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Sunday, March 8!

Devasthali Hall opens

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New Mexico State University's new art building, Devasthali Hall, officially opened to large crowds on Friday, Feb. 28. The building was showcased, along with a new exhibit focusing on motherhood. Among those in attendance were NMSU Regent Ammu Devasthali and her husband, Rama (inset), who donated \$2.8 million for the construction project. Devasthali Hall replaces Williams Hall, which originally was a gymnasium, and has been razed from the parcel immediately east of the new facility.

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Emergency Management staff honored

Several key staff members of the Doña Ana County/City of Las Cruces Office of Emergency Management were honored for their part in the response to

accommodating thousands of asylum seekers that passed through the county between April and July, 2019.



The Sons of the American Revolution, a congressionally chartered nonprofit organization, awarded the Bronze Good Citizenship Medal to Cullen Combs, Emergency Manager, Amanda Bowen, Emergency Management Coordinator and Patty Evans, OEM Specialist.

Doña Ana County spearheaded a joint community effort with several other government agencies, including the City of Las Cruces, to assist more than 17,000 migrants who passed

through the county seeking asylum. The humanitarian operation provided medical attention, food, clothing and shelter, and coordinated travel arrangements to get migrants where they needed to be while they await the asylum process.

Freida Adams, a volunteer nurse who led outreach efforts during the operation and Robin Rice, a community volunteer also received honors on behalf of the charter. Together, Adams and Rice coordinated the medical response and sheltering accommodations to the humanitarian crisis, working with non-governmental agencies and local churches.

During the crisis, the county temporarily provided shelter and services at the Crisis Triage Center and later moved operations to the former U.S. Army Reserve Armory on Brown Road.

Pictured from left: OEM Specialist Patty Evans, Emergency Management Coordinator Amanda Bowen and Emergency Manager Cullen Combs receive a certificate and the Bronze Good Citizenship Medal.

PHOTO: CORRIE STONE, Doña Ana County.

Doña Ana County Sheriff's Office launches 'Amigos' program

The Doña Ana County Sheriff's Office launched a new program that ensures qualified seniors in Doña Ana County have a consistent presence during times of need.

The program is Amigos de DASO, and partners patrol deputies with seniors in the community who are experiencing short-term disabilities or are medically fragile.

"These are the compromised people in our population who might not have someone close by to check on them to make sure their daily needs are being met," said Sheriff Kim Stewart. "As the caregiver of an elderly relative for several years, I would have welcomed a consistent and reliable 'amigo' for her; someone who would stop by or call on a regular schedule to check in."

The new program does not take the place of medical attention or skilled assisted living. According to Stewart, the requirements for participants is that they live in Doña Ana County, be willing and able to accept regular visits or phone calls from a deputy or support personnel, and be at least 60 years old or homebound. The duration of the program is six months, and can be re-evaluated.

The sheriff's office has also partnered with area agencies that can provide additional services to program participants if needed.

Applications for Amigos de DASO can be picked up at the main headquarters, 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, or online, at www.goDASO.org.

For more information, please contact Andrea Ferrales-Narvaez at (575) 525-1911 or via email, andrea@donaanacounty.org.



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'Cowboy Days' return to Farm & Ranch

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Cowboy Days at the New Mexico Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum launches Saturday, March 7, at 4100 Dripping Springs Road, and it begins early spring programming at the facility.

Upcoming events are as follows:

Cowboy Days

March 7, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

March 8, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Culture, skill, and entertainment are the focus of the museum's 21st-annual Cowboy Days celebration. Enjoy charreada demos and trick roping by Daniel Castro and Lienzo Charro El Pedregal at 11 a.m. each day, horse training by world-renowned trainer Josh Armstrong at 1 p.m. each day, chuck wagon cooking, children's activities, cowboy music, stagecoach, mini-train, and pony rides, Western authors, food and craft vendors, the Parade of Breeds cattle program and more will be featured.

Twice each day, the theatre troupe will perform "How the West was Done!" (stories, poetry, trivia and melodrama). The family-friendly admission is \$10 per vehicle. (No discounts, passes or pets). Visit www.nmfarmandranch-museum.org for the full schedule.

Culture Series: Paquimé and the Casas Grandes Culture

March 10, 12:30-1:30 p.m.

Jeff Romney, director of the El Paso Museum of Archaeology, will discuss Paquimé as a ceremonial and trade center within the greater Casas Grandes

region. The discussion will also include the cliff dwelling sites at Cuesta Blanca, Cave Valley, and Cuarenta Casas and the petroglyph sites at Anchondo, Arroyo de los Monos, and others. Admission is free.

The Casas Grandes Culture inhabited parts of Chihuahua, Sonora and New Mexico between 700 – 1450 AD.

During the Medio Period (1200 – 1450 AD), the Casas Grandes culture reached the height of its prominence and influence in the region. It is during this period that Paquimé was built, eventually becoming an important ceremonial and trade center.

The largest cache of shells ever found in an archaeological context in North America was excavated at Paquimé. Ex-

quisite ceramics, beautiful works in stone, copper bells, turquoise, and macaw remains were also found at the site. Paquimé was declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1998.

Romney grew up in Chihuahua, Mexico, near Paquimé, which inspired his life-long interest in Southwest Archaeology. He earned his bachelor's degree in anthropology from Brigham Young University (BYU) in 1995 with an emphasis in Southwest Archaeology and Native American Studies.

While at BYU, Romney worked at the Museum of Peoples and Cultures as student co-curator, working primarily with the museum's large collection of Casas Grandes pottery. After graduating, he ac-

cepted the position of museum specialist at Wheeler Historic Farm, Salt Lake County's Parks and Recreation Department.

In 2006, Romney joined the El Paso Museum of Art where he served as head of development for a decade. Romney's research interests include the Pre-Columbian Southwest, Native American cultures and pottery.

Reading Roundup

March 14, 2-3 p.m.

Story Time will be held in the museum lobby.

Children of all ages are welcome to listen and learn. This activity is free with regular admission (\$5 for adults, \$4 for senior citizens, \$3 for children 4-17). Children 3 and under are admitted free.

Crafts for Kids

March 21, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Children are invited to come make a spring craft. Materials will be provided. This activity is free with regular admission (\$5 for adults, \$4 for senior citizens, \$3 for children 4-17). Children 3 and under are

admitted free.

Discovery Morning – Making Sun Prints

March 25, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Students will learn how to make a sun print in celebration of spring. Items such as flowers and leaves will be used to make a print on cotton fabric. Recommended for students ages 8-12. Class fee is \$3 and all materials will be provided. Contact LuAnn Kilday at 575-522-4100 or luannr.kilday@state.nm.us to register.



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Over the course of several centuries, the Apache peoples repeatedly confronted and confounded the northern movement of the Spanish Empire into what is now the Southwestern Borderlands. From the late 16th century through the beginning of the 19th, Apaches and Spaniards engaged in almost constant warfare. Whether viewed as a series of relatively small, local conflicts, conflated by an imperial perspective, or as a generations-long struggle for control of ancestral lands and resources against outside invasion, the war (or wars) between the Spanish Empire and the various Apache peoples were among the longest and the most important in the history of North America. Haphazardly at first, but then with increasing momentum from the mid 1700s, the Spaniards unleashed all the power and subtleties available to their modern nation-state against a tribal society. Alternating extreme violence with offers of food and security on what were essentially reservations, by the 1790s the Spaniards had imposed on the Apaches a form of mutual accommodation that resembled peace more than war. This talk will examine the origins, course, and results of this long, bloody, and labyrinthine struggle.

Saturday, March 14, 2020

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Preventing suicide could be as simple as checking in

Editor's note: This is the first in a series of articles about behavioral health in Doña Ana County. The series will focus on a wide range of issues related to behavioral health in our communities, and it will spotlight programs and care providers who are making a difference in our area.

By MIKE COOK

Las Cruces Bulletin

In any given year, more than 40 residents of Doña Ana County will likely commit suicide, said Rev.

Margaret Short, Ph.D., who is director of pastoral care at Memorial Medical Center (MMC). That's a little under the New Mexico average, but well above the national average.

Department head and professor Satya Rao, Ph.D., of New Mexico State University's College of Health and Social Services Public Health Services, said she is particularly concerned about suicide ideation among young adults and children.

"We need to focus a lot

of attention on young people and really understand the disconnectedness they feel," Rao said. "They are so lost in technology. "If I can find the answer in my smartphone, why in the world would I talk to anyone?"

The result is often isolation, Rao said, leaving the individual with a connection to technology but not to other people. He or she may not know where to turn for help with feelings that come out of isolation, which sometimes include thoughts of suicide.

Many young people

need to be reminded regularly "that someone is looking out for them," Rao said. "A lot of us feel that we are invisible." The reliance on self-sufficiency and the uniquely American commitment to self-reliance "really comes in the way of good mental health sometimes," she said. "Life can be so vulnerable. We have to rely on others to help us through."

Isolation is not confined to young people, Rao said. Her conversations with staff and volunteers for the city's meal-delivery program show that many older people are "so happy to see this person" delivering their meals "because they don't have the means to go out."

The Las Cruces-based nonprofit Southern New



Rev. Dr. Margaret Short, left, director of pastoral care at Memorial Medical Center, and Satya Rao, Ph.D., New Mexico State University's College of Health and Social Services Public Health Services department head and professor.

BULLETIN FILE PHOTO

Mexico Suicide Prevention and Survivor Support Coalition that Rao and Short belong to has created a brochure about available services that is now provided to people getting meal deliveries, Rao said.

When she speaks at employee orientations

at MMC, which include housekeepers, nurses, physicians and department directors, Short said she talks about "how to be intentional" in looking for signs that a patient, a co-worker or a hospital visitor is struggling emotionally.

It only takes a moment to make sure someone is doing okay, Rao said. When you check in, she said, "be intentional, be purposeful. Be extra sensitive and caring. Ask that extra question" to really know if a friend, family member, co-worker, classmate or even a casual acquaintance isn't doing well and could use help.

Rao also advises looking out for difficult circumstances in a person's life, including divorce, losing the custody of a child, health issues and other trauma-inducing events.

"By asking a few questions, we can truly understand what is going on," she said. Alcohol and drug abuse can also be factors.

When you check in with another person, know that you don't have to go it alone, Short said.

New Mexico Water & Electric



The use of solar energy to either offset standard utility costs or to move entirely away from the established power grid continues to be an ever-improving option for many home and business owners in Southern New Mexico.

While the basics of most solar energy systems are somewhat easy to comprehend, assuring the installation of an appropriate array designed to meet specific customer needs can be difficult and costly, especially with a growing number of variously qualified service providers now vying to install systems before the 2022 sunset of a 26-percent federal tax rebate offer.

Southern New Mexico-based owners and licensed contractors with New Mexico Water & Electric are not only fully qualified and experienced with the installation of all types of solar energy systems, they are fully versed in both the benefits and often misleading information relating to the current federal rebate program and other available support for consumers.

With the federal tax rebate program set to end in less than two years, solar energy service firms from outside the community and state are now flocking to Southern New Mexico to provide solar energy options, which ostensibly will allow local home and business owners to take advantage of the available cost returns. Officials with New Mexico Water & Electric want all of those considering this opportunity to understand that the federal program does not apply to everyone. The current rebate offer applies only to "taxable income," which means many retired citizens and those living on fixed income will not qualify.

New Mexico Water & Electric also wants local consumers to recognize that without the installation of considerable back-up components most residential/small commercial solar energy systems will still be reliant upon connections to the local power grid, and therefore could be wholly ineffective if and when the power grid fails or is otherwise taken off-line.

