in 4-H) and brings them to the Swim Party 4-H is a zero based enrollment program, so everyone must fill out a new enrollment form each year. After a short business meeting, everyone will enjoy swimming and banana splits. Please call the Extension Office at 806-823-2131 to sign up to bring your favorite banana split topping!

Turkey Homecoming 2002

Attention all Turkey residents, exes and classmates. The date for the Turkey Homecoming is Saturday October 12 at the Turkey High School Gym. Hundreds of letters have been mailed out but, if you did not get one it was because no address was available. So if you are reading this consider it your invitation. Anyone who ever lived in Turkey, whether they went to school here or not, is invited to attend.

Cattle Call Restaurant of Amarillo will be catering the noon meal, so if you plan to attend the meal please contact Lawana Cruse by September 10. Tickets will be \$10 each, this pays for the meal and other expenses. Registration for the event will begin at 9:00 a.m. on October 12.

You can send your ticket orders to Lawana Cruse, Box 74, Tarkey, TX 79261 or for more information call 806-423-1273.

College Bound High School Students Should Register For ACT Exam By August 23

The next ACT Assessment will be administered on September 28, 2002. College bound high school students must register for the college admissions test by August 23, the deadline for having the registration postmarked. There is a late registration postmark deadline of September 6, but an extra fee is charged for late registrations. Students can get registration packets from their high school counselors or register on-line at www.act.org.

ACT scores are accepted by virtually all U.S. colleges and universities, including all Ivy League schools. The ACT is not an aptitude test, it is an academic achievement test that measures students on what they learned in high school. Because it is curriculum based, colleges use ACT scores for more than admissions decisions, they use scores to place freshmen into classes that the students are academically prepared to handle. For admissions decisions, colleges use ACT scores along with a student's high school grade point average, college prep courses taken, extracurricular activities and other information. The test fee is \$25.

ACT's website, www.act.org, has helpful information, sample tests and the opportunity to order test prep materials such as ACTive Prep, an interactive CD-ROM that contains practice tests with instant scores and study plans to prepare for the real test. A free sample test is available from high school counselors in a brochure called Preparing for the ACT

Assessment.

The ACT Assessment is only given in 13 states in September, Arizona, California, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Nevada, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Texas and Washington. The ACT Assessment is given 5 times per year in all 50 states and is the number one college entrance exam taken by high school students in 25 states. There are four sections to the test: English, Reading, Math and Science. The ACT Assessment was taken more than 1.7 million times last year by college bound students.





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Harbin Joins Texas Electric Cooperative Board Of Directors

Billy C. Harbin, executive vice president and general manager of Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc. in Floydada, has been elected to the board of directors of Texas Electric Cooperatives Inc. (TEC). The statewide or ganization serves 75 electric cooperatives in Texas. The election was held

August 7 at TEC's 62nd annual membership meeting, in Dallas.

"Tm honored to serve on the TEC board. The association provides valuable assistance to its members and I intend to contribute as much as I possibly can," Harbin said. "Co-ops have outpaced big utilities in gaining the trust of their member-consumers and keeping them satisfied. Our

the trust of their member-consumers and keeping them satisfied. Our goal is to continue providing superior service."

Prior to joining Lighthouse, Harbin was engineering services manager at Lamb County Electric Cooperative Inc., for almost 14 years. He is a second generation co-op employee. His father, Joe Harbin, was a director and later a longtime employee of Bailey County Electric Cooperative.

"It has been my great good fortune to be associated with our program for most of my life," the new director said. "I am grateful for the privilege of serving the wonderful people who are employed by and are member of the electric cooperatives of Texas."

Harbin grew up on a dairy farm in Bailey County and attended Muleshoe High School. He has a degree in agricultural engineering from Texas Tech University.

Texas Tech University.

Active in the community, he has served as president of the local Economic Development Foundation and is chairman of the Municipal Air-port Board. He also is chairman of the Board of Directors of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative.

He and his wife Linda have been married for 35 years. They have one

son, one daughter and three grandson.

Lighthouse Electric Cooperative own 4,000 miles of line and serves approximately 8,000 meters in the Panhandle and South Plains. The counties served are Briscoe, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Dickens, Donley, Floyd, Hale, Hall, Motley and Swisher.

Clarendon College Offering Nursing **Update Training**

Clarendon College will host a nurses training update on Saturday, August 24 from 9 a.m. to noon. The training focusing on Hepatitis C will count as two contact hours of continuing nursing education

The class will be held in the Clarendon College Nursing Build-ing on 313 S. Kearney Street. Cost of the class is \$40, and enrollment is limited to 24 students.

