



“Liberty lies in the hearts of men and women; when it dies there, no constitution, no law, no court can save it.”



Metal art was one of the attractions from the various vendors and crafters of the Hogs and Hens festival held in Abbeville recently. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)

City Council adjusting City budget for 21-22

By Henry E. Green

Abbeville County Council passed on Wednesday night first reading on an ordinance amending the fiscal year 2021-22 budget to account for increased revenue collection, grants and the sale of land.

According to the proposed ordinance, the City's Hospitality Fund will be adjusted from \$249,350 to \$299,350.

In addition, the General Fund will be adjusted from \$4,432,927.17 to \$4,541,927.17.

Finally, the enterprise fund will be adjusted from \$13,843,078.84 to \$14,031,845.24.

Also Wednesday night, Larry Haqq, the new director of the Abbeville Housing Authority, introduced himself to

Council.

Haqq told Council that he is originally from North Carolina, and that he has served in the U.S. Army.

The Housing Authority is planning to present on Oct. 22 a health fair, which will feature free flu shots and blood pressure screenings, and which is open to the public, Haqq told Council.

In other matters, Council passed second reading on an ordinance of the City of Abbeville authorizing the rezoning of a portion of parcel number from R-10 to General Commercial.

The rezoning is in connection with plans to build a Dollar General on North Main across from Ingles.

Council passed second reading of a City ordinance

amending Chapter 4 animals and Ordinance No. 3-1987 of the City Code of Ordinances with updated language for the impoundment of animals.

“With the completion of the Abbeville County animal control facility and the implementation of the County wide fee for animal control services, the City of Abbeville code of ordinances requires an update for the proper impoundment of animals collected within the city limits,” the ordinance states.

City Manager Blake Stone told Council that while the ordinance updates the language of the City code, the operations with regard to the impoundment of animals remain essentially unchanged.

Survey gives Dixie High high ranking

By Henry E. Green

Dixie High School received recently some exciting news--news confirming that the home of the Hornets is one of the top high schools in South Carolina--according to Dixie principal Paul Prescott.

The Dixie principal highlighted a survey from SchoolDigger, a Website used by parents, teachers and administrators to compare schools, Prescott said.

“Dixie’s SchoolDigger ranking for the 21-22 school year was #14 of 226 public high schools in South Carolina,” he said Monday. “Most of the schools that were rated higher than Dixie were charter and magnet schools. These schools play by different rules than traditional public schools. Many have selective admission requirements. Dixie finished #3 in traditional public schools with only Chapin and Fort Mill ranking higher.”

SchoolDigger also ranks top cities to live in for education. The top ten included Due West (#5) and Donalds (#7). The Top 10 included:

- 1) Clemson
- 2) Sullivans Island
- 3) Tega Cay
- 4) Mt. Pleasant
- 5) Due West
- 6) Fort Mill
- 7) Donalds
- 8) Mauldin
- 9) Townville
- 10) Indian Land

There was more good news.

“SAT scores from the 21-22 school year were released last week as well,” he said. “Dixie had an average score of 1122. This was the third highest of traditional public schools in the state. Only DW Daniel (Pickens Co.) and Philip Simmons (Berkeley Co.) had higher scores.”

“And last but not least, we ranked in the Top 5 traditional public high schools in the state for the percentage of students

scoring three or higher on AP exams. (A 3 or higher will earn you college credit for a class) Last year we offered AP credit for Calculus, Human Geography, and US History. “

1) We currently serve 507 students in grades 8-12. This is by far the largest enrollment we have had in my 25 years at Dixie.

How does the principal account for Dixie’s high standing?

“We have developed a great school culture,” he replied. “Teachers have high expectations for students and provide rigorous instruction. Students have stepped up their efforts to meet the challenge.”

SchoolDigger uses state standardized test scores, he said. For high schools in South Carolina this is the End-Of-Course Examination Program (EOCEP) scores in Biology I, Algebra I, English II, and U.S. History and Constitution.

Council hears report on water line plans

By Henry E. Green

Abbeville City Council heard Wednesday night a report on plans for the North Main water line.

The line will be installed starting at Henry Street and advancing toward the Square in order to keep with the flow of traffic, Stone said.

Metra Industries, which is handling the construction, “will attempt to work around key dates for City events that may be affected by their work, Stone said.

Installation is expected to begin this month and last through March of next year, the City Manager indicated.

“Dunn and Shirley (which is providing engineering services for the project) will help to coordinate this throughout the project,” he said.

“The North Main Waterline Project will replace the current waterline on North Main from the Square to Henry Street with brand new ductile iron pipe,” Stone said.

“This much needed project will replace one of the oldest sections of waterline in the City, resulting in increased water quality and pressure. The North Main Waterline Project is being funded through a combination of

ARPA Funds and a Grant from SC Rural Infrastructure Authority.

“The full amount of the N. Main project is \$2,567,448,” said City spokesman Mike Clary recently, adding that the work could be completed by as early as the summer of 2023.

“The amount of customers directly impacted is 82. Of course the N. Main lines status as trunk line means that much of the City will be impacted by the new line with increase water quality and water pressure.”



Calhoun Falls Charter had homecoming on Oct. 13. Last year’s homecoming queen, Laura Beth Pickens (far left) and principal Kalan Rogers (far right) crowned Autumn Thomas maid of honor (second from left), Harmony Gilliam Miss Football (middle), and Marquasha Bryant (second from right) Homecoming Queen. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)

Abbeville Healthcare Executive Joins PTC Area Commission

Piedmont Technical College (PTC) is pleased to announce the appointment of its new Area Commissioner from Abbeville, Anita M. Butler.

Retired in 2020 from Spartanburg Regional Health Care System, Butler is the former Senior Vice President of Post-Acute Services and President of Spartanburg Restorative Care. She held memberships in the American College of Healthcare Executives, the South Carolina Health Alliance, Sigma Theta Tau (the National Honor Society of Nursing), and National Association of Long-Term Hospitals.

Through service on the PTC Area Commission, Butler can continue her work to promote excellence in the healthcare workforce during her post-retirement years. PTC offers 12 degree-field



Anita M. Butler

programs in its School of Healthcare.

“As a Commissioner, I am grateful for the opportunity to share my healthcare expertise while directly participating in shaping the future of technical education in South Carolina,” Butler said. “As a retired healthcare executive, I have experienced the benefits and necessity

of technical education. Hospitals and healthcare facilities cannot operate without these skilled professionals.”

Butler earned her master of science in nursing from Clemson University and her bachelor of science in nursing from the University of North Carolina, Charlotte.

The 12-member Commission is the governing board for the college and includes members from every county in its service area. It is a broadly diverse and intellectual group of leaders.

“We are exceptionally pleased to welcome Ms. Butler to the Area Commission,” Commission Chairman Richard Cain said. “We are confident that Piedmont Technical College will benefit greatly from her distinguished record of leadership and industry experience.”



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Renaissance man

Program at Abbeville Civic Center pays tribute to late J.J. Robinson

By Henry E. Green

Pastor. Abbeville City Council member. Fisherman. Singer.

The late J.J. Robinson was all of those things and more.

The life and legacy of this multi-talented individual, who passed away several months ago, were celebrated Thursday night at the Abbeville Civic Center, as the Abbeville County Democratic Party paid tribute to him with a program that included a variety of speakers assessing his impact on various aspects of the Abbeville community.

"J.J. wore many hats," said Deborah Sanders. Born in Laurens County, Robinson left a "footprint" in Abbeville County, where he connected with people of various backgrounds.

"He never met strangers," said Oscar Klugh of Abbeville, a former Abbeville County Council member.

Dr. Julius Johnson, the pastor of Long Cane AME, noted that Robinson was a "great preacher" and a "wise administrator."

"He was a friend and mentor to me and to others," said Johnson. "I thank God for allowing him to cross

my path." Johnson recalled the advice Robinson gave him about serving as a pastor in a church--when a pastor leaves a church he should leave it in a better position than when he found it.

"He was a blessing to my ministry," said Johnson.

Thelma Woody noted that Robinson served for a number of years as the chairman of the Abbeville County branch of the NAACP, and he was committed to ensuring that the African-American community had a voice.

Robinson was passionate about registering people to vote, and Woody said that the need for people to let their voices be heard is still very real, indeed.

"Abbeville County citizens, we must rise up and exercise our right to vote," she said. Rise up! Rise up! Rise up!"

Philip Crawford said that Robinson was a mentor to him in a number of ways.

"He taught me how to be prompt and network with people," Crawford said.

Rev. Effson Bryant recalled Robinson's efforts to bring about single-member districts to Abbeville County.

A lawsuit was eventually filed by those wanting

single-member districts--a lawsuit which they eventually won.

Being a pastor is not just a matter of improving your church. "You've got to make your community better as well," he said.

Former Abbeville City Council member Calvin Wharton recalled how after his mother died, Robinson showed great kindness to the Wharton family in their time of grief.

Michael Johnson, meanwhile, remembered the referendum on building three new elementary schools in Abbeville County back in the 1990s. Robinson helped get the referendum passed.

Robinson also helped to get Charles Goodwin elected Abbeville County's first black sheriff.

Abbeville Mayor Trey Edwards presented a plaque to Robinson's family, and Abbeville County voter registration director Brenda Anderson presented a plaque from the Abbeville County Democratic Party.

Jatavious Coleman sang a solo a cappella, Joe Bryson gave the opening prayer, and Mary Lou Edens the benediction.



Abbeville County Democratic Party Chairperson Brenda Anderson (left) presented a plaque from the Democratic Party and Abbeville Mayor Trey Edwards (right) presented a recognition from the City of Abbeville to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Robinson, son and daughter in law of the late J.J. Robinson, all during a memorial program for J.J. Robinson at the Abbeville Civic Center recently. Robinson served on Abbeville City Council. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)

Jatavious Coleman sang a solo a cappella during a special memorial program held at Abbeville Civic Center recently in memory of the late J.J. Robinson. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)



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Commentary

Abbeville County Council votes itself a pay raise

By Lamar T. West, Sr.

Members of Abbeville County Council will have a third and final reading on a one thousand dollar (\$1,000) increase in their pay which equals just over a 14% increase.

Maybe County Council should follow the Abbeville County School Board pay scale which is paid nothing. The school board could double its pay and it would cost the taxpayers of Abbeville County not one penny!

We are not sure if Abbeville County Council is under the same laws or regulations as our US Congress, but if Congress votes itself a raise the raise cannot go into effect until after the next congressional election. In other words, if voters are not satisfied with Council voting itself a \$1,000 per year raise, then the voters can vote those voting in favor of the raise OUT.

One would tend to think that \$1,000 per year is not a large amount of money and considering that Council somewhat decides on how their multi-million-dollar budget is spent, perhaps another \$1,000 each does not seem to them to be a lot of money.