In addition to this concern, New Mexico Water & Electric reminds potential customers how the installation of most residential systems will involve considerable roof-work and the drilling of possibly hundreds of holes into the roofing surface. This factor makes it critical to assure the installation process is not only professionally executed, but also raises questions about how non-local firms might respond, or not respond when eventual roofing repairs or replacement becomes necessary.

Average costs associated with the installation of residential solar energy systems presently hover at or above \$20,000+, leading many consumers to consider package deals and enticing financing options being forwarded by the increasing number of service providers. Assuring the viability of such deals and options, as well as securing connectors for followup repairs, maintenance assistance and other services are therefore vital, for customers to both justify and feel good about such an investment.

Having hands-on experience with the installation of all available types of solar arrays and integrated components, throughout Southern New Mexico, NMWE's contractors are eager to help area residents secure the most effective solution for every possible need or concern.

Whether you may be looking to supplement power for your home or business, or if you're looking to install a system to be completely independent of the power grid, New Mexico Water & Electric is fully qualified and prepared to help you realize your goals. In addition to quality installation and service capabilities, NMWE's staff stand ready to assist New Mexico residents in making the best decisions possible for their energy future.

Aside from solar energy concerns, New Mexico Water & Electric's licensed contractors are further prepared to assist customers with the development of water wells, water purification systems, as well as with all other types of electrical services.

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SUICIDE

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Trained psychologists and social workers sometimes have that same fear, she said, because they aren't sure how to proceed. "There's help available," she said.

If you discover that someone needs help, go with or take him or her to a mental health professional or a hospital emergency room, Short said, and/or help that person "work out a plan" to receive care.

Rao said she has escorted a number of students to the NMSU counseling center, and Short said she often has accompanied people to MMC's family clinic to get help.

Just helping someone to realize that he or she is not alone is a "major benefit," Short said. Many people with suicidal ideation are unable to discuss the issue with family or close friends. "They feel so alone," she said. And no matter your age or how long you've been dealing with an issue, "it's never too late," Short said.

"There's someone who truly cares," Rao said. "It's amazing what that can do," Short added.

Preventing suicide requires a community effort, both said, which includes families, educators, religious leaders and elected officials working together.

Adult Suicide Survivor Support Group

This is a free, peer-led group open to any adult survivor of suicide (including someone who has experienced the death by suicide of a friend or loved one).

It meets 4:30-6 p.m. the first and third Monday of every month at Mesilla Valley Hospice, 299 E. Montana Ave. The group is facilitated by the Southern New Mexico Suicide Prevention and Survivors' Support Coalition. Meetings are confidential and provide a safe place for a person to express his or her feelings about suicide.

Getting help in Las Cruces

- In an emergency, call 911
- Call 1-800-Suicide, which is also available in Spanish
- National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: talk: 1-800-273-TALK (8255), chat: www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org
- Visit endsuicide.net
- Watch "Suicide Prevention - Stand up and Break the Silence," a 30-second PSA at <http://endsuicide.net/suicide-prevention/> and <http://endsuicide.net/1-800-suicide-en-espanol/>

Warning signs of suicide

- The CDC lists 11 warning signs of suicide: feeling like a burden, being isolated, increased anxiety, feeling trapped or in un-

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County, state and national suicide rates

The New Mexico Department of Health (NMDOH) said Hidalgo County had the highest per-capita suicide rate in the state 2013-17 at 64.8 per 100,000, followed by Catron County at 56.2, Taos County at 36, Sierra County at 36.1, Quay County at 33.2 and Grant County at 32.4. The lowest was Harding County, which reported no suicides. Bernalillo County's suicide rate was 20.8 per 100,000, and Santa Fe County's was 23.7 and Doña Ana County's was 16. NMDOH said "20 New Mexico counties had age-adjusted suicide rates that were significantly higher than the 2016 U.S. rate."

New Mexico was fourth among all states in suicide rates per capita in 2017, according to the National Center for Health Statistics, averaging 23.3 per 100,000.

"Since 1995, New Mexico suicide rates have been consistently 1.5 times higher than national rates," according to NMDOH. "From 2006-16, suicide deaths increased in New Mexico by about 25 percent compared to a 23 percent increase in the U.S."

Suicide death rates in New Mexico are at least 50 percent higher than U.S. rates during the last 20 years, NMDOH said.

In 2017, suicide was the ninth leading cause of death in New Mexico, according to NMDOH, the second leading cause for persons aged 5-34 and the fourth leading cause of death for persons aged 35-44. Suicide accounted for 15,048 years of potential life lost, fourth after unintentional injuries, cancer and heart-disease deaths, NMDOH said.

In New Mexico, 56 percent of suicides were by firearm, 21 percent by suffocation and 18 percent by poisoning. Among unsuccessful suicide attempts, 75 percent were by poisoning, 16 percent were by cutting/


piercing and one percent was by firearms.

The highest per capita suicide rate by state was Montana, at 28, followed by Alaska at 27.9, and Wyoming at 26. New Mexico was fourth at 23.3, Idaho was fifth at 23.2 and Utah was sixth at 22.7. The states with the fewest suicides per capita were California at 10.5 per 100,000, Maryland at 9.8, Massachusetts at 9.5, New Jersey at 8.3 and New York at 8.1.

The national Centers for Disease Control reported that about 10.6 million people seriously considered suicide in 2018, 3.2 million people made a plan to commit suicide, 1.4 million attempted suicide and more than 48,000 died. Suicide is the 10th lead-

ing cause of death in the U.S; one person dies by suicide every 11 minutes. The national suicide average rose from 10.4 to 13.5 per 100,000 people from 2000 to 2016.

The World Health Organization lists the U.S. suicide rate at 13.7 per 100,000, which it says is the 34th highest in the world, among 183 countries listed. Guyana was the highest at 30.2 per 100,000, Lesotho second at 28.9, Russia third at 26.5, Lithuania fourth at 25.7 and Suriname fifth at 23.2. The bottom five were Jamaica at 2, Grenada at 1.7, the Bahamas at 1.6, Antigua/Barbuda at .5 and Barbados at .4. The U.S. had the fifth highest suicide rate among wealthy countries.



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The impact of arts in New Mexico

Alisha Porter was making clay pots as if her life depended on it.



RICHARD COLTHARP
From the Publisher

And it just may have. At the Friday, Feb. 28, opening of Devasthali Hall, New Mexico State University's brand-new art building and museum, Porter was one of many students in the building, working on art projects and talking with visitors.

The building is impressive, as was the number of students working who weren't necessarily art students. I met two young men in the photography department, one of whom was studying graphic design, the other studying chemical engineering.

I've long believed learning about art makes a person better at whatever endeavor they choose. It may also make them better at life.

While Porter, a student from Grants, was throwing pots in the ceramics room, she openly talked about some dark patches of life she went through just a few years ago.

Then she discovered pottery making. A couple of years later, her instructor told her, "Alisha, I believe you've put more work through this kiln than anyone."

Just as on the potter's wheel, she shapes and re-shapes the clay until it matches her vision, she also has re-shaped her own life.

Porter may never get rich selling her art. Or maybe she will.

Either way, she's doing it, and making the empty pots fills her soul.



PHOTO COURTESY ALISHA PORTER

NMSU student Alisha Porter of Grants finds joy and meaning in creating art.

The new art building is a wonder to behold, and a vast improvement in equipment and space from the facility it replaces, which was a concrete monolith that began life almost a hundred years ago as the Aggies' basketball gym.

No matter the medium, art has a home in the new building, with all the tools necessary for students to explore and build their creative visions.

In addition, the museum space is fantastic. I attended several shows in the old museum, and they were always good, but the visibility of the facility was sorely lacking. And being in that old gym did not lend itself to a warm, cozy feeling. The opposite is true now.

Where the old building was dark, dank and forbidding, the new one is light, airy and inviting.

Rama and Ammu Devasthali, for whom the building is named, were long involved in the fundraising for the building, and made a healthy contribution themselves, nearly \$2.8 million. That, along with 10 years of

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Boys will be boys

"Boys will be boys," reflected Jack, as he told me a story from his youth.

Seems when Jack was a teenager back in Ripley, Oklahoma, he and his teenage friend were

serious about becoming bull riders. They had helped fix up the local rodeo arena, and that gave them chute privileges.

One week they replaced a chute gate. They had made the replacement themselves out of oilfield pipe, painted it and hung it up.

As they were admiring their handiwork, Jack remarked it was too bad they couldn't buck a real bull out of there for the inaugural 'grand opening'!

His partner, Jack (also named Jack and hereinafter referred to as Jack Two), said, "Ya know, my dad just bought a brand new Charolais bull, I'll bet that sucker would buck!"

Jack One agreed that it would sure be better than practicin' on the buckin' barrel, and wasn't it a coincidence that Jack Two's dad was outta town for a couple days.

They took a quick trip to the ranch and soon had the big polled bull standing in chute number one. Jack Two set his rope



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and called for the bull. Jack One swung the new gate wide and Jack Two had a pretty good practice ride.

They ran the bull back around for another

ride, but he was not nearly as cooperative in the chute. Matter of fact, he rammed his head sideways between the pipes and lifted the heavy gate right off the hinges on which it hung.

Out across the arena he bucked with the ten-foot gate around his neck and layin' on his back. Jacks One and Two chased the irate bull and cornered him. The bull turned, spotted his tormentors, lowered his head to charge and flipped straight over on his nose!

It took several minutes of flopping around and pulling for the gate to come free. The bull was considerably agitated but just dazed enough so the two Jacks could load him back in the trailer and get him back home.

Next day Jack Two's dad returned home. He saddled up and rode out to check the cows with Jack Two's uncle. The bull charged the horses and chased them out

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N.M. voters watch others pick the nominees

Being a voter in New Mexico during the presidential primary election is a little bit like being a Cleveland Browns fan during the Super Bowl. It's interesting to watch, but it would be a lot more fun if we could participate.

By the time we vote in June, the process will have been four months old, and voters in 46 other states will have already weighed in. The election will probably be over and we'll just be a rubber stamp for the candidate who voters in other states have decided should be the nominee.

There is a possibility this year that a fractured Democratic race will mean the final decision will not have been made by the time we get to vote, but the field will certainly have been



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narrowed considerably. Candidates who we would have liked to have the chance to vote for will no longer be in the race

During this year's legislative session, Rep. Javier Martinez introduced a bill that would have moved us from last to first on the primary election calendar.

"Why can't we be the bellwether instead of Iowa?" Martinez asked, according to the Albuquerque Journal. He said New Mexico's status as a state where minorities make up more than 50 percent of the population could give minority candidates a boost early in the process.

The bill was not germane in a 30-day budget session, and never got a

hearing. But, the fact that we could have theoretically moved ourselves to the front of the line demonstrates a serious flaw in the process. Every state in the nation can make an argument as to why it should be first, and pass a law declaring that it be so.

It is state law in New Hampshire that their primary election be first every year (Iowa doesn't count, because it's a caucus). But it has long been apparent that the demographics of Iowa and New Hampshire are not at all reflective of the nation, and especially of that part of the nation who identify themselves as Democrats.

We've been told over the years that Iowa and New Hampshire deserve to be first because their voters care more about elections

and are more interested and informed than those in other states. Which is, of course, nonsense.

After the debacle this year in Iowa where the Democratic Party was unable to count the votes and declare a winner, it has become more obvious than ever that changes need to be made and the states can no longer be in control.

The election for president of the United States is a national race. I don't care if Iowa wants to use some archaic system from the days of its agrarian past to

choose local officials, but I do care when they screw up the election for president.

Both political parties need to take over the process of deciding how they choose their nominee to be president. If it were up to me, everyone would vote on the same day and whoever got the most votes nationwide would win. No superdelegates or breakdowns by congressional district.