To enroll or for more information, please contact Clarendon College at 800-687-9737 or (806) 874-3571

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* Is it possible to think of Nothing? * If your think your indecisive how can you be sure?

* Is a conclusion simply the place where you got tired of think-

ing?

* What would happen if you had two half baked ideas at the same time?

How do we know if it's later than we think?

* Would you have to think twice before giving something a sec-

* Once a thought has crossed your mind where does it go? And where was it before?

* Isn't Public Opinion just what people think other people are thinking?

* Is it good if a vacuum really sucks? * Why is the third hand on the watch called the second hand?

* Why do "slow down" and "slow up" mean the same thing?

* Why do "fat chance" and "slim chance" mean the same thing?
* Why do "tug" boats push their barges?
* Why are they called "stands" when they are made for sitting? * Why is it called "after dark" when it really is "after light"?

* Doesn't "expecting the unexpected" make the unexpected ex-

Why is "phonics" not spelled the way it sounds?

* If work is so terrific, why do they have to pay you to do it?

* If love is blind, why is lingerie so popular?

* If your are cross-eyed and have dyslexia, can you read all right?

* Why is bra singular and panties plural?

* Why do you press harder on the buttons of a remote control when you know the batteries are dead?

* How come abbreviated is such a long word?

* Why doesn't glue stick to the inside of the bottle? And finally one more to leave with you for this week~

Christmas is weird. What other time of the year do you sit in front of a dead tree and eat candy out of your socks?



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TURKEY-QUITAQUE CISD

Turkey-Quitaque Consolidated Independent School District announced its policy for providing free and reduced price meals for children served under the National School Lunch and Breakfast Program. Each school has a copy of the policy, which may be reviewed by any interested party.

The household size and income criteria identified below will be used to determine eligibility for free and reduced price benefits. Children from households whose income is at or below the levels shown are

eligible for free or reduced price meals. Foster children that are the legal responsibility of a welfare agency or court may also be eligible for benefits regardless of the income of the household with whom they reside. Eligibility for the foster child is based on the child's income

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5	27.534	39.183	2.295	3,266	530	754	
6	31.538	44.881	2,629	3.741	607	864	
7	35.542	50,579	2.962	4.215	684	973	
8	39.546	56.277	3.296	4,690	761	1.083	
9	43.550	61.975	3,630	5.165	828	1,193	
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Application forms will be distributed to all students with a letter informing households of the availability of free and reduced price meals for their children. Applications also are available at the principal's office in each school. To apply for free and reduced price meals, households must fill out the application and return it to the school Applications may be submitted anytime during the school year. The information households provide on the application will be used for the purpose of determining eligibility and verification of data. Applications may be verified by the school officials at any time during the school

For school officials to determine eligibility for free and reduced price benefits, households receiving food stamps or TANF only have to list their child's name, case number and an adult household member must sign the application. Households who do not have a case number must list the names of all household members, the amount and source of the income received by each household member, how often the person received it and the social security number of the adult household member who signs the application. If neither household member has a social security number , the household member must indicate that a social security number is not available. The application must be signed by an adult

Under the provisions of the free and reduced price meal policy school officials will review applications and determine eligibility. Parents and guardians dissatisfied with the ruling of the official may wish to discuss the decision with the reviewing official on an informal basis. Parents wishing to make a formal aspeal for a hearing on the decision may request either orally or in writing to V alley School, Jerry Smith, Supt., P.O. Box 397, Turkey, TX 79261 or call (806) 455-1411.

Households that list a food stamp or TANF case number must report when the household no longer receives these benefits. Other households approved for benefits based on income information must

report increases in household income of over \$50 per month or \$600 per year and decreases in household size. Also, if a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size increases, the household should contact the school. Such changes may make the children of the household eligible for benefits if the household's income falls at or below the levels shown above.

In the operation of child feeding programs administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, no child will be discriminated against because of race, color, sex, national origin, age or handicap. If any member of a household believes they have been discriminated against, they should write to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 2025

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2002 PROPERTY TAX RATES BRISCOE COUNTY

This notice concerns 2002 property tax rates for Briscoe County. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's "Effective" Tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's "Rollback" rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value. law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE:

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Last year's operating taxes	*45	506,020
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Last year's total taxes	- 1	506,020
Last year's tax base	\$ 7	5,177,592
Last year's total tax rate	\$ O.	6731/4100

THIS YEAR'S EFFECTIVE TAX RATE:

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	(after subtracting taxes on lost property)		
1	This year's adjusted tax base	\$	73,736,455
	(after subtracting value of new property)		

This year's effective tax rate .

