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New equipment, public health claim on agenda for commissioners

By Calyn Dunklau calyn@wayneherald.com

Tuesday's morning meeting of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners was a busy one with a lengthy agenda covering topics from communications equipment updates to a claim from the Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department.

After briefly meeting as the Board of Equalization to make a tax correction, the commissioners took appointments from a number of people, the first of these being Julie Rother with the public health department.

Rother presented a claim to the board requesting the county help cover costs incurred by the public health department while they combatted an outbreak of the infectious disease Mycobacterium Bovis also known as Tuberculosis or TB from April of 2014 through 2015.

Because of the extensive research done and the additional man-power brought in to help throughout the process, the public health department's budget had taken a hit. The department runs on a tight \$265,000 a year and the unexpected costs associated with the outbreak added up quickly. Invoices presented to the commissioners totaled \$26,145.36.

Commissioner Randy Larson expressed concerns over the issue.

"I have certain issues with this claim," Larson said. "To me, this opens up a different can of worms that we, or at least I, aren't prepared to deal with.

Rother explained that the various grants and contracts that generally cover them by the state wouldn't cover this. She also told the board that some entities get local tax money, but that Wayne's public health department did not, which is why money was taken from the department's general fund to help cover the costs.

"We brought this to the board in good faith," Rother said. "We wouldn't bring it to you frivolously."

Larson expressed his feelings on the expenditures being part of the normal duties and expenses incurred by such a department, but Rother disagreed, stating that this particular case was out of the ordinary. Ultimately, after discussing the matter, the board acted upon the recommendation given by the county attorney Mike Pieper. After deducting what expected reimbursements by the state would total, it left just \$746.14 remaining. A motion by Commissioner Dean Burbach was seconded by Larson and passed. Commissioner Jim Rabe abstained from the vote as he is chairman of the board for the public health department. Following that claim, Emergency Manager Nic Kemnitz and County Sheriff Jason Dwinell came before the board to discuss communication equipment needs they are facing. Currently personally carried and car-installed radios are nearing their end of life, meaning parts and service to fix these machines will no longer be available. The radios in use were purchased roughly 10 years ago and are unable to be used to communicate inter-departmentally. In other words, old technology prevents communication on the radios to happen between the sheriff's deputies and state troopers, city police or campus security. Kemnitz informed the board of a deal the state struck with Motorola where if purchased in the next year, portable and installed radios would be sold at a 40 percent discount in the state due to the number of entities facing the same end-of-life problems Wayne is. Each portable radio costs roughly \$7,000 and each car radio costs around \$5,300, both after the discount. "They are expensive," Kemnitz said. "That's why we've put it off this far." Dwinell and Kemnitz came to the board suggesting the purchase of the seven portable radios needed between the deputies and themselves, but the commissioners expressed concerns about missing such good pricing on the car radios if they waited to do those a couple at a time when the vehicles driven by the deputies were upgraded to newer models. Commissioner Rabe said he would like to see, at the very least, the emergency management trailer be equipped with a new installed radio along side the new portable radios. After further discussion, the board was happy to sign off on the purchase of the seven portable radios but encouraged Kemnitz and Dwinell to look into the other radios.

Prancin' Pippin



(Contributed photo)

Students Stephanie Aschoff (left) and Reanna Lawyer (right) walk Pippin the therapy pony in training down the halls of Laurel-Concord-Coleridge high school.

By: Courtney Upah Wayne Herald Intern

> Pippin — a therapy pony in training — pranced into Laurel-Concord-Coleridge Schools on Oct. 12.

> Pippin is 4 years old, seal brown in color, and stands at 42 inches making him larger than most ponies used

> for therapy. He is from the group Personal Ponies. "I have been a member of Personal Ponies since 2000, and I found out about them through the special Olympics," said Irene Graves, agriculture teacher and

"Every Monday the girls and I get together to figure out a schedule of who will take care of Pippin when. The girls have been working on training him," Graves said.

Lawyer and Aschoff are participating in this as a supervised Ag. Experience, and this was brought forward by the FFA.

"Neither of girls had a horse, so this supervised experience is having them care for this pony, Pippin," Graves said. "Some of these children have never touched a horse before, so this is a new experience for



Dr. Barbra Hayford, WSC professor, presents her proposal for the lagoon at Tuesday's council meeting.

Lagoon is hot topic for coucil

By Calyn Dunklau calyn@wayneherald.com

The waste-water treatment lagoon was addressed two-fold in Tuesday's meeting of the Wayne City Council.

Not only was there discussion of sludge removal on the city's part, but a Wayne State College professor presented a proposal for the lagoon after clean up was completed.

After taking bids, the council approved one for \$249,000 to have Midwest Injection, Inc. remove 2,000 dry-weight tons of sludge from the bottom of the now-defunct lagoon.

While the cost was more than some council members cared to see, upon hearing that bids for projects in other communities taking place next year were coming in at 20-25 percent higher thank this year's prices, council voted unanimously to award the contract to Midwest Injection.

One council member, Cale Giese, had expressed frustration over the high cost of the job, but grew more concerned about higher costs coming next year if the 2,000 ton contract didn't cover all of the sludge left in the lagoon and the city were forced to do the bidding process over again. He was assured that there was a possibility of adding additional weight once the project got started if it was apparent the 2,000 ton contract wouldn't cut it.

But the lagoon was still the point of discussion after the contract had been awarded thanks to Biology professor Dr. Barbara Hayford.

Hayford presented a brief powerpoint proposing turning the lagoon into a shallow pond suited for

Larson told the two to "order the handhelds, but explore the rest of it" and to try to get a total price to the board for all the radios.

Mark Casey, Highway Superintendent brought updates before the board, including a See Commissioners, Page 4A FFA adviser at LCC high school.

Personal Ponies is a national organization. This group originally had goal families with special needs children, but has since grown so they try to get ponies into therapeutic centers to reach more people.

Graves has been working with LCC students Reanna Lawyer and Stephanie Aschoff, so they can train Pippin to be a therapy pony as well.

them."

Pippin is house trained and is progressing towards being trained as a therapy pony as well. Graves has had Pippin since he was younger, and she has big plans for him.

"As he becomes stronger and more capable he should be able to go to a care center. He already is giving rides," Graves said.

Chamber Coffee



INSIDE

Local student Eli Barner wins area art contest sponsored by the Lions Club and moves up to district contest. See page 6B The difference between nitrate nitrogen and nitrates is explained by Wayne County Extension Educator Keith Jarvi. See page 5C The opinion page is packed full, with a Capitol Focus column, two letters to the Editor and a brief staff editorial. See page 5B teaching and bird-watching, among other activities.

Hayford's Environmental Concerns class put the proposal together with her, pushing for utilizing a potential resource right here in town. Hayford argued that amenities such as the proposed pond are a draw for those moving to the area.

"We all know a vibrant economy requires growth and it requires change," Hayford said. "We need to attract that age group of 18-24 year olds, keep people in rural communities. Job opportunities are not enough to retain them."

Her proposal included having access roads from both sides and said the pond would be attractive to people using the walking trail nearby.

But her main point was with education. Hayford called upon studies regarding outdoor education experiences.

"When students are outside and engaged, they learn a lot more. It is so valuable."

Her hope was that a small dock would be built to access the middle of the pond for educational outings. She said that migratory birds would utilize this as a stop along their route, touching on conservation of rarer species and the economic impact of hunters and bird watchers coming from the surrounding areas to take advantage of the pond's draw for birds.

An audience member questioned making the pond deep enough to fish, which is doable, but substantially more expensive.

Ultimately, the council didn't make a motion, but did seem interested in the idea of a pond there and plan to continue the conversation of what to do with that area once cleanup is finished.

Bids were accepted for a compact excavator to be split between three city departments. The lowest of the four, was from Nebraska Harvestore.

Their Bobcat excavator bid came in at \$40,826, several thousand lower than the highest bid.

After a lengthy discussion centering around buying versus renting, the council voted in favor of purchasing the piece of equipment.

Jon Haase voted against the purchase, arguing that he felt the equipment the city already had was sufficient and the rental costs would be lower overall than purchasing.

In other council action, the Nebraska Department of Roads annual maintenance agreement was accepted and discussion on annexation of the proposed event center north of the golf course was held.

No answers were given on the event center's sewer options, but an annexation study will be ordered to determine the best way to go about annexation if annexation is the most sensible course of action.

The council will meet again Nov. 15 at 5:30 p.m. in the council chambers at the City Municipalities building.



Obituaries

Lucille Nelson

Lucille Nelson, 95, of Carroll, died Thursday, Oct. 27, 2016 at Careage Campus of Care in Wayne.

Services will be held Wednesday, Nov. 2 at 10:30 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne. Fr. Jeff Mollner, Fr. James F. McCluskey,



Fr. Mark Beran, Deacon Pat Gross and Deacon Gary French will officiate. Visitation will be held Tuesday, Nov. 1 from 6 to 8 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne with a vigil service at 7 p.m.

Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery at Carroll.

Memorials may be directed to the Nelson family for later designation

Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home of Wayne. Lucille Marie Nelson was born Oct. 9, 1921 on a farm near Carroll to Henry and Jennie (Grandgenett) Harmeier. She graduated from Carroll High School and attended Wayne State College. She was a teacher in a country school west of Carroll before her marriage. Lucille married Harry

Nelson on May 28, 1942 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne. The couple farmed near Wayne for a few years before moving to a farm north of Carroll. After farming for 30 years, the couple moved into Carroll in 1979. Lucille was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and the Happy Workers Club

Survivors include her son, LeRoy (Trudy) Nelson of Yankton, S.D.; daughters, Shirley (Richard) Woslager of Carroll, and Pat (Randy) Brudigan of Ainsworth; seven grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Harry in 2002; a sister, Hazel (Eugene) Leonard, and brothers, Melvin Harmeier, Leo Harmeier, Richard Harmeier and Merlin Harmeier.

Pallbearers will be Curt Nelson, Cory Nelson, Jess Zeiss, Dave Woslager, Robbie Harmeier, Darin Brudigan, Dan Harmeier, Rick Harmeier, Anthony Brown and Bob Harmeier.

Verna E. Brogren-Miller

Verna E. Brogren-Miller, 93, of Wayne, formerly of Hoskins, died Saturday, Oct. 29, 2016 at Brookdale in Wayne.

Service will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 5 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Hoskins. Burial will be at Hillcrest Memorial Park Cemetery in Norfolk. Vistiation will be Friday, Nov. 4 from 4 - 7 p.m. at Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk.

Arrangements are with Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk.



Pet of the Week

The Pet of the Week at Tenderheart Animal Rescue is Mike.

This blue-grey boy appeared on the front steps at Renee's on Saturday evening requesting food and attention. Mike is very affectionate, loves laps and kids. He would make a great family cat.

act Tenderheart Animal Rescue at

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Velma Dennis

Velma Fern Dennis, 88, of Dixon, died Thursday, Oct. 27, 2016 at Mercy Medical Center in Sioux City, Iowa.

As Velma requested, cremation will take place and a memorial service will be 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 2 at Pilgrim Congregational United

Church of Christ in Coleridge with the Rev. Gary Kimm officiating. Burial of cremated remains will be in the Coleridge City Cemetery. A gathering of friends and family is from 5 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 1 at the Wintz Funeral Home in Coleridge.

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To post an online sympathy message visit wintzrayfuneralhome. com

Velma Fern Dennis was born May 6, 1928 in Coleridge to William E. and Alda (Shutt) Sassaman. She grew up in Coleridge and graduated from Coleridge High school in 1945. Velma worked at the Farmer's Union Store during high school. Following high school, she became the head bookkeeper at the Farmer's Union until marrying Dale C. Dennis on

Jan. 9, 1949. Nine children were born to this couple: Dale W. "Bill", Dianne, Debra, Patti, Lori, David, V. Jolene, Denise and Lisa. Velma started her postal career in 1966 as a clerk in the Coleridge Post Office. After a few years and her hours being cut with Coleridge, she loaned to the Norfolk Post Office for more hours. During that time she purchased Pfund Trucking and operated the trucking company until being appointed Postmaster at Dixon on June 17, 1979. Velma was appointed Postmaster the same day that the Coleridge Postmaster, Bruce Bohlken, retired. This left Coleridge in a bind as the rural carrier and the officerin-charge assigned to Coleridge were both on annual leave and the other clerk was delivering the rural routes. So Velma's first three days as Postmaster were served as a fill-in at the Coleridge Post Office. During her tenure as Postmaster, Velma served officer-in-charge assignments at the Atkinson, Emerson, Orchard and Wakefield post offices. She also loaned to the Laurel and Pender offices when needed, working a total of nine post offices during her postal career. Velma retired with a total of 32 years with the postal service.

Velma was active as a den mother for Cub Scouts and Cookie Chairman for the Girl Scouts. She was a Sunday school teacher for years at the Methodist Church in Coleridge as well as the United Methodist Church in Dixon, after moving there and held many offices in the church women's groups. She enjoyed quilting, playing cards, bowling, dominoes, traveling, crafts and spending time with friends and relatives, especially their "No Boys Allowed" weekends.

Velma was also very involved in community projects and was one of the organizers and continuous members of the Dixon Community Improvement Committee. Her pet project was to clear Dixon of the junk car image. She didn't like when people would ask, "Where is Dixon?" and the reply was, "Turn where the junk cars are." She purchased the junk car lot and donated it to the Village to be developed and maintained as a city park. It is known as Centennial Park and was dedicated August 1990.

Survivors include her six daughters: Debra (Kevin) O'Bleness of Anchorage, Alaska; Patti (Steve) Wattier of Wayne; Lori Spahr of Coleridge; Jolene Dennis of Ft. Thompson, S. D.; Denise (Loyd) Jones of Lincoln; and Lisa Abler of Lincoln; daughter-in-law, Liz Dennis of Los Algodones, Mexico; 13 grandchildren; 11 great grandchildren; one great great granddaughter; sister, Mary (Al) Lich of Washington, Ind.; brother, Lysle "Mert" (Norma) Sassaman of Ft. Mohave, Ariz.; two sisters-in-law, If you would like to make Mike a Sandra Sassaman of Wisner, and Lenny Dennis of Osmond, ; brothermember of your family, please con- in-law, Wayne Lich of Lyons, Ind.; special friends, Darlene and Dallas Puntney of Stromsburg: and many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Dale Dennis in 1970; infant daughter, Dianne Rae Dennis; two sons, Bill and David Dennis; one great grandson, Aaron Surber; two brothers, Gene and Verne Sassaman; sister, Lorna Lich; sister-in-law, Kathryn Sassaman; and special friend, John Pfund

Buford Prince Buford Prince, 76, of Norfolk formerly of Winside and Wayne, died Sunday, Oct. 30, 2016 at the Plainview Manor.

Services will be held Friday, Nov. 4 at 11 a.m. at the United Methodist Church in Winside. The Rev. Abiba Alice Shomari will officiate. Visitation will be Friday from 9:30 a.m. until service time at the church.

Burial will be in Pleasant View Cemetery Winside.

Memorials may be directed to the Prince family for later designation. Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home of Wayne.

Buford Lawrence Prince was born Nov. 12, 1939 in Norfolk. He graduated from Winside High School in 1957. In the 1960s, he worked in Wayne for Wayne Cold Storage. He moved to Boise, Idaho where he worked for the State of Idaho for several years before returning to Norfolk. In Norfolk, Buford worked in various custodian jobs before his retirement. Buford's favorite past times were fishing and watching westerns and baseball.

Survivors include his siblings, Phyllis Prince of Wayne, Russell (Lor raine) Prince of Winside, and Chuck Prince of Wayne; aunt and uncle, Effie and Norris Hansen of Wayne; cousins; nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Cecil and Memphis (Tibbs) Prince

Honorary pallbearers will be Buford's nieces and nephews, Paul Dean, Bev Prince, Kathy Prince, Brad Polt and Cheri Prince.

Active pallbearers will be Buford's nieces and nephews, Lori Dean, Roger Prince, Ron Prince, Ryan Prince, Lana Polt and Randy Prince.

WSC MBA students join Green Team to offer recycling award

Wayne State College online MBA and the group of business students students and the Wayne Green worked together to launch the Team encourage everyone to nomi- second annual Zero Hero Award nate individuals for the Zero Hero campaign. Students participated in Award on the Wayne Green Team various tasks for the project includ-Facebook page this semester.

The award will recognize outstanding individuals who go above and beyond to reduce, reuse, or vey, creating an online campaign, recycle in Wayne or the surrounding area.

Nominees should be individuals or groups who are dedicated to ecological friendly initiatives such as reducing water and energy use, recycling, and reducing waste. The campaign will not only recognize outstanding individuals and groups, but will also encourage the community to get involved in green fill out the quick form at: www. initiatives and to move closer to zero waste

Wayne Green Team is a nonprofit community group that works need of student assistance, please hard to ensure Wayne is moving contact WSC Professor Laura toward zero waste with eco-friendly efforts in Wayne.

Dr. Laura Dendinger of WSC

Wayne State to perform classical, spiritual and traditional works during Choir Concert

The Wayne State Concert Choir and WSC orchestra director Shelly will perform Italian works from the Armstrong. Finally, the choir perclassical era, traditional Lutheran forms a traditional Zambian Folk selections and African-American Song, Bonse Aba and an Africanand African spirituals during their performance on Monday, Nov. 21 at Our Savior Lutheran Church at 7:30 p.m. The program includes new arrangements and compositions, choral repertoire staples and lesser-known gems. WSC accompanist Philip Pfaltzgraff will play opera composer Gioachino Rossini's lyrical Quartetto Pastorale and the rousing Il Carnevale di Venezia. Written for the annual Venice carnival. Il Carvenale was originally performed by the composer and his friend, virtuoso violinist, Niccolò Paganini. Student conductor Aaron Von Seggern of Creighton leads the choir in With a Voice of Singing by Kenneth Jennings, the late conductor of the St. Olaf Choir. The the public. For more information. choir also premieres a new arrange- please contact Matthew Armstrong ment, He Leadeth Me, by choral director WSC Matthew Armstrong

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and creating a Twitter page for the

Green Team, check out their web-

site at www.cityofwayne.org/green-

team. You can also like the Wayne

Green Team's Facebook page or

follow the Wayne Green Team on

To nominate a Zero Hero please

Anyone involved with a nonprofit

(in the greater Wayne area) and in

Dendinger at 402-375-7020 or

ladendi1@wsc.edu.

Twitter@WAYNEGREENTEAM.

surveymonkey.com/r/BBMNJY6.

To learn more about The Wayne

campaign (@WayneGreenTeam).



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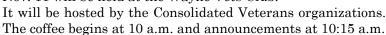
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Chamber Coffee

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WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Nov. 4 at JB Mart at Sixth and Main Streets. It will include a ribbon cutting. The coffee on Friday, Nov. 11 will be held at the Wayne Vets Club.



Soup supper

AREA — A Soup Supper will be held Thursday, Nov. 10 at the Wayne Masonic Lodge, located at 911 North Lincoln Streets in Wayne. Serving will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Chili, vegetable beef, chicken noodle and bean soup, along with relishes, drinks and dessert will be served. All proceeds will be used for academic scholarships, Masonic All-Star scholarships and the CHIP program. The lower level of the Lodge Hall is handicap accessible.

Austin Benefit

AREA — A benefit for Alexander Austin will be held Sunday, Nov. 6 at the Wayne City Auditorium. The event includes a meal, silent auction and bake sale. The bake sale begins at 4:30 p.m. and the silent auction runs from 4:30-6:30 p.m. The meal will be served from 5 p.m. until gone. Austin was injured in Idaho in late July and is continuing to recover at Madonna Rehabilitation Center in Lincoln. Monetary donations can be made at F & M Bank in Wayne

College wrestling

AREA — The Wayne State Wrestling Wildcats will open their season on Friday, Nov. 4 and Saturday, Nov. 5. Wrestling will take place starting at 6 p.m. on Friday and 9 a.m. on Saturday at Wayne Elementary School. Admission will be charged; however, youth will get in free and coaches/teams will receive a discount. For more information contact Greg Vanderweil at (402) 375-7283.



Leadership graduate Bob Ensz, Wayne Rotary Club President, recently complet-

ed and graduated from the Rotary Leadership Institute Course held at Dundee Presbyterian Church in Omaha. The course is designed to enhance leadership skills in the voluntary service organization. Rotary is a worldwide organization of business, professional, and educational leaders that provides humanitarian service, encourages high ethical standards in all vocations, and helps build goodwill and peace in the world. Ensz is pictured here with the other graduates. He is on the right in the back row.



Working hard for the Wayne Community Paid for by Nick Muir - 729 Walnut Drive - Wayne NE 68787

Pfaltzgraff will direct an energetic Cry Out and Shout by Knut Nystedt. Katie Welsh of Wahoo plays piano for the beautiful Lullaby by Daniel Elder, followed by Jester Hairston's Elijah Rock, featuring the bass section. Bennett Lamplot of Thurston and a jazz ensemble portray a Mark Hayes arrangement of George and Ira Gershwin's Fascinating Rhythm. Samantha Bierbower of Wakefield serves as pianist for Favorite Song of All, arranged by Carol Cymbala.

During the finale, both choirs perform the traditional text Dona Nobis Pacem from a larger work for piano and choir, The Gospel Mass, written by Pfaltzgraff.

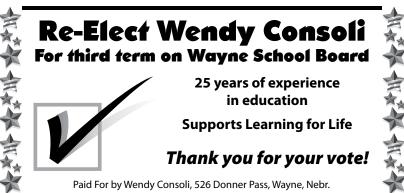
The concert is free and open to at (402) 375-7358 or maarmst1@ wsc.edu.

Two all senior art exhibits unveiled at Wayne State

Department of Art and Design found in nature, Brandow urges exhibits works by senior artists Molly Kingsley and Katelyn Brandow in the Nordstrand Visual Arts Gallery, Nov. 9 to 22. An opening reception introduces the show Wednesday, Nov. 9 from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. The reception is free and open to the public.

Kingsley of Bellevue majors in art education. Photorealism and imagined imagery drives Kingsley's ingenuity in printmaking and painting.

Brandow of Hartington majors



The Wayne State College in studio arts. Drawing inspiration viewer reaction and imagination through ceramics and painting.

The gallery is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. All shows end at noon on closing day.

For more information on this exhibition and upcoming shows, or to learn more about the Nordstrand Visual Arts Gallery, visit www. wsc.edu/artgallery or contact Andy Haslit, Assistant Professor of Art History and Gallery Director at (402) 375-7031.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Taking part in Tuesday's Legacy Fund vision meeting were (front) Eric Knutson, Molly Redden, Liz Onderstal, Gail McCorkindale, Josie Broders and Stephanie Liska. (back) Anders Olson, Kevin Halle, Andrea Zara, Jared Heithold, Lukas Rix, Bill Dickey, Dr. James Lindau and Deb Dickey. Not picture, Greta Leach.

Future of Wayne discussed during vision meeting by newly-formed fund

Members of a newly created Wayne Area Legacy Fund, along with members of the community gathered Tuesday to "turn on their dream switch" in regard to the future of Wayne.

Bill Dickey, chairman of the committee, welcomed those in attendance to the visioning session and explained how a similar group organized approximately 28 years ago was responsible for improvements within the community such as Rainbow World Childcare and the Wayne Public Library/Senior Center.

He said the Wayne Area Legacy Fund committee was formed approximately four months ago and Wayne joins 255 other communities in the state with such foundations.

Facilitated by Greta Leach and Anders Olson with the Nebraska Community Foundation, the group brainstormed on things they would like to see in the community within the next 20 years.

Leach explained to the audience the benefits of having a foundation such as this in place and said "with a foundation, the generosity of the community increas-

After compiling a list of 'dreams' the group arranged

them into specific categories, such as entertainment, a culture of sustainability, attracting growth, education and relationships.