But it's not up to me, and that's probably not going to happen.

And so, New Mexico should consider moving up its election, if not to first, then at least closer to the start.

That would mean either moving up the local primary elections as well, or adding the expense of an additional election.

But if we leave the primary in June, we are cutting ourselves out of the process of choosing who the next leader of our nation will be.

Walter Rubel can be reached at waltrubel@gmail.com

BAXTER

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of the pasture. After two days of this, Dad decided they better sell the bull before someone got hurt.

He explained to his son, Jack Two, that the bull must have got a hold of locoweed or maybe some kind of heavy-metal poisoning which made him crazy.

"Yeah," thought Jack Two, "heavy metal, alright."

Baxter Black is a cowboy poet, former large-animal veterinarian and entertainer of the agricultural masses. Learn more at www.baxterblack.com.

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Abel Covarrubias, CEO of Aprendamos, was named the Las Cruces Hispanic Chamber of Commerce's Citizen of the Year at its annual banquet Friday, Feb. 21. See more on page 21.

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More than 9,000 participants are expected to march through White Sands Missile Range during the 2020 Bataan Memorial Death March, scheduled for March 15. Registration is open through March 14. For more information or to register, visit www.BataanMarch.com.

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

Emergent group seeks to empower more local women

By JESS WILLIAMS
Las Cruces Bulletin

International Women's Day is Sunday, March 8, and a recently formed Las Cruces group – The Association – highlights the impact of women who run local businesses and nonprofits in our area.

Launched in January by local businesswomen Sumer Rose-Nolen and Marci Dickerson, The Association is being branded as “a professional development group for women.”

“Women are truly making an impact in our area and are showing no signs of slowing down,” Dickerson said. “In 2020, most of our nonprofits and professional associations are being led by women in elected and paid positions who will one day match the pay of their male counterparts.”

“I saw a gap in the area of professional development for women in Las Cruces,” said Rose-Nolen, owner of SRN Financial Services. “I am or have been a member of many

great organizations, groups, boards and events in our community, but there was nothing specific to women in helping them achieve their desired levels of success.”

The Association membership drafted a mission statement to clarify its objective: “To provide resources for professional women in their endeavors for career advancement [and] to bring those women together in order to assist them in being successful,

resourceful, challenged, powerful and balanced.”

The Association hosts monthly events and boasts a membership of more than 100 women, and it welcomes others to join. The group has already recognized 37 women for their accomplishments in and contributions to the local area. For more information about The Association, contact Dickerson at 575-644-0778 or marcidickerson@aol.com or find The Association on Facebook.

‘All of Us’ coming to Las Cruces

BULLETIN REPORT

New Mexico State University and the National Alliance for Hispanic Health (the Alliance) will host the National Institutes of Health’s “All of Us” Journey, a traveling, hands-on exhibit that raises awareness about the “All of Us” Research Program, which has been described as “an unprecedented effort to gather genetic, biological, environmental, health and lifestyle data from 1 million or more volunteer participants living in the United States.”

Las Cruces can visit the “All of Us” Journey Tuesday and Wednesday, March 10-11, from 10 a.m. to 4 pm, at NMSU’s Corbett Center.

The program’s goal is to accelerate research and improve health.

“We are bringing the ‘All of Us’ research program directly to people all across the country to continue our work to increase the inclusion of all communities in clinical and biomedical research. Through

the Journey traveling exhibit we will increase the participation of diverse communities in “All of Us” to help build the foundation for a new era of health care where medicine is tailored to each person,” said Dr. Jane L. Delgado, president and CEO of the National Alliance for Hispanic Health.

“All of Us” seeks to transform the relationship between researchers and participants, bringing them together as partners to inform the program’s directions, goals and responsible return of research information.

One of those partners is the National Alliance for Hispanic Health, whose Todos Juntos effort is partnering with organizations across

the country to provide information on “All of Us” and demonstrate the central role Hispanic communities must play to usher in the future of health.

“All of Us” aims to reflect the rich diversity of the U.S. to help ensure that each community is included in studies that lead to improved health for future generations. Participants will be able to access their own health information, summary data about the entire participant community and information about studies and findings that come from “All of Us.”

For more information about the program, visit JoinAllofUs.org/juntos or contact NMSU’s Athena Benoit, abenoit@nmsu.edu



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Upcoming veterans summit focuses on business start-ups

BULLETIN REPORT

Registration remains open through March 11 for the Military and Veteran Entrepreneur Summit in Las Cruces, which will be held 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Wednesday, March 18, at the Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Avenue.

A free learning opportunity presented by the U.S. Small Business Administration/New Mexico District Office and the New Mexico Veterans Business Outreach Center (VBOC), the summit is designed to be an event for en-

trepreneurial-minded, active-duty service members, military veterans, national guard/reserve members and their spouses. Rural-area service members and veterans are encouraged to attend.

Successful military veteran entrepreneurs will share their experience with starting and growing a small business after their military service. Attendees can attend breakout sessions on access to capital—including capital especially for veterans, lucrative government contracting and how to tap into resources,

especially for rural-area small businesses.

In addition, former Navy SEAL Eli Crane will share his experience of starting Bottle Breacher — a \$5 million company making custom .50-caliber “bottle openers” which began out of the one-car garage in his Navy housing complex in San Diego, where he and his wife were raising their two children.

Crane recently formed a partnership on the popular TV show Shark Tank featuring Mark Cuban, the billionaire owner of the NBA’s San Antonio Spurs. Crane now has seven patents and employs 45 people — all of whom are fellow veterans.

Though the summit is free, pre-registration is required and must be done online by March 11 at www.sbamilitary-summit.eventbrite.com. For additional information, contact Rico Zanotti at merico.zanotti@sba.gov.

The New Mexico VBOC was created



BULLETIN PHOTO BY RICHARD COLTHARP

Las Cruces Public Schools Board of Education member Teresa Tenorio talks at a Community Stakeholder Meeting for the Workforce Innovations and Opportunity Act Plan. The meeting was Feb. 27 at the Las Cruces Convention Center, and sought feedback from the community about the state’s plan to vitalize workforce efforts.

by the New Mexico Department of Veterans Services to help entrepreneurial-minded veterans, transitioning active duty personnel and their spouses with their business-development needs. It is funded by a grant from the U.S. Small Business Administration and was the first state-managed center in the nation created specifically to help

veterans.

New Mexico’s VBOC can help with everything from business planning, start-up and expansion funding, marketing and anything else a small business needs to launch and grow. Though based in Albuquerque, the VBOC serves veterans throughout the southwest region of the state. For more information,

contact VBOC Director Rich Coffel at 505-383-2401 or richardL.coffel@state.nm.us.

VBOC Veterans Business Advisor James Cassidy can provide assistance in southern and southeastern New Mexico from the VBOC field office in Roswell. He can be contacted at jamesm.cassidy@state.nm.us or 575-624-6002.

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Republican Gallus enters Dist. 37 race

Las Cruces resident Dave Gallus has entered the race for state senator in District 37. His campaign announcement is as follows:

"I am a proud U.S. citizen, a seven-year resident of Las Cruces and a 25-year veteran of the Philadelphia Police Department. I have observed how the great majority of our elected officials do not represent the will of the people they serve. If those in office followed our U.S. and state constitutions, there would be little to argue about.

"The four main subjects I am focusing on are education, jobs, family and security.

"Education has two parts: 1) the education of eligible voters, who must first be registered and then knowledgeable as to the candidates' positions and track record before making an informed decision; and 2) our vulnerable youth. The man I am running against has been vice chairman and now chairman of the NM Senate Education Committee for 7.5 years. New Mexico is ranked worst in our nation when it comes to pre-K through 12th grade. That is not a track record I would be proud of.

"I will promote legislation for school choice, where the parents, and



Dave Gallus

not government, decide where our children go to school and what they learn. With the proper education and critical planning advice from competent educators and community leaders, the students will be better able to decide their future careers. And with the proper business-friendly environment in

Doña Ana County and New Mexico, career opportunities will be local, families will stay connected and our tax base will grow.

Having been a policeman, I understand the need for following the law. Without it, we lose our freedom and security.

"I am a constitutional Christian, conservative and common-sense Republican.

Gallus can be reached at 856-952-7343.

Campaign announcements

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By JESS WILLIAMS

Las Cruces Bulletin

Second Chance Wildlife Rescue: Two sessions. 10:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m., Saturday, March 7, Wild Birds Unlimited Education Center, 2001 E. Lohman Ave., Suite 130. Presentation by SCWR founder Josi Karam. Limited seating. RSVPs and info: 575-523-5489 or wbulcnature@gmail.com.

AAUW Girls Can! Conference: 8 a.m. to noon, Saturday, March 7, DACC East Campus, 2800 Sonoma Ranch Blvd., Hands-on career exploration sessions facilitated by professional women. Open to sixth-grade girls. Concurrent parent workshops. \$5 registration. Walk-ins allowed. Info: lascruces-nm.aauw.net.

Museum of Nature & Science: Saturday, March 7, 411 N. Main St. Free. Family-oriented. Info: 575-522-3120.

• **Dr. Seuss Day:** 10 a.m. to noon. Activities based on Dr. Seuss characters and books.

• **The science of earthquakes:** Noon to 1 p.m. Presentation and workshop.

Baha'i of Las Cruces: 3:30 p.m., Sunday, March 8, Baha'i Center, 525 E. Lohman. "Equality Between Women and Men." Deb and Darrell Rogers moderating. Info: 575-528-8912.

Republican Party of Doña Ana County: 6 p.m. Monday, March 9, La Posta de Mesilla Fiesta Room,

2410 Calle de San Albino. Monthly meeting. Info: 575-523-8683.

2020 Census meeting: 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 10, Temple Beth-El, 3980 Sonoma Springs Ave. Presentation on Census importance, featuring guest speakers. Informational forms provided. Free. Info: tbelcocialaction@gmail.com.

Las Cruces Academy open house: 8-10 a.m. and 5:30-6:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 10, 1755 Avenida de Mercado. Meet with administrators and teachers. Tour facility. Info: 575-521-9384 or lascrucesacademy.org.

Doña Ana County Archaeological Society: 7

p.m. Tuesday, March 10, Good Samaritan Auditorium, 3011 Buena Vida Circle. Paul Bosselait will present "Skara Brae: A Neolithic Settlement in Orkney, Scotland." Free. Info: 575-524-9497.

New Mexico Public Regulation Commission: 9:30 a.m., Wednesday, March 11, Doña Ana County Government Center, 845 N. Motel Blvd. Open meeting. Agenda includes items relating to Doña Ana County and southern New Mexico. Free. Info: nmprc.state.nm.us.

Doña Ana County Genealogical Society: 2 p.m., Wednesday, March 11, Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, Roadrunner Room, 200 E. Picacho

Ave. Frankie Lerner presentation, with games and prizes. Free. Info: kburke@nmsu.edu.

Native Plant Society: 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 11, NMSU Herbarium, near intersection of Stewart and Williams streets. Dr. Richard Spellenberg presents, "Knowing daisies, sunflowers, asters and their kin in New Mexico." Book signing and selling after. Info: 575-523-8413.

History of Camp Cody: 1 p.m. Thursday, March 12, Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Presentation by historian Jim Eckles. Free. Info: 575-541-2219.

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• The CDC lists five

steps to help someone at risk: ask, keep them safe, be there, help them connect and follow up. For more information, visit www.BeThe1To.com.

• "Mental disorders, particularly clinical depression, increase the risk for both attempted suicide and suicide," according to NMDOH. "Other risk factors include a previous suicide attempt, alcohol and substance abuse, a family history of suicide,

a history of child maltreatment, feelings of hopelessness, isolation, barriers to mental health treatment, loss of relationships, social connections, work and finances, physical illness and easy access to lethal methods, such as firearms."