1.03-maximum rate unless unit publishes \$ 0.7067/\$100

notices and holds hearing

THIS YEAR'S ROLLBACK RATE: Last year's adjusted operating taxes

	(after sub	tracting taxes on lost property)	15	508,490
1	This year's	adjusted tax base	\$	73,736,455
===	This year's	effective operating rate	\$	0.6896/\$100
X	1.08 = This	year's maximum operating rate	\$	0.7447/\$100
+-	This year's	debt rate	45	-0- /\$100

This year's rollback rate

\$ 0.7447/\$100

\$ 0.6862/\$100

STATEMENT OF INCREASE/DECREASE

If Briscoe County adopts a 2002 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$0.6862 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2001 taxes by \$0.013.

UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES:

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund General Administration and Road & Bridge

Balance \$723,123.19

2002 DEBT SERVICE: None

State Criminal Justice Mandate (For Counties):

The Briscoe County Auditor certifies that Briscoe County has spent \$2,470.00 in the previous 12 months beginning July 1, 2001, for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. Briscoe County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.

This notice contains summary of actual effective rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at the Briscoe County Tax Appraisal District, 415 Main (Courthouse), Silverton, Texas.

The person providing the above information is:

Fall Fair Entry Information

your 4-H animal project in one of these fairs , please contact Brandon McGinty at the Briscoe County Extension Office.

State Fair of Texas, Dallas: *Entry deadline is August 25, 2002.
*All market animals must have been purchased by June 30, 2002.

Tri-State Fair, Amarillo: * Entry deadline is August 15, 2002 Lambs will not be allowed to be shorn on the grounds. * Swine show will

be for barrows only. * Goat show will be for wethers only. * Minimum

2002. *There is a maximum of 3 goat entries, 3 swine, 4 lamb entries and 2 steer entries per person. *Wethers or does may be shown. *Minimum weight for goats is 50 lbs. *Both barrows and gilts may be shown. *

Swine must be between 230-270 lbs. * Both wether and ewe lambs may

son and 3 lamb entries for any single class. * Steer Prospect - 700-1,000 lbs. * Steer Progress - 1001 lbs and up. * Barrows or gilts may be shown.

* Swine weights may be called in by 8 p.m. Friday , September 13, 2002. * Swine must be between 140-280 lbs. * Goats must have their milk teeth.

* Fine Wool, Fine Wool Cross, and Medium Wool lambs must be a minimum of 85 lbs. * Southdowns must be a minimum of 70 lbs.

West Texas Fair, Abilene: * Maximum of 2 steer entries per per

* Minimum steer weight is 750 lbs.

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South Plains Fair, Lubbock: * Entry deadline is August 16,

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goat weight is 65 lbs.

Chief Appraiser Position

August 7, 2002 Date

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LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE.

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Last year's operating taxes	1	44,207
Last year's debt taxes	*	()
Last year's total taxes	14	44,207
Last year's tax base	\$	8,678,284
Last year's total tax rate	4-	0.5094/\$100

THIS YEAR'S EFFECTIVE TAX RATE:

	Last year's adjusted taxes	1	44,207
	(after subtracting taxes on lost property)		
1.	This year's adjusted tax base	45	8,679,038
	(after subtracting value of new property)		

This year's effective tax rate \$ 0.5093/\$100

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ТН	IS YEAR'S ROLLBACK RATE:		
	Last year's adjusted operating taxes		
	(after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$	70,741
/	This year's adjusted tax base	*	8,679,038
	This year's effective operating rate	15	0.8150/\$100
×	1.08 = This year's maximum operating rate	*	0.8802/\$100
4-	This year's debt rate	\$	-0- /\$100
	This year's rollback rate	4	0.8802/\$100
	Sales Tax Adjustment Rate	*	0.2957/\$100

STATEMENT OF INCREASE/DECREASE

Rollback Tax Rate

If the City of Quitaque adopts a 2002 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$0.5093 per \$100 of value, taxes would decrease compared to 2001 taxes by \$0.0001.

UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES:

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These are not encumbered by a corresponding debt

Type of Property Tax Fund All Funds

Balance

\$ 0.5845/\$100

SCHEDULE B 2001 DEBT SERVICE: None

EXPECTED REVENUE FROM ADDITIONAL SALES TAX:

In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates. the City of Quitaque estimated that it will receive \$25,682 in additional sales and use tax revenues.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at the Briscoe County Tax Appraisal District, 415 Main (Courthouse), Silverton, Texas.

The person providing the above information is:

Carlye Fleming Signature

Chief Appraiser Position

August 7, 2002 Date

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