Listed as things the group would like to see in the community were a Middle Center, affordable housing, historic preservation, building on area community relationships, public transportation,

The final activity of the evening included completing the phrase, "Wayne is a place..."

Suggestions included such things as "with robust, cooperative relationships," "that cares for the earth and people who live here" and "where you can come, live and grow."

Information gathered at Tuesday's meeting will be presented to the Advisory Committee as the group moves forward to create a 501C3 Foundation in which community members can contribute for the good of the community, rather than specific projects.

In addition to Bill Dickey, members of the community include Andrea Zara, Vice Chair; Jeaney Harris, Secretary; Stephanie Liska, Treasurer; Jonah Brodersen, Eric Knutson, Jared Heithold, Molly Redden, Liz Onderstal and Kevin Halle.



(Contributed photos)

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Observing Fire Prevention Week

Winside kindergarten and first grade classes toured the Winside Fire Station in observance of National Fire Prevention Week. The fire fighters demonstrated fire safety techniques and new equipment, showed the fire emergency vehicles, and gave the students a ride back to school in the antique fire engine. The boys and girls also left with a special goody bag from the department. Special thanks were given to Winside Fire Fighers and EMTs Susie Rabe, Chris Olander, Robin and Levi Dotson, Brian Petzoldt, Kyle Skokan, and Don Skokan for making the tour possible.



Debut of 'How Shakespeare Won the West' to be performed at WSC

Bawdy, comical, theatrical, a festival of free spirits and resiliency...are delightful descriptions of "How Shakespeare Won the West" by Richard Nelson.

Wayne State College will pres-

The play reveals a ragtag acting troupe as they head West during the Gold Rush. Seeking fortune

with free admission for WSC students, faculty and staff. There will be no reserved seats. Tickets will be available at the door. Seating is

"How Shakespeare Won the West" includes a cast and pit band comprised of WSC students and faculty. The play is directed by Mollie Spieker, assisted by Angelica Villalobos. Stage manager is Kristen Brokenicky. The play is being performed with permission by Broadway Play Publishing.

For more information, contact

Wayne State ranked among top value in **Counseling Master's Degrees in Nebraska**

Top Counseling Schools has ranked Wayne State College among Nebraska's top value master's degrees in counseling.

Wayne State was ranked third in Nebraska. The ranking was published on the organization's website in October.

This ranking was created using the Council for Accreditation of Counseling & Related Educational Programs (CACREP) to acquire Clinical Mental Health Counseling, lists of the accredited counseling School Counseling, and Student Af-

cation to students' success," said WSC President Marysz Rames. "At Wayne State, all of the ingredients necessary for an outstanding educational experience are in place: the right size, strong teaching, plenty of support, and opportunities for involvement and interaction."

The master's degree program in counseling at Wayne State offers concentrations in three areas: date information for counseling students and professionals to help them achieve their educational and career goals. The site answers many common questions regarding higher education degrees, careers, and groundbreaking concepts in the counseling field.

TCS contains beneficial information about financial aid and scholarships for students seeking a postgraduate degree in counseling.

ent this lively performance Thursday-Saturday, Nov. 17-19 at 7 p.m., and again on Sunday, Nov. 20 at 3 p.m. All shows take place in the Black Box Theatre located in the Lied Performing Arts Annex of the Peterson Fine Arts Building.

and fame, they plan to capitalize

on the love of Shakespeare by performing for enthusiastic '49ers. Stiff competition, romantic entanglements, and an Indian chief who sees himself in King Lear complilimited. cate the troupe's ambitious cross-

country adventure. Such abounding challenges are both dangerous and eye-opening for the travelers and those they meet. Embracing elements of Shakespearean comedy and American vaudeville, this show is a jubilant celebration of the human spirit and a testament of the universal power of art.

Ticket prices are \$5 per person, Mollie Spieker at mospiek1@wsc.

degrees available in each state.

The top programs in Nebraska were ranked based on program completion rate, job placement rate, licensing exam pass rate, accreditation length, research productivity, and tuition and fees.

"This ranking as a top value counseling program is a testament to the quality and affordability of a Wildcat education and our dedi-

fairs & College Counseling. The department's counseling program is accredited by both CACREP and the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE).

More information about the master's counseling program can be found at wsc.edu/mse-counseling. Top Counseling Schools offers meaningful content and up-to-

The site spotlights affordable counseling programs, predicts which counseling careers offer the highest paying salaries, and ranks the best college programs for counseling careers. The site also offers articles and links to professional counseling resources.

See the full article and rankings at topcounselingschools.org/masters/in/nebraska/

Lofgren receives Excalibur Award for her outstanding Library leadership

Lauran Lofgren, Director of the Wayne Public Library, is this year's recipient of the Excalibur Award.

Only one person per year receives this award in the State of Nebraska. This state award is presented to an outstanding public librarian.

The Public Library and Trustee Section (PLTS) of the Nebraska Library Association (NLA) selected Lauran Lofgren for the Excalibur Award for Outstanding Public Librarian. This award honors the career

accomplishments of a public librar-

ian who has demonstrated an out-

standing record of excellence and

service to his/her local library and

consideration of the award are:

Among the areas included in

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Weed management area awarded grant by Nebraska Department of Agriculture

The Northeast Nebraska Weed Management Area (NNWMA) is a project of the Northeast Nebraska Resource Conservation & Development Council and just recently they were awarded a \$10,000 grant from the Nebraska Department of Agriculture.

The project will be dealing with the early detection and control of noxious and invasive weeds, especially Yellow Flag Iris, along the Elkhorn River drainage in Holt and Antelope Counies.

The Upper Elkhorn Natural Resources District is a major partner in this project and is providing \$5,000 in matching funds.

They wanted to assist in this

way because noxious and invasive weeds can clog waterways, utilize nutrients and water that other plants need, they can reduce property values if not managed properly, and are detrimental to the natural resources.

This project will also help to educate residents within the basin about plant identification and provide assistance in mapping and controlling or eradicating these undesirable species.

Grant funding is coming from monies provided through LB1038, the 2016 Riparian Vegetation Management Grant program.

The goals of this program are to provide funds to weed management programs in Nebraska, promote collaborative efforts to survey and manage noxious and invasive weeds, support innovative integrated approaches to weed management, and to build public awareness of the adverse impacts of noxious weeds and invasive plants and the need for proactive control.

The RC&D Council looks forward to continuing their service to citizens through projects that will make life better for people in Antelope, Cedar, Dixon, Knox, Pierce, and Wayne.



A Jolly Trolley Christmas

Veteran's Day program planned at Wayne Community Schools

Wayne Community Schools will be having a Veteran's Day assembly on Friday, Nov. 11 at 9 a.m. in the Wayne High School gym.

The assembly will include readings from junior high and high school students, music from the 9-12 band and 7-12 choir.

Featured speaker for this year's

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program will be Ben Marksmeier, an Iraq veteran.

Extra handicap parking will be available in the front of the school for visitors attending the Veteran's Day assembly.

All veterans and community members are welcome to be a part of this year's program.

Jennifer Sievers Wayne City Council Ward 2

Community Involvement Communication with Citizens

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November 19th 5:00 - 8:00 pm Downtown Wayne, NE

Important to Me: Community Growth

+ 4A The Wayne Herald – Thursday, November 3, 2016 Roger Van approved for parole Roger Van, former owner of a years and because of that he is

Van

floral shop on Main Street here in Wayne, was approved for parole after serving 13 years in prison for sexually assaulting and torturing a Texas man in the basement of his storefront.

Van, 69, had been convicted on several charges, including firstdegree sexual assault, first-degree assault and first-degree false imprisonment, among others.

Van maintained his innocence and appealed his sentence in 2004, but the request was denied. Van stated before the board Fri-

day that he had participated in the prison's "I Help" program for three

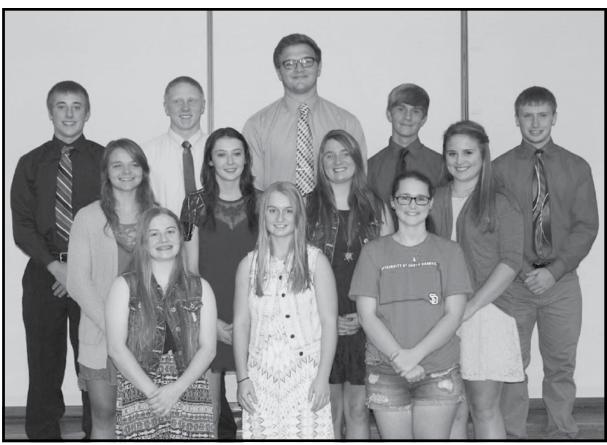
aware of what his risk factors are and how to deal with them.

His release was set for June 2018, but the Nebraska Board of Parole unanimously approved Van's release on Friday.

Parole conditions require him to register as a sex offender and he will be required to wear an electronic monitoring device.

Van won't be released from Community Corrections Center-Lincoln until the parole board sees his housing approval from an apartment complex that allows sex-offenders.

Frighteningly good fun 69-1305



(Contributed photo)

National Honor Society induction

Ceremonies were held recently at Winside High School to induct new members into the National Honor Society. Those taking part included (front) Sarah Wolfe, Haylee Cummins (new member) and Abby Schwedhelm (new member). Middle row, Alex Bargstadt, Callie Finn, Kellie Kampa (new member) and Erin Clocker (new member). Back row, Colton Jensen (new member), Brandon Watters, Cory Shoff, Cody Frederick (new member) and Zach Morris (new member). The National Honor Society advisor is Penny Baier.

'Tis the season



(Photo by Clara Osten) City crews were busy in downtown Wayne on Monday checking the **Christmas lights** on the buildings along Main Street. The Wayne Electric Department went from building to building, checking lights and installing new bulbs where needed. Clayton Dredge (left) spent most of his morning in the bucket working with lights.

Christmas on Main set for Nov. 17

Business owners and community members are be- Double stamps will also be given on Black Friday ing reminded that holiday promotions in Wayne kick and Small Business Saturday. Two cards will be off on Thursday, Nov. 17 with the annual Christmas drawn for \$50 Chamber Bucks during Friday Chamber Coffees on Dec. 2, 9, and 16. Two \$200 winners will be drawn on Dec. 23. Contact the office by Nov. 11 to be included in the Holiday Stamp Card Promotion. Small Business Saturday will be celebrated on Nov. 26. Businesses can sign up to promote their own Small Business events on the American Express Small Business Saturday website. Free customized promotional materials are also available through that website if you sign up by Nov. 11. By registering your business, you will be listed in the Shop Small Guide. Businesses do not have to accept American Express to participate, however, from now through Dec. 31, American Express will be sponsoring an offer where shoppers can earn 2X rewards at qualifying small businesses when they use their American Express Card. Anyone who signed up last year or before should revisit the site to update information and confirm a location on the map.

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Starting last week with a spooky pet parade through Monday evening trick-or-treating, Halloween was celebrated by hundreds of children in the area. With several trunk-or-treat locations, Halloween parties and good weather for hitting the pavement, kids made out like bandits with their Halloween loot.

CAMPUS EVENTS...

Contact information is listed with the events when possible. If you have questions, check our calendar at wsc.edu/calendar or call College Relations at 402-375-7324.

Facing up to Beetles: An Entomologist's Perspective

Get up close and personal with a series of insect exhibits. All events are free and open to the public. Oct. 3-Dec. 18 - WSC Carhart Science Building main floor Oct. 20-Nov. 22 - WSC's Kanter Student Center lower level Oct. 19-Nov. 22 - US Conn Library at WSC Nov. 10 - Wayne Elementary School (during Math and Science Night), 5:30-7 p.m. For information: Dr. Barbara Hayford at 402-375-7338.

November Planetarium Shows, Carhart Science Building Laser Light Shows including Laser Beatles, Laser Pink Floyd, Laser Zeppelin, Winter Holiday Laser Adventures, Laser Safari, and a Black History Laser Tribute. A full schedule can be found at wsc.edu/planetarium. For information: Dr. Todd Young at 402-375-7471 or toyoung1@wsc.edu.

Nov. 3 & 4 - Planetarium Shows, Carhart Science Building 7:30 p.m. - Under the Stars III will be synced with live chamber music by the Black Box Trio. Admission is free, however seating is limited. For information: Department of Music at 402-375-7359.

Nov. 6 - Orchestra Fall Concert, Ramsey Theatre, Peterson Fine Arts Building, 7 p.m. Admission is free. For information: Department of Music at 402-375-7359.



Nov. 8 - Pfaltzgraff and Pfriends Concert, Ley Theatre, Brandenburg Education Building, 7:30 p.m. Admission is free. For information: Department of Music at 402-375-7359.

Nov. 9-22 - Senior Art Exhibit by senior artists Molly Kingsley and Katelyn Brandow in the Nordstrand Visual Arts Gallery, Peterson Fine Arts Building, Opening reception Nov. 9 from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. For information: Andy Haslit at 402-375-7031.

Nov. 10 - Keyboard Studio Recital, Ramsey Theatre, Peterson Fine Arts Building, 7:30 p.m. Admission is free. For information: Department of Music at 402-375-7359.

Madrigal Dinner Tickets on Sale!

Purchase tickets through the ticket office - Monday through Friday from 1 to 6 p.m. at 402-375-7407 or the website at wsc.edu/madrigals. Ticket prices are \$30 per ticket through Nov. 21. After Nov. 21, the per ticket price increases to \$35.

Madrigal singers clad in 16th century attire entertain with music, poetry, and comedy. The feast features a succulent multi-course dinner.

The dinners will be Dec. 3 at 7 p.m., and Dec. 4 at 5:30 p.m. in the Frey Conference Suite, Kanter Student Center. on Main events.

Businesses are encouraged to host open houses featuring gift ideas for the holidays and treats for customers

The Parade of Lights will travel down Main Street from Sixth to First Street at 6:30 p.m. Any festively lit entry is welcome. Line up is first come, first in line on West Sixth Street. Pre-registration is preferred but not required. Parade entries are to be specially mindful that this is a night time parade with limited visibility and any candy or treats should be handed out by walkers and not tossed from a moving entry.

Fantasy Forest is still a work in progress but decorated trees will be featured in participating businesses, decorated by businesses, clubs, and organizations. Shoppers are invited to share good cheer by donating items to various charitable organizations represented by the trees.

A total of \$700 will be given away in the Holiday Stamp Card Promotion which begins on Nov. 17 with double stamps for purchases made that day.

Commissioners

From Page 1A

change to the language of the Wayne County driveway policy.

The policy wasn't the most concise and Casey's changes made it clear that the board has the power proved a bid of \$7,850 for a new commissioners is set for Nov.15 at

trances are located.

"I think we need to have the final say of location and such, just for traffic safety," Casey said.

In other business, the board apto decide where field or drive en- Caterpillar 990 v-plow blade to be 9 a.m. at the courthouse.

used in Larson's district. Another bid was accepted by the board from Arnies Ford for a 2017 Ford Explorer at the price of \$27,825.

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Sports



Allen's playoff hopes dashed in loss WSC football loses in final minutes

BRUNING - The Allen Eagles traveled four hours Thursday to play their first playoff game in seven years.

Unfortunately, the Eagles were rudely greeted by the defending D-1 champions from Bruning-Davenport-Shickley, and the host Eagles, winners of 22 straight games, gave the visiting Eagles all they could handle as BDS ended Allen's season with a 54-13 decision.

"They were physically bigger, stronger and faster than we were," coach Dave Uldrich said. "We really struggled with that. We did play hard, but it was just not going to happen for us. They most likely will be playing in Lincoln in three weeks.

BDS entered the game as the No. 2 seed in the East Bracket of the Class D-2 playoffs, but were owners of a 30-point win over top-seeded Osceola.

Allen elected to take the opening kickoff, only to throw an interception for a touchdown on the first play from scrimmage. On their second possession, they were forced into a punt which BDS returned for a touchdown. Before BDS even ran an offensive play, they led 16-0.

The BDS defense was stifling and their offense would come up with big plays early and often. The lead ballooned to 42-0 at the end of one period after a fumble was returned for a score toward the end of the period. The lead stretched to 48-0 before Allen got a drive mounted that could produce points. Tayler Kumm scored the first of his two touchdowns at the 3:44 mark of the second period to close the lead to 48-

The Eagle defense got the ball back one more time before halftime



Tayler Kumm looks for an opening during the first half of Allen's 54-13 loss to BDS in the first round of the Class D-2 state playoffs on Thursday. Kumm scored both of the Eagles' touchdowns.

short drive that produced a second the lead to 48-13. score on a Kumm five-yard run with

Both teams started the second through the second half by BDS, as

two seconds left in the first half. half sprinkling and then wholly

and the visiting Eagles mounted a Kyle Smith kicked the PAT to close playing reserves. The only score of the second half came midway a 17-yard pass play scored the final points of the contest.

> Offensively, Kumm carried 17 times for 55 yards and two scores, and Cody Thomas had 11 carries for 55 vards.

Defensively, sophomore Isaac Verzani led the charges with 11 stops. Brogan Jones and Blake Mc-Corkindale added seven as the Eagles finished the season 4-5.

"I applaud our team for the effort they made today and all year," Uldrich said. "I also want to thank the many fans who traveled to watch the kids at BDS. It was a good year."

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A close fourth quarter for the third quarter.

WSC football team ended in a loss for the Wildcats as they were de- until WSC put together a 93 yard, feated 35-30 in the final seconds 12-play drive early in the fourth against Upper Iowa on Saturday.

and 2-3 in the NSIC South Division following the contest.

It was the seventh time in the last eight meetings between the two clubs that the game was decided by five points or less.

The 'Cats got off to an early lead, stamping off a nine-play, 82 yard drive with a two-yard scamper conversions with one on a 11 yard from quarterback Zach Osborn to give WSC a quick 7-0 lead. A WSC punt was sandwiched by two Upper Iowa scoring drives, and 'Cats kicker Ethan Knudson was true on a 34-yard field goal on the second play of the second quarter to make it a 14-10 contest.

The two electric offenses traded blows, each scoring two more touchdowns in a high-powered first half compared to 477 for Wayne State. that ended with an Osborn touchdown strike to Nate Rogers in the final seconds.

UIU scored again on their next drive as Morales ran 15 yards for a touchdown to cap a 12 play, 78-yard drive that pushed the Peacock lead to 21-10. Wayne State used an Alex pared to 10 penalties on Upper Iowa Kline three yard run with 7:59 to go for 119 yards. in the second quarter to pull within four a 21-17 but the Peacocks answered again on a Ryan Parmely one yard run to culminate an 82 yard drive on eight plays to give Upper Iowa a 28-17 lead with 5:02 left before halftime.

The second half saw UIU take advantage of a WSC fumble on their first drive of the third quarter for home game of the season next Sattheir lone score as the Wildcat defense stepped up and stopped the Peacocks from scoring the rest of the game.

UIU recovered an Alex Kline WSC fumble at the WSC 22 and scored UIU four plays later on a nine-yard pass from Morales to Trey McTaggart to take a 35-24 lead with 10:44 to go third guarter.

The score remained that way until WSC put together a 93 yard, 12-play drive early in the fourth quarter as Kline found the end zone for a second time on a two yard run that cut the UIU lead to 35-30 with 7:4The second half saw UIU take advantage of a WSC fumble on kick) 12 plays, 78 yards, TOP 3:44; 10 - 21 their first drive of the third quarter for their lone score as the Wildcat defense stepped up and stopped the Peacocks from scoring the rest of the game.

The score remained that way quarter as Kline found the end zone Both teams are now 3-6 overall for a second time on a two yard run that cut the UIU lead to 35-30 with 7:45 to play after a two-point run by Osborn failed.

WSC forced a three and out on UIU and got the ball back at the WSC 19 with 6:28 to play. The 'Cats drove down the field, keeping the drive alive twice on fourth down pass to Keaton Slaughter and another on a roughing the passer penalty. WSC drove to the UIU four yard line and had two plays from the four to get into the end zone but both plays were incomplete passes to Nate Rogers as the Peacocks held on for the 35-30 victory.

Upper Iowa ended the contest with 513 yards of total offense The Peacocks had 248 yards rushing and 265 passing while WSC gained 163 on the ground and 314 through the air. WSC held a commanding 37:05-22:55 advantage in time of possession and was whistled for four penalties for 46 yards com-

Junior quarterback Zach Osborn was the top rusher for the Wildcats with 86 yards on 20 carries and one score.

Throwing the ball, Osborn completed a season-high 29 out of 45 passes for 314 yards with one touchdown and one interception.

Wayne State will play their final urday hosting Minnesota State in a 1 p.m. contest at Bob Cunningham Field in Wayne.

Scoring Summary 1st 11:11 WSC Osborn. Zach 2 vd run (Knud son, Ethan kick) 9 plays, 82 yards, TOP 3:49

09:11 UIU Edmonds, J. 4 yd pass from Morales, D. (Beuschel, B. kick) 9 plays, 72 vards TOP 1:53: 7 - 7

05:42 UIU Amis, J. 9 yd pass from Morales, D (Beuschel, B. kick) 6 plays, 62 yards, TOP 1:27

2nd 14:49 WSC Knudson, Ethan 34 yd field goal 13 plays, 59 vards, TOP 5:44: 10 - 14

10:56 UIU Morales, D. 15 yd run (Beuschel, B.

07:59 WSC Kline, Alex 35 yd run (Knudson han kick) 1



Garrett Brentlinger tried to outmaneuver a BDS defender during Allen's 54-13 loss to BDS in the Class D-2 playoffs last week in Bruning.

Scoring Summary BDS - Caden Norder 19 interception return (run good)

BDS - Garrett Schardt 56 punt return (pass good)

BDS - Norder 24 run (PAT failed)

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ALLEN - Kumm 5 run (Kyle Smith kick) BDS - John Alts 17 pass from Mick (PAT

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05:02 UIU Parmelv.R. 1 vd run (Beuschel.E kick) 8 plays, 82 yards, TOP 2:50; 17 - 28 00:12 WSC Rogers, Nate 7 yd pass from Os born, Zach (Knudson, Ethan kick) 2 plays, 34

yards, TOP 0:11; 24 - 28 3rd 10:44 UIU MacTaggart, T. 9 yd pass from Morales, D. (Beuschel, B. kick) 4 plays, 22 yards TOP 1:08; 24 - 35

4th 07:45 WSC Kline, Alex 2 yd run (Osborr Zach rush failed) 12 plays, 93 yards, TOP 5:0 30 - 35

Eighth-ranked Wildcat volleyball takes two

WSC's vollevball team comes back a 23-21 lead on another Halvorsen home after a long weekend in northern Minnesota with two wins after close out the set and Frauendorfer tough battles with both Minnesota Crookston and Bemidji State.

The Wildcats are now move to 19-6 overall and 10-6 in the NSIC.

Against Crookston on Friday evening, senior Alyssa Frauendorfer had a season-high with 16 kills to lead WSC to a 25-15, 20-25, 25-13, 25-23 victory in Crookston, Minn.

The opening set was controlled by the Wildcats as WSC recorded 13 kills with just two attack errors. The Lady 'Cats forced UMC into eight attack errors for a .098 attack percentage as Wayne State won the first set with a breezy 25-15.

Crookston's Golden Eagles reversed the mood in the second set, hitting .379 with 13 kills and two errors on 29 attacks to take the second set from the Wildcats, 25-20. WSC was limited to 12 kills with six errors in the set.

After intermission, Wayne State came out in the third set and posted a match-high 17 kills, while holding UMC to seven and forcing five attack errors. The Wildcats took a third set win of 25-13.

The fourth set was a battle between the two teams. The Lady 'Cats trailed for a majority of the set until a late rally led WSC to win the last set to win the match 3-1.

The Golden Bears came out firing, leaving WSC to trail 4-0 early. The two teams fought back and forth to even the set at 13 on a kill by WSC's Mariah Halvorsen. UMC pulled ahead and led 21-19 until WSC scored four straight points and took a 4 p.m. contest

kill. The two teams traded points to closed out the match with a kill for a 25-23 set and match win.

After the win on Friday, Wayne State traveled to Bemidji, Minn., for a nail-biting game the next night. WSC used 30 kills from Frauendorfer to rally for a 22-25, 25-7, 22-25, 25-17, 15-10 Northern Sun Conference win

The first set had 15 ties and eight lead changes between the two teams before Bemidji State finished with a first set win of 25-22.

Wayne State rallied back in the second set to gain the 25-7 win as the team held BSU to three kills while forcing eight errors for the Beavers.

Bemidji State regained the momentum in the third set with 12 kills errors as they outlasted the Wildcats 25-22 to lead the match 2-1

The Wildcats forced eight BSU attack errors in the fourth set while recording 13 kills to go into a fifth set with a 25-17 win.

After recording no attack errors in the fifth set with nine kills on 25 attempts, WSC prevailed 15-10 over the Beavers to rally for the 3-2 match win.

Wayne State hit .255 in the match with 62 kills and 20 errors, while Bemidji State was .142 with 48 kills and 25 errors.

The Wildcats will be on the road again next weekend visiting Minot State Friday evening at 7 p.m. and the University of Mary Saturday in

WSC soccer ends season after losing three-way tie

Despite winning an important game against Souix Falls on Friday afternoon, WSC's soccer team missed out on a spot in the NSIC Tournament for the first time in 10 years after losing to Southwest Minnesota State.

The Wildcats ended the year in ninth place in the Northern Sun Conference with records of 9-6-3 overall and 6-6-3 in the NSIC. The nine wins overall is the most for the Wildcat program since 2006 and the six league wins are the most for WSC since the 2005 campaign.

In WSC's win against Sioux Falls, the Wildcats used goals from Christina Stasi and Kelsey Engstrom to defeat the Cougars 2-1 Friday afternoon at the WSC Soccer Pitch.

The Wildcats scored in the 30th minute of the first half as sophomore Christina Stasi blasted a shot past the Sioux Falls goalkeeper from 20 yards out for a 1-0 lead at intermission.

WSC increased the lead to 2-0 at the 53:36 mark when Engstrom found the back of the net with an assist on a flip throw by Natalie Rech.

Sioux Falls made the game interesting late in the game by scoring in the 75th minute on a Lauren La-Favre goal, but WSC withstood the late charge by the Cougars to win

Wayne State finished with a 12-5 edge in shots and 4-3 in shots on goal. The Wildcats held a 4-0 advantage on corner kicks, while Sioux Falls was called for six fouls to just two on the Wildcats.



(Photo by Aahron Young)

WSC soccer's Samantha Phillips (left) hustles to pick the ball from Sioux Falls on Friday evening. The Wildcats beat the Cougars 2-1.

Engstrom and Stasi led WSC offensively with their second and first goals of the season respectively.

Senior goalkeeper Kylie Comba the half. was credited with two saves, while allowing one goal in the win.

Sunday proved to be even more difficult for the Wildcats as they battled Southwest Minnesota State in the last regular season game. The game ended in disappointing and heart-breaking fashion after WSC suffered a 4-1 defeat against the Mustangs.

only goal of the first half in the 25th minute, leading the Wildcats 1-0 at

The Mustangs added another goal to their lead as the team found the back of the net at the 52-minute mark. SMSU rattled the Wildcats again when two more goals were scored within three minutes of one another, putting the game out of reach for WSC 4-0.

at the 84:21 mark when sophomore has five seniors on the roster.

of the season with an assist from freshman Lauren Fleming making the final score 4-1.

With the loss, WSC ended in a three-way tie for seventh place in the NSIC standings with 21 points, but lost a tie-breaker with Northern State and Upper Iowa on goal differential and head-to-head competition.

Wayne State ends the season at Wayne State avoided the shutout 9-6-3 and 6-6-3 in league play and

Southwest Minnesota scored the Brooke Buzzell scored her fifth goal



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HOME APPLIANCES

LCC ends its season with loss at C2-5 subdistrict

cord-Coleridge volleyball team saw its season come to an end with a three-set loss to Crofton in the C2-5 subdistrict Monday at Randolph High School

The Lady Bears opened tournament play with a four-set win in the play-in bracket, defeating Plainview 25-16, 23-25, 25-14, 25-15.

"The team responded to surges by their opponent, battled through a big scoring deficit, and worked hard to create advantages on their side of the net," coach Patti Cunningham said. "It was a good win for the athletes after solid performances at practice last week.'

Bryn Schutte had 12 kills and Kaci Groene added 10 to lead the net attack, with Katie Leapley adding six. Katelvn Cook had three kills. Emily Hangman added two and Ashley Wolfgram had one. Cook had 24 assists, with Hangman adding three, Mady Holloway putting up two and Groene adding one.

In the serving department, Groene had four ace serves, with two and Holloway scoring an ace.

(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions) LCC's Kaci Groene (7) and Bryn Schutte (9) team up to block a Plainview attack during the Lady Bears' four-set win in

Hangman and Schutte each adding blocks, Schutte and Hangman each had 13, Hangman had 12, Cook had had three and Groene had two. 10, Holloway picked up nine, Wolf-

the C2-5 subdistrict Monday at Randolph.

Defensively, Leapley had six Schutte picked up 15 digs, Groene gram had three and Leapley had

The win advanced LCC to the semifinals, where they fell to topseeded Crofton in three sets, 25-13, 25-16, 25-11. "Athletics provides an arena for

learning as the challenges faced and successes earned provide stepping stones for other situations that arise in life," she said. "In the last match of the season, the team put pressure on the number one seed to perform. They extended rallies and worked to create aggressive plays of their own.'

Groene had five kills, Leapley and Schutte each had four, Hangman had three and Cook added two for the Lady Bears. Cook had 15 assists and an ace serve, while Hangman added an assist.

On defense, Schutte had four blocks while Cook, Hangman, Groene and Leapley all added a stuff. Holloway had eight digs, Groene and Schutte each had seven Cook had four, Hangman picked up three, Wolfgram had two and Leapley added one.

The Lady Bears ended the season with a record of 9-18.



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Wakefield's Savannah Nelson puts an attack past an Omaha Nation defender during C2-4 subdistrict play Monday at Wayne High School. The Trojans swept the Chiefs before losing to top-seeded Ponca in the semifinals to end the sea-

Wakefield sees season end in semifinals

The Wakefield volleyball team had two and Megan Borg had one. lost to top-seeded Ponca in the C2- Defensively, Megan Borg had eight 4 subdistrict tournament at Wayne digs, Nelson had four, Jessica Borg High School to close out the 2016 had three, Brudigam and Zamzow campaign.

In their opener, Wakefield made drea Lopez both had one. uick work of Omaha Nation, post- Wakefield gave Ponca ing a straight-set victory, 25-12, 25-3, 25-10. Avery Zamzow led the net attack with six kills, with Savannah Nelson adding five, Jessica Borg putting down four, Megan Borg and Giulia Ballarini each scoring two and Briana Andrade and Shani Ramirez adding one kill apiece. Megan Borg Wayne Eagles Club had 19 ace serves, Rachel Brudigam added seven, Nelson had four and Ballarini had two. Jessica Borg had 10 assists, Nelson added seven, Tanna Pretzer Talk to us about your food catering needs ~ large or small. Need a place for a noon meeting or party? Taking reservations. SINCE 1969 , enos STEAKHOUSE CLOUNGE 121 W. 1st St. Wayne 402-375-4774

each had two and Ballarini and An-

lenge, but the top-seeded Indians won in three sets, 25-14, 25-23, 25-20

WSC rugby club awarded by Rugby **America North**

Wayne State rugby coach Dar- were five national championships. rin Barner and local businessman a growing program for women and Rod Tompkins have recently been men, growth of the game within the awarded by Rugby America North community, the building of rugby (RAN) as recipients of the 2015-2016 complex, clubhouse and the rebuild-Program Development of the Year award. The award will be presented Saturday, Nov. 12 at 2:20 p.m. just before kickoff of the Wayne State women's rugby Elite Eight matchup against Western State of Colorado at the Wayne Rugby Park.

The award will be presented by Rich Cortez from the USA Rugby Olympic National Office. Cortez is the director of college rugby and the commissioner of the 900 college programs and national playoffs in the college structure.

Barner is the founder of the club, which has been established since 2002. When Barner was a student at Wayne State, he was a defensive back for the Wildcat football team from 1985 to 1988

This award is the first award for Program Development given to a program in the USA. Nominations were reviewed and Wayne State rugby was nominated to a 18-country committee by a Canadian referee who attended the 80-team rugby tournament in April.

Winning notes that were point- dines, Trinidad and Tobago and the ed out in the nomination letter United States. In August 2011 the Turks & Caicos Islands and Curacao were admitted as Associate Members of **BOWLING RESULTS** RAN, with the Dominican Republic also joining as an Associate Member in 2015.

ing of a facility after the 2013 tornado that took much of the teams' equipment, storage and changing rooms.

The Wayne Rugby Park is known across the region as a rugby facility that has a "Old English" feel and view across the facility with its clubhouse by Sand Creek Post and Beam on the midfield stripe. Wayne was selected to host the national round of 16 and quarterfinals next weekend, along with the USA league round of 16 and quarterfinals on Nov. 19-20.

RAN, Originally formed in March 2001 under the name of North America and West Indies Rugby Association (NAWIRA), is one of the six World Rugby regional associations. RAN is the governing body of the sixteen Unions in Rugby Americas North. It's membership is diverse and currently consists of, Bahamas, Barbados, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Canada, Cayman Islands, Guyana, Jamaica, Mexico, St Lucia, St Vincent and The Grena-

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Nelson had 10 kills, Jessica Borg added six, Megan Borg had five, Zamzow had four, Ballarini had three and Brudigam and Andrade each had one for the Trojan net attack. Jessica Borg was in on eight blocks, Zamzow had six, Ballarini and Megan Borg each had three and Nelson had one.

Jessica Borg had 14 assists and Nelson added 13. Defensively, Andrade and Ballarini each had 13 digs, Brudigam and Megan Borg both had 10, Nelson had six, Jessica Borg had four, Brenna Chase had two and Zamzow had one.

The Trojans end the season with an 11-16 record.



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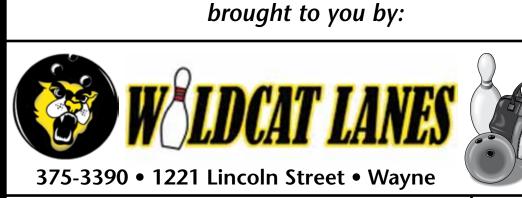
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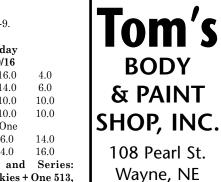
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Pierce comeback ends Wayne's hopes of going to state

By MICHAEL CARNES For The Herald

NORFOLK - When the momentum in the closing points of a tightly-contested volleyball match swings one way, it can be very tough to swing it back.

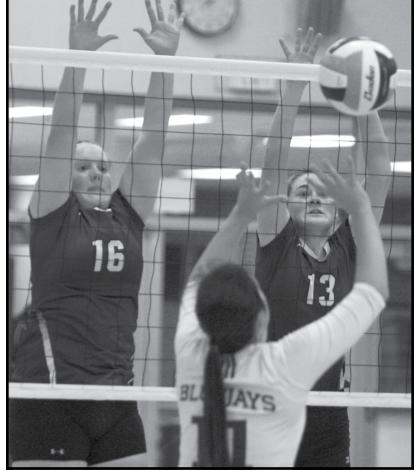
Pierce scored the final five points of a crucial fourth set, then scored seven of the last nine in the final set to end Wayne's hopes of a trip to the state tournament with a 25-11, 13-25, 15-25, 25-22, 15-10 win in the C1-7 subdistrict final Tuesday at Norfolk High School.

After stumbling through the first set, Wayne came out and dominated a Bluejays team, whom they had already beaten twice this season, taking a 2-1 lead in the match with consecutive one-sided victories to pull themselves within a match of advancing to Saturday's substate round.

The Blue Devils couldn't get any separation from Pierce in the pivotal fourth set, and when Pierce came back to tie the match up, they never let Wayne back in the game.

"It was back and forth in that fourth set and I remember it being 18-18, but when you get to that fifth set and it's first to 15, it comes down to who can put the ball away and make the fewest errors, and Pierce did that," coach Traci Krusemark said after her team finished the season 21-11.

Early on, it appeared Wayne wasn't ready to take on their conference rival, as Pierce raced out to a big lead early and seemed to catch



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Melinda Longe (16) and Allison Echtenkamp (13) go up for a block during C1-7 subdistrict action Tuesday in Norfolk. Wayne High lost a five-set heartbreaker to Pierce to end their season.

plays.

"It was that deer-in-the-head-Wayne flat-footed on a number of lights thing that happens to the



(Photo by Mikey C Productions)

Shania Anderson (8) and Kylie Hammer (1) try to block a that now everybody is ready to go," Pierce attack during Wayne's five-set loss to the Bluejays in Krusemark said of the team's rethe C1-7 subdistrict finals.

best of teams," Krusemark said. "We went out in the hallway after that first set and regrouped, and the seniors took ownership of things and we came out and played much better. I was proud of the way we responded."

Wayne trailed 3-2 early in the second set before things started clicking.

Allison Echtenkamp stuffed a Pierce attack and followed with back-to-back kills to stake Wayne to a 5-3 advantage. Wayne extended the lead to 12-8 later in the set on a Pierce error and an Echtenkamp tip, then built a six-point lead on an attack by Emily Armstrong.

Wayne used another three-point run to take control of the set, using two Pierce errors and a kill by Melinda Longe to make it 20-11. A Lindy Sandoz termination sparked a final three-point surge and Shania Anderson evened the match at a set apiece with a game-ending block.

"I told them after that second set sponse. "It could have been easy to

the way they stayed with it."

Wayne again trailed early in the Anderson kill. Pierce regained the lead at 4-3, but another Anderson block tied the set and Wayne got a kill by Echtenkamp to stake them to a 7-4 advantage.

Leading 12-8 in the third, Wayne rattled off three straight points with an Armstrong kill, a Matthes ace serve and a block by Sandoz to make it 15-8. Echtenkamp and Longe teamed up on a block and both had kills in another three-point surge to make it 19-9 and Pierce never got closer than nine points the rest of the set, with Anderson's kill giving Wavne the 2-1 match advantage.

In the fourth set, the two teams slugged it out like a heavyweight championship fight. Pierce led 7-4 early, but a Kylie Hammer kill, two Echtenkamp aces and a Pierce error gave Wayne an 8-7 advantage.

Pierce tied it up and started a back-and-forth battle where neither team could build more than a twopoint lead. Wayne led 14-12 and 18-16 before Pierce came back to tie the match at 18-18.

Wayne got its last lead of the set at 22-20 as Armstrong had a block and a kill, but a hitting error put the serve in Pierce's court and they responded with four straight points, ending the set on an ace serve to send it to the winner-take-all fifth set.

Wayne held a one-point lead at 4-3 in the fifth on a Pierce hitting error, but a service error tied the game at 4-4. The two teams traded serves to make it 5-5, and Sandoz dumped a ball over the defense in the back corner to make it 8-8, the last time the two teams would be tied.

Pierce responded with three straight points to lead 11-8. Sandoz would get a kill to make it 11-9 and a Pierce error kept Wayne within two at 12-10, but Pierce regained serve and closed out the match to come away with the win.

"It's tough to beat a team three times, but I thought we had it rolling after the second and third games," Krusemark said. "Pierce was a good team and they weren't going to lay down for us and I was proud of how the girls hung in there until the end."

Echtenkamp had 14 kills and Sandoz added 13 to lead the Wayne net attack. Longe put down seven kills, Anderson had six and Armstrong and Hammer each had five.

Vovos added 17.

Defensively, Echtenkamp had third set before taking a 3-2 lead three blocks while Longe and Anwith an Emily Matthes ace and an derson both had two. Hammer posted 17 digs, Matthes and Gabi Lutt each had nine, Armstrong and Sandoz both had eight, Echtenkamp and Vovos each ahd five and Longe picked up three.

In Monday's opening round, the Blue Devils made quick work of Norfolk Catholic, winning in straight sets 25-15, 25-14, 25-19.

Longe led the net attack with nine kills, Sandoz added seven kills, Anderson and Hammer each had five, Armstrong had four and Echtenkamp had three kills and three blocks. Sandoz had 15 assists, Vo-

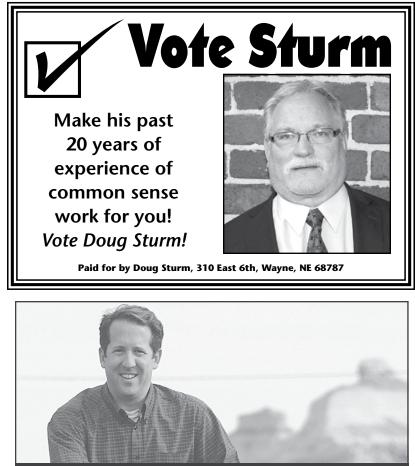
fold up the tents, but I was proud of Sandoz had 25 assist and Brenna vos had 13 and Hammer and Longe each had two. Matthes had three service aces.

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Defensively, Hammer had 12 digs, Matthes, Armstrong and Ashton Boyer each had nine, Echtenkamp had five, Sandoz and Vovos both had four, Longe had three and Lutt had two.

It was the final game for seven Wayne High seniors, including Vovos, Matthes, Sandoz, Echtenkamp, Longe, Lutt and Kelsey Boyer, which leaves a lot of spots open on the varsity roster for next season.

"Our seven seniors are leaving a lot of shoes to fill for next year," Krusemark said. "I've had them for four years and we'll definitely miss them.'



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Winside handles Allen, loses to Wynot in D2-5

PONCA - Winside's hopes for a Haylee Cummins had seven, Brodashed in the D2-5 subdistrict fi- and Morgan Remm each had two. four, Bri Hingst had three, Hal-

Allen was led by Kaitlyn Madsen Hingst added a block as Allen fintrip to the state tournament were gren had five and Marissa Remm with five kills, Desi Martell added ished with a 6-22 record.

In regular-season action Friday.

nals Tuesday, as top-seeded Wynot swept the Wildcats, 25-16, 25-14, 28-26.

Fauneil Olander led a balanced net attack for the Wildcats with nine kills, while Callie Finn had eight, Alyssa Brogren had five, Alex Bargstadt had three and Andi Bargstadt had two. Alex Bargstadt had seven blocks and Andi Bargstadt added three.

In setting, Alex Bargstadt had 11, Sarah Wolfe had eight and Morgan Remm had four. Wolfe and Marissa Remm each had two ace serves.

Defensively, Andi Bargstadt had 17 digs, Olander had nine, Wofle and Alex Bargstadt both had eight,

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In the opening round Monday, Winside defeated Allen in straight sets, 25-10, 25-17, 26-24.

11 kills, 17 assists, five blocks, two ace serves and six digs. Finn added seven kills, Olander and Andi Bargstadt each had six, Brogren had four and Wolfe had three. Wolfe added 14 assists and Brogren had two.

Brogren and Andi Bargstadt both each had two ace serves. Defensively, Wolfe led with 20 digs, Marissa Remm added 16, Andi Bargstadt had 14, Olander had 13, Cummins had nine, Morgan Remm had six and Brogren had four.

ey Stapleton had two and Cassidy Thomas had one. Thomas had nine assists, while Hingst added one. For Winside, Alex Bargstadt had Hingst had three ace serves and Martell, Stapleton and Bethany Kneifl each had one.

Stapleton led the defense with 11 digs, Thomas had nine, Hingst had eight, Sierra Brahmsteadt had six, Alyssa Boese had five, Martell had four, Madsen and Summer Jackson had two blocks, Brogren and Wolfe both had three and Kneifl added one. Madsen had two blocks and

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the Wildcats fell to Humprhey/ Lindsay Holy Family, 25-10, 25-18, 25-19. Alex Bargstadt had seven kills, two blocks, two ace serves and 11 digs to lead Winside. Finn had two kills, four blocks and 16 digs.

Wolfe had seven assists and a team-high 18 digs, Olander had two kills and 12 digs, Andi Bargstadt had three kills and eight digs, Cummins had nine digs and Brogren had six digs.

Winside finishes the season 19-10.

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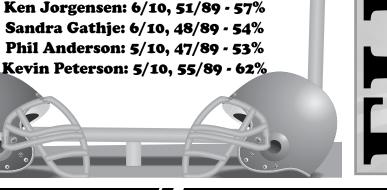
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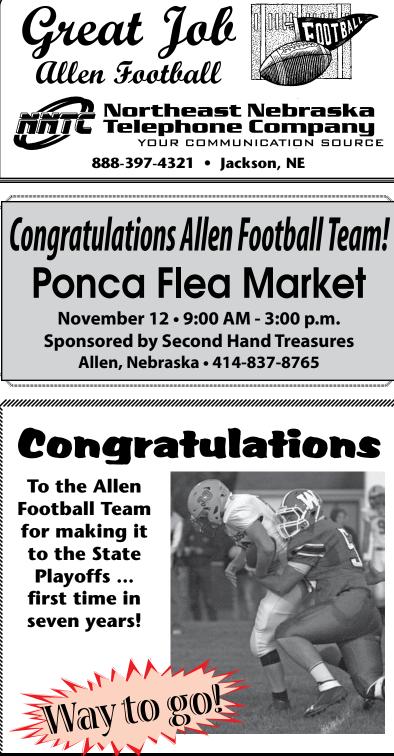


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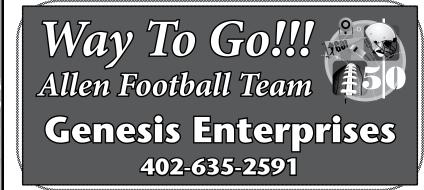
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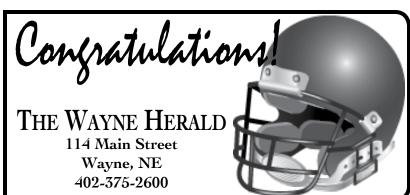
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pinion

Letters

Wind Turbine Projects Not **Always Good For Rural Coun-**

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In the three points below I tell why I believe Wind Turbine Projects are not good for Rural Counties. My opinion has been formed by my experience with Wind Projects here in Oklahoma.

1. Wind Projects destroy the "night sky". At our friends house we, our kids and grandkids, would turn off all house lights, the yard light, and lay down on a tarp in the back yard looking up. Soon the night sky lights up with "millions" of stars. They seem so clear and close we can "touch them".

The only manmade light comes from our neighbor's yard light miles away. We lay there and talk about God and other things. Anyone who has done something like this can relate. This wonderful "intangible" experience is "gone forever" now because of the Wind Project.

Now, at night, every single room in our friend's house has bright, blinking, red light coming in from outside each window and reflecting off the walls. Whether we are outside or inside we can't escape the incessant, synchronized, blinking red lights. We have to constantly tell ourselves to "ignore it".

2. Wind Projects cause erosion on hilly ground. Oklahoma is mostly flat but where there are hills the roads that are built from the Section Road to the Tower

Open letter to all concerned citizens:

Last month our school celebrated Constitution Day and our founding fathers. During the celebration we were reminded of the words of Thomas Jefferson, "We hold these truths to be selfevident."

What does it mean when turth is self-evident. We think it means that there are certain things that are basic and unarguable. For us that is civics education!

Did you know that strong civics relate directly to one's ability to be an informed citizen, vote, run for office and volunteer for community service?