More information

• www.cdc.gov/vital-signs/suicide/index.html and scroll down to "Issue Details"


• <https://nmhealth.org/> and enter suicide in the search line

• https://ibis.health.state.nm.us/indicator/complete_profile/suicdeath.html

• <https://nmhealth.org/publication/view/help/1832/>

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Lucha Libre: Stories From The Ring

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MARCH 1

Sister Cities Concert

NMSU Atkinson Recital Hall. 3pm. Free. 575-521-8771

MARCH 2 - 15

Exhibit: Meet the Producer: Hyer Wool

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MARCH 4 - 8

Las Cruces International Film Festival

Various Theatres. lascrucesfilmfest.com

MARCH 4

The Glenn Miller Orchestra

Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St.
7pm. \$30. riograndetheatre.org. 575-541-2290

Get ArtRageous!

DAAC/Arts & Cultural Center. 2-4pm. \$35. 575-523-6403

MARCH 5

Dino Nights - Frolicking Foliage:

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Museum of Art. 5:30-7:30pm. Free. 575-541-2137

MARCH 5 - 8

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MARCH 6 - 22

Live Theatre: Bosoms and Neglect

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MARCH 6

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MARCH 7

Dr. Seuss Day

Museum of Nature & Science. 10am-12pm. Free

Field Trip to Organ Mountains-Desert

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MARCH 7 - 8

Annual Cowboy Days

NM Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum. 4pm. \$10. frhm.org

MARCH 7 - 21

Exhibit: New Eyes on New Mexico

Branigan Cultural Center. 10am-4:30pm. Free. 575-541-2154

MARCH 10

Las Cruces Civic Concert -

Jeannine Goeckeritz

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Brown Bag Lecture

LC Railroad Museum. 12-1pm. Free. 575-528-3444

MARCH 11

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MARCH 13

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Live Theatre: Alice in Wonderland

Rio Grande Theatre. 7-9pm. \$8. 575-541-2290

MARCH 14

Exhibit: Arts Hop Gallery - Animal, Animal

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Live Theatre: Alice in Wonderland

Rio Grande Theatre. 1-3pm. \$8. 575-541-2290

MARCH 14 - 15

Mesilla Valley Stamp Club -

Postage Show

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MARCH 15

Annual Bataan Memorial Death March

White Sands Missile Range on Highway 70 E.
6am. Register online: bataanmarch.com

MARCH 18

Rail Reader's Book Club

LC Railroad Museum. 11am-12pm. Free. 575-524-3888

MARCH 19

Dino Nights - Down to the Bone:

Skeletal Structures

Museum of Art. 5:30-7:30pm. Free. 575-541-2137

Mrs. Prickett's Story Time

LC Railroad Museum. 11-11:30am. Free. 575-528-3444

MARCH 19 - 21

Three-Day Pop Up Opening Reception

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MARCH 20 - APRIL 5

Live Theatre: HARVEY

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MARCH 20 - 22

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MARCH 20

Live Theatre: Alice in Wonderland

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MARCH 21

Live Theatre: Alice in Wonderland

Rio Grande Theatre. 1-3pm. \$8. 575-541-2290

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MARCH 24

Taco Tuesday

Downtown Plaza de Las Cruces. 5-9pm. 575-888-7720

MARCH 25

Get ArtRageous!

DAAC/Arts & Cultural Center. 5:30-7:30pm
\$35. 575-523-6403

MARCH 27

Amazing Women of the West

Rio Grande Theatre. 7-9pm. Free. 575-541-2290

Promoting Art in the Mesilla Valley

DAAC/Arts & Cultural Center. 12pm-1pm. Free. 575-523-6403

MARCH 28

Children's Matinee: Hotel Transylvania

Rio Grande Theatre. 12-2pm. \$1 (cash only). 575-541-2290

2020 Classic Film Series:

A Street Car Named Desire

Rio Grande Theatre. 7-9pm. \$5. 575-541-2290

MARCH 29

Bon Appetit!

Rio Grande Theatre. 2:30pm. \$25. riograndetheatre.org

MARCH 30

Las Cruces Space Festival Movie: We Choose To Go To The Moon Premiere

Rio Grande Theatre. 7-8:30pm. Free. lcspacefestival.com

Las Cruces Space Festival:

Missions at Challenger Learning Center

Challenger Learning Center. 6-8pm
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MARCH 30 - APRIL 4

Las Cruces Space Festival:

Making Space for Everyone

Various locations. lcspacefestival.com

Las Cruces Space Festival:

Dawn of Discovery

Bank of the West. Free. lcspacefestival.com

MARCH 31

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Schools cash in on card program



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As it has done every year since 2014, Citizens Bank of Las Cruces donated money from its customized high-school debit cards back to the schools the cards represent. Las Cruces Public Schools hauled in the lion's share with \$25,702, with an additional \$5,436 going to Hot Springs High School in Truth or Consequences. Pictured at the check ceremony last week are, back row, from left, Alyssa Wright, Teresa Tenorio, Karen Trujillo, Terrie Dallman and Ray Jaramillo. Front row, from left, Maria Flores, Carol Cooper, Ruth Christopher, Rhena Phillips, Jed Fanning and Travis Tarry. Christopher, Phillips, Fanning and Tarry are Citizens Bank employees, while the others represent LCPS. Since 2014, Citizens Bank has distributed more than \$109,000 to area schools through its debit-card program.



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Workshop to focus on soil issues

By **CASSIE MCCLURE**
and **SUZANNE MICHAELS**

For the Bulletin

It's a dark morning, with rain in the distance. Retired soil science professor William Lindemann, Ph.D., is stopping by New Mexico State University's Fabian Garcia Research Center, a garden area similar to what many residents might find in their yards.

Lindemann said, that in Las Cruces, knowing what type of soil is important when it comes to planting.

"Some areas have low nutrients that you have to amend with organic matter, and some areas drain excessively, so even if you water your plants and haven't accounted for the drainage or say drip-irrigation system, it won't be healthy for your plants or for water conservation," Lindemann said. "Productive planting and harvesting come from knowing your soil before you plant and before you water."

To learn more about what soil you might be working with – and how to make it better – Lindemann will be speaking Thursday, March 12, at Thomas Branigan Memorial Library as part of the Las Cruces Utilities (LCU) Lush and Lean workshop series.

"When you stack soil in a pile for years at a time, it loses the microorganisms that help plants establish themselves during reclamation," he said. "When the stored topsoil is seeded, the plants have a difficult time in establishment. Instead, it is better to store soil spread out and irrigated, so that



Dr. William Lindemann examines soil at the New Mexico State University Fabian Garcia Research Center.

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the microbes can stay alive."

All Lush and Lean Workshops are free and open to the public. They are held Thursday evenings at Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave., in the Roadrunner Room from 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. See the complete list of speakers and

Lush and Lean dates at <http://www.las-cruces.org/1288/Lush-Lean-Workshops>.

You can reach Las Cruces Utilities at 575-528-3500 from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Las Cruces Utilities provides services to approximately 100,000 Las Cruces residents and businesses.

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Wellness Tips: Help a Loved One Live A Healthful Life

We typically wish for those we love to live their best, most healthful lives. That's why it can be both frustrating and worrisome when a loved one slips onto a more sedentary lifestyle track – one that could be harmful to their long-term well-being.

You want to help them recommit to exercise and fitness, but you're not sure exactly how to do it both lovingly and effectively.

It begins with simply starting a conversation. We all want our loved ones to be around forever, so from the start, they should know you're coming from a good place. And, while health and exercise may be difficult topics to breach, the long-term benefits are worth the uncomfortable conversation.

Such outward benefits, of course, include more energy, increased productivity, a more positive attitude and a better sense of well-being. Over the long term, regular exercise improves heart health, lowers blood pressure, helps manage weight, and reduces the risk of numerous ailments and diseases.

Let your loved-ones know that you care about their long-term health and well-being, and that you're there to support them any way you can. Such support can come in several ways. I suggest that you try the following:

Set an Example: Your concern will certainly carry more weight if you regularly exercise yourself. But beyond that, resolve to also set a new wellness goal or try a new activity. People are more likely to be active and try something new when someone close to them is doing the same.

Do Activities Together: The buddy system works. Exercising and being active together will help you both be more motivated, more willing to try new things, and develop more consistency.

Make It a Routine: Speaking of consistency, this should be part of any new effort to be more active. Creating a routine is one of the best ways to establish accountability with one another (i.e., a little positive peer pressure) and help ensure the effort is long-lasting.

Give Healthful Gifts: This can be touchy. However, if you're both truly on board with helping one another be more active, gifts like a yoga mat, a fitness tracker, a piece of exercise equipment, or a gift certificate to try a new class or activity should be appropriate.

Just Be Supportive: Re-establishing new routines and habits is difficult, especially if your partner's been in a rut for a long period of time. Simply offering support, encouragement, a kind word, a listening ear, or a compliment can go a long ways.

Also, if you discover pain or physical limitations are keeping your loved one from exercising or living a more active life, have him or her see a physical therapist. Following an initial assessment, a physical therapist can uncover the cause of the limitation, then establish a personalized program for treating and/or overcoming the issue in order to help them reach their goals.

As always, we're here to help! We work with people every day who have pain and difficulty with movement. If you're uncertain if we can help, I'm happy to do a free, no-obligation Discovery Visit with you. Call us at 575-323-8131 and we'll work with you to help get you on track!



*Dennis Prickett
Physical Therapist
and co-owner of
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2020 Legislature wraps up. What happened?

By **WALTER RUBEL**

For the Bulletin

The 2020 session of the New Mexico Legislature adjourned at noon on Friday, Feb. 21.

The Legislature alternates between 60-day and 30-day sessions. This year was a 30-day session, which is intended to focus primarily on the state budget. All bills not directly tied to the budget



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have to be approved by the governor to be heard. Bills without approval are found to be not germane and will have to wait until next year's 60-day session.

Here's a look at how our lawmakers voted on the major bills under consideration this year and at the bills they sponsored.

The budget, House Bill 2, is always the main reason for the 30-day session. All the other bills can fail, but if they don't pass HB2, it means nobody gets to go home at noon.

With Democrats in control of the House and Senate, you might think that's a fairly harmonious process. It isn't. The bill starts in the House and ends in the Senate, giving senators the belief that they have the final say. And that doesn't always go over well in the House.

This year's bill was finalized in the pre-dawn

hours the day before the session came to a close. It provides for \$7.6 billion in spending, an eight percent increase from the current fiscal year.

Spending on public schools has been increased by seven percent, and now totals \$3.5 billion. The budget also includes a four percent increase for most teachers, school staff and state government workers.

House Bill 2 passed 46-24 in the House and 35-7 in the Senate.

Marijuana legalization was perhaps the most discussed issue heading into the session. Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham had formed a task force to gather public input from around the state and put together recommendations for a bill. She then took the lead in advocating for passage of the bill.

Doña Ana County Sheriff Kim Stewart was a member of that task force, but she didn't agree with its final conclusions. Stewart went public with her concerns



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the session started. Sen. Joseph Cervantes had many of the same concerns. And, as the newly installed chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, his

opposition to the bill proved fatal. Cervantes and fellow Democrat Richard Martinez joined with Republicans in tabling the bill.

Cervantes had a number of specific concerns about the details of the bill. It's not clear whether, if those details were resolved to his liking, he would then support legalization.

What is clear is that Lujan Grisham is not giving up, and another bill like this one will be back in front of the Judiciary Committee next year.