Meeting a minimum of 12 times a year, Council is already receiving a minimum of \$6,800 per council member (\$7,400 for vice chairperson and \$8,600 for the chairperson). With the raise, council-members will receive a total of \$650 per meeting, the vice chairperson \$700 per meeting and the chairperson \$800 per meeting. Meetings can last one to three hours, and we are sure there is some homework involved with a few constituents asking questions every now and then. You do the math.

County Council pay is not discussed in open ses-

sion very much (if at all). Perhaps this is considered behind closed doors, better known as an "executive session" personnel matter.

Questioning an article published in last week's "The Press and Banner."

Why would County Council go into executive session to discuss the distribution appropriations of accommodations tax money to applicants seeking funds?

While we do believe the Abbeville County Chamber of Commerce does as much, if not more, to promote Abbeville County Tourism as anyone else requesting monies, we also realize the City of Abbeville is responsible in volume for a great deal of this tourism. The Chamber of Commerce and others play a large part in getting people to tour our city and towns in the county, but the City of Abbeville is responsible for the financial part of keeping the City of Abbeville clean and presentable.

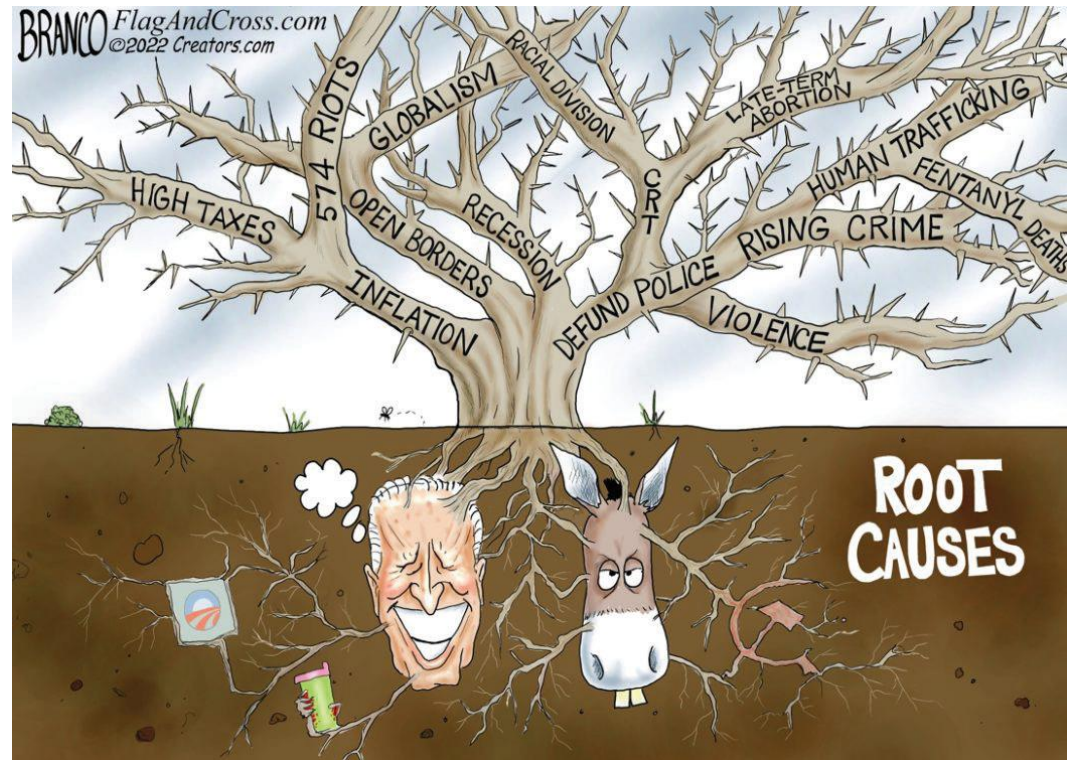
County Council just voted to spend \$7,000 on itself (salary increase) and cut accommodations tax monies (\$5,000) from the City of Abbeville request for funds. The City of Abbeville has the greatest responsibility for tourism was awarded less monies than Due West Robotics. The previous statement in no way means we think Due West Robotics deserves less.

We are sure most (if not all) people paying taxes realize the accommodations monies that helps tourism come from an additional sales tax added to all commodity sales (except from exempt products) sold in Abbeville County. We are not sure of the distribution process, but we do know it is not discussed in the open sessions of a County Council meeting until after the

decision is made. Then the distribution of said monies is presented to the public in open session.

To quote Richard Whiting from an introduction to the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act compliance booklet: "There should be no need for the state to have a Freedom of Information Act. Clearly, our founding fathers knew that a government operating behind closed doors, unchecked by and unaccountable to its citizenry, is not a government of, by and for the people. Rather, it is a government of, by and for itself. But time and again, evidence tells us our forefathers' intentions in framing the Constitution need shoring up with individual states' Sunshine Laws." Also included were the words of President Thomas Jefferson on open government:

"The People are the only censors of their governors: and even their errors will tend to keep these to the true principles of their institution. To punish these errors too severely would be to suppress the only safeguard of the public liberty. The way to prevent these irregular interpositions of the people is to give them full information of their affairs thro' the channel of public papers, & to contrive that those papers should penetrate the whole mass of the people. The basis of our governments being the opinion of the people, the very first object should be to keep that right; and were it left to me to decide whether we should have a government without newspapers or newspapers without a government, I should not hesitate a moment to prefer the latter. But I should mean that every man should receive those papers & be capable of reading them."



US House of Representatives

Rep. Duncan's Statement on Republican-Led Resolutions of Inquiry Blocked by Democrats

Submitted by Congressman **Jeff Duncan**

Washington, D.C.—Congressman Jeff Duncan issued the following statement regarding the Energy and Commerce Committee Markup of 18 Republican-led "Resolutions of Inquiry" to hold the Biden Administration accountable and require the party in power to share information about its energy policymaking process and the handling of the crises they have caused.

"Energy and Commerce Committee Republicans are taking action to hold

Joe Biden's White House accountable for its blatantly anti-American energy policies that have resulted in an energy crisis and the Administration's destructive handling of surging inflation, COVID-19, empty store shelves, the disaster at the southern border, and record-high fentanyl poisonings and deaths," said Congressman Jeff Duncan. "The Biden Administration has taken steps to undermine the will, security, prosperity, and freedom of the American people, and we are demanding answers and transparency."

"I submitted a 'Resolution

of Inquiry' to request documentation on the Biden Administration's exploitation of its self-imposed energy crisis to advance a radical rush-to-green agenda while shifting the blame for record-high gas prices on external factors," said Congressman Jeff Duncan.

"Unfortunately, the Democrats blocked all but one of our eighteen Republican-led 'Resolutions of Inquiry' to shield the Executive branch as they refuse the Biden Administration the accountability they need and Americans the answers they deserve."



Scott, Colleagues Introduce Permitting Reform Legislation

WASHINGTON – This week, U.S. Senator Tim Scott (R-S.C.) joined Senator Shelley Moore Capito (R-W.Va.) and 44 of their colleagues in introducing the Simplify Timelines and Assure Regulatory Transparency (START) Act. This legislation would implement comprehensive federal regulatory permitting and project review reform.

"The failure of Democrat leadership has made the link between energy and national security more apparent than ever before," said Senator Scott. "Republicans are focused on efficient solutions like the START Act to provide the necessary framework for states to promptly address the challenges to undertaking necessary energy and infrastructure projects across the country."

"Since our calls for action and offers to see legislative text from the permitting 'deal' remain unheeded, Republicans are introduc-

ing this legislation today to deliver solutions to the roadblocks, delays, and postponements of key infrastructure projects across the country," said Senator Capito. "The START Act would provide regulatory certainty to states, expedite permitting and review processes, codify substantive environmental regulatory reforms, and expedite permitting of the critically important Mountain Valley Pipeline. Republicans are unified in working to deliver needed permitting reform, and this legislation is a blueprint for how we can help communities benefit from being able to finally get critical projects across the finish line."

This bill was co-sponsored by U.S. Senators Mitch McConnell (R-Ky.), John Thune (R-S.D.), John Barrasso (R-Wyo.), Roy Blunt (R-Mo.), Joni Ernst (R-Iowa), Rick Scott (R-Fla.), Chuck Grassley (R-Iowa), Kevin Cramer (R-N.D.), Jim In-

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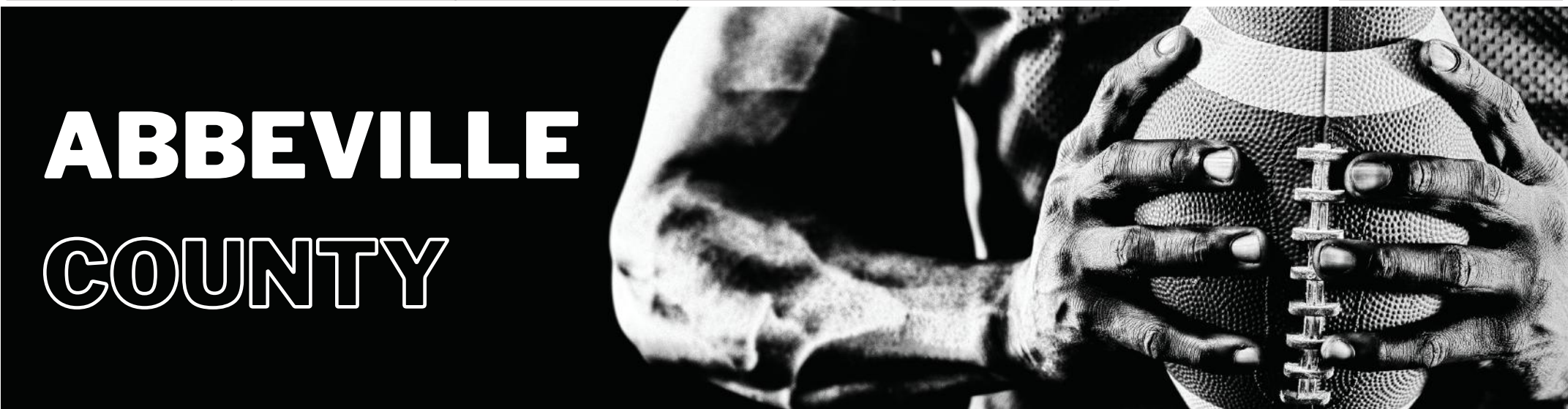
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AIKEN JERRY ET AL	2.00 ACRES	072-00-00-012	HENDERSON LOLITA	1 LOTS	2 BLDG	153-00-00-056
ALEWINE JEREMY C L.E.	2.33 ACRES	019-00-00-099	HILL CATHARINE H & IRLE L	4.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	158-00-00-033
ALEXANDER JASON LEE	4.00 ACRES 1 BLDG	063-00-00-024	HILL JONATHAN	1 LOTS		109-10-02-013
AMERICAN EQUITY FUNDING INC	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	035-13-02-004	HILL ROBERT D	2.74 ACRES	1 BLDG	015-00-00-066
ANDERSON BOBBY LE	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	009-00-00-170	HILL THERESA	.77 ACRES		035-09-02-030
ANDERSON BOBBY LE	14.91 ACRES	009-00-00-165	HILL WALTER THOMAS	9.37 ACRES		089-00-00-045
ANDERSON BOBBY LE	3 LOTS 1 BLDG	009-00-00-039	HINSON GAYLE I	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	122-02-05-034
ANDERSON EDITH HOLMES ET AL	1 LOTS	163-03-01-025	HIX LAMAR	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-11-04-019
ANDERSON HELEN B	1 LOTS 2 BLDG	035-13-02-012	HODGES ELLIOTT & HARBY MOISE HODGES	1 LOTS		013-00-00-100
APPLETREE PROPERTIES	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	153-12-02-012	HOLMES EDITH R ET AL	1 LOTS		163-03-01-006
ARCE JUDSON S	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	109-13-06-008	HOLMES EDITH R ET AL	1 LOTS		163-07-01-005
ASHLEY DUSTY R D	2.00 ACRES IMP(S)	013-00-00-012	HOLMES EDITH R ET AL	1 LOTS		163-03-03-004
ASHLEY DUSTY R D	4.73 ACRES	013-00-00-096	HOLMES EDITH R ET AL	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	163-03-03-003
ASHLEY KENNETH G ET AL	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	042-04-01-015	HOLMES EDITH R ETAL	1 LOTS		153-15-07-008
AUSTIN ALYSSEE ET AL	1 LOTS	153-08-03-016	HOLMES EDITH R ETAL	1 LOTS		153-15-07-010
BAKER KARMANING	1 LOTS	129-00-00-010	HOLMES EDITH R ETAL	1 LOTS		163-07-01-001
BAKER SARA ELIZABETH M	1.00 ACRES 1 BLDG	129-00-00-011	HOLMES EDITH R ETAL	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	163-03-01-003
BAKER SARAH	11.05 ACRES	129-00-00-019	HOLMES ELEANOR A L.E.	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-12-03-030
BANKS HARRISON C ET AL	3.35 ACRES	109-00-00-222	HOWLAND ETTA	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	109-14-01-025
BASKINS ESTER MAE	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	163-04-04-011	HOZEY JUANITA & FURMMAN F	.10 ACRES	IMP(S)	108-16-03-043
BATSON DEBRA H	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	122-06-02-022	HUMPHREYS BOBBY L	1.60 ACRES	1 BLDG	042-03-01-003
BEACON VILLAGE TRUST	1 LOTS	153-00-00-039	JACKSON DAPHINE	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-07-01-055
BELL BRIAN D	1.00 ACRES 1 BLDG	164-00-00-023	JOHNSON TARA M & SHELBY HAND	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	109-13-09-033
BENDER JASON	5.00 ACRES	061-00-00-065	JOHNSON TARA M ETAL	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-15-03-006
BLACKWOOD GWEN	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	009-00-00-089	JONES LINNIE KATE	39.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	007-00-00-034
BOLDEN MICHAEL E	2.25 ACRES	121-03-01-007	JONES ROBERT L	1 LOTS		112-00-00-228
BOWIE JULIA C	1 LOTS	108-15-02-008	KIDD A M III	53.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	143-00-00-001
BOWIE ODITRIS JERMAINE	1.00 ACRES	105-00-00-067	KLUGH GROVER A	24.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	098-00-00-009
BROCK NANCY B	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	015-00-00-055	KNOWLTON JUNE	1.00 ACRES	2 BLDG	112-00-00-084
BROOKINS COREY V	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	163-04-01-004	LEWIS CHARLES DAVID	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	122-00-00-248
BROWN CHRISTOPHER JOHN	2.38 ACRES	045-00-00-122	LEWIS NIDRAUS	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-16-06-010
BROWN KEITH ALLEN	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	109-07-02-022	LEWIS PATTIE A & JOHN P CRAWFORD	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	122-01-04-023
BRYANT ALICE PAGE	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	015-00-00-078	LINDSAY BRANDON TERRELL	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	006-00-00-008
BRYANT LINDA	2 LOTS	153-12-02-046	LOLLIS LINDA K	2 LOTS	IMP(S)	045-00-00-215
BURDETTE TANNA	3.00 ACRES 1 BLDG	054-00-00-006	LOMAX BRIAN O	2.00 ACRES		072-00-00-029
BURTON POLLY	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	109-11-02-223	LOMAX DESSIE C	1 LOTS		109-10-01-029
CADE MARIE M	2 LOTS	153-08-01-011	LONG CANE COMMUNITY CENTER			097-00-00-023
CALHOUN DAVID	1 LOTS	163-04-05-003	MAGNOLIA STATION LLC	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-16-04-009
CALHOUN DAVID	1 LOTS	163-07-01-015	MARSHALL EUGENE JR	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	122-02-04-018
CAMERON JUDY GOFF L E	5.87 ACRES 1 BLDG	109-05-01-013	MARTIN HELEN O	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	089-06-03-003
CAMERON REAL ESTATE LLC	9.00 ACRES	109-05-01-012	MARTIN TAMMIE	.12 ACRES		006-00-00-129
CAMPBELL HILBERT	1 LOTS	109-11-01-016	MCALLISTER KATHY E ET AL	77.80 ACRES		069-00-00-022
CANFIELD DWAYNE L.E.	22.00 ACRES	059-00-00-002	MCBRAYER PRESTON	1 LOTS		153-00-01-087
CARLISLE BELINDA	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	153-11-04-023	MCCASLAN GEORGE & JONI	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	109-13-09-007
CARYSFORT REEF LLC	1 LOTS	153-08-04-024	MCCASLAN GEORGE M	1 LOTS	IMP(S)	109-11-02-229
CASE AMY G	2.14 ACRES 1 BLDG	009-00-00-063	MCCASLAN GEORGE M & JONI M	1 LOTS		109-11-02-233
CASTO SCOTT D	1 LOTS	045-00-00-017	MCCASLAN GEORGE M SR & JONI M	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-16-06-026
COATES BILLY R LE	1.00 ACRES 4 BLDG	034-12-03-016	MCCASLAN GEORGE M SR & JONI M	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	109-07-02-031
COWAN PEARL LEE	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	035-13-01-012	MCCLAIN MARIE BECK L E	5.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	009-00-00-066
CRAWFORD MCKINLEY & EUNABELL	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	109-07-02-015	MCCURRY MICHAEL W	1 LOTS		109-13-08-001
CRAWFORD STEPHOUNE P	1 LOTS	109-00-00-071	MCCURRY MICHAEL W	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	109-13-08-003
CRIDER GARRISON WADE & LISA A	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	108-16-03-032	MCCURRY MICHAEL W	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	109-13-08-004
DAWSON TYRONE	2.00 ACRES	094-00-00-021	MCCURRY JACK A	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	122-01-06-035
DIANNE PAUL	2.00 ACRES	135-00-00-101	MCCURRY MICHAEL & ANGELA	10.00 ACRES	2 BLDG	109-00-00-076
DN ROSS LLC	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	163-03-03-026	MCINNIS MARK L E	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	122-10-04-004
DONALDSON ELGERIE	6.00 ACRES 1 BLDG	094-00-00-018	MEH PROPERTIES LLC	2.33 ACRES		101-00-01-031
EAKIN WALTER EST.	3.00 ACRES	035-00-00-037	MILLER ALBERTA	12.00 ACRES		043-00-00-037
EAKIN WILLIE & WALTER	7.00 ACRES	035-00-00-040	MILLER GARY N	2.00 ACRES		121-00-00-024
EASY PROPERTIES LLC	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	109-13-06-009	MILLER GARY N	48.00 ACRES		118-00-00-013
EAVES MICHAEL D & PATRICIA R	2.09 ACRES 1 BLDG	054-00-00-129	MILLER GARY N	88.89 ACRES	4 BLDG	119-00-00-027
EBY CRISTIANA FAYE & ORVAN L	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	108-11-02-009	ML THE RENAISSANCE LLC	20.43 ACRES	8 BLDG	034-15-02-014
ELLIS MARTHA	1.00 ACRES 1 BLDG	096-00-00-062	ML THE RENAISSANCE LLC	1 LOTS		034-15-02-020
ELMORE AMY ET AL	.24 ACRES 2 BLDG	163-04-04-036	ML THE RENAISSANCE LLC	.21 ACRES		034-15-02-019
ELMORE WILLIAM K	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	108-08-06-005	MOHAWK IND	5.66 ACRES		129-00-00-030
EVANS LARRY DOUGLAS	6.00 ACRES 1 BLDG	153-07-01-001	MOORE KEITH BERNARD	1.00 ACRES		121-03-01-004
EVERGREEN RES LTD INC	27.81 ACRES	101-00-00-004	MURPHY NANCY E	1 LOTS		109-05-01-024
EVERGREEN RESOURCES LTD INC	25.08 ACRES	087-00-00-016	NEELEY JACQUELINE GAIL	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-16-02-005
FAIN JOHN G	7.00 ACRES	079-00-00-044	NEW SUSAN P	3.00 ACRES		077-00-00-041
FANT FRANCIS R JR ET AL	1.00 ACRES	101-00-01-015	NEW THOMAS ALLEN JR	7.00 ACRES		135-00-00-003
FINLEY BRADLEY K JR	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	077-00-00-082	NORMAN JOE EARL	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	163-04-04-016
FOSTER TERRENCE	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	153-12-03-042	NORMAN MILFORD ET AL	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	109-07-01-011
FRANKLIN CHARLES DENNIS	3 LOTS 1 BLDG	054-00-00-204	OCONNOR SABRENA	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-12-03-042
FRAZIER BOBBY GEAN & MARY SUE	1 LOTS	035-05-03-002	OSBORNE APRIL P	1 LOTS		100-00-00-021
FRAZIER BOBBY GEAN & MARY SUE	1.00 ACRES	035-05-03-001	OWEN SANDRA S	2.89 ACRES		020-00-00-031
GAMBRELL MATTHEW HORACE &	2.72 ACRES 1 BLDG	109-05-01-032	PAGE RONALD T & PATRICIA A LE	9.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	123-00-00-049
GAMBRELL MICHAEL S &	50.00 ACRES	032-00-00-006	PAGE RONALD T JR	66.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	123-00-00-038
GLASCO ADAM CHRISTOPHER &	6.47 ACRES 1 BLDG	039-00-00-026	PAGE RONALD T JR	8.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	123-00-00-037
GLOVER KATHERINE B ETAL	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	109-10-04-005	PAGE RONALD TILLMAN JR	9.27 ACRES		123-00-00-035
GOSNELL SAMMY	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	153-08-02-011	PARNELL CHARLENE L L.E.	3.44 ACRES		040-00-00-106
GRAHAM KATHY B ET AL	2.00 ACRES 1 BLDG	013-00-00-085	PARTRIDGE DOUGLAS R & SUSAN	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-11-04-006
GRAHAM KATHY B ET AL	27.09 ACRES	013-00-00-142	PARTRIDGE DOUGLAS R & SUSAN	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-11-04-005
GRAHAM KATHY B ET AL	25.91 ACRES 1 BLDG	013-00-00-007	PATE MICHAEL G	1 LOTS		089-00-00-125
GRAINGER GORDON W	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	109-13-09-003	PATTERSON SARAH F ET AL	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	163-03-02-002
GRANT JOHNNY A SR &	1.00 ACRES 1 BLDG	123-00-00-011	PATTERSON WILLIAM G	19.65 ACRES		118-00-00-001
GRAY EDDIE RUTH	2.00 ACRES 1 BLDG	105-00-00-026	PAUL MARTHA	1.21 ACRES		035-09-02-022
GUNNELS GARY E	88.80 ACRES 1 BLDG	079-00-00-007	PAWN DEV LLC	2.00 ACRES		122-00-00-207
HAAG ROBERT JOSEPH & JULIE ANNE HAAG	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	038-00-00-026	PEREZ-AVILA SARAI	1 LOTS		045-00-00-200
HAMILTON WALTER R & TERESA D	1 LOTS 1 BLDG	153-15-06-015	PERRYMAN EARLEAN	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	163-04-01-003
HARKNESS JOSEPH	1 LOTS	108-12-03-018	PETERSON PEARL LEE & MELVIN	2.10 ACRES		109-00-00-064
HAYES GARRETT L	1 LOTS	108-15-03-002	PETERSON ROLAND G & SUSIE ANN	6.59 ACRES		019-00-00-139
			PHILLIPS ASHLEY RAYE	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	006-00-00-060
			PHILLIPS JOYCE N	1 LOTS		077-00-00-086
			PHILLIPS WILLIAM M	6.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	064-00-00-038
			PINKNEY LENZIE & JUDY ANN	2.00 ACRES		026-00-00-089

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POOLE MATTHEW L	1 LOTS		054-00-00-110
POOLE MATTHEW L	1.00 ACRES		045-00-00-074
POOLE TOMMY EUGENE LE	1.00 ACRES		054-00-00-111
PORTER JON E	1 LOTS		109-13-07-021
PORTER JON E	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-16-05-008
PORTER JON E	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	109-13-07-022
POWELL MARK & TRACY	1 LOTS		026-00-00-091
PRICE LESLIE S	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-12-01-002
PRICE SCOTTIE	1 LOTS		153-12-01-003
PROPERTY NETWORK	1 LOTS		153-15-07-009
PROPERTY NETWORK	1 LOTS		163-03-03-030
PRUITT WILLIAM A	96.00 ACRES		067-00-00-005
PRUITT WILLIAM A	5.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	054-00-00-055
PRUITT WILLIAM A	1.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	066-00-00-044
PRUITT WILLIAM A	96.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	066-00-00-045
PUTNAM JEWELINE	1 LOTS		163-03-04-003
RAPLEY MONOLETTO	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	122-02-03-009
RECA LP	2 LOTS		153-08-04-034
REED MELVIN E & WILLIE JAMES J	3.80 ACRES	1 BLDG	040-00-00-014
RENEW OUTREACH MINISTRY	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-15-02-032
RHODES ROSA B	1.44 ACRES	1 BLDG	112-00-00-178
RICE HARMON	1 LOTS		153-08-01-049
RICE REGINA	1.57 ACRES		035-00-00-166
RICHARDS JR ROBERT RAYMOND	4.35 ACRES		032-00-00-107
RICHARDSON HELEN ET AL	18.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	015-00-00-007
RIDDLE C L & ANNIE L	4.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	054-00-00-421
RILEY CALANDRA ET AL	1 LOTS		109-14-01-009
RILEY CALANDRA ET AL	1 LOTS		109-04-01-030
ROSS JO ANN	2.00 ACRES	2 BLDG	094-00-00-037
SIMPSON BENJAMIN CHASE	10.13 ACRES	2 BLDG	047-00-00-102
SLAY SUSAN U	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	122-06-02-001
SLOAN MARY A	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	003-00-00-132
SMITH BENJAMIN JAMES	.69 ACRES	1 BLDG	108-00-00-113
SMITH JAMES M & DOUGLAS H JR	1.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	081-00-00-003
STEWART GERALD W & MAUREEN K	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-16-02-025
STONE JAMIE	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-16-05-004
TAYLOR TRAVIS L	10.00 ACRES		031-00-00-045
TENNANT EDMOND	13.00 ACRES		109-00-00-086
THE PEOPLES BANK	1 LOTS		054-00-01-084
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THE WILSON FAMILY CEMETARY	.15 ACRES		026-00-00-126
THOMAS DRUCILLA T	2 LOTS		163-07-03-007
THOMAS DRUCILLA T	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	163-07-03-005
THOMAS DRUCILLA T	1 LOTS		163-07-03-012
THOMAS MARY FRANCIS	1 LOTS		163-07-03-003
THOMPSON JOYCE M	2 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-11-03-011
THOMPSON JOYCE M	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-11-03-040
THORPE RHONDA	1 LOTS		121-03-01-033
THROWER RICHARD M.	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	096-00-00-234
TILLMAN LEROY & LORAIN	1 LOTS		109-14-01-023
TILLMAN TERRY & MARGIE	1 LOTS		163-04-02-071
TINCH JAMES ALBERT ET AL	1 LOTS		153-00-00-007
TODD DAVID J & BECKY	1.47 ACRES	1 BLDG	134-00-00-059
TREADWELL TONY D	13.25 ACRES		040-00-00-086
TUCKER COREY M & STEPHANIE	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-12-01-054
TURNER HOWARE D & KATHIE A	5.00 ACRES	1 BLDG	073-00-00-028
VAUGHN BENJAMIN E	1.07 ACRES		008-00-00-093
WAGLER RONALD	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-12-01-041
WAGLER RONALD D	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	122-05-03-040
WATSON CHAD THOMAS & CHRISTY M	26.86 ACRES		039-00-00-117
WATTS TROY	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	108-12-03-040
WEAVER NICOLE & NICOLE DOWIS	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	122-05-03-022
WHITE JOHN & GEORGE WHITE III	2 LOTS	1 BLDG	153-11-04-045
WILLIAMS ELIZABETH	1 LOTS		109-09-01-010
WILLIAMS THEODORE C & F B	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	006-00-00-007
WILSON SHERRI D & CANFIELD	1.82 ACRES	1 BLDG	059-00-00-004
WOOD MARILYN	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	020-16-02-005
WRIGHT GERTRUDE E	1 LOTS	1 BLDG	109-11-01-019
Z & L PROPERTIES LLC	128.19 ACRES		058-00-00-023
Z & L PROPERTIES LLC	136.00 ACRES		069-00-00-008

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NAME	DESCRIPTION	MAP NUMBER
ALEXANDER ROBERT & JUDITH	2000 28 X 70 FLEETWOOD	000-99-01-025
ALLISON KIMBERLY DAWN	1977-12X55-SATILLA	000-99-01-01-739
ANDERSON BOBBY & GEORGETTE	1995 14 X 66 OAKWOOD	000-99-01-075
ANDERSON CHAVIS D	1996 27 X 68 HORTON	000-99-98-101
ANDREWS JESSICA MARIE	1987 FLEETWOOD 14X48	000-99-07-084
APPLETREE PROPERTIES	27 X 66 CROWN 1998	000-99-03-158
APPLETREE PROPERTIES LLC	1998 16 X 76 FLEETWOOD	000-99-99-216
ASHLEY RODNEY	1998 14 X 60 CLAYTON	000-99-01-012
BANK OF NEW YORK	1983-24X56-HORTON	000-99-01-01-147
BANKS HARRISON	2012 32X66 SUNSHINE	000-99-07-938
BARRY JOHN	1998 16 X 76 CHANDELEUR	000-99-99-246
BELL JOHN V	1988-14X70-TIDWELL	000-99-00-00-896
BLACK THOMAS EARL	1997 28 X 52 TITA	000-99-19-8555
BOSEMAN SALLY	1994 27 X 60 FLEETWOOD	000-99-03-080
BOWIE GRADY OLIVER	1985 24X52 CONNER	000-99-02-00-063
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a Word from "THE WORD"

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Frustrated

Psalm 141:8 "But mine eyes are into thee, O God the Lord: in thee is my trust; leave not my soul destitute."

In my service for the Lord I have to travel to Nashville quite a bit to visit folks in the hospital. Between Carthage, Tennessee and Nashville is a billboard that has a picture of a man with his head in his hands. The caption asks the question, "Frustrated?" Then below it says, "try Jesus" and gives a phone number to call.

When I read Psalm 141:8 that billboard comes to my mind. Verse 1 in this Psalm makes it clear that David is frustrated and he cried to the Lord. This verse gives us instructions on where to look when the future looks bleak. Verse 7 gives us some context to this verse—"our bones are scattered at the grave's mouth, as when one cutteth and and cleaveth wood upon the earth."

That verse implies a pretty bleak situation. If your situation looks bleak—look to the Lord.

You can look to the Lord when life becomes frustrating. More often than not life gets frustrating. When I look at the future situation I get frustrated. The future looks bleak indeed until I remember who is in charge—God is, not man. You can look to the Lord when the future looks fearful. If you only look at our economy and the shambles it is in you will become fearful concerning what the future may hold. But if you lift your eyes up to God, you will realize He will take care of you no matter what.

If you look around, you will be filled with distress. But if you look to the Lord

you will be comforted. If you look at the problems you face you will be dismayed, but if you look to the Lord you will receive instructions on how to handle the problems that you face. If you look at yourself you will become fainthearted, but if you look to the Lord you will receive the strength to face life's greatest problems. It all depends on where your focus is—down here below or to God up above.

David lifted his eyes up to the Lord and he received the strength and wisdom to not only endure but overcome. David lived during some tumultuous and dangerous times—so do we. In these difficult days in which we live, let's focus on who God is, not what we are facing.



The Abbeville High School Class of 1965 gathered in Greenwood recently at the summer retreat of Carol and Jimmy Wilson for a class reunion. About 40 classmates gathered for the reunion. (Contributed photo)

County Chamber planning Ghost Walk

By Henry E. Green

Let's get spooky! The Abbeville County Chamber of Commerce will be holding its annual ghostwalk on Friday and Saturday-Oct. 21 and Oct. 22, according to the Chamber's executive director Anna LaGrone. "We'll be having four tours each night, with staggered start times," she said. The tours will begin each night at 7 p.m., 7:15 p.m., 7:30 p.m. and 7:45."

Each tour will be a guided tour through Abbeville's

spookiest sites, and you'll hear local legends and ghostly tales.

Among the stops will be Trinity Church, the Abbeville County Museum, and the Opera House--just to name a few.

Each tour will begin at the Chamber. Tickets are \$12 apiece and may be purchased at the Chamber during normal business hours.

"We sold out both days last year, so I encourage people to get their tickets, now," she said.

People from throughout the Upstate typically come to the Ghost Walk, said LaGrone.

"It's a good tool for tourism," she said, noting that about 200 people went on the Ghost Walk last year.

The event is a fund-raiser for the Chamber, a nonprofit organization which promotes business in the Abbeville County community.

For more information, one may call the Chamber at 366-4600.

Piedmont Tech Extends No-Cost Option Through Summer 2023

Submitted by Kristine Hartvigsen

"The fact that enrollment has been up since we offered this option — 17 percent for this fall term — reinforces the need to ensure that a college education is accessible to even more people in the community," said PTC President Dr. Hope E. Rivers. "This initiative is motivating people to come off the sidelines

and go back to college in pursuit of new career opportunities."

To qualify for the No Cost Option, participants must be South Carolina residents. They must also apply to PTC, complete a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), and provide the required documentation to support their application.

PTC is able to offer this option because of additional state, federal, county, PTC

Foundation, and community funding. As such, the No Cost Option is available only for a limited time. Those with a desire to start or continue their college education should act now, because this option is not guaranteed beyond the Summer 2023 term.

Spring classes start on Jan. 11, 2023. For more information, visit www.ptc.edu/free.

CF Council approves plans on water lines

By Henry E. Green

Calhoun Falls Town Council held a special meeting Thursday, moving ahead with plans to replace some water lines, and taking action on record keeping and a Town vehicle.

Council discussed a water project that it had been working on, and accepted the bid of Corbett and Sons, LLC, based in Greenwood.

The firm will provide engineering services for a project to replace water lines on four streets--Berry, Ellis, part of Bamberg Street, and Sherard Street. The bid came in at \$300,392.

Council member Christine Long did not vote on the water project. She said Friday that she was not familiar with the project. "I never heard

anything about it until I got to the meeting," she said.

Council also agreed to a plan to allow Mayor Terrico Holland to review and approve any competitive bid for services from a third party that he believed was in the best interests of the town.

For any bid above \$5,000 he would have to reach out to Council and get their approval.

Council member Long did not vote, because she questioned the \$5,000 threshold. She wanted it to be lower.

The rationale is that sometimes a quick decision might be needed on a bid, and the Mayor may not have time enough to reach out to Council.

The Mayor appointed

Clerk Treasurer Wendi Alewine the Town's record keeper. This would entail taking care of receipts and records.

Holland said Friday that he consulted the Municipal Association of South Carolina, which advised him that such a record keeper could be appointed.

Council also voted to allow the Mayor to use a Town vehicle at his discretion. Long said Friday she did not vote on this.

"I'm here for the betterment of the town," Holland said Friday. He thanked Abbeville County Legislative Delegation members Mike Gambrell, Craig Gagnon, and Billy Garrett for their assistance.

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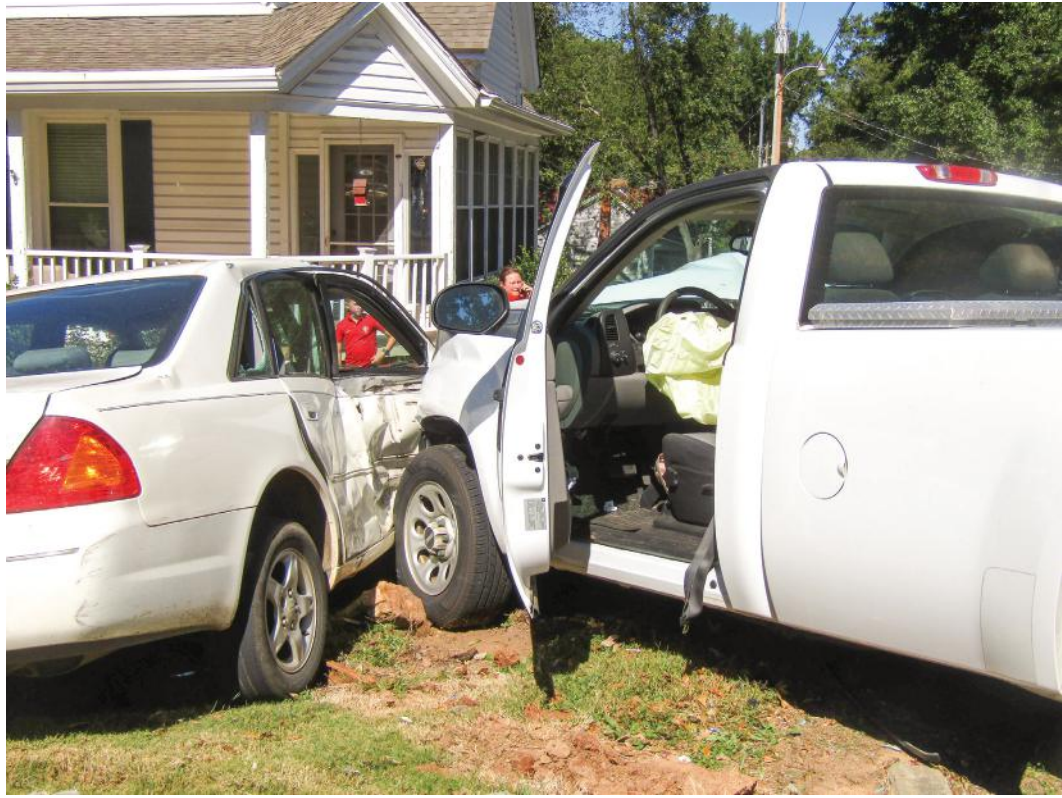
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On the afternoon of Wednesday, Oct. 5, a truck going up North Main and an automobile traveling from Haigler Street collided, but no serious injuries were reported. The two vehicles ended up in a yard at the corner of Harrisburg and North Main. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)

Firefighters fight two blazes in Calhoun Falls

Abbeville County fire fighters, along with fire fighters from Calhoun Falls, responded to a reported structure fire on McKenley Creek Road, off Highway 72, on the outskirts of Calhoun Falls, on Friday, Oct. 14, according to Abbeville County Fire Marshal Tim Williams.

Monterey, Sharon, Lowndesville, and Calhoun Falls were first on the scene, and additional fire tankers were requested from Edgewood and Cold Spring fire departments to assist with water supply.

Four occupants escaped the home with no injuries. The home was a total loss. It took approximately 35 fire

fighters two hours to contain the blaze, for which the call came in at 7:28 a.m. by the homeowner.

The cause of the fire is under investigation, the Fire Marshal said.

There was a second structure in Calhoun Falls Friday night, with the call coming in at 11:43 p.m. on Anderson Street.

Fire fighters arrived on the scene to find a 50 percent involved structure. Four occupants were at home at the time of the fire, but no injuries were reported.

"The home was a total loss, and in both fire cases, they escaped with just the clothes they had on," he said.

The fire is believed to have started in the kitchen area, and it took fire fighters several hours to contain the blaze, due to the fire extension into the attic space.

Approximately 30 fire fighters from Calhoun Falls, Monterey, Sharon, and Lowndesville were on hand.

Neither one of the homes had a working smoke alarms to alert them of the fire," he said.

He called on the public to check their batteries on their alarms with the time change on Nov. 6, and he encouraged anyone with smoke alarm needs to call the Fire Marshal's office at 366-6444.

Sharon UMC plans bicentennial festivities

By Henry E. Green

Sharon United Methodist Church is celebrating this year its bicentennial.

Abbeville County Council honored the church recently with a proclamation, which County Council chairman Billy Norris presented to Pastor Richard Powell.

According to the proclamation, a brush arbor was first used by worshippers on this site near Flag Reed Creek in 1820. A log meeting house was constructed and known as Sharon Camp meeting ground.

The current house of worship was constructed in 1894, and dedicated in

1899.

"The church continues to provide a worship site to all who wish to hear the good news and under the leadership of Pastor Richard Powell and his wife, Kay," the proclamation states.

The church today has about 89 members, according to Susan Gladden, a congregation member.

It is located on Sharon Church Road, between Calhoun Falls and Abbeville, in what is known as the Sharon community, in which Gladden said she grew up.

Sunday morning, there will be a special bicentennial service at 11 a.m. A

former pastor, Julian Ford, is returning to the church to deliver the message.

"We're going to follow that with dinner grounds," said Gladden.

There will be a slide show presentation of the church's history.

"We hope that it serves as a homecoming event," she said.

Sharon is a church she has been attending her entire life, and in fact about six generations of her family have attended it.

"It's a living example of a country church," she said.

Best Chance Network offers health screenings

By Henry E. Green

Abbeville Area Medical Center is a provider for a program which offers valuable health screenings for women.

The Best Chance Network offers breast and cervical cancer screening at no cost for South Carolina women who qualify, according to DHEC.

Best Chance provides mammograms, pap tests, pelvic exams, HPV tests, diagnostic testing if results are abnormal, and referrals to treatment, DHEC reports.

Qualifications include income and age guidelines.

Amanda Morgan of Abbeville Area Medical Center weighed in on the program and its significance, and how AAMC is involved.

"Best Chance Network is a program supported by DHEC and Clemson Rural Health," she said. "Abbeville Area Medical Center is an approved site (for the Best Chance Network).. This means we can schedule community members (no matter if they are a patient or live in another county). This allows the uninsured female or under-insured (poverty scale) to get a mammogram at no cost. DHEC does

reimburse AAMC for being a provider.

"We partner with Clemson Rural Health to bring their mobile unit on clinic dates to provide a full medical exam for the ladies. The screen for depression, food insecurities & if they need birth control options that is available. We just renewed our grant/contract for another five years. This helps our medical providers get screenings for their patients—their under-served/ uninsured do not have to pay the out-of-pocket costs."

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So you want to vote

Voter registration director Randy Curtis looks at election process

By Henry E. Green
Election laws have changed in a number of ways over the past several years, Abbeville County voter registration director Randy Curtis said Friday.

The general election is coming up on Tuesday, Nov. 8, and Curtis provided a public demonstration of how voting equipment works, and discussed election laws, to a small group that included voter registration board members and voter registration office staff, representatives of the Abbeville County Republican Party and Abbeville County Democratic Party, and a local reporter.

Many people around election time ask for sample ballots to study before the actual day of the election. These may be secured from scvotes.gov

Election laws regarding poll watchers and observers are strict. Poll watchers work for a particular party or candidate, and as such must wear name tags identifying them as such, while observers simply observe the election process.

Neither observers nor watchers may interfere with the election process in any way. They may be warned three times, and after the third time they are escorted from the premises.

"You cannot interfere with the process in any way," he said.

The laws on voter fraud are strict as well, and infractions that were once misdemeanors are now felonies. Anyone caught trying to vote more than once faces five years in prison or a \$5,000 fine.

Curtis told of a family in Newberry that allegedly tried to vote not only more than once, but five times. "The system will not allow you vote twice," he said.

Similarly, if a voter registration director of voter registration board member is found guilty of trying to influence an election, they may face the penalty of \$5,000 or five years in prison.

Curtis went on to say that younger people are simply not getting out to vote--most of the ballots cast are from voters between the ages of 50 and 75.

According to the South Carolina Election Commission (SEC), when a person registers to vote, the person remains registered to vote until disqualified for the following reasons.

--Moving outside the country

--Being convicted of a disqualifying crime

--Being ruled mentally incompetent by a court

--Requesting their name be removed from the list

--Death

Also, according to the Commission, on a monthly basis, the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control provides the SEC with an electronic file of people who have died in South Carolina. The SEC then compares the data to the statewide voter registration list and makes voter inactive.

Meanwhile, a poll manager must be a registered South Carolina voter, and poll managers work in groups, so that even the smallest polling places have at least three managers.

Managers are required to perform key election-related processes in groups of least three.

When voting in person, a voter will be asked to present one of the following valid photo IDs:

--A South Carolina driver's license

--S.C. Department of Motor Vehicles ID card

--S.C. voter registration card with a photo

--Federal military ID

--U.S. passport

For more information, one may call the Abbeville County voter registration office at 366-6690, extension 53.



These signs were recently spotted in a yard on Miller Street in Abbeville. Is there a story here? (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)

Obituaries

Haynes

Diane Catherine Haynes, 65, of Due West, died Tuesday, October 11, 2022 at the Abbeville Area Medical Center. She was born in Ypsilanti, Michigan to the late Wilford and Darlene Haynes.

Diane received her bachelor's degree at Sul Ross State University in Alpine, TX and a masters degree from the University of South Florida in Tampa, FL. She was employed as a data analyst until her retirement. Diane made her home at The Renaissance in Due West for the last seven years.

Diane is survived by her son, Charles Angel (Dr. Alanna Angel) of Due West; two brothers, Ron (Paula) Haynes of North Carolina and Don (Sarah) Haynes of



Diane Catherine Haynes

Michigan; four sisters, Cindy (Jerry) Engwis of Wisconsin, June (Scott) Davis of Florida, Judy Rogers of Michigan and Carol (Mike) Zurawski of Tennessee; and three

grandchildren, Ethan, Clara and Owen.

A celebration of Diane's life will be held at The Renaissance at a later date.

Memorial contributions, in memory of Diane, may be sent to the Due West Robotics, <https://www.paypal.com/US/fundraiser/charity/168307>; or The Greater Abbeville Humane Society, Attn: Barbara Freese, 200 Greenville Street, Abbeville, SC 29620.

A message of condolence may be sent to the family by visiting www.harrisfuneral.com.

Harris Funeral Home & Cremation Services of Abbeville is assisting the Haynes family.

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INFRASTRUCTURE MILLAGE	1.4
SOLID WASTE COLLECTIONS	6.0
CAPITAL EQUIPMENT	4.9
TOTAL COUNTY	129.8
	MILLS
SCHOOL DISTRICT 60 SCHOOL TAX	190.7
OPERATING AND UPGRADING	30.0
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Tax Books will open **October 14, 2022** and will close **January 17, 2023**.

Current Year Taxes will be collected in the Treasurer's Office through **March 16, 2023**, with penalties added, if applicable.

Delinquent Taxes will go into execution **March 17, 2023** and, thereafter, will be collected by the Delinquent Tax Collector.

The following late payment penalties will be collected after **January 17, 2023**:

January 18 through February 1, 2023: 3 per cent.
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Lovers of barbecue--and music and crafts--liked the Hogs and Hens Festival

By Henry E. Green

With barbecue, live music and a mullet contest, Abbeville's Hogs and Hens Festival on Oct. 14-15 appeared to be a smashing success.

It was one of those picture perfect October days, with mild temperatures and a most excellent ambience for the event presented annually by the City of Abbeville.

There were crafters with booths and tables set up in the Livery Stable, and a stage was set up on South Main, just south of its intersection with Court Square.

Fifteen contestants graced the mullet pageant, and the grand champion was Bennie Jordan of Lugoff. Jordan, whose stage name was "America," was adorned in red, white and blue.

The contestants all displayed their mullet hairstyles and answered on-stage questions, to the delight of the audience and the judges.

Abbeville radio personality Mike Elis served as emcee for the pageant, whose contestants had such interesting nicknames as the Mullet Mafia and the Mane Squeeze.

Elis, who wore a makeshift mullet of his own, served as the emcee for the festival.

Following the mullet pageant, young ladies from Dance Dynasty entertained the crowd.

The music provided perhaps the final leg of the festival, with CJ and Anoint'd, the Five Star Gospel and Mac Arnold and his band.

The Swingin' Medallions closed out the festival,

but they had a number of special guests, including special music queen Rhonda McDaniel, and original Medallions Carroll Bledsoe and Joe Morris.

In front of the stage, Medallion fans gathered and danced--and danced--and danced.

A more serious case of happy feet could not be found, as the band tore through "I'm a Believer", the song, written by Neil Diamond, that the Monkees made into a monster hit in the mid-60s, as well as Wilson Pickett's "Don't Let the Green Grass Fool You", and others.

They also threw into the mix rock'n'roll gems such as "What I Like About You", from the Romantics, and a sad, sad song from the Seventies--"Brandy."

The Silver Travis Band opened the Festival Friday night with a blend of rock and country.

During the festival, booths and tables were set up in the Livery Stable and along Trinity Street and Court Square.

The Abbeville Artist Guild judged the booths, and bestowed the following honors:

Best In Show Art/Craft Item - Low Country Metal
Best Presentation - Sankofa Apothecary

Low Country Metal's award came on the strength of its life size metal hog made from miscellaneous tools, and various pieces of metal, according to Jane Agan, the Guild treasurer.

"There were 33 vendors

around the Square, and 24 vendors in the Stables," said Agan.

The Artist Guild had two spaces in the Livery Stable, showing off art made by Guild members.

The Guild sold \$763 worth of art, made by Guild members, said Agan.

Barbecue lovers were in hog heaven, so to speak.

If you were a ribs man, you were definitely in luck. If pulled pork was more your thing, you were never too far from the vendors set up on the Square.

Then, of course, there were the pulled pork nachos, with sour cream, jalapeno peppers, and other yummy things.

On Saturday afternoon, prizes were awarded for the best barbecue offered by festival vendors, as judged by the Southern Barbecue Network.

The awards, according to City of Abbeville Community Development Director Austin Walker, were as follows:

1st Place Categories
Chicken - Fu Man Que BBQ
Beef - Fu Man Que BBQ Team
Hash- Smokin' the City BBQ
Pork- Smokin' the City BBQ
Rib- Broken Road BBQ

Reserve Grand Champion honors went to Broken Road BBQ

Meanwhile, the title of 2022 Hogs & Hens Grand Champion went to Smokin' the City.

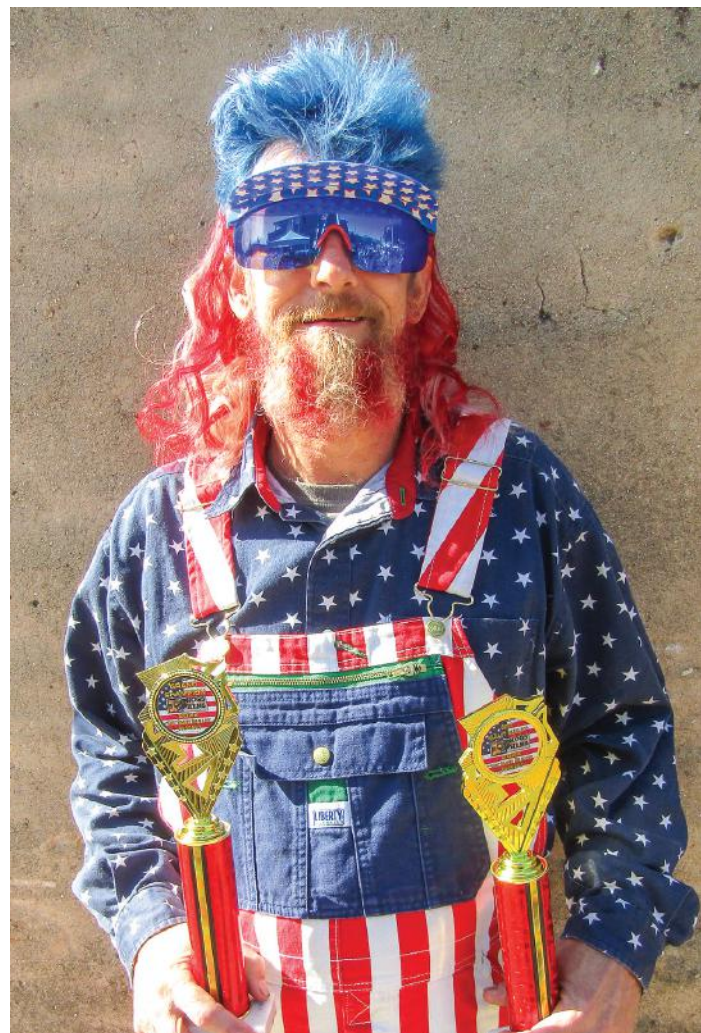
These happy dancers could be found enjoying the music of the Hogs and Hens Festival in Abbeville recently. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)



Vendors of various types setup shop along the periphery of Abbeville's Court Square during the recent Hogs and Hens Festival. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)



These music lovers were waiting for the Swingin' Medallions to perform, during the Hogs and Hens festival held in Abbeville recently. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)



Bennie Jordan of Lugoff was named the champion of the mullet contest in the Hogs and Hens festival held recently in Abbeville. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)



These are the barbecue award winners from the Hogs and Hens festival held in Abbeville recently. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)

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William Arnold (center) received the Sons of the American Revolution Certificate of Recognition from the Cambridge Chapter of the South Carolina Association. This was presented during Williams Eagle Scout Court of Honor to recognize his good citizenship and outstanding accomplishments as he received Boy Scouts highest rank. Making the presentation to Eagle Scout Arnold was Compatriot Scoutmaster Ed Patton (left) and Compatriot Calvert Sherard (right) of the Cambridge Chapter. (Photo contributed)

Program at church to focus on Medicare

By Henry E. Green

Upper Savannah Area on Aging in conjunction with Main Street United Methodist Church, in Abbeville, will present on Tuesday, Oct. 25, at noon a program about Medicare, and the public is invited, and lunch will be served, said Ann Davis, the Healing Hands Ministry coordinator with Main Street UMC.

The meeting will take place at the Greene Center, where representatives will talk about Medicare--how to sign up for it, how to choose your supplemental plan, how to change plans if you choose to do so, and the dif-

ference between Medicare and Medicare Advantage plans, she said.

Other topics to be discussed will include legal services for seniors, and opportunities for home repair, meals, and respite care, said Davis, noting that a representative of Upper Savannah will be presenting the program.

Every American becomes eligible for Medicare once he or she turns 65. Most seniors also purchase a Medicare supplement.

Upper Savannah Area Agency on Aging provides a wide range of services to seniors in our area,"

The gathering will be part of Main Street's Lunch and Learn series, which is open to the community, and which is designed to help improve the health of Main Street members and that of the community at large, Davis said.

It is all free. However, those planning to attend need to call the church and register, so that there will be an accurate head count for the meal, which will feature "hearty vegetable soup," she said.

For more information, one may call the church at 366-2367.

Newcomer

Alicia Dutton hails from Tuscaloosa, but she's lived all over the world

By Henry E. Green

Alicia Dutton is from Tuscaloosa, Alabama--and her husband is from Brooklyn.

Now they reside in Abbeville.

"I'm married to a Marine and I have a degree in marine biology," Alicia will tell you.

She calls Abbeville home now, but she's been all over the world.

The Troy State graduate was living in Berlin when the Wall came down, and Alaska, New Orleans and Key West have all felt the touch of her footprint.

"I just went where the wind blew me," she said.

Now the wind has blown her to Abbeville. Dutton, who lived in Natchez before coming here roughly one month ago, loves her

new home, and one of its attractions is that it is pedestrian-friendly.

"The Opera House was a huge draw," she added. That makes sense, considering her line of work.

"I'm a writer," she said. Her work includes mostly plays and musicals.

"I've won a lot of screen-writing awards and I've written some books," she said. "I write Southern chick lit."

In fact, she says, one of her plays, *Derby Girls*, is slated to be presented at the Opera House next May. It is about "a group of women who want to strike the Kentucky Derby off their bucket list," according to Dutton.

She writes books as well. "I'm just a fun, quick read kind of writer," she said. "I'm not Joan Collins. I'm not J.K.

Rowling."

Southern Sirens, for example, is about five friends who get together periodically for margaritas and fun.

A passion for writing has been a part of her life for a number of years. "I won a poetry contest when I was in high school," she said.

She has three children--all students at the University of Georgia

One is in pharmacy school, another is an undergraduate studying biochemistry, and the third is in graduate school.

Her husband Ed has been with her all the way. "I drug that Marine into the theater world," she said, noting that he has played everything from a minister to a catfish farmer.

Foster parents needed in Abbeville County

By Henry E. Green

John Connery is sending out a message--foster families are needed in Abbeville County.

Connery is a project manager with South Carolina Youth Advocate Program, which works with the South Carolina Department of Social Services to find foster parents.

The scarcity of foster parents is such that children in Abbeville County who are bound for foster care may have to go outside the county for it.

The Department of Social Services will notify the Youth Advocate Program and similar organizations of a child that needs to be placed in a foster home, and the organizations such as Youth Advocate Program try to locate foster parents.

Children are sent into the foster care system for a variety of reasons. Most of them go into the system because they are neglected at home--they may not be getting enough to eat at home, for example. A smaller number

may be victims of physical or sexual abuse.

Biological parents may have a problem with drugs or alcohol.

Foster children may range in age from infancy to 18 years of age. Sometimes an individual child goes into foster care, and sometimes it is more than one, as the desire is to keep siblings together if at all possible.

People wishing to be foster parents go through a vetting process that includes background checks, and a verification of income, to show that the prospective parent is financially able to care for the child.

Foster parents do receive a stipend, leading some people to say that they are "just in it for the money", but Connery emphasizes that it is not a cake walk.

"It's not an easy thing to do," to accept a child into your home.

And the effort is definitely made to find a proper home. One of the worst things that can happen to a foster child is to be bounced around

from foster home to foster home.

That can lead to a situation in which the foster child finds it difficult to make an emotional connection with anybody else.

"The goal is for the biological family to get their act together," said Connery. If that happens, then the kids in foster care may have the opportunity to return home.

The Youth Advocate Program licenses foster families. "We have a staff who specialize in the licensing process," he said.

The Youth Advocate Program has its state office in Columbia, with an Upstate office in Greenville.

"We have a significant presence on social media," he said, noting that this is one of a number of ways the Program recruits parents.

For Connery, a former state director for the South Carolina Department of Mental Health, this job is a second career. "I'm a psychologist," he said. "I'll be 74 shortly."

For more information, one may call 803-779-5500.

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Fresh air instruction

Regina Mast talks about a ministry that emphasizes 'back to basics'

By Henry E. Green
As a young Amish girl growing up in Indiana, Regina Mast became accustomed to a culture that was relatively far from technology and close to nature.

Yes, they might go to the grocery store to get a loaf of bread, but they butchered their own animals. There was no bringing home the bacon, because the bacon could already be made at home.

They gardened, they canned fruits and vegetables--you get the picture. Growing up on a dairy farm, she would get up early in the morning to milk the cows--by hand!

Now she's living in the Due West area, and she's engaged in a project that has its own "back to basics" flavor.

Mast, who lives in Greenwood, but has plans to move to Donalds, is working with Tammie Price, who lives on the outskirts of Greenwood, to establish a farm on the outskirts of Abbeville where people with problems such

as PTSD can be healed through getting back to nature.

One major component is to have them work with horses, and Regina admits that the beautiful animals have at times played an unforgettable role in her life.

The Amish use horses and buggies, instead of automobiles, to get around, and Regina still remembers an experience where she rode bareback on a horse with a mind of its own!

And she still loves to garden. In fact, she believes that God speaks to her through the process of raising fruits and vegetables.

Regina shared her testimony during a meeting of the Ann Moore Circle of Main Street United Methodist Church in Abbeville, a meeting held, most appropriately, in the great outdoors.

About 20 ladies sat in lawn chairs in an open field on the outskirts of Abbeville and listened, on a pleasant fall evening, as Regina talked about her life's journey.

It wasn't just any field. It

was located on the land which Regina and Tammie hope will become a setting for healing.

Regina distributed to those present little notebooks on which they could write Scripture verses, and the group enjoyed cider and cookies--and you even had the opportunity to make s'mores..

In addition to the horses, the farm will feature a garden, and opportunities to teach people how to cook, how to can, how to garden.

Tammie is spearheading an effort to raise the money to purchase the property--about \$450,000-- and about the money that has been raised.

It will be called Our Farm, as part of Meet Me at the Barn Ministries.

"I want people to come and feel the love of God," said Mast.

For more information, one may call Price at 864-993-8232, or Mast at 864-992-6718.

Regina Mast spoke to a group of ladies from Abbeville's Main Street United Methodist Church recently about the gospel, gardening, and growing up Amish in Indiana. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)



City receives grant for firefighting equipment

By Henry E. Green
City of Abbeville fire department members are now better equipped to handle emergencies and keep the Abbeville community safe thanks to a grant from Firehouse Subs Public Safety Foundation, it was announced at the City Council Wednesday night.

The Foundation awarded the City \$16, 167.70 for five sets of bunker gear, which will help protect them from fire hazards.

In other news, City Manager Blake Stone told Council that field work and the bidding document for the Raymond and Johnson repaving project are complete.

Once the bidding process is complete, the bids will come before Council for approval at either the November meeting or the December meeting.

Raymond Road is off Branch Street, and Johnson Road is off Raymond Road. The project, which is expected to be completed by the spring of 2023, is being funded through County

Transportation Committee dollars, and next year's CTC request will include Standpipe and Brooks streets.

Public comment
In the public comment segment of the meeting Bertha Crawford expressed concerns about the possibility of a "cigar bar" opening upon on Penny Street--something she said was mentioned on Facebook.

"I'm a cancer survivor," said, Crawford who explained that she also has breathing problems and has had COVID as well.

"I'm not happy with a cigar lounge in my neighborhood," she said.

Clary said Thursday that the City has not received an application for a business license for such an establishment.

During the public comment segment, Council also heard from Dr. William "Bill" Boone, the executive director of United Christian Ministries of Abbeville County.

Boone called on Council to make a donation to UCMAC each year "that we can promote to show that our two

organizations are working together for the welfare of the citizens of Abbeville County."

He also suggested that the City make a proclamation saying "that Abbeville Public Utilities recognizes the efforts of UCMAC to help the citizens of Abbeville County."

UCMAC, which has been in existence for 15 years, has given as much as \$2 million back to the community through the years in terms of its services, he said.

The organization has three ministries, including a food pantry system, a health clinic, and an emergency assistance ministry.

In the latter, UCMAC helps people with crisis needs, which may include utility bill payments.

Boone noted that as much as approximately 15 percent of UCMAC's expenditures have gone to Abbeville Public Utilities over the last 15 years.

Council went into executive session but took no resulting action upon returning to open session.

Smoke alarm blitz conducted in CF

By Henry E. Green
The Abbeville County Fire Marshal's Office, in conjunction with the Calhoun Falls Fire Department, recently conducted a smoke alarm blitz in Calhoun Falls, said Hunter Hazel, community risk reduction specialist with the Abbeville County Fire Marshal's Office.

Hazel noted Tuesday that fire fighters went from door to door on Sept. 27 in Cal-

houn Falls, installing smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors after door tags had been left in August.

"We passed out 150 door tags," she said. From those 150 door tags, a number of people called back, and 69 smoke alarms and 14 carbon monoxide detectors were ultimately distributed.

The blitz centered in a Calhoun Falls neighborhood in the vicinity of South Butler

Avenue, where she said there was a fire-related fatality several months ago.

When fire fighters go on a blitz, they typically target areas in need of smoke detectors or areas where there have been recent fire fatalities.

Hazel said that the Abbeville County Fire Marshal's Office is planning to conduct a blitz in the Donalds area next, perhaps in November.

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Abbeville (in dark jerseys) defeated Landrum Friday night at Hite Stadium in Abbeville 48-0 in varsity football action. (Photo by Andy Johnston)

Dixie Hornet jayvees defeat Christ Church

By Henry E. Green

Dixie defeated Christ Church in junior varsity football action Thursday night in Greenville, 30-28, in junior varsity football action, said Dixie junior varsity football coach Michael Turner Monday.

"It was a barn-burner," said Turner.

Riley Wojtkowski had two touchdowns--one on a kick-off return of 60 yards to open up the second half, and a six yard rushing touchdown.

Kody Slatton had two rushing touchdowns--one from about two yards out, and the other about four.

The Cavaliers, who scored first, were very successful in throwing the ball, while the

Hornets found considerable success in running the ball, noted Turner.

Christ Church led 20-14 at the half, according to the Dixie jayvee coach, who noted that at the half, he told his troops that "if we could get one stop on defense we could win the game."

In the fourth quarter, Dixie went up 30-28, a lead they would never relinquish.

Turner recalled that on the go-ahead drive, the Hornets faced a fourth and nine, and responded with a 20 yard pass from Will Carter to Staylon Johnson to keep the drive alive.

On the next series, the Hornets forced a punt, and then got the ball back with

about 4:45 left, after which they began a drive that ran out the clock.

Turner was enormously happy with the win. "We pulled it off," he said. "It was our night."

He was proud of the effort put forth by the jayvees, who never punted during the game and never turned the ball over, and the victory was refreshing after the heartbreaking loss to Saint Joseph's the week before.

"It was great for our kids," he said.

The jayvees, who improved to 4-4 with the win, will now go to Southside Christian for a 6 p.m. game Thursday evening.

Calhoun Falls Charter falls to Ware Shoals

By Henry E. Green

Calhoun Falls Charter fell to Ware Shoals in Calhoun Falls Friday night 61-32, according to Calhoun Falls Charter football coach Zak Theus.

The Hornets spoiled the Flashes' homecoming, breaking open a tight game in the second half to cruise on to victory in a game that was riddled with penalties that were too numerous to count. It was a game that was noteworthy for its length--it started at 7:30 p.m. and lasted until about 10:45 p.m.

Ware Shoals recovered a fumble and then scored a touchdown to account for the final score.

Just minutes earlier Ware Shoals intercepted a Calhoun Falls Charter pass and six plays later the Hornets rambled into the end zone.

Interestingly, the score was tied at 26 at the half. Ware Shoals scored first, and then Ty Turman came back to tie it up for the Flashes with a 16 yard touchdown run. With the conversion attempts unsuccessful, the score was tied 6-6.

Later in the first quarter, Ty Turman connected with De'quan Lewis on a third and 10 situation at the Ware Shoals 41, and Calhoun Falls Charter led 12-6 with 3:10 in the first quarter.

The Purple Hornets tied it up with a touchdown drive that began at the Ware Shoals 36, and ended with an eight yard scoring run.

In the second quarter, Ware Shoals blocked a Calhoun Falls Charter punt, and took over at the Blue Flash five, and on the next play the Hornets found the end zone on a scoring run.

This time their conversion

attempt was good, and Ware Shoals led 20-12.

However, the Blue Flashes came back with a 29 yard touchdown pass from Turman to George Alewine when the Flashes faced a second and four situation.

The Hornets came with a touchdown drive that started at their own 42. The conversion was no good, but Ware Shoals led 26-18.

Starting at about mid-field, Calhoun Falls Charter mounted a touchdown drive that concluded with a scoring pass from Turman to Ja'Vari McIntosh.

"I was very happy with what I saw in the first half," said Theus, adding that he was proud of his team's effort.

Calhoun Falls Charter, which is still looking for its first victory this season, will travel to McCormick this coming Friday for another Region game.



Abbeville (in white) used a ferocious ground attack to deliver a devastating blow to Crescent in varsity football action, 51-7, recently. (Photo courtesy of Andy Johnston)

Smackdown

AHS Panthers defeat Landrum 48-0

By Henry E. Green

Abbeville clinched its Region championship Friday night with a victory over Landrum 48-0 at Hite Stadium.

Abbeville improved to 3-0 in the Region with the victory, having beaten, in addition to Landrum, Chesnee and Liberty.

AHS out-gained Landrum a total of 347 yards to 85 in the victory, and the Panthers scored 14 points in the first quarter, 21 in the second quarter, and 13 in the third quarter.

The game was a "pink out", with AHS players decked out in pink socks, in recognition of Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

In addition, AHS cheerleaders performed Friday night with small fry--cheerleaders in the making--from an AHS cheerleading camp.

The Panthers, who never punted in the Landrum win, will host another Region foe--Blacksburg--this coming Friday, with the game time set for 7:30 p.m.

There was more good news. AHS head varsity

football coach Jamie Nickles were recently named the FCA Coach of the Year for the area Fellowship of Christian Athletes chapter.

Nickles said Tuesday that there were a few things that his troops need to work on, such as penalties, but overall he was happy.

"I was just really pleased with the effort," he said.

Nickles said that the game with Blacksburg will be Senior Night for the Panthers.

"They're a spread team very talented," said the coach of Blacksburg.



The Calhoun Falls Charter football players wore pink jerseys in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month during the recent game with Ware Shoals in Calhoun Falls. (Staff photo by Henry E. Green)

Reidmiller claims Week # 7 honors

By Henry E. Green

The Week #7 Football Contest winner is John Reidmiller of Greenwood, according to Football Contest Editor Lamar T. West

"In a week with a couple of upsets. Mr. Reidmiller only missed Alabama/Tennessee and the BYU/Arkansas games," West said, noting that this meant "Mr. Reidmiller saved Mr. Tie Breaker a lot of work" with seven entries missing only three picks.

"We are now over half way through the college football season so study hard for the test and send in your best guess!"

In this "over the hump" time, many people were indeed amazed that mighty Alabama fell to Tennessee on a field goal as time expired.

The Tide fell to Number Six in the rankings after the defeat, and the Volunteers, who will play USC in Columbia on November 19, are now the third-ranked team in the land.

Speaking of USC, the Gamecocks came out on top in their titanic struggle with Open Date.

Now they will host Texas A&M, and it's hard to figure out the Aggies, who have a 3-3 record. For what it's worth, we wonder about the Gamecocks as well--Carolina looked awesome in going on the road and defeating Kentucky, but did the "bye" week help the Chickens or hurt them, or did it not affect them at all?

Did it stem their momentum, or are we making a mountain out of a mole hill?

Let's be charitable and say that Carolina will continue its winning ways that the Gamecocks displayed in Kentucky. The Crystal Ball is a bit murky, but it looks as if Carolina will escape with a narrow win . . . 24-21.

Meanwhile, Clemson broke open in the second half a tight game against the Seminoles. The Kitties looked impressive, and we could not help but get a little nostalgic for the days--not

so long ago--when FSU was a national powerhouse.

We remember the day, back in the 1980s, when Florida State came to Columbia and took on Carolina in a battle of nationally-ranked teams.

This was when the 'Noles were guided by Bobby Bowden and the Gamecocks by Joe Morrison.

The Chickens came out on top, and the victory was one of the highlights of that special "Black Magic" year.

Anyway, so much for the excursion down Memory Lane . . . Our Upstate Felines now look forward to hosting Syracuse, in the battle with a Whole Lot of Orange going on.

We see the Tigers squeezing the Juice out of the Orange--pardon the pun--but it will be a good game-for a while, at least.

The Charming Kitties will ultimately not be so Charming to the 'Cuse--Clemson 24-14.

Dixie goes on road, falls to Christ Church

By Henry E. Green

Dixie lost to Christ Church in Greenville 48-6 Friday night in varsity football action, according to Dixie head football coach Vic Lollis.

Dixie's Marshall Dunn scored the only touchdown for the Hornets--a quarterback sneak of about 65 yards in the fourth quarter--according to Lollis.

The coach noted that the Hornets have been plagued by injuries this year, and the problem was compounded

Friday night when four more players were hurt earlier in the game.

"We had to 'band aid' a team", Friday night, he lamented.

In addition to the injuries, some of the Hornets played out of position.

Still, he commended his team for their effort. "They played hard," he said.

The Hornets will have a bye this coming week, before closing out the season by hosting Calhoun Falls

Charter.

Lollis is hoping that his team will have time to heal, and he noted that if the Hornets defeat Calhoun Falls Charter they will qualify for the playoffs.

The Hornets, who fell to 2-7 with the loss to Christ Church, have one Region win--over Ware Shoals.

Lollis is philosophical about a season that has been less than perfect.

"It's been one of those years," he noted.

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Requirements: Comply with Davis Bacon Wage determinations, chosen bidder must provide General Liability, Workers Comp Insurance, and vehicle Insurance and list the Housing Authority as certificate holder, References, firm start and completion dates, and Experience.

Questions accepted by email at lhaqqaha@yahoo.com until 12 noon October 17, 2022

Proposals MUST be received by 12 noon Friday, October 20, 2022

Hand deliver or mail proposals to the address below:

Larry Haqq
Abbeville Housing Authority
508 Haigler Street
Post Office Box 609
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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL 2022 #02

MODERNIZATION PLANNING & DESIGN

THE ABBEVILLE HOUSING AUTHORITY
508 HAIGLER STREET, POST OFFICE BOX 609
ABBEVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA 29620

864-366-4549
October 10, 2022

The Abbeville Housing Authority is seeking proposals from Architects and or Consultants to prepare a Physical Needs Assessment (PNA) for its eight (8) Apartment Sites. The Assessment must adhere to 24 CFR. The PNA will serve as a budgeting guide for the Housing Authority's immediate and long-term plans to ensure the physical viability of each site.

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2021-DR-32-2331X

SUMMONS AND NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

South Carolina Department of Social Services,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Sabrina Simmonds, Kaleb Albritton, and Cody Lucas,

Defendants,

IN THE INTEREST OF:
Minor Child born in 2017
Minor Child born in 2018
Minor Child born in 2020

Minor Child born in 2021
Minors Under the Age of 18.

**TO: DEFENDANT
KALEB ALBRITTON:**

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and noticed of the Complaint for removal action in and to the minor children in this action, the original of which has been filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Lexington County on December 9, 2021, a copy of which will be delivered to you upon request.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a hearing in the above referenced matter has been scheduled in the Lexington County Family Court located on the 2nd floor of the Marc H. Westbrook Judicial Center at 205 East Main Street, Lexington SC 29072.

YOU ARE FURTHER NO-

TIFIED that: (1) the Guardian *ad Litem* who is appointed by the Court in this action to represent the best interests of the children will provide the Family Court with a written report that includes an evaluation and assessment of the issues brought before the Court along with recommendations; (2) the Guardian *ad Litem*'s written report will be available for review twenty-four (24) hours in advance of the hearing; (3) you may review the report at the Guardian *ad Litem* Program county office.

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Legals

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Mary Alice Phillips, Plaintiff vs
LaPorchia Offley; and minor L.

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moned and required to answer the Complaint for Termination of Parental Rights and Adoption, which was filed in the Greenville County Family Court on May 16, 2022, in this action, a copy of which is herewith served upon you and to serve a copy of your answer to the said Complaint for Termina-

tion of Parental Rights and Adoption on the subscribers at their offices, 107 S Main Street Fountain Inn, South Carolina, 29644 within thirty (30) days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the Complaint for Termination of Parental Rights and Adoption within

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