Unfortunately, American high school students are struggling with learning the basic concepts of our government and our history. In fact, when we pre-tested our classmeates and 200 other juniors and seniors from across Nebraska, with the same U.S. Citizenship Test that immigrants must pass to graduate, more than 80% failed. Presented with these findings, our school board acted immediately! This year our high school has started to require that all

cause erosion of what little top soil we have. The roads stop the natural water flow and direct the water to a lower central place where a culvert goes under the

road. All that water in one place causes huge "blowouts" of topsoil. The wind project people tell you "this is not our problem" or that they will "mitigate" it but they really can't because the road is needed and it is controlling the flow of the water.

A lot of time and money gets spent by landowner and/or tenants dealing with these "blowouts".

3. Money – Landowners who sign up early usually sign for \$10,000.00 per tower per year with an inflation adjustment each 5 years. Better deals come later, after the "early adaptors" have signed.

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There are other reasons why Wind Turbine Projects are not good for Rural Counties. I speak only for myself. Some things are more important than money. Thank you.

Steve Siemers

students pass the U.S. Citizenship Test to graduate.

> Currently 14 other states have also made pasing the U.S. Citizenship Test a requirement for high school graduation.

We believe Nebraska should join that movement to ensure that all sturdents have a basic understanding of how our government works!

We are writing this letter to you to ask for your help in promoting enhanced civics education for Nebraska students to please encourage you local school, the Nebraska State Board and your State Representative to make the U.S. Citizenship test a baseline requirement for all Nebraska high school students.

It is a small but importnat step in ensring that our generation and all that follow will under stand our inalienable rights of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, so that our unique and exceptional nation can continue to be a light of hope to the rest of the world!

Capitol View Time to clean up your friends list

By J.L. SCHMIDT

Statehouse Correspondent The Nebraska Press Association

WARNING! You have less than a week left to unfriend or otherwise block your Facebook friends who don't like the same candidate for President of the United States that vou like.

The general election happens Nov. 8 - in case you have somehow missed that fact and I have no idea how you could have. AND, only one of the two candidates will win. That means that half of the people who vote will be happy and half of them won't.

Does that mean that you'll only have half as many friends as you did before the election? What happened before Facebook? How did we ever survive? Yes, Jimmy, there was a time when we only had friends who we saw in person, wrote letters to or talked with on the telephone. Yes, that was before the internet too so we had to really study the things we wanted to know.

There were these places called libraries where we could look things up. There were newspapers that weren't agenda driven and actually reported the news in an unbiased way. The same with TV. There was a time when it was OK to look up the facts and make reasoned decisions about things.

If you were lucky, you knew who to talk to. If they were at home or at their office, you could find out what you wanted to know. But it all started to fall apart about the time they figured out how to remove the cords from telephones and still make them work. Then came voice mail and e-mail and texting and Instagram and Twitter and then ... Facebook.

And our lives changed drastically. Our friends were somewhere in cyberspace and we got to know each other through these things called "posts." The annoying ones "posted" their opinions on politics and government. The rest of us posted recipes and cat videos and pictures of their children and grandchildren.

If we tired of what we were reading, the bold ones learned how to for kneeling during the pre-game the above? None of the above?

"unfriend" the offenders. The timid ones learned how to "hide" comments from the offenders without resounds with new memes or comunfriending them and seeming to be, well, unsocial. The really smart ones created groups of friends with whom they could safely share certain things.

We call it social media. All well and good. But I fear we have forgotten how to be social. You remember social, "of, or relating to, society or its organization." You know, society. Those people and activities outside our computer rooms. The world around those who walk with their noses stuck to their smart phones.

Facebook has also become our outlet for either supporting or decrying societal problems. I have lost track of the number of pictures of Colin Rand Kaepernick, the San Francisco 49ers football quarterback who gained fame, or notoriety,

performance of the national anments occurring daily.

His activity has been copied by a number of other professional sports participants. The Navy is investigating the case of a sailor who didn't salute as the National Anthem played during a recent morning flag-raising at Pearl Harbor. Three Nebraska football players chose to kneel during the playing of the anthem at a game in another state.

The National Anthem. The Star-Spangled Banner. "Oh, say, can you see, by the dawn's early light, What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?" Yes, that one.

What is it that makes those words offensive to some and so important to others? Is it based on background, experience, socio-economics? All of

Cornhusker football player Mithem. The debate about that still chael Rose-Ivey said of his national anthem kneel before the football game with Northwestern, "But l also can't ignore those things that keep America divided."

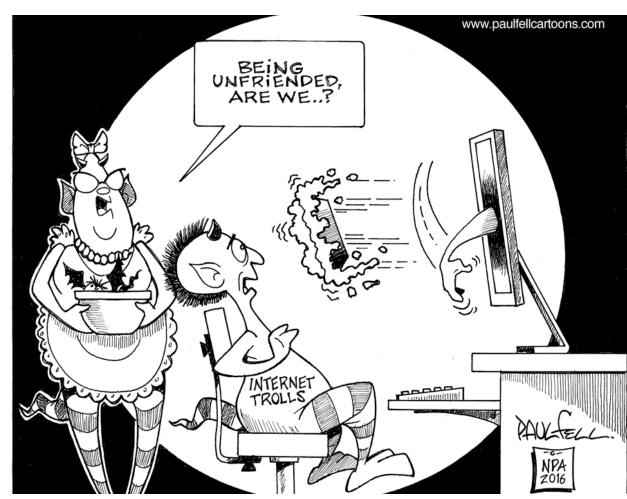
> I can't help but wonder if things like the National Anthem kneel free speech or not – are contributing to that division as much as our incivility to one another that has been fostered by social media.

> In the end, it boils down to rights vs. responsibilities.

> So, go ahead and clean up your Facebook friends list. That's your right. But, don't forget your responsibilities as a productive member of society, that social thing that social media has made us forget.

> J.L. Schmidt has been covering Nebraska government and politics since 1979. He has been a registered independent for 17 years.





The Wayne

Just a thought... by Calyn Dunklau

Just a thank you, really These past few weeks have been nectic to say the least for my fam-

Life gets busy but when you add in unexpected emergencies, the days just seem to shorten while you stand there helplessly.

My grandfather is likely the most stubborn man on the planet, and he'd argue with me about that. He's got a heart of gold, and plaque. Well at least he did. This week I spent a day in Des

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Moines as he underwent triple bypass surgery where the surgeon also repaired a couple other issues.

And each hour a nurse would walk through the waiting room, giving an update to each family on their loved one.

This simple gesture kept nerves at bay and gave us something to look forward to each hour. Sure, she likely would have delivered bad news also if there were any, but she was a point of light during a grim day.

And this got me thinking on how often the medical staff are there with people during their most vulnerable moments. Whether it's a six hour surgery on an ailing man or delivering a set of twins, the job is an emotional one and they don't get enough thanks in the world for what they endure.



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The Wayne City Council meets the first and third Tuesdays of the month. Meeting times are at 5:30 p.m. at the City Council chambers, located in the Wayne City Offices at 306 N. Pearl St.

Take a trip back in time to 16th Century England at 45th annual Wayne State College Madrigal dinners Royal dinners are slated for December 3 and 4 in the Frey suite

Mingle with the king and queen century attire entertain with muof England during the 45th Annual Wayne State College Madrigal Dinners Saturday, Dec. 3 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 4 at 5:30

The royal dinners take place in the Frey Conference Suite in the Kanter Student Center on the WSC campus.

Madrigal singers clad in 16th

sic, poetry and comedy, including a humorous depiction of Rapunzel.

The audience is transported to the days of old through select Renaissance compositions and holiday favorites, accompanied by trumpet, organ, harpsichord, bassoon and bells.

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Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department is looking for a snow removal service for this upcoming winter season. If interested, please submit your bid to Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department at 215 Pearl Street in Wayne, NE 68787, call (402) 375-2200 or email adminassist@nnphd.org.

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er are accepted. Checks can be

mailed to: WSC Madrigal Singers, Student Center Room 12, 1111 Main Street, Wayne, Neb. 68787

All sales are final. No exchanges or refunds. In case of inclement weather, the dinner will be rescheduled. Please be seated 15 minutes prior to the performance. For more information, contact Matthew Armstrong, artistic director, at (402) 375-7358 or maarmst1@wsc.edu, or Sarah Farr, production supervisor, at 375-7406 or safarr1@wsc. www.mywaynenews.com



(Contributed photo)

Involved in an award presentation were (left) Lions Club President Judy Stepp, Becky Barner, Eli Barner, Todd Barner and Lions Club Treasurer Hilbert Johs.

Local boy advances to district competition

Eli Barner, a sixth grade student at Wayne Elementary School, has taken the first step to becoming an internationally recognized artist by winning a local competition sponsored by the Wayne Lions Club.

Barner's poster was among more than 600,000 entries submitted worldwide in the 29th annual Lions International Peace Poster Contest.

Lions Clubs International is sponsoring the contest to emphasize the importance of world peace to young people everywhere.

There was a tie for second place between Sierra Mutcher and Destiny Bacon

"Peace is very important and it should be proclaimed and cherished everywhere in the world," the young student/artist from the Wayne Schools said.

The poster was selected by WSC Instructor/Professor Albracht's Art Education students for its originality, artistic merit and portrayal of the contest theme, "A Celebration of Peace."

The judging was held in October at Wayne State College.

Wayne Lions Club President Judy Stepp said she was impressed by the expression and creativity of the students at the Wayne School. "Barner's poster will advance to stiff competition through the district, and multiple district and international rounds of competition if this poster is declared the international grand prize winner," Stepp said.

One grand prize winner and 23 merit award winners will be selected. The grand prize includes a cash award of \$5,000, plus a trip for the winner and 2 family members to the award ceremony at Lions Day with the United Nations.

"Our club is cheering for Eli as this poster advances in the competition and we hope that this vision will ultimately be shared with others around the world," Stepp said.

Lions Club International is the world's largest service club organization with 1.4 million members in more than 46,000 clubs in 200+ countries and geographic areas.

In addition to its efforts toward conquering blindness, the organization has made a strong commitment to community service and helping youth throughout the world.

Awards given by RC&D council

The Northeast Nebraska Resource Conservation & Development (RC&D) Council held their annual meeting on October 24th. Brad Kellogg, board member from Dixon County, provided an informative and fun presentation of Dixon County's 1870's 5-term Sheriff Mason Dewitt. Brad and Raija Weiershauser have recently been accepted into the Humanities Nebraska Speaker's Bureau with two other programs titled Women's Christian Temperance Union of Carrie Nation and John & Mona Neihardt



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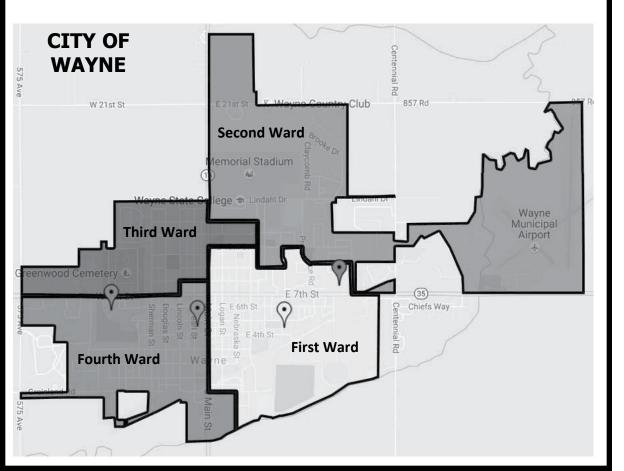
Grand opening

Farmers National Company Serving America's Landowners Since 1929

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A grand opening ceremony was held at the Farmers National Company Office in Laurel on Oct. 21. Involved in the ribbon cutting were (left) Laurel Mayor Mark Patefield, JD Maxson, Steve Schutte, Wendi Schutte, Les Owen, Marlene Jussel, and Laurel Chamber President Katie Christensen.

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Second Ward	Journey Christian Church Fellowship Hall 1110 East 7th, Wayne
Third Ward	Wayne Community Activity Center 901 West 7th, Wayne
Fourth Ward	Our Savior Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall 421 Pearl, Wayne
Brenna / Plum Creek / Hunter	First Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall 216 West 3rd, Wayne
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	405 Main, Carroll
Hoskins / Garfield	Hoskins Community Center
	101 S Main, Hoskins
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Strahan / Wilbur	Wayne Community Activity Center 901 West 7th, Wayne



Following a buffet meal at the Legacy Bar & Grill in Newcastle President Jim Rabe opened the meeting.

The Council approved their 2017-2018 Plan of Work and accepted a new project, a third Grant Writing Workshop which will be held in Plainview with the date to be announced. This type of training has been requested by past participants. Four projects were also accepted as completed -Nebraska Natural Legacy, Grassland Habitat Evaluation, Newsletter 2010 and Farm-to-School.

Current officers were all re-elected: Jim Rabe, President, Wayne; Dennis Wacker, Vice-President from Osmond; Janet Gill, Treasurer, Bloomfield; and Joan Alexander, Secretary of Plainview.

The Council enjoyed giving out some fun yet important awards. Brook Curtiss of the Plainview News received an "EXTRA EXTRA! Special Award" for continued newspaper coverage and support all year long of RC&D Councils activities. An "Above & Beyond" award was given to Brad Kellogg for his help with historical interpretation, project planning, fundraising efforts and more. Rebekah Jessen was recognized with the "World's Best Partner Award" for her support of the RC&D Council as well as giving much to the organization in planning the wildlife and wildflower projects.

Additionally Donna Christiansen and the Plainview Library was recognized with a Special Assistance Award for helping out with the RC&D Council's computer issues, meetings and office staff needs. Shelly Johnston, Casey's General Stores, and Teresa Liermann of Family Dollar were given Outstanding Farmers Market Promotional Assistance awards for their weekly help in advertising items available at the market.

The RC&D Council looks forward to continuing their service to citizens through projects that will make life better for people in Antelope, Cedar, Dixon, Knox, Pierce, and Wayne counties.

(Contributed photos)

Above, Brad Kellogg (center) poses with his "Above & Bevond" Award for his help on a project. Below, Brook Curtis (center) holds his "EX-TRA EXTRA! Special Award" for his coverage of the RC&D council in the Plainview News.





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Diabetes-arthritis connection topic of NPHD program known as metabolic syndrome.

program on Wednesday, Nov. 30 will be offered from 1:30 – 4 p.m. at Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department, 215 N Pearl Street in Wayne.

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Participants are asked to preregister for Control Diabetes for



The Control Diabetes for Life Life by calling Nebraska Extension in Wayne County at (402) 375-3310. Please register by Monday, Nov. 28, so the proper number of handouts may be prepared.

> Work in the yard one day and vou're stiff the next. Take a long walk and your knees ache. It's just part of the aging process, right? Yes but your diabetes may have something to do with it. People with type 2 diabetes are almost twice as likely as those with normal blood glucose to develop osteoarthritis.

Through extensive world-wide research, conclusions are being drawn that diabetes must have a

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direct effect on the joints. Diabetes is an independent predictor for severe osteoarthritis. Scientists are not sure why diabetes contributes to joint damage, but they have theories. People with diabetes and especially poorly controlled diabetes, tend to have difficulty healing. It takes longer for joints to heal after injury, and joint damage is the result. Out-of-control diabetes may also promote the production of inflammatory substances that degrade joints. Researchers are starting to think of osteoarthritis not as a wear and tear condition and more as part of the disease complex

New Arrivals.

Bebee of Wakefield, a daughter, of Axtell and Gordon Marcellus of Phoenix Jeanne, 7 lbs., 13 oz., 18 inches, born Oct. 5, 2016. Grand- Bill and Betty Marcellus of Norparents are Tim and Leslie Bebee folk and Ron Kihs of California.

BEBEE — Garek and Sara of Wakefield, Jennifer Soderquist Kearney. Great-grandparents are

Unfortunately for people with

multiple health issues, joint pain

often takes a back seat. Doctors

don't ask about it, or patients think

it's just a normal part of aging.

Caring for joints may play an im-

portant role in controlling your di-

abetes. Arthritis in the knees and

hips is very likely to interfere with

the ability to exercise, which those

with diabetes need to do to control

weight, cholesterol, and blood glu-

about the diabetes and arthritis

connection. The program will help

The public is invited to learn

cose levels.

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Potluck, Christmas meeting planned at last Minerva Club

Minerva Club was hosted on Oct. 24 by Twyla Lindsay at the Wayne Senior Center.

Eleven members answered roll call by telling of a Halloween experience. Vice President MaryAnn DeNaeyer entertained members by reading an ad from a hometown newspaper about a birthday celebration; asking us what we would do with \$864,000 deposited in an account for us each morning, and sharing a reading about making a wrong turn.

Minutes were read and approved. Donna Hansen gave the treasurer's report. It was decided to donate \$50 to the Food Pantry. Historian Hollis Frese asked members to help her select a current membership photo for the club scrapbook.

She will also be taking a scrapbook picture of each member as they present their program this anniversary year.

Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble to perform at Wayne State College

Musical inspiration evolves from Biblical themes, nature, and life experiences. The Wayne State College Symphonic Band and Wind from the opera Samson et Delila, Ensemble highlights such influ- Melodious Thunk, Butterflies and ences in a fall concert Tuesday, Nov. 15 at 7:30 p.m. in Ramsey Theatre.

Plans were made for the Christmas meeting. Members will meet in the home of Fauneil Bennett on Monday, Dec. 12 for a pot-luck luncheon. A \$5-10 gift exchange will take place.

Additional club anniversary celebration ideas were discussed. Susan Boust and Marian Clark will co-chair this committee.

Twyla Lindsay presented the program "Historical Highlights from 1888 to Present" beginning with the Blizzard of 1888 to modern day Wayne.

At one time, early LaPorte had 300 people, before the railroad diverted the population to upcoming Wayne. She presented the many hardships the early settlers had to cope with along with the good years they experienced.

The Monday, Nov. 14 meeting will be hosted by Fauneil Bennett at the Wayne Senior Center.

dential Inauguration.

The Wind Ensemble performs various works such as Bacchanale Bees! and an interesting composition by James Syler called Wu Xing spotlighting percussion solos. The Ensemble recently performed at the Nebraska Music Educators convention and Nebraska Bandmasters convention, in addition to venues in Europe.

those attending learn how to protect family members and what information to share with your medical team. During the program you will also learn how making healthful eating and staying active as a family a high priority will help in prolonging the development of diabetes. Healthy eating and staying active benefits your entire family. Feel better and stay healthy for years to come by exercising and lowering your blood glucose level.

Control Diabetes for Life is a program to help participants learn to control diabetes and prolong the onset of complications. Topics that will be covered during the Nov. 30 session include: How Medicine Works to Control Blood Sugar Levels, The Diabetes Arthritis Connection, 10 Steps for More Energy. Managing Alcohol with Diabetes, and Insight from Food Diaries. The program is a joint project, sponsored by University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension and Franciscan Care Services of West Point. There is no charge to attend.

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Nebraska School Food Service Association has approved this session for two hours of continuing education credits for food service staff attending

Quilting; Pitch; Hand and Foot;

Thursday, Nov. 10: Morning

Walking; Quilting; Spotlight on

Promise, 11:35 a.m.; Pitch; Afternoon

Friday, Nov. 11: Frog Exercises,

Walking, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting;

Veterans Day, 11:30; Dan Hansen

and Connie Webber Recognition/

Program; Century Club Bookdale;

Bingo, Pitch, Hand and Foot.

Senior Center Calendar-

Pool.

Bridge Club.

(Week of Nov. 7 – Nov. 11) Monday, Nov. 7: Morning Walking; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; S.H.I.P., 9-3:30 p.m.; Quilting, Pitch, Hand and Foot.

Tuesday, Nov. 8: Morning Walking; Quilting; WPL Rita McLean "Writing Your Life Story," 11 a.m.; Election Trivia, 11:45 a.m.; Pitch; Afternoon Bridge Club.

Wednesday,Nov. 9: FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Walking;

Senior Center

Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of Nov. 7 - 11)

Meals served daily at noon. For reservations, call 375-1460 Each meal served with water, 2% milk, skim milk and coffee.

All menus subject to change. Monday: Biscuits & sausage gravy, hash brown casserole, mixed fruit cup, butterscotch pudding.

Tuesday: Swedish meatball with celery soup & dill, augratin potatoes, frozen peas & pearl onions, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise, peach-

School Lunches

ALLEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Nov. 7 – 11)

Monday: Breakfast — Pop Tart. Lunch — Hot dog on a bun, baked beans, tater tots.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Cinnamon round. Lunch - Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, tea roll. Wednesday: Breakfast — Chocolate donut. Lunch — Turkey melt,

tri-tater, carrots. Thursday: Breakfast — Sau-

sage & egg patty. Lunch — Teriyaki

Wednesday: Country beef steak, country gravy, mashed potato with skins, frozen corn, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise, Pears.

Thursday: Fried Pollack, Tarter Sauce, Baked Potato, Mixed Vegetable, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise. apricots.

Friday: Chicken tenders, baked beans, frozen cauliflower, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise, apricots.

Thursday: Breakfast Blueberry muffins, fresh fruit salad. Lunch — Oriental chicken, rice, car-

rots, pineapple. Friday: Breakfast — Cereal & animal crackers, peaches. Lunch -Tacos, corn, juice.

Milk and juice are served every day with breakfast. Milk is served with lunch.

WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

(Nov. 7 - 11)

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chicken, oriental rice, tea roll.

Friday: Breakfast — French toast. Lunch - Freedom strips, broccoli with heroic cheese sauce, thankful tea rolls, patriotic cookie.

Most breakfast meals include: Choice of cereal or oatmeal. All breakfast meals include: 8 oz. milk, fruit or fruit juice. All lunch meals include: 8 oz. milk and salad bar.

LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE **COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

(Nov. 7 – 11)

Monday: Breakfast — Omelet, toast. Lunch — Chicken fajita.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Pretzel. Lunch — Hot dog.

Breakfast — Wednesday: Poptart & yogurt. Lunch — Philly steak sandwich

Thursday: Breakfast — Jelly donut. Lunch — Chili.

Friday: Breakfast Scrambled eggs & toast. Lunch -Cheeseburer.

Menus are the same for Elementary, Middle and High School and are subject to change.

Orange juice, skim milk, fruit, yogurt and salad bar are available daily. All breads and pasta are

whole grain.

WAKEFIELD SCHOOLS

(Nov. 7 – 11) Monday: Breakfast — Frudels, plums. Lunch — Chili, cinnamon rolls, celery/carrots, grapes.

Tuesday: Breakfast — English muffins, apricots. Lunch - Pig in a blanket, baked beans, strawberries.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Wheat grain yeast donuts, fresh fruit salad. Lunch — Rib patty on a homemade bun, broccoli, melon.

Monday: Breakfast — French toast sticks. Lunch — Sweet & sour chickens, brown rice, Oriental vegetables, carrots, pears.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Cheese omelet. Lunch - Chicken nuggets, dinner roll, peas, cherry tomato, orange.

Wednesday: Breakfast Breakfast burrito. Lunch - Hot ham & cheese sandwich, sweet potato fries, corn, apple.

Thursday: Breakfast — Pancake on stick. Lunch - Beef taco, Romaine lettuce, refried beans, strawberries.

Friday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Beef patty on a bun potato wedges, broccoli, peaches.

Fruit and vegetable bar available for K-12 with every reimbursable meal at breakfast and lunch.

Chef salad is optional for K-12. Milk served with every meal.

WINSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS (Nov. 7 - 11)

Monday: Breakfast — Breakfast cookie. Lunch — Mini corn dogs, broccoli, applesauce.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch — Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, peach crisp, roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Egg taco. Lunch — Chicken on bun, cooked carrots, pears.

Thursday: Breakfast — Cereal Lunch — Goulash, green beans, mixed fruit, breadstick.

Friday: Cinnamon French toast. Lunch — Hamburger on bun, French fries, mandarin oranges.

Milk served with all meals.

Menu may change without notice. Chef salad, fruit and vegetable bar available daily. Late start - no breakfast or K-3 salads

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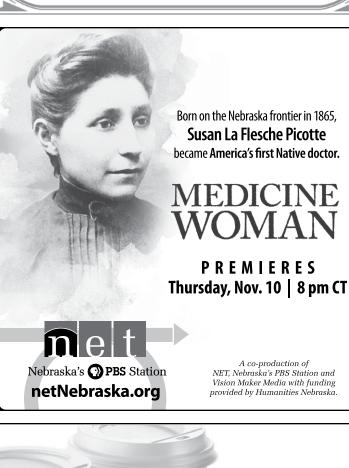
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FIRST TRINITY LUTHERAN

Altona, LC-MS 57741 847th Road, Wayne (Rev. Terry Makelin, pastor) (402) 336-7819) cell phone Sunday: Sunday School, 9:35 a.m.; Divine Worship with Holy Communion, 10:45 a.m.

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Sunday: 25th Sunday after Pentecost. All Saints Sunday. Worship Service, 9 a.m.; Bible Study, 10:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Youth Group, 5 p.m. Monday: Faithful Fitness, 5:30 p.m.; College Bible Study, 8:30 p.m. Tuesday: Girl Scouts- Cadets, 5:30 p.m.; Faithful Fitness, 5:30 p.m. Wednesday: Bell Choir Practice, 5:45 p.m.; Church Council meetings, 6:30 p.m.; Choir Practice, 6:45 p.m. Thurs-

The Merrymakers present Joe Taylor, "Mr. Memories" Monday, Nov. 14 10:00 a.m. (Open to the public, free) day: Bible Study & Communion, 9 a.m.; Quilt Guild, 1 to 8 p.m.; Faithful Fitness, 5:30 p.m.; Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. Saturday: Mobile Food Pantry, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

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a.m. Saturday: Mass, 6 p.m. Sunday: Mass, 8 and 10 a.m.; Mass, 9 p.m. Spanish Mass has been moved to Emerson on Sundays at 10 a.m. For more information contact Sacred Heart Parish at (402) 695-2505. Monday: Fr. Mollner's Day off; Prayer Group, 3:15 p.m. Tuesday: Adoration, 4:30 p.m.; Mass at 5:15 p.m.; Adoration, 6 p.m.; Newman Community Night, 8 p.m.; Newman Mass, 9 p.m. Wednesday: Adoration, 8 a.m.; Mass, 8:15 a.m.; Adoration, 4:30 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m.; Religious Education for K-8, 6:45 to 8 p.m. Thursday: Newman Thursday, 11:30 a.m.; Adoration, 4:30 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m.; Hispanic Prayer Group & rosary at church, 6 p.m.; R.C.I.A., 7 p.m. Friday: Adoration,8:30 a.m.; Mass at Brookdale, 10:30 a.m. Saturday: Mass, 6 p.m. Allen.

FIRST LUTHERAN

Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m. Wednesday: No After School Program this week. Will resume Nov. 16 at United Methodist Church, 3:30 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST (Pastor Lorrie Kentner) Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m. Wednesday: No After School Program this week. Will resume Nov. 16. Youth of the Allen Community (YAC) meet every Wednesday night from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at United Methodist Church. Thursday: United Methodist Church Council, 6 p.m.

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ST. PAUL LUTHERAN (Pastor Harrison Goodman) Sunday: Worship service, 8 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(Pastor Kyle Nelson) Sunday: 25th Sunday after Pentecost. All Saints Sunday. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, (children sing during worship), 11 a.m. Wednesday: Carroll United Methodist Women, 1:30 p.m.

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CONCORDIA LUTHERAN Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.

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a.m.

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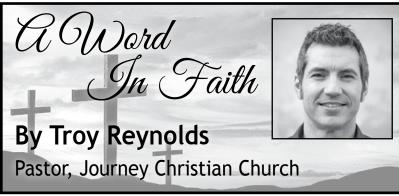
God is good all the time

There was a time, not too long ago, when a person on stage would shout out, "God is good!" and the audience would respond "All the time!" And then the leader would shout out, "All the time!" and the people would respond, "God is good!" And even though that has maybe become a little passé, the truth of the statement definitely is not. God is still good all the time!

We see His goodness in so many ways. We see God's goodness in the harvest. We see God's goodness in the colors of autumn. We see God's goodness in the sunrise each morn-

We see God's goodness in the cooing of a baby, the laughter of a child, and the warm embrace of a friend. We see God's goodness in a hot cup of coffee on a cold November morning.

If we look hard enough, we can even see God's goodness during the difficult seasons of life. A note of



encouragement. A shoulder to cry on. A text from a friend. A hug from a loved one. A word softly spoken. A promise from Scripture. A hope deep in our soul.

And when life is exceptionally hard, when there's no apparent goodness to be seen at all, we can still see God's goodness when we look at Jesus.

We can look at the cross and see that God understands suffer-

ing. We can look at the cross and know that God loves us. "For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son" (John 3:16). We can look at the empty tomb and see that God can turn any bad into ultimate good through His power.

We can know that God will work all things for good (not that all things are good) for those who love Him (Romans 8:28).

Oh, it is true, even when it is

difficult to see: God is good all the time. All the time God is good. And because that is true, every day can be a day of celebration.

Every day can be a day of thanksgiving. We can celebrate God's goodness in so many different ways. We can celebrate His goodness in how we treat our family members, how we treat our co-workers, and how we treat our classmates.

We can celebrate His goodness through how we spend our time, how we spend our talents, and how we spend our treasure.

I want to encourage you, as we begin the month of November, the month of Thanksgiving, to spend time each day thanking God for His goodness.

Each day write down one way you saw God's goodness throughout that day. In the words of the old hymn, "count your many blessings, name them one by one, and it will surprise you what the Lord has done.'





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I would like to nominate Kelli Fox for Associate of the month. From day one at

Ducks Unlimited offers banquet free to first 50 kids to arrive

The annual Wayne Area Ducks Unlimited banquet will be held Friday, Nov. 11 at the Wayne Auditorium (220 Pearl Street). A social will begin at 5:30 p.m. followed by a dinner and auction at 7:00 p.m

The first 50 kids, 16 years of age and younger, (must be accompanied by Ducks Unlimited Adult member) can attend the banquet for free.

The Wayne area chapter of Ducks Unlimited is looking to the next generation of wildlife conservationist and hunters. Greenwings: (DU young members 16 years old and younger) can attend the 2016 banquet for free when accompanied by an adult DU member. The chapter will pay for the "Greenwing" youth membership in DU and a meal for the first 50.

Bearnes said that the new generation of hunters will be the leaders of conservation in the future. Focus on the Greenwings in the area is important to future events.

Committee members Greg Urwiler and Steve Smith of Laurel, said in addition to membership and a meal, all Greenwings will be entered into a drawing of youth items.

Tickets are available at the door or from any committee member. A single is \$40 with couples at \$60, greenwings at \$15 and National Bronze level sponsorship at \$265, price includes dinner and membership in Ducks Unlimited.

This year's banquet will include an auction of both collectible DU art and memorabilia and other useful items for the hunter and collector.



(Contributed photo)

Rev. Nahil Nour, Third Vice President of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod from Sioux Falls, S.D., spoke at the Bible Institue held at Grace Lutheran in Wayne.

Bible Institute held in Wayne included a speaker on Islam

A group of 145 people registered for the Bible Institute held at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne on Oct. 23. Speaker for the afternoon was Rev. Nabil Nour, Third Vice President of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod from Sioux Falls, S.D.

After the events of 9/11, he was asked by the South Dakota District president to study Islam so that he would be able to educate the Lutheran congregations in South Dakota about the Islam religion and Muslims.

He has studied in the ensuing years and has attended various symposiums and conventions on this subject

While in Wayne, he shared information about the birth of Islam, its sources, beliefs and practices; and then expounded on the life of Muhammad, the Prophet of Islam and its' founder, the practices of Islam and its' Theological Understandings.

to Muslims.

"We can do this by friendship, hospitality and care for them as Jesus commanded us 'to Love our neighbors as ourselves," Nour told his audience.

After supper, Evening Prayer was held with Rev. Nour as preacher. He reminded all present that the way they can best witness is "to stand firm in your Faith: to know what you believe and witness to that truth."

The Bible Institute is sponsored by the Wayne Circuit Forum, which alternates every other year in sponsorship with the West Point Circuit Forum.

Members of the Forum were pleased with the response said Louise Green, lay member of the Forum.

"Participants were grateful that such an opportunity was offered in our area to learn more about the Islam religion and our Christian response. They enthusiasti-

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session discussing how we, as Christians, witness this opportunity", she said.

After a short break, he concluded the afternoon cally thanked Rev. Nour for coming to Wayne to offer

Private funds being raised for housing initiative

Northeast Housing Initiative, Inc. / NEHI, Inc. is a nonprofit 501 (c) (3) organization located in Allen Nebraska. It began in 2000 as a grassroots effort to develop affordable housing programs to first time homebuyers in northeast Nebraska through down payment assistance, housing rehabilitation, new construction and homebuyer education.

At the time, there was a lack of homebuyer assistance programs available to buyers in northeast Nebraska. And so, the founders started the organization from the ground up with not much more than a passion to fill this need. It took hard work, little pay and long hours to become a successful and respected organization that has since helped over 230 families in northeast Nebraska ourchase homes.

In the past 16 years, NEHI, Inc. has worked diligently with community and state leaders to provide affordable housing to the region.

In addition to new construction, the organization has invested over \$2.5 MILLION in housing rehabilitation projects and provided an additional \$2.5 MILLION in down payment assistance to income eligible home buyers.

How is a small non-profit organization able to have such success? Through state and federal grants. That is, until the last three years. Like most government programs, funding for housing projects and operating costs has dwindled despite a growing need for quality, affordable housing.

Not unlike many other non-profits, NEHI has felt the effects of the budget cuts. The organization has not been awarded a project related grant for three consecutive years and has been reliant on the repayment of loans of previous projects to continue operations. Last year, a large majority of Nebraska Affordable Housing Program funds were given to organizations outside of northeast

Nebraska.

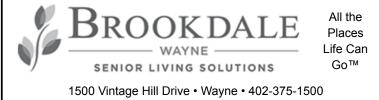
Courtney Dentlinger, State of Nebraska's Director of Economic Development, has identified the shortage of housing and shortage of workforce, as some of the top priorities for the state.

In face of the recent lack of funding, NEHI, Inc. has decided to actively begin raising private funds for both programs and operating costs. On Saturday, November 5th, NEHI, Inc. will be hosting a wine tasting fundraiser, "Taste of HOME" at the Allen Fire Hall from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The afternoon will consist of wine tasting and complementary appetizers, unique vendors, silent auction, raffle, and live entertainment provided by PARADOX.

Please consider donating and/or attending the event and supporting your local community's housing initiative at the same time! Donations are greatly appreciated and tax deductible!

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Winkelbauer resigns from LENRD board

Winkelbauer

have helped determine if that

work would be worthwhile, some

of the board members felt the

\$23,000 price tag of the study was

"A few months ago, we were

looking into some possible projects

at Willow Creek," Sousek said.

"Those projects came with a very

large price tag, so the discussion at

that time was that maybe we need

to look and see what the economic

value of the lake actually is. We'll

keep plugging away and we'll try

to find more creative ways to find a

solution or address the issues that

we're currently having at the Wil-

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low Creek reservoir.'

too high.

NORFOLK - At their October board meeting, the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (LENRD) Board of Directors accepted the resignation of Luke Winkelbauer. Winkelbauer farms in the Norfolk area and represented Subdistrict 2 on the board.

Winkelbauer is the fourth board member to step down this year. Former board members Cory Beller, Chris Carlson, and Tim Tighe resigned after moving out of their respective subdistricts. Winkelbauer did so because of the time commitment.

In his resignation letter, Winkelbauer said, "At this time, I am unable to fulfill the time commitment needed to fully engage and participate with the discussions and decisions required, as well as being able to attend the meetings and events."

Winkelbauer said that he hopes to someday return to the board when he has the time available.

LENRD general manager, Mike Sousek, said, "Luke is an extremely hard worker and his time commitment is currently involved with his family operation." Sousek thanked him for his time on the board.

In other items of business, the board voted 7-6 to reject signing a contract with JEO Consulting Group in the amount of \$23,000 to conduct an economic study on the Willow Creek State Recreation Area, near Pierce.

The reservoir has had problems with algae blooms in 7 out of the last 10 years. It could take as much as \$500,000 to do the necessary work to address the issue.

While the economic study could



Allen News

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Taste of Home wine tasting

NEHI, Inc. is hosting a wine tasting event "Taste of HOME" on Saturday, Nov. 5 from 1-5 p.m. at the Allen Fire Hall.

There will be wine tasting, homemade vendor tasting, complimentary appetizers, door prizes, music and a silent auction with many items. Nebraska wine will be available for purchase from Nissen Winery in Hartington, Big Cottonwood and Silver Hills wineries in Tekamah.

The raffle for 50 lbs. of 95 percent lean hamburger, donated by the Dixon County Feed Yard, will be drawn then also. Tickets are \$1 and can be purchased at Security Bank, Senior Center and Countryside Gas in Allen, Bank of Dixon County in Ponca, and IA-NE State Bank in Wakefield. You do not have to be present to win.

Allen Senior Citizen News

I hope that everyone is enjoying the fall crisp evenings and all the lovely color scheme changes that are happening around us. Winter will soon be up on us so be sure to get out while you can and enjoy the lovely days.

I want to thank everyone for all the donations that have been coming into the center. We appreciate all the support and contributions from everyone.

At the board meeting in October, it was approved to go to Open Dining; you may now be served your lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. We still request you call by 10:30 a.m. to reserve your lunch, but you may come anytime to eat. We are hopeful that flexible schedule will increase the number of seniors who can dine with us.

On Friday Nov. 4 Julie from the Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department will be at the Center to do free blood pressure checks and speak to everyone on contagious disease.

On Friday, Nov. 18 Karissa Hays from Brookdale Wayne will be here with RoJean, to do blood pressure and give a presentation on personal hygiene.

The Center would like to thank Gracie Lund and the family of Joann Rahn for the donations to the center. The Rahn family donated an Allen Q125 bench and Gracie gave a monetary donation.

We will have our Snowball Contest for the November Fund raiser. Snowballs are \$1 each. Be sure to put your name and date that the first measurable amount of snow will hit Allen. The winner will be announced on Friday, Dec. 2 at the breakfast.

The Center will be closed Nov. 24 - 27. I hope that everyone will have a joyous Thanksgiving.

Please remember we have the Cookbooks for sale. We have sold enough to cover all the expenses, now we need to sell to make a profit. Contact the Center or the village office for cookbooks.

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Friday, Nov. 4: Biscuits & gravy, sausage links, tropical fruit, grape juice.

Monday, Nov. 7: Spaghetti, Texas toast, Cottage cheese w/ peaches, orange juice.

Tuesday, Nov. 8: Chicken fried Steak, Mash Potatoes, Corn, Oranges

Wednesday, Nov. 9: Tater tot casserole, mixed veggies, tater tots, plums.

Thursday, Nov. 10: Creamed chicken over biscuits, Harvard beets, pineapple, cake and ice cream.

Friday, Nov. 11: Pancakes ham, apple juice, apricots.

Birthdays, anniversaries Sunday, Nov. 6: Paul Boyle, Ken

Johnson, Bill Sachau Jr., Dave Uldrich, and Gene & Linda Sorensen. Monday, Nov. 7: Anne Bausch,

Bailey Diediker, Rylee Kallsen, Kobe Kumm and Linda Martinson.

Tuesday, Nov. 8: Katie Bathke Mark Jorgensen.

Wednesday, Nov. 9: Scott Carr, Vicky Oldenkamp.

Thursday, Nov. 10: Makaya Johnson, Jacque Rahn.

Friday, Nov. 11: Howard Brentlinger Jr., Maggie Kenzey, Janet Noe, Jean Rahn, Laura Sullivan, and Howard & Jacque Brentlinger.

Saturday, Nov. 12: Iva Geiger.

Sunday, Nov. 13: Landri Anderson, Julie Kumm, Christan Moore, Marcello Vargas and Jarret War-

Sports, Activities Calendar Monday, Nov. 7: Conference

Music Clinic at Ponca. Tuesday, Nov. 8: Quiz Bowl

Practice during lunch. Wednesday, Nov. 9: Quiz Bowl - Wayne State College, 9 a.m.; Life-Serve blood drive - Allen School Commons - 1:30 - 6 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 10: Dog Loves Books - Pre School, first and second grades - Norfolk Arts Center Norfolk, depart 8:30 a.m.; Volleyball · State Volleyball, Lincoln.

Friday, Nov. 11: Veterans Day Breakfast and Program - Breakfast, 7:30 a.m.; Program, 8:20 a.m.; Volleyball - State Volleyball, Lincoln.

Saturday, Nov. 12: Volleyball · State Volleyball, Lincoln.

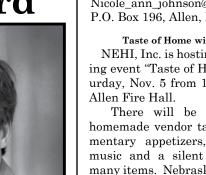
FFA Fruit Sales

FFA fruit sales began Nov. 1 and will continue through Monday, Nov. 14.

Band Fund raiser

The Allen Band and will be selling Puffins and Pizza from Nov. 3 -Nov. 28. To order contact any band member.

Community Calendar Sunday, Nov. 6: St. Anne's Catholic Church (Dixon), 8 a.m.; St. Paul Lutheran Church, 8 a.m.; First Lutheran Church, 9 a.m.; United Methodist Church, 9 a.m.; Trinity Lutheran Church, 9 a.m.; Michael's Catholic Church St. (Coleridge), 10 a.m.; Evangelical Free Church, 10:30 a.m. Monday, Nov. 7: Quilt Club, 7 p.m. at Sr. Citizen Center; Dixon County Weed Control Board, 7:30 p.m. at Weed Building. Tuesday, Nov. 8: Fire and Rescue 7:30 p.m. at Firehall. Friday, Nov. 11: Veteran's Day. Everyone is welcome to help decorate the caboose in preparation for the Christmas season. This Allen Community Club-sponsored activity will take place Sunday afternoon, Nov. 27, at 2 p.m.





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Monday, Nov. 7: Breakfast — Pop Tart Lunch — Hot dog on a bun, baked beans, tater tots.

Tuesday, Nov. 8: Breakfast -Cinnamon round. Lunch - Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, tea roll.

Wednesday, Oct. 9: Breakfast - Chocolate donut. Lunch - Turkey melt, tri-tater, carrots.

Thursday, Oct. 10: Breakfast — Sausage & egg patty. Lunch — Teriyaki chicken, oriental rice, tea roll.

Friday, Oct. 11: Breakfast -French toast. Lunch — Freedom strips, broccoli with heroic cheese sauce, thankful tea rolls, patriotic cookie

Senior Center Menu Milk and bread served with all

Community Hours

Library: Wednesday — 4-6 p.m., Friday — 9 a.m. - noon; Monday — 9 to 11 a.m.

Post Office: Monday - Friday -7:45 - 11:45 a.m.; Saturday — 9:45 - 10:30 a.m.

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The difference between nitrates and nitrate nitrogen explained

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Here's some information on a couple of topics from Bruce Anderson, Extension Forage Specialist. Here is a question: I just got the nitrate test results back from the lab and the level was 3,000. Am I in trouble?

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Every year I get questions similar to this one. Unfortunately, with just this information I can't give a useful answer. So I ask the question "Was this reported as nitrates or as nitrate nitrogen?"

Why is it important to know the difference between nitrate nitrogen and nitrates? Well, using the previous example, if the score was 3,000 parts per million of nitrate nitrogen, then the forage has a nitrate concentration that is almost 50 percent higher than what we often consider to be the potentially toxic level. It would be risky for cattle to eat this forage without taking some precautions.

However, 3,000 parts per million of nitrate should cause no worries since this is less than one-third the danger level for nitrates. Thus, the same level can range from quite dangerous to perfectly safe.



port results for nitrates. Labs that report nitrate concentration are referring specifically to the nitrate ion, designated chemically as NO3-Most labs and advisors consider 9.000 to 10,000 parts per million of the nitrate ion to be the level where toxicity concerns begin.

Some labs, though, report the These big differences are due to amount of nitrogen in the nitrate your dormant pasture. how individual labs test for and re- ion as nitrate nitrogen and report it

chemically as NO3-N. Thus, a much tle during winter grazing can have a smaller amount of nitrate nitrogen is needed to produce the same effect as the entire nitrate ion. As a result, the danger level for nitrate nitrogen begins somewhere between 2,000 and 2,300.

Next time you test your hay or corn stalks or cover crop for nitrates, look closely to see how your lab reports your results. Then, when you talk with someone about the safety or feeding alternatives for your forage you can be sure both of you are talking the same language.

Grass remaining for winter grazing can really help cut feed costs for stock cows. Your grazing strategy can greatly influence how effectively you use this pasture.

Grazing winter range or pastures has many benefits. It can save as much as a dollar a day per cow compared to feeding hay.

It removes old growth so pasture next spring and summer is fresher. And some weeds may be eaten that cattle won't touch during summer. Plus, there is little risk of damage to

But the way you manage your cat-

big effect on its success. For instance, maybe you have a goal of feeding as little protein supplement as possible while winter grazing. Then you must make sure your stocking level is light enough so cattle can select just the higher quality plant parts to eat.

Another strategy might be to stretch winter pasture as far as possible. Then it might be best to restrict animal access to small areas at a time, like with strip grazing, and feed supplements as needed.

Or, if you use forage from winter range just as a filler to keep cattle from bellowing when you limit feed corn, corn by-products, or other nutrient dense feeds, then high stocking levels and unrestricted access might be best.

Whatever your strategy, though, consider carefully what kind of nutrition animals are getting from the pasture so you neither underfeed nor overfeed expensive supplements.

Winter grazing is a great opportunity to reduce winter feed costs. With the right grazing strategy, it can help you meet many of your feeding goals.

UNL Extension Board -Wayne County meeting planned The Nebraska Extension Board in Wayne County will

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Remembering Halloween 25 years ago

The experts say that Americans will spend many dollars on Halloween tomorrow. I know the costume shop in Omaha stays open many extra hours in October. I also know that renting costumes is not cheap; I've had to do that a few times. (Not for Halloween.)

Growing up, I don't think we ever went trick or treating. I do remember having one party at school, because my Mom took some feed sacks & made me a gypsy dress; it had a very full skirt and I don't recall wearing a head scarf, but I bet I did. I'm sure I didn't have big round ear rings.

Twenty five years ago, it was a Halloween to remember. It snowed! And it didn't just snow, it became ice packed. I had just started working here in Lincoln, and I had to really be careful making my rounds that morning

I was going home to Hoskins on weekends because it was several months before our official move. I left my Mom's house, where I was staying, about 3 p.m. in the afternoon of a Friday, with a package of home made runzas she made that day. She usually ended up baking when the weather was bad. The mayor of Lincoln reluctantly called off Hallow-



The **Farmer's Wife By: Pat Meierhenry**

een, literally, that day. He felt it was too dangerous for the kids to be out. It was not a popular decision, even though they had the rest of the weekend to make it up. Years later, when I met him at a hospice recognition event, I told him I remembered him for that! He was governor by then.

family was providing good care, and he seemed to be comfortable. They called that morning to say he was declining, and I promised to be there later.

Going out north of Lincoln on Fourteenth Street, I was on a paved road covered with ice. There were pickups and cars in the ditches. I literally crawled. And prayed. I'm quite sure I have worn out several Guardian Angels in my career that involved traveling to patient's homes.

I made it to Valparaiso okay, thank the Lord, but did not go any further that night. I shared the runzas with the patient's family, and stayed at the bedside until he died. Their priest walked there, even though the streets were also icy, and we all stood around the bed, holding hands, and prayed the Our Father.

I don't know how the pickup service for the mortuary got there, but they did, and then I spent the rest of night as a guest in a family guest room. It was an unforgettable expe-

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Named to the Principal's List High Honor Roll list were seniors Callie Finn and Cory Shoff; junior Sarah Wolfe; freshmen Andrea Bargstadt, Marissa Remm and Morgan Remm; eighth grader Kylie Cautrell and Tyler Carlson.

Named to the Honor Roll were: Seniors - Alex Bargstadt and

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Juniors - Dylan Brogren, Victoria Buresh, Colton Jensen and Trey Meis:

Sophomores - Brandon Watters, Erin Clocker, Haylee Cummins and Kellie Kampa;

Freshmen — Alex Carlson and Brody Meis;

Eighth graders — Jamie Clevenger, Joie Clevenger, Hope Cummins, Jacqueline Escalante , Jaden Rastede and Dominic Reed;

Seventh graders — Kati Topp, Carsan Brogren, Aubrie Edwards, Art Escalante, Trey Falk, Maddie McManigal and Jacob Paulsen.



I had a hospice patient in Valparaiso and had made it a habit to stop there on the way home. His

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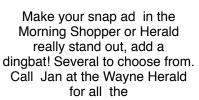
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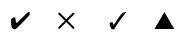


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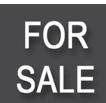
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Boehm named vice chancellor of UNL's Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources

Michael Boehm has been named the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Harlan Vice Chancellor for the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources and University of Nebraska vice president for Agriculture and Natural Resources.

"We are tremendously excited to have Dr. Boehm join us at Nebraska's land-grant university," Chancellor Ronnie Green said. "His vision, passion and experience will be instrumental in leading IANR to even greater accomplishments and service to Nebraskans and the world. Mike's background in research and teaching, his national leadership in plant pathology, and his leadership of system-wide initiatives at Ohio State make him extremely well qualified for this integral role. His energetic, inclusive and thoughtful approach is a fantastic fit for our culture, and we look forward to Mike taking IANR's recognized momentum to even higher levels of international leadership."

Boehm is currently professor of plant pathology and vice provost for academic and strategic planning at The Ohio State University. He has been responsible for strategic planning for Ohio State's 15 colleges and six campuses; K-12 and community college partnerships; the University Libraries System, College of Public Affairs and Office of Institutional

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Boehm

Research and Planning; dean reappointment and academic unit reviews; integrated capital planning; and classroom readiness.

He oversees Ohio State's Discovery Themes initiative, a 10-year program to produce solutions to the challenges of the 21st century, and serves as co-lead for the Humanities and the Arts Discovery Theme.

Boehm, 51, is an authority on the integrated management of turf-

grass diseases and focuses on the biology, ecology and management of fungal diseases. to advancement in agriculture and sustainable use of natural resources, and there's an inherent under-

He also works on the integrated management of Fusarium head blight of wheat with a focus on the development of biological control strategies for this economically important and challenging disease. He is widely published, holds five U.S. and 15 international patents related to his work on the biocontrol of Fusarium head blight, and has secured significant external funding in support of his personal research. In 2013, Boehm was president of the American Phytopathological Society, the leading scientific organization for plant pathology in the world.

"The University of Nebraska is well-known for its leading work and contributions in ag and natural resources and human sciences, and I'm thrilled to have the opportunity to build on that work," Boehm said. "The people of Nebraska and the university are deeply committed sustainable use of natural resources, and there's an inherent understanding that what happens in Nebraska influences lives around the world. I'm eager to become part of that dynamic and honored to have the chance to work with IANR's amazing faculty, staff and students, as well as with external partners and renowned thought leaders in ag and natural resources."

Boehm will provide leadership for all agricultural and natural resource affairs at the university. In the dual role of IANR vice chancellor at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and NU vice president for Agriculture and Natural Resources, Boehm has leadership of the campuses for all agricultural, natural resources and related affairs in the University of Nebraska system. As vice president, Boehm will oversee the executive directors of the Rural Futures Institute and the Daugherty Global Water for Food Institute and the dean of the Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture at Curtis. The vice chancellor is the chief ad-

ministrative officer for IANR, which includes the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, the Agricultural Research Division, Nebraska Extension, and the IANR research and extension components of the College of Education and Human Sciences.

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The vice chancellor is responsible for an enterprise with more than 1,600 full-time employees including a tenure-track faculty of 330, nearly 40,000 acres of land and a budget with annual expenditures of over \$215 million.

Special Note Section 208 of the Voting Rights Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. 1973aa-6) reads

Any voter who requires assistance to vote by reason of blindness, disability or inability to read or write may be given assistance by a person of the voter's choice, other than the voter's employer or agent of that employer or officer or agent of the voter's union.

Sample Ballot, General Election, November 8, 2016

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	PRESIDENTIAL TICKET		0	Ardel Bengtson Joni Albrecht		Yes
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_	Michael R. Pence J Vice President		0	Rachel Wise		
\bigcirc	Hillary Clinton President Tim Kaine	ocratic				Yes
	Vice President			Justice of the Supreme Court		No
\bigcirc	Bill Weld 🚽	tarian		ed in office? Yes	' ·	ludge of the County Court District 7
\bigcirc	Vice President		0	No	Shall Ju in office	udge Michael L. Long be retained ?
	President Ajamu Baraka Vice President	etition	Ju	dge of the Supreme Court District 3		Yes
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	Vice President		\bigcirc	Yes	Shall Ju	udge Donna Farrell Taylor be
	ONGRESSIONAL TICKET		0	No		
For	Representative in Congress District 3 - 2 Year Term Vote for ONE	5	Jud	ge of the Court of Appeals District 3	0	Yes
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Instructions to Voters

- 1. To vote you must blacken the oval opposite the candidate or issue you wish to vote for.
- 2. Use only the pencil provided
- 3. Do not cross anything out. If you change your mind exchange your ballot for a new one.
- 4. To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write that person's name in full on the write-in line under the proper office and blacken the oval opposite the line.
- 5. Be sure to check to see if you need to vote both sides of the ballot.
- 6. After voting, place your ballots in the ballot sleeve, so only the judge's initials show.
- 7. Oversee that your ballot is deposited in the ballot box.

Sample Ballot, General Election, November 8, 2016

Wayne County	B State of Nebraska	
INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS:		
 TO VOTE, YOU MUST DARKEN THE OVAL COMPLETELY (). Use a black or blue ink pen or a No. 2 pencil. To vote for a WRITE-IN candidate - write in the name on the line provided AND darken the oval completely. 	COUNTY TICKET For County Commissioner District 2 Vote for ONE Dean Burbach	NONPARTISAN TICKET Judge of the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court Shall Judge John R. Hoffert be retained in office?
- des	Republican	◯ Yes
	NONPARTISAN TICKET	◯ No
 DO NOT CROSS OUT OR ERASE. If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot. 	For Member of the Legislature District 17 Vote for ONE	Judge of the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court
5. DO NOT FOLD THE BALLOT.	Ardel Bengtson	Shall Judge James R. Coe be retained in office?
PRESIDENTIAL TICKET	Joni Albrecht	◯ Yes
For President and Vice President of the United States	0	◯ No
Vote for ONE Donald J. Trump President Michael R. Pence Vice President	For Member of the State Board of Education District 3 Vote for ONE C Rachel Wise	Judge of the District Court District 7 Shall Judge Mark A. Johnson be retained in office?
Hillary Clinton	0	◯ Yes
President Tim Kaine Vice President	Chief Justice of the Supreme Court	◯ No
Gary Johnson President Bill Weld Vice President	Shall Chief Justice Michael G. Heavican be retained in office? Yes	Judge of the County Court District 7 Shall Judge Michael L. Long be retained
Jill Stein President Ajamu Baraka	◯ No	in office?
Vice President	Judge of the Supreme Court District 3	
President	Shall Judge William B. Cassel be retained in office?	Uudge of the County Court
Vice President CONGRESSIONAL TICKET	YesNo	District 7 Shall Judge Donna Farrell Taylor be retained in office?
For Representative in Congress District 3 - 2 Year Term Vote for ONE	Judge of the Court of Appeals District 3	 Yes No
Adrian Smith Republican	Shall Judge Francie Riedmann Weis be retained in office?	Judge of the County Court District 7
STATE TICKET	YesNo	Shall Judge Ross A. Stoffer be retained in office?
For Public Service Commissioner District 4 - 6 Year Term Vote for ONE	Judge of the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court Shall Judge Daniel R. Fridrich be retained in office?	YesNo
Rod Johnson Republican	 Yes No 	
		Remember! Vote Both Sides

Sample Ballot, General Election, November 8, 2016

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CITY TICKET	CITY TICKET	
City of Wakefield For City Council Member, Ward 2 Vote for ONE	City of Wayne For Council Member, Ward 2 Vote for ONE	City of Wayne For Council Member, Ward 4 Vote for ONE
Paul M. Eaton	Jennifer M. Sievers	C Mark Bloomfield
Megan M. Weaver	Reed Allen	Jon Haase
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City of Wayne For Council Member, Ward 1 Vote for ONE	City of Wayne For Council Member, Ward 3 Vote for ONE	Wayne Municipal Airport For Member of Airport Authority 6 Year Term Vote for up to TWO
	Cale Giese	Jerome Conradt
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING OF WAYNE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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Notice is hereby given that the meeting of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners will be held on Tuesday, November 15, 2016, in the County Board Meeting Room of the Wayne County Courthouse in Wayne, Nebraska. The County Board of Commissioners meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. The meeting is open to the public. Agendas for such meetings are kept continuously current and are available for public inspection at the office of the County Clerk in the Wayne County Courthouse.

Debra Finn, County Clerk (Publ. Nov. 3, 2016) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Mayor and Council, Tuesday, November 15, 2016 at 5:30 p.m. in the Wayne City Hall. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

No person of the City of Wayne shall, on the ground of race, color or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity.

Individuals requiring sensory accommodations, interpreter including services, Braille, large print, or recorded materials should contact Betty McGuire, City Clerk, at 402-375-1733, no later than 4:30 p.m. on the Friday preceding the meeting. Betty McGuire, City Clerk

(Publ. Nov. 3, 2016) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Airport Authority Monday, November 14, 2016 at 7:00 P.M. at the Airport Terminal. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

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Jerome Conradt, Chairman Wayne Airport Authority (Publ. Nov. 3, 2016) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE GREEN TEAM

There will be a meeting the Green Team Monday, November 14, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the conference room of the Wayne Public Library. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public

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Betty A. McGuire, City Clerk (Publ. Nov. 3, 2016) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO NEB. REV. STAT. § 52-601.01

Please take notice that the following described property will be sold at a public auction to satisfy a lien in favor of Louis Benscoter and Mandy Olson (hereinafter "Claimants") pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 52-601.01, to wit: 886 NCR Silver POS Systems, Mfg. Model: 166900010000K, and approximately 3,800 NCR Silver Credit Card Readers for point of sale devices, Mfg. Model: NCR003, and approximately 18-20 pallets of children's toys and figurines (hereinafter collectively the "Inventory").

The Inventory shall be sold as one Lot at a public auction, which Lot shall go to the highest bidder for cash (or by certified or cashier's check) at 910 Jaxon Street, Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska at 10:00 a.m., on Monday, November 28, 2016.

SAID SALE shall be made without any covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, as to the condition of the Inventory or status of title to the Inventory. The successful bidder shall be responsible for any legal action necessary to obtain physical possession of the Inventory or for any legal action regarding the status of title to the Inventory.

PROVIDED that if Claimants are the highest bidders at said sale, Claimants may tender payment by its credit bid of the amount due Claimants as lienholders pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 52-601.01, or any portion thereof, plus costs and fees allowed under Nebraska law.

DATED at Omaha, Nebraska, this 20th day of October, 2016.

> Nicholas A. Buda Attorney for Claimants 402-344-0500 (Publ. Oct. 27, Nov. 3, 10, 17, 24, 2016) ZNEZ

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The City of Wayne, Nebraska, is seeking bids for lease or purchase of one 2017 Ford Fusion ENERGI SE, 2.0L IVCT 14 HEV. Bids must be received in the City Clerk's

Office in a sealed envelope by 2:00 o'clock p.m., Thursday, November 14, 2016. At that time, all bids will be opened and read aloud in the Council Chambers at the Wayne City Hall. Specifications and bid forms must be

obtained from the City Clerk's office between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The City of Wayne has and reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

No bid may be withdrawn without the consent of the City of Wayne. The City agrees to make a selection as soon as possible after the letting based on price, guarantees, service ability, time of delivery, and any other pertinent facts and features. and to enter into a contract with the bidder who submits the best bid proposal

All questions regarding this bid should be directed to Lowell Johnson, City Administrator, by calling 402-375-1733.

Betty A. McGuire City Clerk (Publ. Nov. 3, 10, 2016) ZNEZ

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The City of Wayne, Nebraska, is seeking bids to install internal metal framing, insulation

and sheetrock in the billing offices in the Wayne City Hall. The project is located at 306 Pearl Street in Wayne, Nebraska. Bid specifications are available at the City Clerk's Office at 306 Pearl Street or by mail. A cashier's check or performance bond in the amount of \$500 and proof of \$1,000,000 in liability insurance coverage will be required with each bid submitted.

Bids must be received in the City Clerk's Office in a sealed envelope by 2:00 o'clock p.m., Thursday November 10, 2016. Completion date for the project is February 5, 2017, with a penalty of \$100 per day liquidated damages.

All questions regarding this bid should be directed to Lowell Johnson, City Administrator, by calling 402-375-1733.

The City of Wayne has the right to reject any and all bids.

Betty A. McGuire City Clerk (Publ. Oct. 27, Nov. 3, 2016) ZNEZ

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The City of Wayne, Nebraska, is seeking bids to paint the billing offices and center hallway in the Wayne City Hall. The project is located at 306 Pearl Street in Wayne, Nebraska. Bid specifications are available at the City Clerk's Office at 306 Pearl Street or by mail. A cashier's check or performance bond in the amount of \$500 and proof of \$1 000.000 in liability insurance coverage will be required with each bid submitted.

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Betty A. McGuire

City Clerk (Publ. Oct. 27, Nov. 3, 2016) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Wayne City Council will meet on Tuesday, November 15, 2016, at 5:30 p.m., in Council Chambers of the Wayne Municipal Building, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska. At or about 5:30 p.m., the City Council will hold a public hearing to consider the Planning Commission's recommendation on the "Community Schools Addition to the City of Wayne Final Plat." The applicant for the plat is the City of Wayne.

All oral or written comments on the proposed matter received prior to and at the public hearing will be considered.

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(Publ. Nov. 3, 2016) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Wayne will hold a public hearing on a redevelopment plan for the real estate described in this notice, pursuant to the Nebraska Community Development Law.

The hearing will be held in the Council Chambers at City Hall in Wayne, Nebraska, on the 15th day of November, 2016, at the hour of 5:30 p.m.

The property affected by this notice is described as follows:

Lots 1, 2, and 5, Block 3, Cecil Wriedt's Second Addition to the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska

A copy of the proposed plan is on file in the office of the City Clerk. All interested parties shall be afforded at

such public hearing a reasonable opportunity to express their views respecting the proposed redevelopment plan

to purchase Lot 2, Benscoter Planned Unit Development Replat 2 from Windom Ridge, Inc., (Lou Benscoter) be pulled from the agenda. Discussion took place regarding other

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tential properties of interest. APPROVED:

Minutes of the July 26, 2016, meeting The following claims:

> City of Wayne: Attorney's Fees 800.00 Notice 39.50

> City of Wayne - transfer lot sale proceeds 50,000.00

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budget. To make a request that the City transfer the unallocated portion of \$44,906.00 of the

1.85% dedicated to economic development the Wayne Community Redevelopment Authority, as well as any future overages.

Meeting adjourned at 4:19 p.m. The Wayne Community Redevelopment

Authority By: Chair

ATTEST:

formed: 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is DLLJ, LLC; 2. The address of the registered office is 56027 Hwy 98, Hoskins, NE 68740; 3. The general nature of the business to be transacted is to engage in real estate ownership, agricultural, developmental and rental; and to engage in any lawful activities for which a Limited Liability Company may be organized under Nebraska Statute; and to engage in any business or activity that is necessary and proper to the accomplishment of the above purposes; 4. The existence of the Limited Liability Company commenced on October 4, 2016, and its period of duration is perpetual; 5. Management of the affairs of the Limited Liability Company is to be by the members. The original members are Dwayne Thies, Lori Thies, Linda Mattson, John Thies Dated Oct. 26, 2016.

DLLJ. LLC

Sample Ballot, General Election, November 8, 2016

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SCHOOL TICKET	SCHOOL TICKET	
Randolph School District 45	Wakefield School District 560	Referendum ordered by Petition of the People
For Board of Education Vote for up to THREE	For Board of Education Vote for up to THREE	Referendum No. 426
Jim Scott	Peter E. Lundin	A vote to " <u>Retain</u> " will eliminate the death penalty and change the maximum penalty for the crime of murder in the first
Cody Backer	Shannon Johnson	degree to life imprisonment by retaining Legislative Bill 268, passed in 2015 by
James Munter	Arianne M. Conley	the First Session of the 104 th Nebraska Legislature.
Anthony Shearer	James D. Rusk	A vote to " <u>Repeal</u> " will keep the death penalty as a possible penalty for the
🔿 Lisa Linville	Terry J. Borg	crime of murder in the first degree by repealing Legislative Bill 268, passed in
O	Mark R. Victor	2015 by the First Session of the 104th Nebraska Legislature.
O	-0	The purpose of Legislative Bill 268, passed by the First Session of the
0	-0	104 th Nebraska Legislature in 2015, is to eliminate the death penalty and
	+	change the maximum penalty for the crime of murder in the first degree to

By Kate M. Jorgensen, #22912 Its Attorney 110 West Second Street Wayne, Nebraska 68787 (402) 375-2080 (Publ. Nov. 3, 10, 17, 2016) ZNEZ 1 clip - 1 POP

NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF GLORIA LESEBERG. Deceased.

Estate No. PR 16-21

Notice is hereby given that a Petition for Adjudication of Intestacy of said Decedent, Determination of Heirs, and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed herein and is set for hearing in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, located at 510 Pearl Street, Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, on November 7, 2016, at or after 11:30 o'clock a.m.

> Kory Leseberg Petitione 420 W 8th Street Wayne, NE 68787 (402) 375-5660

Attorney for Petitioner 110 West Second Street PO Box 125 Wayne, Nebraska 68787 (402) 375-2080

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Competitive sealed bids will be received

at the Wayne City Clerk's Office, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, NE 68787 until 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 1, 2016. A certificate of proof of \$1 million liability insurance must accompany the bid. The bids will be publicly opened and read in the Council Chambers at 2:00 p.m. that same day for a lump sum bid to complete the demolition and transport to Gill Landfill of the abandoned residential structure at 808 Windom Street. All work must be completed and invoiced by February 1, 2017 808 Windom Street: Unoccupied wooder

house with possible asbestos. City will provide for asbestos inspection and all

To obtain a bid packet, contractors should contact Lowell Johnson, City Administrator 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, NE (402) 375-1733. The bid shall be sealed and addressed to Betty McGuire, City Clerk, Wayne, NE 68787, and have labeled on the outside DEMOLITION BID. Bids may be mailed to or delivered at the Wayne City Clerk's Office 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, NE 68787. Faxed

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or emailed proposals are not acceptable The City of Wayne reserves the right to refuse any or all bids, and any bids received from contractors not so qualified will be returned unopened

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required removal and documentation

before demolition. Contractor will demolish

and remove entire building and basement

or foundation to Gill Landfill and restore lot

surface to level compacted fill as needed

Contractor is responsible for Gill disposal fees. City will disconnect and terminate

Contractors must seek all necessary

permits, excluding asbestos and any other

permits that may be required from the

Nebraska Department of Environmental

Quality or the Department of Health and

any remaining utility connections.

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Kate M. Jorgensen #22912

City Clerk (Publ. Nov. 3, 2016) ZNEZ NOTICE A Limited Liability Company has been

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STATEMENT OF RE				
OCTOBER 1, 2015	THRU S		16	
	¢	BUDGET	¢	REVENUES
	\$	4,385,765.00	\$	4,383,715.56
CAC RESERVE FUND	\$	600.00	\$	801.40
	\$	1,893,322.00	\$	1,560,598.43
	\$	243,205.00	\$	237,609.74
011 ENHANCEMENTS	\$ \$	26,226.00	\$	17,262.54
WIRELESS 911	ф Ф	53,809.00	\$	58,975.51
	\$	500,500.00	\$	490,845.68
TRUST & AGENCY	\$	392,166.00	\$	477,689.21
	\$	-	\$	6,009.06
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	165,916.00	\$	293,842.45
	\$	342,058.00	\$	385,253.32
ELECTRIC	\$	7,627,791.00	\$	8,360,507.05
WATER	\$	1,916,961.00	\$	1,804,860.51
SEWER	\$	3,277,578.00	\$	3,228,340.83
TRANSFER STATION	\$	13,400.00	\$	13,301.24
AIRPORT	\$	292,338.00	\$	276,362.62
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY	\$	265,000.00	\$	208,624.59
TIF ANGEL ACRES	\$	18,900.00	\$	12,768.95
TIF ANGEL VILLAGE	\$	350,000.00	\$	-
TIF BOMGAARS	\$	25,249.00	\$	25,498.88
TIF BENSCOTER	\$	30,089.00	\$	16,110.50
TIF JORGENSEN			\$	50,000.00
TIF MID PLAINS GRAIN	\$	18,732.00	\$	13,096.02
TIF MOTEL	\$	57,862.00	\$	41,154.68
TIF MZRB	\$	5,963.00	\$	5,930.32
TIF NEBR ST PROG PROP	\$	9,438.00	\$	4,141.12
TIF W 1ST ST PROG PROP	\$	10,054.00	\$	1,373.21
TIF E 6TH ST PROG PROP	\$	6,556.00	\$	122.20
TIF SEBADE	\$	5,183.00	\$	3,595.80
TIF WAYNE RENTALS	\$ \$	14,244.00	\$	6,743.87
TIF / WAYNE WEST RRD	\$	45,768.00	\$	58,347.49
TIF WESTERN RIDGE PICK/MEYER	\$	15,721.00	\$	11,308.28
WINDOM RIDGE TIF	\$	10,746.00	\$	10,003.59
TOTAL	\$	22,021,140.00	\$	22,064,794.65
FUND		BUDGET	E)	PENDITURES
GENERAL	\$	7,631,440.00	\$	6,050,433.65
CAC RESERVE FUND	\$	206,445.00	\$	49,744.22
STREET FUND	\$	2,022,949.00	\$	1,033,584.91
DEBT SERVICE	\$	1,126,102.00	\$	307,277.50
911 ENHANCEMENTS	\$	72,835.00	\$	21,112.35
WIRELESS 911	\$ \$	191,689.00	\$	48,327.94
SELF FUNDED INSURANCE	\$	862,621.00	\$	406,285.73
TRUST & AGENCY	\$	548,986.00	\$	486,910.24
KENO	\$	-	\$	897.42
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	520,650.00	\$	218,330.50
LB 840	\$	565,661.00	\$	485,110.00
ELECTRIC	\$	13,767,392.00	\$	8,138,989.46
WATER	\$	2,523,169.00	\$	1,825,625.90
SEWER	\$	4,426,387.00	\$	3,484,326.64
TRANSFER STATION		14,355.00	\$	31,255.71
AIRPORT	¢ ¢	330,609.00	\$	282,426.16
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY	¢	435,340.00	\$	116,369.54
TIF ANGEL ACRES	¢	18,900.00	\$	11,583.59
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TIF MID PLAINS GRAIN	\$	18,732.00	\$	13,096.02
	\$	57,862.00	\$	14,235.95
TIF MZRB	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	5,963.00	\$	3,416.77
TIF NEBR ST PROG PROP	¢	9,628.00	\$	4,331.20
TIF W 1ST ST PROG PROP	\$	10,101.00	\$	567.85
TIF E 6TH ST PROG PROP	\$	6,556.00	\$	122.20
	\$	5,290.00	\$	3,305.40
TIF WAYNE RENTALS	\$	14,273.00	\$ \$	6,443.83
TIF / WAYNE WEST RRD	\$	181,394.00	\$	2,921.42
TIF WESTERN RIDGE PICK/MEYER	\$	16,067.00	\$	6,154.82
TIF WINDOM RIDGE		10,746.00	\$	3,953.59
TOTAL	\$	36,007,480.00	\$	23,131,722.08
				NCY L. BRADEN
SUBJECT TO AUDIT			EINIA	NCE DIRECTOR

	proposed redevelopment plan.	
	Betty A. McGuire	
	City Clerk (Publ. Oct. 27, Nov. 3, 2016) ZNEZ	
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5.56		0
1.40	WAYNE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT	
8.43	AUTHORITY PROCEEDINGS	
9.74	July 26, 2016 The Wayne Community Redevelopment	
2.54	Authority was called to order at 4:00 p.m.	
5.51 5.68	on July 26, 2016. In attendance: Chair	(
9.21	Chamberlain; Members Giese, Meyer,	
9.06	Schweers, Muir and Larson; Attorney Miller;	
2.45	Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk	
3.32	McGuire. Absent: Member Lenihan.	
7.05	Jim Rempfer, Treasurer of the Independent Faith Baptist Church, was present to let the	
0.51	CRA be aware of property they own that is for	
0.83 1.24	sale. The property is located at 109 S. Lincoln	
2.62	Street. The assessed value on the property is	
4.59	\$40,000. They do not have a minimum sale	
8.95	price on the property and prefer to try to sell it	
-	on their own in lieu of going through a realtor.	
8.88	He stated the property is in bad shape. Staff would set up a date and time for any CRA	
0.50	members that would like to walk through the	
0.00 6.02	house and look at the property.	
4.68	The CRA reviewed the proposed 2016-	
0.32	2017 budget.	
1.12	Discussion took place regarding other	
3.21	potential properties of interest.	ĺ
2.20	APPROVED: Minutes of the June 28, 2016, meeting.	
5.80	The following claims:	
3.87 7.49	➤ City of Wayne:	i i i
8.28	Attorney's Fees 800.00	
3.59	Notice 31.41	
4.65	Stanley Petroleum Maintenance –	
RES	specs for tank removal 298.00 ➤ Asher & Michele Davison –	
3.65	down payment assistance 10,000.00	
4.22 4.91	CRA Res. 2016-1 which is a supplemental	
7.50	bond resolution providing for the extension	
2.35	of the maturity date of Series 2009 a tax	
7.94	increment revenue bond (Western Ridge	1
5.73	II Subdivision Project) to December 31,	
0.24	2035, and providing for the establishment of effective dates for the division of ad valorem	
7.42 0.50	taxes.	
0.50	To reimburse the Street Department Fund	
9.46	the amount of \$50,000 for the Western Ridge	
5.90	infrastructure improvements.	
6.64	To set the public hearing on the budget for	
5.71	August 30, 2016, at or about 4:00 p.m. Meeting adjourned at 4:42 p.m.	-
6.16	The Wayne Community Redevelopment	
9.54 3.59	Authority	ĺ
-	By: Chair	
8.88	ATTEST:	
2.69	City Clerk	
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6.02	WAYNE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT	
5.95 6.77	AUTHORITY PROCEEDINGS	
0.77 1.20	August 30, 2016	
7.85	The Wayne Community Redevelopment	
2.20	Authority was called to order at 4:00 p.m.	
5.40	on August 30, 2016. In attendance: Chair	
3.83	Chamberlain; Members Giese, Lenihan, and Schweers: Administrator, Johnson; and City	
1.42	Schweers; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire. Absent: Members Meyer, Muir	
4.82 3.50	and Larson; City Attorney Miller.	
3.59 2.08	A public hearing was held on the proposed	
2.00 ADEN	FY2016-2017 budget.	
	Lou Benscoter requested that Agenda Item	1

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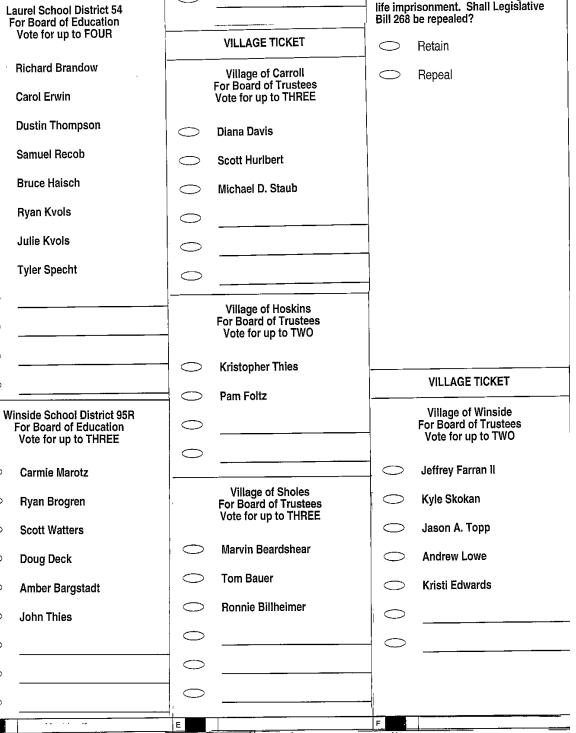
No. 7 - Discussion and Action on an offer

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Special Note — Section 208 of the Voting Rights Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. 1973aa-6) reads

Any voter who requires assistance to vote by reason of blindness, disability or inability to read or write may be given assistance by a person of the voter's choice, other than the voter's employer or agent of that employer or officer or agent of the voter's union.

(Publ. Nov. 3, 2016) ZNEZ

LEGAL NOTICE OF MEASURES TO BE VOTED UPON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION OCCURING ON NOVEMBER 8, 2016

BALLOT TITLE AND TEXT OF A REFERENDUM ORDERED BY PETITION OF THE PEOPLE

Also included are Statements of Explanation in Italics Prepared by the Attorney General

REFERENDUM ORDERED BY PETITION OF THE PEOPLE

REFERENDUM NO. 426

A vote to <u>"Retain"</u> will eliminate the death penalty and change the maximum penalty for the crime of murder in the first degree to life imprisonment by retaining Legislative Bill 268, passed in 2015 by the First Session of the 104th Nebraska Legislature.

A vote to "<u>Repeal</u>" will keep the death penalty as a possible penalty for the crime of murder in the first degree by repealing Legislative Bill 268, passed in 2015 by the First Session of the 104th Nebraska Legislature.

The purpose of Legislative Bill 268, passed by the First Session of the 104th Nebraska Legislature in 2015, is to eliminate the death penalty and change the maximum penalty for the crime of murder in the first degree to life imprisonment. Shall Legislative Bill 268 be repealed?

🗌 Retain

Repeal

TEXT OF REFERENDUM NO. 426

Proposed Referendum to Repeal LB 268 (2015)

Title and text of LB 268 (<u>under-scoring</u> indicates language added by LB 268 and strike through indicates language that was removed by LB 268):

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend sections 23-3406, 23-3408, 24-1106, 25-1140.09, 28-104, 28-202, 28-303, 29-1602, 29-1822, 29-2004, 29-2005, 29-2006, 29-2020, 29-2027, 29-2407, 29-2801, 29-3205, 29-3920, 29-3928, 29-3929, 29-3930, 55-480, 83-1,110.02, and 83-4,143, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 28-105, 28-201, 28-1356, 29-1603, 29-2204, 29-2261, and 29-3922, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014; to eliminate the death penalty; to change and eliminate provisions relating to murder in the first degree, presentence reports, indeterminate sentences, the Commission on Public Advocacy, and the authority of courts and the Department of Correctional Services; to state intent; to eliminate a homicidecase report, provisions on capital punishment, proportionality review provisions, and obsolete provisions: to harmonize provisions: to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 24-1105, 29-2519, 29-2521, 29-2521.01, 29-2521.03, 29-2521.04, 29-2521.05, 29-2523, 29-2524.01, 29-2524.02, 29-2525, 29-2527, 29-2528, 29-2811, 83-1,105.01, 83-1,132, 83-964, 83-965, 83-966, 83-967, 83-968, 83-969, 83-970, 83-971, and 83-972, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 28-105.01, 29-2520, 29-2521.02, 29-2522, 29-2524, 29-2537, 29-2538, 29-2539, 29-2540, 29-2541, 29-2542, 29-2543, and 29-2546, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014.

and exercised in the performance of the services. (5) The contract between the county board and the contracting attorney shall provide that the contracting attorney may decline to represent clients with no reduction in compensation if the contracting attorney is assigned more cases which require an extraordinary amount of time and preparation than the contracting attorney can competently handle. (6) The contract between the contracting attorney and the county board shall provide that the contracting attorney shall receive at least ten hours of continuing legal education annually in the area of criminal law. The contract between the county board and the contracting attorney shall provide funds for the continuing legal education of the contracting attorney in the area of criminal law. (7) The contract between the county board and the contracting attorney shall require that the contracting attorney provide legal counsel to all clients in a professional, skilled manner consistent with minimum standards set forth by the American Bar Association and the Canons of Ethics for Attorneys in the State of Nebraska. The contract between the county board and the contracting attorney shall provide that the contracting attorney shall be available to eligible defendants upon their request, or the request of someone acting on their behalf, at any time the Constitution of the United States or the Constitution of Nebraska requires the appointment of counsel. (8) The contract between the county board and the contracting attorney shall provide for reasonable compensation over and above the normal contract price for cases which require an extraordinary amount of time and preparation, including capital cases.

Sec. 2. Section 23-3408, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 23-3408 In the event that the contracting attorney is appointed to represent an individual charged with a Class I or Class IA felony, the contracting attorney shall immediately apply to the district court for appointment of a second attorney to assist in the case. Upon application from the contracting attorney, the district court shall appoint another attorney with substantial felony trial experience to assist the contracting attorney in the case. Application for fees for the attorney appointed by the district court shall be made to the district court judge who shall allow reasonable fees. Once approved by the court, such fees shall be paid by the county board.

Sec. 3. Section 24-1106, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 24-1106 (1) In cases which were appealable to the Supreme Court before September 6, 1991, the appeal, if taken, shall be to the Court of Appeals except in capital cases, cases in which life imprisonment has been imposed, and cases involving the constitutionality of a statute. (2) Any party to a case appealed to the Court of Appeals may file a petition in the Supreme Court to bypass the review by the Court of Appeals and for direct review by the Supreme Court. The procedure and time for filing the petition shall be as provided by rules of the Supreme Court. In deciding whether to grant the petition, the Supreme Court may consider one or more of the following factors: (a) Whether the case involves a question of first impression or presents a novel legal question; (b) Whether the case involves a question of state or federal constitutional interpretation; (c) Whether the case raises a question of law regarding the validity of a statute; (d) Whether the case involves issues upon which there is an inconsistency in the decisions of the Court of Appeals or of the Supreme Court; and (e) Whether the case is one of significant public interest. When a petition for direct review is granted, the case shall be docketed for hearing before the Supreme Court. (3) The Supreme Court shall by rule provide for the removal of a case from the Court of Appeals to the Supreme Court for decision by the Supreme Court at any time before a final decision has been made on the case by the Court of Appeals. The removal may be on the recommendation of the Court of Appeals or on motion of the Supreme Court. Cases may be removed from the Court of Appeals for decision by the Supreme Court for any one or more of the reasons set forth in subsection (2) of this section or in order to regulate the caseload existing in either the Court of Appeals or the Supreme Court. The Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court shall regularly inform each other of the number and nature of cases docketed in the respective court.

section 25-1140, the court reporter shall prepare a transcribed copy of the proceedings so recorded or any part thereof. The reporter shall be entitled to receive, in addition to his or her salary, a perpage fee as prescribed by the Supreme Court for the original copy and each additional copy, to be paid by the party requesting the same except as otherwise provided in this section. When the transcribed copy of the proceedings is required by the county attorney, the fee therefor shall be paid by the county in the same manner as other claims are paid. When the defendant in a criminal case, after conviction, makes an affidavit that he or she is unable by reason of his or her poverty to pay for such copy, the court or judge thereof may, by order endorsed on such affidavit, direct delivery of such transcribed copy to such defendant, and the fee shall be paid by the county in the same manner as other claims are allowed and paid. When such copy is prepared in any criminal case in which the sentence adjudged is capital, the fees therefor shall be paid by the county in the same manner as other claims are allowed or paid. The fee for preparation of a bill of exceptions and the procedure for preparation, settlement, signature, allowance, certification, filing, and amendment of a bill of exceptions shall be regulated and governed by rules of practice prescribed by the Supreme Court. The fee paid shall be taxed, by the clerk of the district court, to the party against whom the judgment or decree is rendered except as otherwise ordered by the

Sec. 5. Section 28-104, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 28-104 The terms offense and crime are synonymous as used in this code and mean a violation of, or conduct defined by, any statute for which a fine, <u>or</u> imprisonment, or death may be imposed.

presiding district judge.

Sec. 6. Section 28-105, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014, is amended to read: 28-105 (1) For purposes of the Nebraska Criminal Code and any statute passed by the Legislature after the date of passage of the code, felonies are divided into eight nine classes which are distinguished from one another by the following penalties which are authorized upon conviction: Class I felony Death Class IA felony Life imprisonment Class IB felony Maximum - life imprisonment Minimum - twenty years imprisonment Class IC felony Maximum - fifty years imprisonment Mandatory minimum - five years imprisonment Class ID felony Maximum - fifty years imprisonment Mandatory minimum - three years imprisonment Class II felony Maximum - fifty years imprisonment Minimum - one year imprisonment Class III felony Maximum twenty years imprisonment, or twenty-five thousand dollars fine, or both Minimum — one year imprisonment Class IIIA felony Maximum - five years imprisonment, or ten thousand dollars fine, or both Minimum - none Class felonv Maximum - five years imprisonment, or ten thousand dollars fine, or both Minimum none (2) (a) All sentences of imprisonment for Class IA, IB, IC, ID, II, and III felonies and sentences of one year or more for Class IIIA and IV felonies shall be served in institutions under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correctional Services. (b) Sentences of less than one year shall be served in the county jail except as provided in this subsection. If the department certifies that it has programs and facilities available for persons sentenced to terms of less than one year, the court may order that any sentence of six months or more be served in any institution under the jurisdiction of the department. Any such certification shall be given by the department to the State Court Administrator, who shall forward copies thereof to each judge having jurisdiction to sentence in felony cases. (3) Nothing in this section shall limit the authority granted in sections 29-2221 and 29-2222 to increase sentences for habitual criminals.(4) A person convicted of a felony for which a mandatory minimum sentence is prescribed shall not be eligible for probation. Sec. 7. Section 28-201, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014, is amended to read: 28-201 (1) A person shall be guilty of an attempt to commit a crime if he or she: (a) Intentionally engages in conduct which would constitute the crime if the attendant circumstances were as he or she believes them to be; or (b) Intentionally engages in conduct which, under the circumstances as he or she believes them to be, constitutes a substantial step in a course of conduct intended to culminate in his or her commission of the crime. (2) When causing a particular result is an element of the crime, a person shall be guilty of an attempt to commit the crime if, acting with the state of mind required to establish liability with respect to the attendant circumstances specified in the definition of the crime, he or she intentionally engages in conduct which is a substantial step in a course of conduct intended or known to cause such a result. (3)

Conduct shall not be considered a substantial step under this section unless it is strongly corroborative of the defendant's criminal intent. (4) Criminal attempt is: (a) A Class II felony when the crime attempted is a Class I, IA, IB, IC, or ID felony; (b) A Class III felony when the crime attempted is a Class II felony; (c) A Class IIIA felony when the crime attempted is sexual assault in the second degree under section 28-320, a violation of subdivision (2) (b) of section 28-416, incest under section 28-703, or assault by a confined person with a deadly or dangerous weapon under section 28-932; (d) A Class IV felony when the crime attempted is a Class III felony not listed in subdivision (4)(c) of this section; (e) A Class I misdemeanor when the crime attempted is a Class IIIA or Class IV felony; (f) A Class II misdemeanor when the crime attempted is a Class I misdemeanor; and (g) A Class III misdemeanor when the crime attempted is a Class II misdemeanor.

Sec. 8. Section 28-202, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 28-202 (1) A person shall be guilty of criminal conspiracy if, with intent to promote or facilitate the commission of a felony: (a) He or she agrees with one or more persons that they or one or more of them shall engage in or solicit the conduct or shall cause or solicit the result specified by the definition of the offense; and (b) He or she or another person with whom he or she conspired commits an overt act in pursuance of the conspiracy. (2) If a person knows that one

with whom he or she conspires to commit a crime has conspired with another person or persons to commit the same crime, he or she is guilty of conspiring to commit such crime with such other person or persons whether or not he or she knows their identity. (3) If a person conspires to commit a number of crimes, he or she is guilty of only one conspiracy so long as such multiple crimes are the object of the same agreement or continuous conspiratorial relationship. (4) Conspiracy is a crime of the same class as the most serious offense which is an object of the conspiracy, except that conspiracy to commit a Class I felony is a Class II felony. A person prosecuted for a criminal conspiracy shall be acquitted if such person proves by a preponderance of the evidence that his or her conduct occurred in response to an entrapment.

Sec. 9. Section 28-303, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 28-303 (1) A person commits murder in the first degree if he or she kills another person $(\underline{a} +)$ purposely and with deliberate and premeditated malice, (b) or (2) in the perpetration of or attempt to perpetrate any sexual assault in the first degree, arson, robbery, kidnapping, hijacking of any public or private means of transportation, or burglary, or (\underline{c} 3) by administering poison or causing the same to be done; or if by willful and corrupt perjury or subornation of the same he or she purposely procures the conviction and execution of any innocent person. The determination of whether murder in the first degree shall be punished as a Class I or Class IA felony shall be made pursuant to sections 29-2519 to 29-2524. (2) Murder in the first degree is a Class IA felony. Sec. 10. Section 28-1356, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014, is amended to read: 28-1356 (1) A person who violates section 28-1355 shall be guilty of a Class III felony; however, such person shall be guilty of a Class IB felony if the violation is based upon racketeering activity which is punishable as a Class H, IA, or IB felony. (2) In lieu of the fine authorized by section 28-105, any person convicted of engaging in conduct in violation of section 28-1355, through which pecuniary value was derived, or by which personal injury or property damage or other loss was caused, may be sentenced to pay a fine that does not exceed three times the gross value gained or three times the gross loss caused, whichever is greater, plus court costs and the costs of investigation and prosecution reasonably incurred. Any fine collected under this subsection shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for distribution in accordance with Article VII, section 5, of the Constitution of Nebraska.

prior to the trial of guilt.

Sec. 12. Section 29-1603, Revised

Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014, is amended to read: 29-1603 (1) All informations shall be in writing and signed by the county attorney, complainant, or some other person, and the offenses charged in the informations therein shall be stated with the same fullness and precision in matters of substance as is required in indictments in like cases. (2)(a) Any information charging a violation of section 28-303 and in which the death penalty is sought shall contain a notice of aggravation which alleges one or more aggravating circumstances. as such aggravating circumstances are provided in section 29-2523. The notice of aggravation shall be filed as provided in section 29-1602. It shall constitute sufficient notice to describe the alleged aggravating circumstances in the language provided in section 29-2523. (b) The state shall be permitted to add to or amend a notice of aggravation at any time up to and including the thirtieth day prior to the trial of guilt. (c) The existence or contents of a notice of aggravation shall not be disclosed to the jury until after the verdict is rendered in the trial of guilt. (2 3) Different offenses and different degrees of the same offense may be joined in one information, in all cases in which the same might by different counts be joined in one indictment; and in all cases a defendant or defendants shall have the same right, as to proceedings therein, as the defendant or defendants would have if prosecuted for the same offense upon indictment.

Sec. 13. Section 29-1822, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-1822 A person who becomes mentally incompetent after the commission of

a crime or misdemeanor shall not be tried for the offense during the continuance of the incompetency. If, after the verdict of guilty and before judgment is pronounced, such person becomes mentally incompetent, then no judgment shall be given while such incompetency continues shall continue; and if, after judgment and before execution of the sentence, such person shall become mentally incompetent, then in case the punishment be capital, the execution thereof shall be stayed until the recovery of such person from the incompetency.

Sec. 14. Section 29-2004, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-2004 (1) All parties may stipulate that the jury may be selected up to thirty-one days prior to the date of trial. The stipulation must be unanimous among all parties and evidenced by a joint stipulation to the county court. (2) In all cases, except as may be otherwise expressly provided, the accused shall be tried by a jury drawn, summoned, and impaneled according to provisions of the code of civil procedure, except that whenever in the opinion of the court the trial is likely to be a protracted one, the court may, immediately after the jury is impaneled and sworn, direct the calling of one or two additional jurors, to be known as alternate jurors. Such jurors shall be drawn from the same source and in the same manner, and have the same qualifications as regular jurors, and be subject to examination and challenge as such jurors, except that each party shall be allowed one peremptory challenge to each alternate juror. The alternate jurors shall take the proper oath or affirmation, and shall be seated near the regular jurors with equal facilities for seeing and hearing the proceedings in the cause, and shall attend at all times upon the trial of the cause in company with the regular jurors. They shall obey all orders and admonitions of the court, and if the regular jurors are ordered to be kept in the custody of an officer during the trial of the cause, the alternate jurors shall also be kept with the other jurors and, except as hereinafter provided, shall be discharged upon the final submission of the cause to the jury. If an information charging a violation of section 28-303 and in which the death penalty is sought contains a notice of aggravation, the alternate jurors shall be retained as provided in section 29-2520. If, before the final submission of the cause a regular juror dies or is discharged, the court shall order the alternate juror, if there is but one, to take his or her place in the jury box. If there are two alternate jurors the court shall select one by lot, who shall then take his or her place in the jury box. After an alternate juror is in the jury box he or she shall be subject to the same rules as a regular juror. Sec. 15. Section 29-2005, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-2005 Every person arraigned for any crime punishable by with death, or imprisonment for life, shall be admitted on his or her trial to a peremptory challenge of twelve jurors. Every , and no more; every person arraigned for any offense that may be punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding eighteen months and less than life, shall be admitted to a peremptory challenge of six jurors. In ; and in all other

criminal trials, the defendant shall be allowed a peremptory challenge of three jurors. The attorney prosecuting on behalf of the state shall be admitted to a peremptory challenge of twelve jurors in all cases when the offense is punishable by with death or imprisonment for life, six jurors when the offense is punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding eighteen months and less than life, and three jurors in all other cases. In each case for which ; Provided, that in all cases where alternate jurors are called, as provided in section 29-2004, then in that case both the defendant and the attorney prosecuting for the state shall each be allowed one added peremptory challenge to each alternate juror.

Sec. 16. Section 29-2006, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-2006 (1) The following shall be good causes for challenge to any person called as a juror or alternate juror, on the trial of any indictment: (a +) That he or she was a member of the grand jury which found the indictment; (b) That he or she (2) that he has formed or expressed an opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the accused. However ; Provided, if a juror or alternate juror states shall state that he or she has formed or expressed an opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the accused, the court shall thereupon proceed to examine, on oath, such juror or alternate juror as to the ground of such opinion; and if it appears shall appear to have been founded upon reading newspaper statements, communications, comments or reports, or upon rumor or hearsay, and not upon conversations with witnesses of the transactions or reading reports of their testimony or hearing them testify, and the juror or alternate juror says shall say on oath that he <u>or she</u> feels able, notwithstanding such opinion, to render an impartial verdict upon the law and the evidence, the court, if satisfied that such juror or alternate juror is impartial and will render such verdict, may, in its discretion, admit such juror or alternate juror as competent to serve in such case; (3) in indictments for an offense the punishment whereof is capital, that his opinions are such as to preclude him from finding the accused guilty of an offense punishable with death; (4) that he (c) That he or she is a relation within the fifth degree to the person alleged to be injured or attempted to be injured, or to the person on whose complaint the prosecution was instituted, or to the defendant; (d) That he or she (5) that he has served on the petit jury which was sworn in the same cause against the same defendant and which jury either rendered a verdict which was set aside or was discharged, after hearing the evidence; (e) That he or she (6) that he has served as a juror in a civil case brought against the defendant for the same act; (f) That he or she (7) that he has been in good faith subpoenaed as a witness in the case; or (g) That he or she (8) that he is a habitual drunkard. ; (9) (2) In addition, the same challenges as are shall be allowed in criminal prosecutions

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. Section 23-3406, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 23-3406 (1) The contract negotiated between the county board and the contracting attorney shall specify the categories of cases in which the contracting attorney is to provide services. (2) The contract negotiated between the county board and the contracting attorney shall be awarded for at least a two-year term. Removal of the contracting attorney short of the agreed term may be for good cause only. (3) The contract between the county board and the contracting attorney may specify a maximum allowable caseload for each full-time or part-time attorney who handles cases under the contract. Caseloads shall allow each lawyer to give every client the time and effort necessary to provide effective representation. (4) The contract between the county board and the contracting attorney shall provide that the contracting attorney be compensated at a minimum rate which reflects the following factors: (a) The customary compensation in the community for similar services rendered by a privately retained counsel to a paying client or by government or other publicly paid attorneys to a public client; (b) The time and labor required to be spent by the attorney; and

(c) The degree of professional ability, skill, and experience called for Sec. 4. Section 25-1140.09, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 25-1140.09 On the application of the county attorney or any party to a suit in which a record of the proceedings has been made, upon receipt of the notice provided in section 29-2525, or upon the filing of a praceipe for a bill of exceptions by an appealing party in the office of the clerk of the district court as provided in

Sec. 11. Section 29-1602, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-1602 All informations shall be filed in the court having jurisdiction of the offense specified in the informations therein, by the prosecuting attorney of the proper county as informant. The prosecuting attorney shall subscribe his or her name thereto and endorse thereon the names of the witnesses known to him or her at the time of filing. After the information has been filed, the prosecuting attorney shall endorse on the information the names of such other witnesses as shall then be known to him or her as the court in its discretion may prescribe, except that if a notice of aggravation is contained in the information as provided in section 29-1603, the prosecuting attorney may endorse additional witnesses at any time up to and including the thirtieth day

that are allowed to parties in civil cases <u>shall be allowed in criminal</u> prosecutions.

Sec. 17. Section 29-2020, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-2020 In Except as provided in section 29-2525 for cases when the punishment is capital, in all criminal cases when a defendant feels aggrieved by any opinion or decision of the court, he or she may order a bill of exceptions. The ordering, preparing, signing, filing, correcting, and amending of the bill of exceptions shall be governed by the rules established in such matters in civil cases.

Sec. 18. Section 29-2027, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-2027 In all trials for murder the jury before whom such trial is had, if they find the prisoner guilty thereof, shall ascertain in their verdict whether it is murder in the first or second degree or manslaughter. If ; and if such person is convicted by confession in open court, the court shall proceed by examination of witnesses in open court, to determine the degree of the crime, and shall pronounce sentence accordingly or as provided in sections 29-2519 to 29-2524 for murder in the first degree.

Sec. 19. Section 29-2204, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014, is amended to read: 29-2204 (1) Except when the defendant is found guilty of a Class IA felony a term of life imprisonment is required by law, in imposing an indeterminate sentence upon an offender the court shall: (a)(i) Until July 1, 1998, fix the minimum and maximum limits of the sentence to be served within the limits provided by law, except that when a maximum limit of life is imposed by the court for a Class IB felony, the minimum limit may be any term of years not less than the statutory mandatory minimum; and (ii) Beginning July 1, 1998: (a) (i) (A) Fix the minimum and maximum limits of the sentence to be served within the limits provided by law for any class of felony other than a Class IV felony, except that

when a maximum limit of life is imposed by the court for a Class IB felony, the minimum limit may be any term of years not less than the statutory mandatory minimum. If the criminal offense is a Class IV felony, the court shall fix the minimum and maximum limits of the sentence, but the minimum limit fixed by the court shall not be less than the minimum provided by law nor more than one-third of the maximum term and the maximum limit shall not be greater than the maximum provided by law; or (ii B) Impose a definite term of years, in which event the maximum term of the sentence shall be the term imposed by the court and the minimum term shall be the minimum sentence provided by law; (b) Advise the offender on the record the time the offender will serve on his or her minimum term before attaining parole eligibility assuming that no good time for which the offender will be eligible is lost; and (c) Advise the offender on the record the time the offender will serve on his or her maximum term before attaining mandatory release assuming that no good time for which the offender will be eligible is lost. If any discrepancy exists between the statement of the minimum limit of

the sentence and the statement of parole eligibility or between the statement of the maximum limit of the sentence and the statement of mandatory release, the statements of the minimum limit and the maximum limit shall control the calculation of the offender's term. If the court imposes more than one sentence upon an offender or imposes a sentence upon an offender who is at that time serving another sentence, the court shall state whether the sentences are to be concurrent or consecutive. (2)(a) When the court is of the opinion that imprisonment may be appropriate but desires more detailed information as a basis for determining the sentence to be imposed than has been provided by the presentence report

required by section 29-2261, the court shall commit an offender to the Department of Correctional Services for a period not exceeding ninety days. The department shall conduct a complete study of the offender during that time, inquiring into such matters as his or her previous delinquency or criminal experience, social background, capabilities, and mental, emotional, and physical health and the rehabilitative resources or programs which may be available to suit his or her needs. By the expiration of the period of commitment or by the expiration of such additional time as the court shall grant, not exceeding a further period of ninety days, the offender shall be returned to the court for sentencing and the court shall be provided with a written report of the results of the study, including whatever recommendations the department believes will be helpful to a proper resolution of the case. After receiving the report and the recommendations, the court shall proceed to sentence the offender in accordance with subsection (1) of this section. The term of the sentence shall run from the date of original commitment under this subsection. (b) In order to encourage the use of this procedure in appropriate cases, all costs incurred during the period the defendant is held in a state institution under this subsection shall be a responsibility of the state and the county shall be liable only for the cost of delivering the defendant to the institution and the cost of returning him or her to the appropriate court for sentencing or such other disposition as the court may then deem appropriate. (3) Except when the defendant is found guilty of a Class IA felony a term of life is required by law, whenever the defendant was under eighteen years of age at the time he or she committed the crime for which he or she was convicted, the court may, in its discretion, instead of imposing the penalty provided for the crime, make such disposition of the defendant as the court deems proper under the Nebraska Juvenile Code. Until October 1, 2013, prior to making a disposition which commits the juvenile to the Office of Juvenile Services, the court shall order the juvenile to be evaluated by the office if the juvenile has not had an evaluation within the past twelve months. Sec. 20. Section 29-2261, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014, is amended to read: 29-2261 (1) Unless it is impractical to do so, when an offender has been convicted of a felony other than murder in the first degree, the court shall not impose sentence without first ordering a presentence investigation of the offender and according due consideration to a written report of such investigation. When an offender has been convicted of murder in the first degree and (a) a jury renders a verdict finding the existence of one or more aggravating circumstances as provided in section 29-2520 or (b)(i) the information contains a notice of aggravation as provided in section 29-1603 and (ii) the offender waives his or her right to a jury determination of the alleged aggravating circumstances, the court shall not commence the sentencing determination proceeding as provided in section 29-2521 without first ordering a presentence investigation of the offender and according due consideration to a written report of such investigation. (2) A court may order a presentence investigation in any case, except in cases in which an offender has been convicted of a Class IIIA misdemeanor, a Class IV misdemeanor, a Class V misdemeanor, a traffic infraction, or any corresponding city or village ordinance. (3) The presentence investigation and report shall include, when available, an analysis of the circumstances attending the commission of the crime, the offender's history of de-

linquency or criminality, physical and mental condition, family situation and background, economic status, education, occupation, and personal habits, and any other matters that the probation officer deems relevant or the court directs to be included. All local and state police agencies and Department of Correctional Services adult correctional facilities shall furnish to the probation officer copies of such criminal records, in any such case referred to the probation officer by the court of proper jurisdiction, as the probation officer shall require without cost to the court or the probation officer. Such investigation shall also include: (a) Any written statements submitted to the county attorney by a victim; and (b) Any written statements submitted to the probation officer by a victim. (4) If there are no written statements submitted to the probation officer, he or she shall certify to the court that: (a) He or she has attempted to contact the victim; and (b) If he or she has contacted the victim, such officer offered to accept the written statements of the victim or to reduce such victim's oral statements to writing. For purposes of subsections (3) and (4) of this section, the term victim shall be as defined in section 29-119. (5) Before imposing sentence, the court may order the offender to submit to psychiatric observation and examination for a period of not exceeding sixty days or such longer period as the court determines to be necessary for that purpose. The offender may be remanded for this purpose to any available clinic or mental hospital, or the court may appoint a qualified psychiatrist to make the examination. The report of the examination shall be submitted to the court. (6) Any presentence report or psychiatric examination shall be privileged and shall not be disclosed directly or indirectly to anyone other than a judge, probation officers to whom an offender's file is duly transferred, the probation administrator or his or her designee, or others entitled by law to receive such information, including personnel and mental health professionals for the Nebraska State Patrol specifically assigned to sex offender registration and community notification for the sole purpose of using such report or examination for assessing risk and for community notification of registered sex offenders. For purposes of this subsection, mental health professional means (a) a practicing physician licensed to practice medicine in this state under the Medicine and Surgery Practice Act, (b) a practicing psychologist licensed to engage in the practice of psychology in this state as provided in section 38-3111, or (c) a practicing mental health professional licensed or certified in this state as provided in the Mental Health Practice Act. The court may permit inspection of the report or examination of parts thereof by the offender or his or her attorney, or other person having a proper interest therein, whenever the court finds it is in the best interest of a particular offender. The court may allow fair opportunity for an offender to provide additional information for the court's consideration. (7) If an offender is sentenced to imprisonment, a copy of the report of any presentence investigation or psychiatric examination shall be transmitted immediately to the Department of Correctional Services. Upon request, the Board of Parole or the Office of Parole Administration may receive a copy of the report from the department. (8) Notwithstanding subsection (6) of this section, the Supreme Court or an agent of the Supreme Court acting under the direction and supervision of the Chief Justice shall have access to psychiatric examinations and presentence investigations and reports for research purposes. The Supreme Court and its agent shall treat such information as confidential, and nothing identifying any individual shall be released. Sec. 21. Section 29-2407, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-2407 Judgments for fines and costs in criminal cases shall be a lien upon all the property of the defendant within the county from the time of docketing the case by the clerk of the proper court, and judgments upon forfeited recognizance shall be a like lien from the time of forfeiture. No property of any convict shall be exempt from execution issued upon any such judgment as set out in this section against such convict except in cases when the convict is sentenced to a Department of Correctional Services adult correctional facility for a period of more than two years or to suffer death, in which cases there shall be the same exemptions as at the time may be provided by law for civil cases. The lien on real estate of any such judgment for costs shall terminate as provided in section 25-1716.

Sec. 22. The changes made by this legislative bill shall not (1) limit the discretionary authority of the sentencing court to order restitution as part of any sentence or (2) alter the discretion and authority of the Department of Correctional Services to determine the appropriate security measures and conditions during the confinement of any committed offender.

Sec. 23. It is the intent of the Legislature that in any criminal proceeding in which the death penalty has been imposed but not carried out prior to the effective date of this act, such penalty shall be changed to life imprisonment.

Sec. 24. Section 29-2801, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-2801 If any person, except persons convicted of some crime or offense for which they stand committed, or persons committed for treason or felony, the punishment whereof is capital, plainly and specially expressed in the warrant of commitment, now or in the future, is or shall be confined in any jail of this state, or is shall be unlawfully deprived of his or her liberty, and makes shall make application, either by himself him or herself or by any person on his or her behalf, to any one of the judges of the district court, or to any county judge, and does at the same time produce to such judge a copy of the commitment or cause of detention of such person, or if the person so imprisoned or detained is imprisoned or detained without any legal authority, upon making the same appear to such judge, by oath or affirmation, it is the duty of the judge shall be his duty forthwith to allow a writ of habeas corpus, which writ shall be issued forthwith by the clerk of the district court, or by the county judge, as the case may require, under the seal of the court whereof the person allowing such writ is a judge, directed to the proper officer, person, or persons who <u>detain</u> detains such prisoner.

Sec. 25. Section 29-3205, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-3205 <u>The</u> <u>Uniform Rendition of Prisoners as</u> <u>Witnesses in Criminal Proceedings</u> <u>Act shall Sections 29-3201 to 29-3210 do not apply to any person in this state confined as mentally ill or <u>under sentence of death</u>.</u>

Sec. 26. Section 29-3920, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-3920 The Legislature finds that: (1) County property owners should be given some relief from the obligation of providing mandated indigent defense services which in most instances are required because of state laws establishing crimes and penalties; (2) Property tax relief can be accomplished if the state begins to assist the counties with the obligation of providing indigent defense services required by state laws establishing crimes and penalties; (3) Property tax relief in the form of state assistance to the counties of Nebraska in providing for indigent defense services will also increase accountability because the state, which is the governmental entity responsible for passing criminal statutes, will likewise be responsible for paying some of the costs; (4) Property tax relief in the form of state assistance to the counties of Nebraska in providing for indigent defense services will also improve inconsistent and inadequate funding of indigent defense services by the counties; (5) Property tax relief in the form of state assistance to the counties of Nebraska in providing for indigent defense services will also lessen the impact on county property taxpayers of the cost of a high profile <u>first-degree murder</u> death penalty case which can significantly affect the finances of the counties; and (6) To accomplish property tax relief in the form of the state assisting the counties of Nebraska in providing for indigent defense services, the Commission on Public Advocacy Operations Cash Fund should be established to fund the operation of the Commission on Public Advocacy and to fund reimbursement requests as determined by section 29-3933. Sec. 27. Section 29-3922, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014, is amended to read: 29-3922 For purposes of the County Revenue Assistance Act: (1) Chief counsel means an attorney appointed to be the primary administrative officer of the commission pursuant to section 29-3928; (2) Commission means the Commission on Public Advocacy; (3) Commission staff means attorneys, investigators, and support staff who are performing work for the <u>first-degree</u> murder capital litigation division, appellate division, DNA testing division, and major case resource center; (4) Contracting attorney means an attorney contracting to act as a public defender pursuant to sections 23-3404 to 23-3408; (5) Court-appointed attorney means an attorney other than a contracting attorney or a public defender appointed by the court to represent

an indigent person; (6) Indigent defense services means legal services provided to indigent persons by an indigent defense system in first-degree murder capital cases, felony cases, misdemeanor cases, juvenile cases, mental health commitment cases, child support enforcement cases, and paternity establishment cases; (7) Indigent defense system means a system of providing services, including any services necessary for litigating a case, by a contracting attorney, court-appointed attorney, or public defender; (8) Indigent person means a person who is indigent and unable to obtain

legal counsel as determined pursuant to subdivision (3) of section 29-3901; and (9) Public defender means an attorney appointed or elected pursuant to sections 23-3401 to 23-3403.

Sec. 28. Section 29-3928, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-3928 The commission shall appoint a chief counsel. The responsibilities and duties of the chief counsel shall be defined by the commission and shall include the overall supervision of the workings of the various divisions of the commission. The chief counsel shall be qualified for his or her position, shall have been licensed to practice law in the State of Nebraska for at least five years prior to the effective date of the appointment, and shall be experienced in the practice of criminal defense, including the defense of first-degree murder capital cases. The chief counsel shall serve at the pleasure of the commission. The salary of the chief counsel shall be set by the commission.

Sec. 29. Section 29-3929, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-3929 The primary duties of the chief counsel shall be to provide direct legal services to indigent defendants, and the chief counsel shall: (1) Supervise the operations of the appellate division, the first-degree murder capital litigation division, the DNA testing division, and the major case resource center; (2) Prepare a budget and disburse funds for the operations of the commission; (3) Present to the commission an annual report on the operations of the commission, including an accounting of all funds received and disbursed, an evaluation of the cost-effectiveness of the commission, and recommendations for improvement; (4) Convene or contract for conferences and training seminars related to criminal defense; (5) Perform other duties as directed by the commission; (6) Establish and administer projects and programs for the operation of the commission; (7) Appoint and remove employees of the commission and delegate appropriate powers and duties to them; (8) Adopt and promulgate rules and regulations for the management and administration of policies of the commission and the conduct of employees of the commission; (9) Transmit monthly to the commission a report of the operations of the commission for the preceding calendar month; (10) Execute and

Sec. 32. Section 83-1,110.02, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 83-1,110.02 (1) A committed offender who is otherwise eligible for parole, who is not under sentence of death or of life imprisonment, and who because of an existing medical or physical condition is determined by the department to be terminally ill or permanently incapacitated may be considered for medical parole by the board. A committed offender may be eligible for medical parole in addition to any other parole. The department shall identify committed offenders who may be eligible for medical parole based upon their medical records. (2) The board shall decide to grant medical parole only after a review of the medical, institutional, and criminal records of the committed offender and such additional medical evidence from board-ordered examinations or investigations as the board in its discretion determines to be necessary. The decision to grant medical parole and to establish conditions of release on medical parole in addition to the conditions stated in subsection (3) of this section is within the sole discretion of the board. (3) As conditions of release on medical parole, the board shall require that the committed offender agree to placement for medical treatment and that he or she be placed for a definite or indefinite period of time in a hospital, a hospice, or another housing accommodation suitable to his or her medical condition, including, but not limited to, his or her family's home, as specified by the board. (4) The parole term of a medical parolee shall be for the remainder of his or her sentence as reduced by any adjustment for good conduct pursuant to the Nebraska Treatment and Corrections Act.

Sec. 33. Section 83-4,143, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 83-4,143 (1) It is the intent of the Legislature that the court target the felony offender (a) who is eligible and by virtue of his or her criminogenic needs is suitable to be sentenced to intensive supervision probation with placement at the incarceration work camp, (b) for whom the court finds that other conditions of a sentence of intensive supervision probation, in and of themselves, are not suitable, and (c) who, without the existence of an incarceration work camp, would, in all likelihood, be sentenced to prison. (2) When the court is of the opinion that imprisonment is appropriate, but that a brief and intensive period of regimented, structured, and disciplined programming within a secure facility may better serve the interests of society, the court may place an offender in an incarceration work camp for a period not to exceed one hundred eighty days as a condition of a sentence of intensive supervision probation. The court may consider such placement if the offender (a) is a male or female offender convicted of a felony offense in a district court, (b) is medically and mentally fit to participate, with allowances given for reasonable accommodation as determined by medical and mental health professionals, and (c) has not previously been incarcerated for a violent felony crime. Offenders convicted of a crime under section 28-303 or sections 28-319 to 28-322.04 or of any capital crime are not eligible to be placed in an incarceration work camp. (3) It is also the intent of the Legislature that the Board of Parole may recommend placement of felony offenders at the incarceration work camp. The offenders recommended by the board shall be offenders currently housed at other Department of Correctional Services adult correctional facilities and shall complete the incarceration work camp programming prior to release on parole. (4) When the Board of Parole is of the opinion that a felony offender currently incarcerated in a Department of Correctional Services adult correctional facility may benefit from a brief and intensive period of regimented, structured, and disciplined programming immediately prior to release on parole, the board may direct placement of such an offender in an incarceration work camp for a period not to exceed one hundred eighty days as a condition of release on parole. The board may consider such placement if the felony offender (a) is medically and mentally fit to participate, with allowances given for reasonable accommodation as determined by medical and mental health professionals, and (b) has not previously been incarcerated for a violent felony crime. Offenders convicted of a crime under section 28-303 or sections 28-319 to 28-322.04 or of any capital crime are not eligible to be placed in an incarceration work camp. (5) The Director of Correctional Services may assign a felony offender to an incarceration work camp if he or she believes it is in the best interests of the felony offender and of society, except that offenders convicted of a crime under section 28-303 or sections 28-319 to 28-322.04 28-321 or of any capital crime are not eligible to be assigned to an incarceration work camp pursuant to this subsection.

2006, 29-2020, 29-2027, 29-2407, 29-2801, 29-3205, 29-3920, 29-3928, 29-3929, 29-3930, 55-480, 83-1,110.02, and 83-4,143, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 28-105, 28-201, 28-1356, 29-1603, 29-2204, 29-2261, and 29-3922, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014, are repealed.

Sec. 35. The following sections are outright repealed: Sections 24-1105, 29-2519, 29-2521, 29-2521.01, 29-2521.03, 29-2521.04, 29-2521.05, 29-2523, 29-2524.01, 29-2524.02, 29-2525, 29-2527, 29-2528, 29-2811, 83-1,105.01, 83-1,132, 83-964, 83-965, 83-966, 83-967, 83-968, 83-969, 83-970, 83-971, and 83-972, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 28-105.01, 29-2520, 29-2521.02, 29-2522, 29-2524, 29-2537, 29-2538, 29-2539, 29-2540, 29-2541, 29-2542, 29-2543, and 29-2546, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014.

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carry out all contracts, leases, and agreements authorized by the commission with agencies of federal, state, or local government, corporations, or persons; and (11) Exercise all powers and perform all duties necessary and proper in carrying out his or her responsibilities.

Sec. 30. Section 29-3930, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 29-3930 The following divisions are established within the commission: (1) The first-degree murder capital litigation division shall be available to assist in the defense of first-degree murder capital cases in Nebraska, subject to caseload standards of the commission; (2) The appellate division shall be available to prosecute appeals to the Court of Appeals and the Supreme Court, subject to caseload standards of the commission; (3) The violent crime and drug defense division shall be available to assist in the defense of certain violent and drug crimes as defined by the commission, subject to the caseload standards of the commission; (4) The DNA testing division shall be available to assist in representing persons who are indigent who have filed a motion pursuant to the DNA Testing Act, subject to caseload standards; and (5) The major case resource center shall be available to assist public defenders, contracting attorneys, or court-appointed attorneys with the defense of a felony offense, subject to caseload standards of the commission.

Sec. 31. Section 55-480, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read: 55-480 Though not specifically mentioned in the Nebraska Code of Military Justice this code, all disorders and neglects to the prejudice of good order and discipline in the armed forces, all conduct of a nature to bring discredit upon the armed forces, and all crimes and offenses not capital, of which persons subject to the this code may be guilty, shall be taken cognizance of by a court-martial, according to the nature and degree of the offense, and shall be punished at the discretion of that court.

Sec. 34. Original sections 23-3406, 23-3408, 24-1106, 25-1140.09, 28-104, 28-202, 28-303, 29-1602, 29-1822, 29-2004, 29-2005, 29-