Perhaps the most controversial bill of the session was the so-called red-flag gun law, which gives judges authority to issue emergency orders to temporarily remove firearms from those deemed to be a threat to themselves or others.

The bill drew passionate protests from gun-rights advocates and from county sheriffs who said they would refuse to enforce it if passed, just as they have refused to enforce a background-check bill passed last year.

The bill was amended to remove an initial provision that would have allowed family members to petition for an emergency order. Now, only law enforcement can petition the court. Supporters say that change will mean emergency

orders will never be issued in areas of the state where sheriffs oppose the process.

Cervantes and the governor were on the same side this time. He was a cosponsor of the bill, and he helped lead the effort to get it passed.

Senate Bill 5 passed 22-20 in the Senate and 39-31 in the House. Senators Cervantes, Mary Kay Papen, Bill Soules, and Jeff Steinborn all voted yes. Sen. John Arthur Smith voted no. Representatives Micaela Lara Cadena, Joanne Ferrary, Doreen Gallegos, Angelica Rubio and Nathan Small voted yes. Representatives Rebecca Dow, Willie Madrid and Rudy Martinez voted no. All but Dow are Democrats.

The governor's plan to offer opportunity scholarships to college students throughout the state looked like it was dead halfway through the session. The bills died, but the effort was revived in the appropriations act, but with major changes and without complete funding.

The budget includes \$17 million for the scholarships, but they will only be available to community college students next year. The Legislature did boost funding for the existing lottery scholarships by \$10 million.

House and Senate bills approving the opportunity scholarships both died in committee and never made it to a floor vote.

A bill to boost funding

for early childhood education sailed through early in the session and has already been signed by the governor.

The bill will take \$320 million from the general fund to start a new trust fund for early-childhood programs. Annual distributions from



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the fund would be made to the state's new Early Childhood Education and Care Department for programs throughout the state. In addition to the money appropriated this year to start the fund, it will also take in revenue from federal mineral leases in years when money coming in is above the five-year average. It was sponsored by Rep. Gallegos.

A bill to address an estimated \$6.6 billion in unfunded liabilities in the state's retirement fund was passed, increasing the annual contributions from both workers and the state; and limiting cost-of-living increases. The bill was supported by Lujan Grisham, but opposed by retirees.

Senate Bill 72 passed 25-15 in the Senate and 40-28 in the House. Senators Cervantes, Soules, Smith and Steinborn voted yes, Sen. Papen voted no. All local representatives voted yes except for Dow and Madrid. Madrid voted no; Dow was absent.

A bill that would have

eliminated state taxes on Social Security benefits was tabled in the House Taxation and Revenue Committee.

The fiscal impact report on the bill estimated that it would have resulted in a loss of income of \$89 million the first year, increasing to \$115 million by the fourth year. Both Republicans and Democrats on the House committee said there would need to be some way to replace the lost revenue before they could support the bill.

New Mexico is one of just 13 states that tax Social Security benefits.

A bill that would have reduced the responsibilities of the state's massive Public Regulation Commission narrowly passed the House on a 36-34 vote but was tabled in the Senate Corporations and Transportation Committee.

The PRC has wide-sweeping authority over not only phone and electrical utilities but also buses, pipelines, tow trucks, limo services and insurance.

The bill would have moved five divisions in the PRC to a new agency called the Office of Public Regulatory Affairs, which would be a part of the state Regulation and Licensing Department.



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ment. Divisions that would have been transferred were the legal division, utility division, transportation division, administrative services and consumer relations. Rep. Nathan Small, a co-sponsor of the bill, said it would have helped address staffing issues at the PRC and improve efficiency.

PRC acting chief of staff Jason Montoya and commissioners Valerie Espinoza and Theresa Becenti Aguilar opposed the bill. Espinoza said the way to address their staffing problem is to raise salaries, not strip divisions from the PRC.

House Bill 11 passed 36-34 in the House. All local representatives voted yes except Dow and Madrid, who both voted no.

Local legislators were sponsors of several key bills this year. Here's a look at the bills they introduced, and how they fared. As is always the case with a 30-day session, many bills were found to be not germane to the budget, and so therefore never got a hearing.

Papen, who serves as president pro tem, was the sponsor or co-sponsor of 14 bills and five memorials. Two of those bills passed.

Senate Bill 1, the Wholesale Prescription Drug Importation Act, would call for the state to set up a new program for wholesalers to import prescription drugs from Canada or other countries allowed by federal law to export drugs into the United

States, for resale to New Mexico consumers at a lower cost. The bill passed 35-0 in the Senate and 68-0 in the House.

Senate Bill 128 makes changes to the assisted outpatient treatment plans ordered by the district court. The bill would expand the definition to include comprehensive community support services and intensive outpatient program services ordered by the court. The bill passed 35-1 in the Senate and 68-0 in the House.

Cervantes was the sponsor or co-sponsor of five bills, one joint resolution, one joint memorial and four memorials. Three of those bills passed, including the red-flag gun law.

Senate Bill 19 authorizes funding for 36 projects through the Water Project Fund. It passed unanimously in the



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House and Senate. Senate Bill 64 will improve government transparency by requiring public inspection of all settlement agreements against a government entity or public employee after the issuance of a final judgment or settlement agreement signed by all parties. It passed unanimously in both the House and Senate.

Soules, who is chairman of the Education Committee, was the sponsor or co-sponsor of 14 bills. None of them passed.

Steinborn was the sponsor or cosponsor



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of three bills, one joint resolution, one memorial and one resolution. None of the bills passed.

In the House, Gallegos, who is the majority whip, sponsored or cosponsored four bills and one memorial. The early-childhood funding bill was the only one that passed.

Cadena sponsored or co-sponsored five bills and three memorials. Two bills passed.

House Bill 100 would increase the authority of the New Mexico Health Insurance Exchange to determine which plans are sold through the exchange, and how they are sold. The bill passed 44-23 in the House and 28-14 in the Senate. Rep. Dow was the only local legislator to vote no.

House Bill 292 caps the out-of-pocket cost for insulin for insured diabetic patients at \$25 a month, and requires the superintendent of insurance to form an advisory group to study ways to make prescription drugs more available. The cap was originally \$50, but was lowered to \$25 in a House floor amendment. The bill passed 61-2 in the House and 40-1 in the Senate.

Dow sponsored or cosponsored 28 bills, one joint memorial and three memorials. None of the bills passed.

Ferrary sponsored or co-sponsored 18 bills and four memorials. None of those bills passed, or made it out of

the House.

Madrid was the sponsor or co-sponsored of five bills and two memorials. Two of those bills passed.

House Bill 10 appropriates funds to eliminate copayments for students in the public schools meals program. Currently, students who are eligible for reduced-price meals have a copayment of 30 cents for breakfast and 40 cents for lunch. This bill eliminates those copayments. The bill passed unanimously in both the House and the Senate.

House Bill 62 creates a new fund for beginning teacher mentorship programs. The bill distributes up to \$2,000 a year per beginning teacher for mentorship programs. According to the Public Education Department, about 10 percent of teachers in New Mexico are first-year teachers. This bill also passed unanimously in



RUBIO

both the House and Senate. Martinez sponsored or co-sponsored 18 bills and four memorials. None of those bills passed.

Rubio sponsored or cosponsored four bills and three memorials. One of those bills passed.

House Bill 304 transfers funding and authority for a new state program designed to help more people enjoy the state's many outdoor activities from the Youth Conservation Corps Commission to

the Outdoor Recreation Division of the state's Economic Development Department. It also allows for the hiring of a program manager for the Outdoor Equity Grant Fund. The bill passed unanimously in both the House and Senate.

Small sponsored or cosponsored 11 bills and two memorials, including the PRC bill discussed above. Four of those bills passed.

House Bill 50 amends both the Industrial Revenue Bond Act and the County Industrial Revenue Bond Act to include electric transmission facilities as eligible projects. The bill passed 48-21 in the House and unanimously in the Senate.

House Bill 233 directs the Energy, Mineral and Natural Resources Department to develop a strategic plan for energy grid modernization and establish a competitive grant program to support modernization projects. It also allows investor-owned utilities to apply to the Public Regulation Commission for approval of grid modernization projects, with costs recovered through increases in the base rates paid by consumers. The bill passed 61-1 in the House and unanimously in the Senate.

House Bill 312 creates a new environmental health fund with fees collected from four programs in the state's



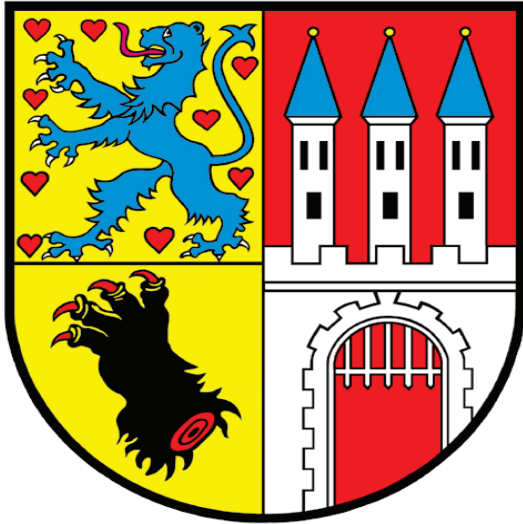
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Environmental Health Bureau: liquid waste, public water recreation facilities, food service sanitation and hemp manufacturing. Fees collected from these programs now go into three separate funds and can only be used to administer the programs from which the fees are collected. This would consolidate the funds and remove restrictions on their use. The bill passed unanimously in both the House and the Senate.

House Bill 386 moves the State Fire Marshal Division from the PRC to the Homeland Security and Emergency Management Department. It also makes the state fire marshal an at-will position appointed by the Homeland Security secretary. And it creates the new Fire Chiefs Association, with representatives from agencies and departments throughout the state. The bill passed 61-1 in the House and 31-9 in the Senate. Cervantes cast one of the no votes in the Senate.

Grisham has until March 11 to sign or veto all legislation passed this year. Any bills not signed by that date will have been pocket vetoed, meaning they will not become law.

In addition to writing for The Bulletin, Walter Rubel is host of Eye on Government, which airs from 8 to 9 a.m. each Friday at KTAL-LP 101.5 FM community radio. Voting records and an analysis of each bill can be found on the Legislature's website at nmlegis.gov.



Artists sought to participate in August Pleinair in Germany

BULLETIN REPORT

Las Cruces' German Sister City, Nienburg, is sponsoring a Pleinair in August 2020 and is inviting each of its sister cities, including Las Cruces, to nominate two artists to participate.

The deadline for artists to apply is Tuesday, March 10. Applications should be submitted to Greg Smith, executive director of the Doña Ana Arts Council (DAAC), re: International Nienburg Pleinair 2020, at director@daarts.org.

Nienburg will host the artists, providing lodging (in a youth hostel), meals, art supplies and an art studio in which to work, Smith said. The artists must pay their own transportation to and from Nienburg. Las Cruces Sister Cities will not provide any funds for the artists, but is working with DAAC to coordinate the project and select the two artists from among the applicant pool.

The International Nienburg Pleinair in Nienburg is Aug. 18-29,

with a total of 12 artists participating from the Nienburg region and its four sister cities. The event gives artists the opportunity to spend a week visiting various picturesque locations in the city.

Each participating artist is obligated to gift one piece of art created during their visit to Nienburg as documentation of the international art exchange. The work of each artist will become part of a community art exhibition titled "Nienburg ANDERS SEHEN (A Different View of Nienburg) – International Nienburg Pleinair 2020."

Artists applying for the two Las Cruces spots should include in their applications: name, address, email address, phone number and date of birth, as well as three to five works of art (jpg, png) with a short explanation of each submitted work, re: intention, technique, size and date; a short biography with picture of the artist; a cover letter and the artist's website, if available.

Dreyfuss remembers Mark Medoff



BULLETIN PHOTO BY ELVA K. ÖSTERREICH

Star of stage and screen Richard Dreyfuss and Stephanie Medoff, second from left in front row, share fond memories of her late husband, playwright Mark Medoff, during a talk as Dreyfuss speaks to students at the New Mexico State University Creative Media Institute Theater on Tuesday, March 3. Dreyfuss is in town for the Las Cruces Film Festival in progress this week. www.lascrucesfilmfest.com.

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American Legion fundraiser: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Friday, March 13, Joe Quesenberry American Legion Hall, 1185 E. Madrid Ave. \$7 per person. Info: 575-649-6971.

Kiwanis Club Lenten fish fry: 4-7 p.m., Friday, March 13, Good Samaritan Village Social Center, 3011 Buena Vida Circle. \$10 per person. Tickets and info: kiwanis-lascruces.org.

La Mancha Wetland cleanup: 8 a.m. to noon, Saturday, March 14. From Picacho Avenue or Calle del Norte, take Fairacres Road to Aries Ave. Go south under I-10 to the end of Aries. Bring water, gloves, sun protection, work clothes/

shoes, yard tools. Registration and info: 575-522-5552 or emma@wildmesquite.org.

National Active and Retired Federal Employees: 8:30 a.m., Saturday, March 14, Hilton Garden Inn, Esperanza Room, 2550 Don Roser Dr. Presentation by Margaret Neill on programs offered at Thomas Branigan Memorial Library. Reservations required by March 10. Cash breakfast buffet. Reservations and info: 575-382-7686.

Spring book sale: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, March 14, Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Books start at 50 cents each. Sponsored by Friends of the Branigan Library. Info: bonpolo@comcast.net.

Sierra Vista Trail field trip: 9 a.m. Sunday, March 15, gather for carpooling at First National 1870, 2535 S. Telshor Blvd. Liability waiver required. Children must be accompanied by adults. Bring water, food, walking shoes and hat. Three-mile hike. Info: 575-523-8413.

Las Cruces AARP meeting: 2 p.m., Wednesday, March 18, Senior Amigos, 3948 E. Lohman Ave. Presentation on senior advocacy by FBI representative Roberta Lujan. Free. Info: dlynchio@hotmail.com.

Nature photography workshop: 10 a.m., Saturday, March 21, Branigan Cultural Center, 501 N. Main St. Preregister by March 18. Limited seating. Free. Info: 575-541-2219.

National Healthcare Deci-

sions Day: 1-3 p.m. Thursday, April 16, Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Picacho Ave. Compassion & Choices Action Team Las Cruces presentation about end-of-life wishes and healthcare advocacy.

Free flu shots: The New Mexico Department of Health's Las Cruces Public Health Office, 1170 N. Solano Dr., offers walk-in flu vaccines from 8:15-11 a.m. and 1-4 p.m., each Monday through Friday until the end of the flu season. Free for children and uninsured adults, while supplies last. Info: 575-528-5001.

Skills for dementia caregiving: 2-4 p.m. each Tuesday, March 3-April 7, Crossroads In Home Care, 189 Howard Pl. Free. Info: 575-647-3868.

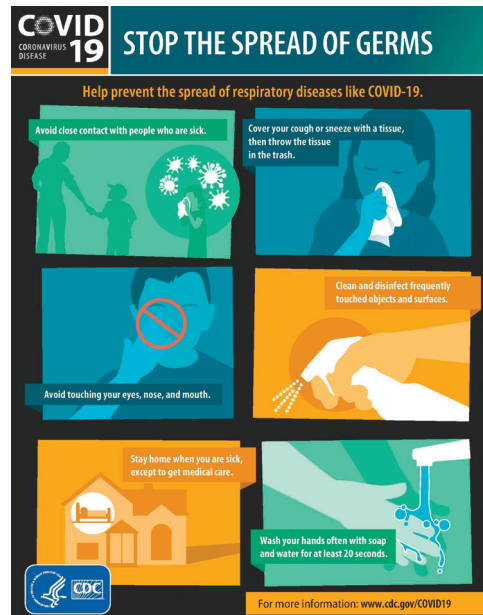
Coronavirus: Multiple entities to monitor, respond to outbreak

By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

“The risk of acquiring COVID-19 (coronavirus) here in Las Cruces is currently low,” said Burrell College of Osteopathic Medicine (BCOM) assistant professor of physiology and pathology Michael Woods, PhD., who is director of BCOM’s BioSciences Research Laboratory. “Yet, the current situation reminds us of the need to remain vigilant in preventing the spread of respiratory illness, such as influenza, which is currently widespread in New Mexico.”

The City of Las Cruces, Doña Ana County, New Mexico State University and Las Cruces Public Schools, among other institutions and agencies, are being vigilant in their approach to the coronavirus.

“The City of Las Cruces takes seriously the health and well-being of our residents, visitors, and staff,” said city Quality of Life Director Lynn Gallagher, Ph.D. “There are no confirmed or suspected cases of COVID-9 in our community.



As with any public health situation, we will take all appropriate steps necessary to ensure the safety and health of our community. We do this with accurate and timely information and through coordination with the New Mexico Department of Health (NMDOH), and through federal and county partners who are tasked with leading efforts.

“We further remind every-

one to wash their hands frequently, stay home when sick, and report any activity with the affected region or a person suspected of being ill with the appropriate authorities,” Gallagher said.

Doña Ana County Department of Health Director Jamie Michael said the county is disseminating information from NMDOH to residents and staff about the virus.

“NMDOH has the resources and responsibility to coordinate statewide, and it is important to be consistent with their information,”

Michael said. “The county is utilizing our outreach and promotion staff, as well as the community resource centers, to support the dissemination of information across the county.”

Coincidentally, just two weeks ago, an NMSU College of Health and Social Services Public Health Services Department undergraduate class “discussed the strategy of health risk com-

munications in a crisis using a case study,” said department head and professor Satya Rao, Ph.D.

Like the county, Rao said her department is relying on NMDOH for guidance and for information to provide to colleagues, staff and students.

“One of the most effective ways to prevent the spread of respiratory illnesses is frequent handwashing with soap and water for 20 seconds,” said BCOM’s Woods. “Alcohol-based hand sanitizers containing at least 60 percent ethanol are a suitable substitute. If you have a fever, stay home from school or work and reach out to your primary-care physician. Anyone considering travel to an affected region in the coming weeks, such as Italy or China, should refer to the CDC’s guidance for travelers.

“There is a lot we do not yet know about SARS-CoV-2, which makes it difficult to predict the course of the COVID-19 outbreak,” Woods said. “The appearance of community-acquired infection in places like Washington and California indicates that there are individu-

als carrying the virus who have not yet been identified. As the screening capacity increases, we will get a better handle on the true burden of disease here in the U.S. Furthermore, we do not yet know whether the change in seasons will be associated with a decrease in transmission potential, like we see with seasonal influenza.

“For most people,” Woods said, “COVID-19 is a relatively mild disease, and some people may even be asymptomatic, meaning that despite being infected, they may not ever feel ill. Based on data from the Chinese Center for Disease Control and Prevention, those who are most at risk for severe complications are those aged 70 years and older, or those with underlying health conditions, such as cardiovascular disease, diabetes, chronic respiratory disease, hypertension or cancer. Early data indicates that children are not severely affected by COVID-19; among 44,672 cases in China only one in 50 were 20 years old or younger,” Woods said.

The name coronavirus comes from the virus’s crown-like shape.

New Mexico Department of Health letter on coronavirus

New Mexico Department of Health (NMDOH) Sec. Kathyleen M. Kunkel and NMDOH Southwest Regional Public Health Division in Las Cruces penned a March 2 letter to community partners about the coronavirus. The letter was also sent to school nurses statewide and was posted on the Las Cruces Public Schools website. It reads as follows:

“Coronaviruses are a large family of viruses that have been associated with respiratory illness such as fever, cough and

shortness of breath. At this time, respiratory illness caused by a novel coronavirus, COVID-19, continues to increase in other countries. Although a case of infection has not yet occurred in New Mexico, we understand that this situation is concerning to some students, parents and staff.

NMDOH takes this public health threat very seriously, and we have been working on developing New Mexico’s response should cases be detected in our state. This includes helping communities and

individuals understand the risk and prepare appropriately.

“It’s important to convey to staff, clients, residents and program partners that risk is based on exposure. “Those at higher risk for being infected are:

- People who have traveled to a country with widespread infection (such as China or South Korea) within the last two weeks and have symptoms.
- People who had direct close contact with someone who was confirmed

to have the novel coronavirus.

Like any other virus, no identity, community, ethnic or racial group in New Mexico is more at risk for getting or spreading COVID-19. Person-to-person spread is thought to occur mainly through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs or sneezes, similar to how cold viruses and influenza spread. To reduce the risk of infection, current guidance is to:

- Effectively train and encourage respiratory

hygiene (cover nose and mouth when coughing/sneezing and keep hands from touching the face)

- Reinforce correct hand washing and to wash hands with soap and water (or use alcohol-based hand rub)

• Avoid close contact with anyone with cold or influenza-like symptoms – a distance of 6 feet is recommended

- Encourage staff, clients, residents and program partners to contact their medical provider if influenza-like symptoms develop

• Adhere to infection-control workplace policies

- Ensure regular cleaning and sanitizing of high-touch surfaces (door-knobs, handrails, etc.)

• Although it won’t prevent COVID-19 infection, encourage getting the influenza shot if not already vaccinated. It will reduce influenza infections, preserving resources for caring for people with COVID-19 infection.

More information is available at www.cv.nmhealth.org and the NMDOH Epidemiology hotline, 505-827-0006.

Mayfield senior earns top awards at state speech and debate finals

By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

Her mentor describes Mayfield High School student Mireya Sánchez-Maes as “a phenomenal senior (and) one of the most amazing young people I have known.”

A National Merit Scholar finalist, Mireya Sánchez-Maes took first place in New Mexico in humorous interpretation and second in both congressional debate and informative speaking and was named outstanding speaking in Lincoln-Douglas Debate at the New Mexico Championship Speech and Debate Tournament, held Feb. 29 in Albuquerque, said Sonia Roth, who retired

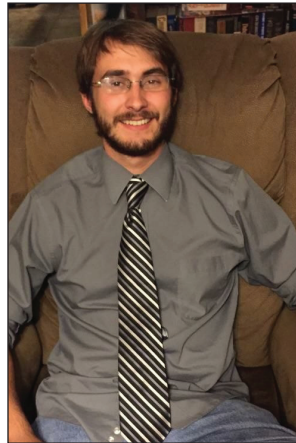


Mireya Sanchez-Maes

and moved to Las Cruces in 2019 after working with students in Albuquerque.

Roth has been mentoring Sánchez-Maes for the past year.

Mayfield was named the New Mexico High School of the Year in



Austin Martin-Likes

Speech and Debate after the tournament, Roth said, and Las Cruces High School English and language arts teacher Austin Martin-Likes was named speech and debate coach of the year for the state.

“I spent almost three decades working with amazing students at Albuquerque Academy, where I was their high school division principal for almost two decades, so I know real quality when I see it,” Roth said, adding that Sanchez-Maes “was honored in a spectacular, brilliant and highly touching speech” given by Martin-Likes. “He noted not only Mireya’s fantastic career of winning in that activity, but also her character: humble, kind to all, generous, brilliant and hardworking.”

Roth said Sánchez-Maes was also tapped by the New Mexico Speech and Debate program to give a speech honoring

Martin-Likes as speech and debate coach of the year. Her speech “was poignant and hilarious,” Roth said. “She brought down the house.”

“It was really exciting to do so well at the state tournament,” Sánchez-Maes said. “Everyone there had been preparing all year, so the level of competition was really high. Walking on stage to accept the awards was a little nerve wracking, but it was also an awesome way to end my high school debate career. Hopefully, I’ll qualify to represent New Mexico and Mayfield one last time at the National Speech and Debate Tournament in June,” she said.

After high school, Sánchez-Maes said she plans to study computer science and biochemistry.

“I want to use my skills from debate to help communicate important scientific principles to the general public, and eventually, I’d love to have my own research lab,” she said. “I’ve been accepted to Columbia University and Amherst College, but I’m still waiting to hear back from other schools.

“Everyone at Mayfield has been super supportive of all my endeavors,” Sánchez-Maes said. The Las Cruces High/Mayfield debate coach, Martin-Likes, “has worked especially hard to ensure that I can debate competitively,” she said.



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Bobby Martinez of Desert Sun Motors in Alamogordo and Richard Aguilar of Aguilar Accounting, Inc.



Phil San Filippo, Virgin Galactic President Mike Moses and Doña Ana County Commissioner Shannon Reynolds

Hispanic Chamber celebrates

Several hundred guests attended the 2020 Las Cruces Hispanic Chamber of Commerce banquet Friday, Feb. 21, at Hotel Encanto. Speakers included U.S. Rep. Xotchil Torres Small; Rolando Flores, dean of New Mexico State University's College of ACES; and Mike Moses, president of Virgin Galactic.

The chamber also presented its annual awards, including the fol-

lowing:

The first Hispanic Philanthropy award, Roberto Estrada of Roberto's Restaurant; Educator of the Year, Morgan Harding of Picacho Middle School; Bilingual Educator of the Year, Allison Remington-Padilla of Sierra Middle School; Los Amigos Volunteer of the Year, Bernadette Tirre of Citizens Bank; Distin-

guished Community Service, NMSU Regent Ammu Devasthali; Cultural Heritage Award, Irene Oliver-Lewis; Community Partnership Award, NMSU, represented by Chancellor Dan Arvizu; NonProfit of the Year, FYI, Inc., represented by CEO Brian Kavanaugh; Small Business of the Year, Del Valle Physical Therapy; Business of the Year, US Bank; and Citizen of the Year, Abel Covarrubias, CEO of Aprendamos.

NOTICE OF AIR QUALITY PERMIT APPLICATION

Jobe Materials, L.P. announces its application to the New Mexico Environment Department for an air quality permit for the **modification of its hot mix asphalt** facility. The expected date of application submittal to the Air Quality Bureau is **March 1, 2020**.

The exact location for the facility, known as the Vado Asphalt Plant, is at latitude 32 deg, 7 min, 44 sec and longitude -106 deg, 38 min, 6 sec. The approximate location of this facility is **approximately 1,400 feet east-northeast of the intersection of Interstate 10 and Vado Drive in Dona Ana County**.

The proposed **modification** consists of converting the authorization type from a General Construction Permit (GCP) to a Minor New Source Review (NSR) case-by-case permit. No new equipment is being added.

The estimated maximum quantities of any regulated air contaminant will be as follows in pound per hour (pph) and tons per year (tpy) and could change slightly during the course of the Department's review:

Pollutant	Pounds per hour	Tons per year
Total Suspended Particulates (TPS)	12 pph	13 tpy
PM ₁₀	8 pph	8 tpy
PM _{2.5}	4 pph	4 tpy
Sulfur Dioxide (SO ₂)	19 pph	18 tpy
Nitrogen Oxides (NOx)	18 pph	18 tpy
Carbon Monoxide (CO)	44 pph	41 tpy
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC)	17 pph	16 tpy
Total sum of all Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs)	4 pph	2 tpy
Green House Gas Emissions as Total CO ₂ e	n/a	< 75,000 tpy

The standard operating schedule of the facility will be from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. 6 days a week and 50 weeks per year. The maximum operating schedule will be 24 hours per day, 7 days a week and a maximum of 52 weeks per year.

The owner and/or operator of the Facility is: **Jobe Materials, L.P.; 1150 Southview Dr, El Paso, Texas, 79928**.

If you have any comments about the construction or operation of this facility, and you want your comments to be made as part of the permit review process, you must submit your comments in writing to this address: Permit Programs Manager; New Mexico Environment Department; Air Quality Bureau; 525 Camino de los Marquez, Suite 1; Santa Fe, New Mexico; 87505-1816; (505) 476-4300; 1 800 224-7009; https://www.env.nm.gov/aqb/permit/aqb_draft_permits.html. Other comments and questions may be submitted verbally.

Please refer to the company name and site name, or send a copy of this notice along with your comments, since the Department may have not yet received the permit application. Please include a legible return mailing address with your comments. Once the Department has performed a preliminary review of the application and its air quality impacts, the Department's notice will be published in the legal section of a newspaper circulated near the facility location.

General information about air quality and the permitting process can be found at the Air Quality Bureau's web site. The regulation dealing with public participation in the permit review process is 20.2.72.206 NMAC. This regulation can be found in the "Permits" section of this web site.

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Este es un aviso de la oficina de Calidad del Aire del Departamento del Medio Ambiente de Nuevo México, acerca de las emisiones producidas por un establecimiento en esta área. Si usted desea información en español, por favor comuníquese con esa oficina al teléfono 505-476-5557.

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AVISO DE SOLICITUD DE PERMISO DE CALIDAD DE AIRE

Jobe Materials, L.P. anuncia su entrega de solicitud para un permiso de calidad de aire al Departamento del Ambiente de Nuevo México para la **modificación** de su planta de asfalto. La fecha prevista para presentar la solicitud a la Oficina de Calidad de Aire es el **1 de marzo de 2020**.

La ubicación exacta de la planta, conocida como Vado Asphalt Plant está ubicada en latitud 32°7'44", Longitud -106°38'6". La ubicación **aproximada de la instalación se encuentra 1,400 pies hacia este-noreste de la intersección de la carretera interestatal 10 (Interstate Highway 10) y Vado Drive, condado de Doña Ana**.

La **modificación** propuesta consiste en cambiar el tipo de autorización de un Permiso de Construcción General (General Construction Permit, GCP) a un permiso en base de caso por caso, Revisión de Nuevas Fuentes Menores (Minor New Source Review, NSR). No se añaden nuevos equipos.

Las cantidades máximas estimadas de cualquier contaminante de aire regulado serán en libras por hora (lph) y toneladas por año (tpa) y podrían cambiar ligeramente durante el curso de la revisión del Departamento:

Contaminante	Libras por hora	Toneladas por Año
Total de partículas suspendidas (TPS)	12 lph	13 tpa
PM ₁₀	8 lph	8 tpa
PM _{2.5}	4 lph	4 tpa
Dióxido de Azufre (SO ₂)	19 lph	18 tpa
Oxidos de Nitrógeno (NOx)	18 lph	18 tpa
Monóxido de Carbono (CO)	44 lph	41 tpa
Compuestos Organicos Volátiles (VOC)	17 lph	16 tpa
Suma total de todos los Contaminantes Peligrosos del Aire (HAPs)	4 lph	2 tpa
Emisiones de gases de Green House como CO ₂ e total	n/a	< 75,000 tpa

El horario operativo estándar de la instalación será de 7:00 a.m. a 7:00 p.m., 6 días a la semana, 50 semanas al año. El horario operativo máximo será de 24 horas al día, 7 días a la semana y un máximo de 52 semanas al año.

El propietario/operador de la instalación es: **Jobe Materials, L.P., 1150 Southview Dr., El Paso, TX 79928**.

Si usted tiene algún comentario sobre la construcción o la operación de la planta y quisiera que sus comentarios fueran hechos como parte del proceso de la revisión del permiso, usted debe someter sus comentarios en escrito a la dirección indicada: Permit Programs Manager; New Mexico Environment Department; Air Quality Bureau; 525 Camino de los Marquez, Suite 1, Santa Fe, NM 87505-1816, (505) 476-4300; 1-800-224-7009; https://www.env.nm.gov/aqb/permit/aqb_draft_permits.html. Otros comentarios y preguntas se pueden someter verbalmente.

Refiera por favor al nombre de la compañía y al nombre del sitio, o envíe una copia de este aviso junto con sus comentarios, en caso que el Departamento no haya recibido la solicitud de permiso. Por favor incluya una dirección de correo de devolución legible con sus comentarios. En cuanto el Departamento haya realizado una revisión preliminar de la solicitud y sus impactos en la calidad del aire, la notificación del Departamento se publicará en la sección legal de un periódico que circula cerca de la ubicación de la instalación.

Se puede encontrar información general sobre la calidad del aire y el proceso de permisos en el sitio web de Air Quality Bureau. El reglamento que trata sobre la participación pública en el proceso de revisión de permisos es 20.2.72.206 NMAC. Este reglamento se puede encontrar en la sección "Permisos" de este sitio web.

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City purchases building to expand Community of Hope

By MIKE COOK
Las Cruces Bulletin

The Las Cruces City Council voted unanimously at its March 2 regular meeting to spend \$1.32 million from the city's Telshor Fund to purchase 2.21 acres of land at 991 W. Amador Ave. The property, the current home of Horse 'n Hound, will be added to the Mesilla Valley Community of Hope (MVCH) campus that is located just to the south of the property being purchased.

The property at 991 W. Amador Ave. includes an 8,621 square-foot retail building and an 8,406 square-foot warehouse, according to city documents. 991 W. Amador Ave. is currently occupied by Horse N Hound Feed N Supply. Owner Curtis Creighton said he plans to move the business to a new location, but the new location has not yet been finalized.

Casa de Peregrinos (CdP) emergency food program Executive Director Lorenzo Alba said CdP will move into the newly purchased property, which will expand CdP's size from its current 4,000 square feet and will allow for additional days of service, serving about 30,000 people throughout Las Cruces and Doña Ana County. The move will also make room for additional staff, more storage for food rescued from local grocery stores as well as food from area farmers, add a teaching kitchen to help CdP clients learn how to cook the food they receive and office space for other agencies whose services would benefit CdP clients.

"This is a super exciting time for us, because we see



Mesilla Valley Community of Hope

what is happening in our community and we want to do more," Alba said.

Alba thanked state Rep. Micaela Lara Cadena, D-Doña Ana, who was instrumental, along with state Rep. Nathan Small, D-Doña Ana, in securing additional state capital outlay funding to help pay for the MVCH and CdP expansion.

CdP's food program provided 3.8 million pounds of food in 2019, according to the annual report that CdP released in mid-February. That's an increase from 3.5 million pounds in 2018. Last year's food provided almost 3.2 million meals and was valued at \$6.5 million, he said.

"We are excited about the move for CdP and what it means for those accessing the services there," said MVCH Executive Director Nicole Martinez. "Each of the agencies on MVCH campus is trying to be strategic in how to expand services to meet the increasing needs of those in our community and we are grateful that the City of Las Cruces responded to this need. As the Community of Hope continues to implement and grow services relating

to shelter, housing and income for those experiencing homelessness, having the ability to utilize more space once CdP relocates will be crucial to offering services in a safe and efficient manner."

The Telshor Fund was created by the council in October 2004 with proceeds from the pre-paid lease of Memorial Medical Center to Providence Healthcare Company, according to city documents. The fund is currently in excess of \$40 million, said interim City Manager Bill Studer.

Also at the March 2 council meeting, the council voted unanimously to approve:

- A resolution adopting a Public Art Master Plan that will "provide guidance to ensure sustainable funding sources for public art, make the most of the city's resources and ensure that the city's public art activities make an impact and respond to the community's needs," according to city documents. The plan "includes guidance on public art acquisition, maintenance recommendations, mission and vision statements, funding sources

(and) to provide a framework and guide the city Art Board, city staff and anyone interested in collaborating with the city on public art."

- An ordinance establishing four city policy-review committees (PRCs): 1) health; 2) housing; 3) quality of life; and 4) transportation, sustainability and infrastructure. The council previously voted to establish the Economic Development Policy Review Committee. Each PRC will consist of three current city council members, plus "at least

four but no more than seven subject-matter experts, community members or invited guests as ex-officio members for fact-finding and advisory purposes," according to city documents. "The purpose of each PRC is to formulate recommendations to the city council on specific issues or subject areas that have direct community-wide impact." PRCs are advisory in nature, according to the city ordinance, and "are not authorized to act or make any decision on behalf of the City Council."

- Changing city ordinance to allow the operation of off-highway vehicles on roadways controlled by the city. Each vehicle and driver must comply with specific provisions to make the vehicles "street legal," including provisions of the state Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Act. The general purpose of the ordinance is to allow the operators of off-highway vehicles to travel on city roadways to travel to and from their off-road destinations and related events. The change will be effective March 13.



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- Developing long-range and strategic policy recommendations to the City Council for the Utilities Department,
- Reviewing and providing direction in the City's new utility rate setting process and submitting rate adjustment recommendations to the City Council, and
- Set water and wastewater impact fees in compliance with the City Development Impact Fee Ordinance.

Applications can be picked up at the City Clerk's office inside City Hall at 700 N. Main St., or accessed online at the City's website: <https://onboard.las-cruces.org/apply/>. For more information, contact the City Clerk's Office at (575) 541-2115. The TTY number is (575) 541-2182.

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Legal Notice

IN THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

No. D-307-PB-2020-00003
Hon. Arrieta, Manuel I.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF TONY R. PRITCHARD, DECEASED.

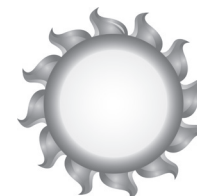
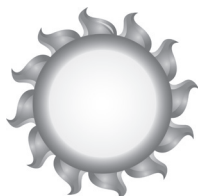
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the District Court of Dona Ana, County, New Mexico, located at the following address: 201 West Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Dated: February 11, 2020

/s/ Kristina McKenzie
Kristina McKenzie
1 705 Roberts Drive
Argyle, Texas 76226

SUBMITTED:
ESTRADA LAW, P.C.
/s/Michele Ungvarsky, Esq.



NOTICE OF AIR QUALITY PERMIT APPLICATION

Jobe Materials, L.P. announces its application to the New Mexico Environment Department for an air quality permit for the **modification of its hot mix asphalt** facility. The expected date of application submittal to the Air Quality Bureau is **March 1, 2020**.

The exact location for the facility, known as the Vado Asphalt Plant, is at latitude 32 deg, 7 min, 44 sec and longitude -106 deg, 38 min, 6 sec. The approximate location of this facility is **approximately 1,400 feet east-northeast of the intersection of Interstate 10 and Vado Drive in Dona Ana County**.

The proposed **modification** consists of converting the authorization type from a General Construction Permit (GCP) to a Minor New Source Review (NSR) case-by-case permit. No new equipment is being added.

The estimated maximum quantities of any regulated air contaminant will be as follows in pound per hour (pph) and tons per year (tpy) and could change slightly during the course of the Department's review:

Pollutant	Pounds per hour	Tons per year
Total Suspended Particulates (TPS)	12 pph	13 tpy
PM ₁₀	8 pph	8 tpy
PM _{2.5}	4 pph	4 tpy
Sulfur Dioxide (SO ₂)	19 pph	18 tpy
Nitrogen Oxides (NOx)	18 pph	18 tpy
Carbon Monoxide (CO)	44 pph	41 tpy
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC)	17 pph	16 tpy
Total sum of all Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs)	4 pph	2 tpy
Green House Gas Emissions as Total CO ₂ e	n/a	< 75,000 tpy

The standard operating schedule of the facility will be from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. 6 days a week and 50 weeks per year. The maximum operating schedule will be 24 hours per day, 7 days a week and a maximum of 52 weeks per year.

The owner and/or operator of the Facility is: **Jobe Materials, L.P.; 1150 Southview Dr, El Paso, Texas, 79928**.

If you have any comments about the construction or operation of this facility, and you want your comments to be made as part of the permit review process, you must submit your comments in writing to this address: Permit Programs Manager; New Mexico Environment Department; Air Quality Bureau; 525 Camino de los Marquez, Suite 1; Santa Fe, New Mexico; 87505-1816; (505) 476-4300; 1 800 224-7009; https://www.env.nm.gov/aqb/permit/aqb_draft_permits.html. Other comments and questions may be submitted verbally.

Please refer to the company name and site name, or send a copy of this notice along with your comments, since the Department may have not yet received the permit application. Please include a legible return mailing address with your comments. Once the Department has performed a preliminary review of the application and its air quality impacts, the Department's notice will be published in the legal section of a newspaper circulated near the facility location.

General information about air quality and the permitting process can be found at the Air Quality Bureau's web site. The regulation dealing with public participation in the permit review process is 20.2.72.206 NMAC. This regulation can be found in the "Permits" section of this web site.

Atención

Este es un aviso de la oficina de Calidad del Aire del Departamento del Medio Ambiente de Nuevo México, acerca de las emisiones producidas por un establecimiento en esta área. Si usted desea información en español, por favor comuníquese con esa oficina al teléfono 505-476-5557.

Notice of Non-Discrimination

NMED does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, disability, age or sex in the administration of its programs or activities, as required by applicable laws and regulations. NMED is responsible for coordination of compliance efforts and receipt of inquiries concerning non-discrimination requirements implemented by 40 C.F.R. Part 7, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, and Section 13 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972. If you have any questions about this notice or any of NMED's non-discrimination programs, policies or procedures, or if you believe that you have been discriminated against with respect to a NMED program or activity, you may contact: Kristine Yurdin, Non-Discrimination Coordinator, NMED, 1190 St. Francis Dr., Suite N4050, P.O. Box 5469, Santa Fe, NM 87502, (505) 827-2855, nd.coordinator@state.nm.us. You may also visit our website at <https://www.env.nm.gov/non-employee-discrimination-complaint-page/> to learn how and where to file a complaint of discrimination.

AVISO DE SOLICITUD DE PERMISO DE CALIDAD DE AIRE

Jobe Materials, L.P. anuncia su entrega de solicitud para un permiso de calidad de aire al Departamento del Ambiente de Nuevo México para la **modificación** de su planta de asfalto. La fecha prevista para presentar la solicitud a la Oficina de Calidad de Aire es el **1 de marzo de 2020**.

La ubicación exacta de la planta, conocida como Vado Asphalt Plant está ubicada en latitud 32°7'44", Longitud -106°38'6". La ubicación **aproximada de la instalación se encuentra 1,400 pies hacia este-noreste de la intersección de la carretera interestatal 10 (Interstate Highway 10) y Vado Drive, condado de Doña Ana**.

La **modificación** propuesta consiste en cambiar el tipo de autorización de un Permiso de Construcción General (General Construction Permit, GCP) a un permiso en base de caso por caso, Revisión de Nuevas Fuentes Menores (Minor New Source Review, NSR). No se añaden nuevos equipos.

Las cantidades máximas estimadas de cualquier contaminante de aire regulado serán en libras por hora (lph) y toneladas por año (tpa) y podrían cambiar ligeramente durante el curso de la revisión del Departamento:

Contaminante	Libras por hora	Toneladas por Año
Total de partículas suspendidas (TPS)	12 lph	13 tpa
PM ₁₀	8 lph	8 tpa
PM _{2.5}	4 lph	4 tpa
Dióxido de Azufre (SO ₂)	19 lph	18 tpa
Oxidos de Nitrógeno (NOx)	18 lph	18 tpa
Monóxido de Carbono (CO)	44 lph	41 tpa
Compuestos Organicos Volátiles (VOC)	17 lph	16 tpa
Suma total de todos los Contaminantes Peligrosos del Aire (HAPs)	4 lph	2 tpa
Emisiones de gases de Green House como CO ₂ e total	n/a	< 75,000 tpa

El horario operativo estándar de la instalación será de 7:00 a.m. a 7:00 p.m., 6 días a la semana, 50 semanas al año. El horario operativo máximo será de 24 horas al día, 7 días a la semana y un máximo de 52 semanas al año.

El propietario/operador de la instalación es: **Jobe Materials, L.P., 1150 Southview Dr, El Paso, TX 79928**.

Si usted tiene algún comentario sobre la construcción o la operación de la planta y quisiera que sus comentarios fueran hechos como parte del proceso de la revisión del permiso, usted debe someter sus comentarios en escrito a la dirección indicada: Permit Programs Manager; New Mexico Environment Department; Air Quality Bureau; 525 Camino de los Marquez, Suite 1, Santa Fe, NM 87505-1816, (505) 476-4300; 1-800-224-7009; https://www.env.nm.gov/aqb/permit/aqb_draft_permits.html. Otros comentarios y preguntas se pueden someter verbalmente.

Refiera por favor al nombre de la compañía y al nombre del sitio, o envíe una copia de este aviso junto con sus comentarios, en caso que el Departamento no haya recibido la solicitud de permiso. Por favor incluya una dirección de correo de devolución legible con sus comentarios. En cuanto el Departamento haya realizado una revisión preliminar de la solicitud y sus impactos en la calidad del aire, la notificación del Departamento se publicará en la sección legal de un periódico que circula cerca de la ubicación de la instalación.

Se puede encontrar información general sobre la calidad del aire y el proceso de permisos en el sitio web de Air Quality Bureau. El reglamento que trata sobre la participación pública en el proceso de revisión de permisos es 20.2.72.206 NMAC. Este reglamento se puede encontrar en la sección "Permisos" de este sitio web.

Atención

Este es un aviso de la oficina de Calidad del Aire del Departamento del Medio Ambiente de Nuevo México, acerca de las emisiones producidas por un establecimiento en esta área. Si usted desea información en español, por favor comuníquese con esa oficina al teléfono 505-476-5557.

Aviso de no discriminación

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Michele Ungvarsky, Esq. **a Minor.**

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Dates: 02/21, 02/28, 03/06,
2020

IN THE STATE OF NEW
MEXICO
COUNTY OF DONA ANA
THIRD JUDICIAL DIS-
TRICT COURT

No. D-307-PB-2020-00028
Hon. Arrieta, Manuel I.

**IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATE OF CAR-
OL J. KOSINSKI, DE-
CEASED.**

**NOTICE TO CRED-
ITORS**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN** that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the District Court of Dona Ana, County, New Mexico, located at the following address: 201 West Picacho Avenue Las Cruces, NM 88005.

DATED: February 28, 2020

/s/ Pamella Marchese
Pamella Marchese
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St. George, Utah 84790

SUBMITTED:
E-LAW, P.C

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Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 03/20,
2020

**IN THE SUPERIOR
COURT OF THE STATE
OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE
COUNTY OF MARICO-
PA**

NO. PB 2020-000035
NOTICE OF HEARING
(Assigned to the Honorable
Amy Kalman)

**In the Matter of the
Conservatorship of
RAY CARLOS ARAGON,**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN** that a hearing will be held on Thursday, April 2, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. in the above entitled and numbered cause, before the Honorable Amy Kalman, Maricopa County Superior Court, East Court Building, 101 W. Jefferson Street, Courtroom 512, Phoenix, