

Legals

NOTICE OF HEARING
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Whitman County Commissioners has completed and will place on file at the Office of the Whitman County Commissioners the Preliminary Budget for Fiscal Year 2022. The total amount of the budget for 2022 is approximately \$65,000,000.00. The budget will be available October 4, 2021 and may be reviewed by any citizen who contacts the Clerk of the Board in the Commissioners' Office or by calling 397-5240.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that a public hearing for the purpose of adopting the budget for fiscal year 2022 will be held on Monday, October 4, 2021 at 10:30 a.m. and continued to Monday, October 18, 2021 at 10:30 a.m. All hearings will take place in the Public Service Building Auditorium located at 310 N. Main, Colfax, Washington. Any taxpayer may appear and be heard for or against any part of the budget.

Remote participation is available for attending the Commissioners' meetings. We encourage staff and the general public to participate in person or at: <https://zoom.us/j/250921172>.

Upon receiving 72 hours' advance notice, the county will make arrangements to reasonably accommodate the needs of special groups of citizens, including non-English speaking residents and those who are physically disabled or otherwise impaired. Please call (509) 397-5240 if such assistance is needed.

Corey Mitzimberg, Deputy Clerk of the Board
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Whitman County Library Board meets Tuesday, September 21 at 4pm. Call 509-397-4366 for Zoom login to this public meeting.
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TOWN OF LACROSSE ORDINANCE NO. 402 2021-9 RCW 84.55.120

WHEREAS, the Town of La-Crosse has met and considered its budget for the calendar year 2022; and,
 WHEREAS, the districts actual levy amount from the previous year was \$35,670; and, WHEREAS, the population of this district is less than 10,000; and now, therefore,
 BE IT RESOLVED by the governing body of the taxing district that an increase in the regular property tax levy is hereby authorized for the levy to be collected in the 2022 tax year. The dollar amount of the increase over the actual levy amount from the previous year shall be \$ 356.00 which is a percentage increase of 1% from the previous year. This increase is exclusive of additional revenue resulting from new construction, improvements to property, newly constructed wind turbines, any increase in the value of state assessed property, any annexations that have occurred and refunds made.
 Adopted by the Town Council this 9th day of September, 2021.

Randy Camp, Mayor
 Angela Broecker, Clerk/Treasurer
 Published: Sept. 16, 2021

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The City of Tekoa is requesting a bid for a backup generator for the Truax Well.

Truax Well back-up 150 KW 277/480V Generator and auto transfer switch:

SCOPE: We plan to provide and install all electrical appurtenances for the following project break out:

- Caterpillar model C7.1 150 KW 277/480V V 3-PH 4 W Diesel Generator with enclosure.
- 120V coolant heater, 10A battery charger, 402 gallon double wall fuel tank and fuel.
- 200A 3-pole NEMA 1 277/480V 3-PH auto transfer switch.
- Concrete pad to set up generator on next to the building.
- All electrical raceways, conductors, controls to provide a working system.
- 5-year warranty on generator & transfer switch
- All terminations, start up and testing of generator.

INCLUSIONS:
 • Labor, material, tools & equipment
 • Excavation and backfill
 • Concrete pad for generator
 • Core drilling into building
 • Electrical permit

Sealed bids will be received in person at 419 N Washington, Tekoa, WA 99033 or by mail at PO Box 927, Tekoa, WA 99033 until 4 p.m., Thursday, October 14, 2021. 509-284-3861. Bid envelopes must say "Sealed Bid for Truax Generator." Bids will be opened at the October 18, 2021, council meeting.
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The City of Tekoa is requesting a bid for a backup generator for the Wastewater Treatment Plant.

WWTP back-up 150 KW 120/240V Generator and auto transfer switch:

SCOPE: We plan to provide and install all electrical appurtenances for the following project break out:

- Caterpillar model C7.1 150 KW 120/240V 3-PH 4 W Diesel Generator with enclosure.
- 120V coolant heater, 10A battery charger, 402 gallon double wall fuel tank and fuel.
- 400A 3-pole NEMA 1 120/240V 3-PH auto transfer switch.
- Concrete pad to set up generator on next to the building.
- All electrical raceways, conductors, controls to provide a working system.
- 5-year warranty on generator & transfer switch
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SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON, WHITMAN COUNTY
 Estate of
 NOBLE PESSANO,
 Deceased.
 NO. 21-4-00126-38
 PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The personal representative named below has been appointed as personal representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the deceased must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the personal representative or the personal representative's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and file the original of the claim with the court in which probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) Thirty days after the personal representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and RCW 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the probate assets and nonprobate assets of the decedent.

Date of First Publication: 09/09/2021
 Barbara Lee Stiltner, Personal Representative
 Attorney for Personal Representative:
 /s/
 THEODORE F.S. RASMUSSEN WSBA 8720
 Theodore F.S. Rasmussen, P.S.
 S. 112 Crosby, P.O. Box 724, Tekoa, WA 99033
 (509) 284-2332
 Court of Probate Proceedings: Whitman County Superior Court
 Cause No.: 21-4-00126-38
 Published: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 2021

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Estate of
 TEDD R. NEALEY,
 Deceased.
 NO. 21-4-00022-7
 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The Personal Representative named below has been appointed and has qualified as Personal Representative of this estate. Persons having claims against the decedent must, prior to the time such claims would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, serve their claims on the Personal Representative or the attorneys of record at the address stated below and file an executed copy of the claim with the Clerk of this Court within four months after the date of first publication of this notice or within four months after the date of the filing of the copy of this Notice with the Clerk of the Court, whichever is later, or except under those provisions included in R.C.W. 11.40.011 or 11.40.013 of this act, the claim will be forever barred. This bar is effective as to claims against both the probate assets and non-probate assets of the decedent.

DATE OF FILING OF NOTICE TO CREDITORS: August 18, 2021.
 DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: September 2, 2021.

/s/
 PATRICIA COLVIN NEALEY,
 Personal Representative
 /s/
 c/o MARINELLA & BOGGS
 P. Ryan Ortuno, WSBA# 52336
 Attorney for the Estate of Tedd R. Nealey
 P. O. Box 71338 E. Main Street
 Dayton, WA 99328

Published: Sept. 2, 9, 16, 2021

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WHITMAN

JOHN R. BRIGHAM, a married person,
 Plaintiffs,
 v.
 The unknown heirs and devisees of LESTER ZEHNER and WILMA ZEHNER, deceased; PEGGY J. BYRD, deceased; KATHY BURT; the unknown heirs and devisees of KAREN MENZIE, deceased; and all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate,) or interest in the property herein described,
 Defendants.

No. 21-2-00119-38
 SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The State of Washington to the said Defendants, if living, and to their unknown heirs if deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of LESTER ZEHNER and WILMA ZEHNER, deceased; PEGGY J. BYRD, deceased; KATHY BURT; the unknown heirs and devisees of KAREN MENZIE, deceased; and all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the property herein described.

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty (60) days after the date of first publication of this Summons, to-wit, within sixty (60) days after the 26th day of August, 2021, and defend the above-entitled action in the above-entitled court and answer the Complaint of the Plaintiff and serve a copy of your Answer upon the undersigned attorneys for the Plaintiff, at their office below stated; and in case of your failure to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demands of the Complaint in this action which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court.

The object of this action is to quiet title in the Plaintiff against the claims of all the Defendants and any one of them with respect to real estate in Whitman County, Washington, described as follows:
 Lot 8 and the southwesterly 10 feet of Lot 9, Block 8, LaCrosse, according to plat thereof, recorded in Volume E of Plats, page 24, records of Whitman County, Washington.

DATED this 16th day of August, 2021.
 MCGUIRE, DEWULF, KRAGT & JOHNSON, P.S.
 By: MATTHEW D. JOHNSON
 Attorney for Plaintiff
 WSBA No. 48045
 105 S. Main St.
 P.O. Box 619
 Colfax, WA 99111-0619
 Telephone: (509) 397-4345
 Published: Aug. 26, Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 2021

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WHITMAN

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
 JUNE MARIE PERRY,
 Deceased.
 No. 21-4-00125-38
 PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 (RCW 11.40.030)

The Personal Representative named below has been appointed as Personal Representative of this Estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the Personal Representative or the Personal Representative's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and file the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) thirty days after the Personal Representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020; or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION **SEPTEMBER 2, 2021**
 PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE **WILLIAM DOUGLAS PERRY**
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WHITMAN

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
 WILBUR J. PAULSON,
 Deceased.
 No. 21-4-00128-38
 PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 (RCW 11.40.030)

The Co-Personal Representatives named below have been appointed as Co-Personal Representatives of this Estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the Co-Personal Representatives or the Co-Personal Representatives' attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) thirty days after the Co-Personal Representatives served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020; or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION **SEPTEMBER 9, 2021**
 CO-PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES **KEVIN JOHN PAULSON**
 and **ERIC ARLIN PAULSON**
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 REPRESENTATIVES **KRAGT & JOHNSON, P.S.**
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Published: Sept. 9, 16, 23, 2021

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WHITMAN

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
 SHERRY A. HATLEY,
 Deceased.
 No. 21-4-00131-38
 PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 (RCW 11.40.030)

TTThe Co-Personal Representatives named below have been appointed as Co-Personal Representatives of this Estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the Co-Personal Representatives or the Co-Personal Representatives' attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) thirty days after the Co-Personal Representatives served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020; or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION **SEPTEMBER 16, 2021**
 CO-PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES **GARY HATLEY**
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WHITMAN

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
 CLYDE L. HATLEY,
 Deceased.
 No. 21-4-00132-38
 PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 (RCW 11.40.030)

The Co-Personal Representatives named below have been appointed as Co-Personal Representatives of this Estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the Co-Personal Representatives or the Co-Personal Representatives' attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) thirty days after the Co-Personal Representatives served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020; or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

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CryptoQuote

AXYDLBAAXR
 is **LONGFELLOW**

One letter stands for another. In this sample, **A** is used for the three L's, **X** for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each week the code letters are different.

FZJIB QJKHIMZLKPEEM FX
 NZENUZ AOEKZ ENJIJEIK XEH
 WSUHZ JK SFKEUHPZUX POZ
 QKPK NSJIGHU.
 — BUELJS KPZJIZQ

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STRANGE BUT TRUE

BY LUCIE WINBORNE

* Baritone Leonard Warren died on stage at The Met in 1960 just as he finished singing Verdi's "Morir, Tremenda Cosi" ("To Die, a Momentous

Thing").

* While shedding, geckos will eat their skin in order to prevent predators from finding and eating them more easily.

* A man named Ronald MacDonald

robbed a Wendy's in 2005.

* In the early 2000s, when hackers were not that rampant, a survey showed that 70% of London commuters would reveal their computer password in exchange for a chocolate bar, while 30% of the respondents admitted they would give their password even without said candy.

CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: **Q** equals **S**

KZW BIEWB IQIGVVJ UXWQ
 HGYBVJ QVXOVJ, PIK ZW ZGQ
 PWUIE QSBYEKYEU. ZW OGEKQ G
 AZGEUW XH SGAW.

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* The sequel to the 1953 film titled "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" was called "Gentlemen Marry Brunettes."

* Per capita, the happiest countries in the world also rank highest in terms of consumers of antidepressants.

* The term "plastic surgery" was coined in 1839, 70 years before plastic was even invented. It comes from the Greek word "plastike," which means "the art of modeling" of malleable flesh.

* Journalist John Richards founded The Apostrophe Protection Society in 2001 to enforce the proper use of the apostrophe in written English. He closed the society in 2019, however, at the age of 96, with the announcement that "the ignorance and laziness present in modern times have won!"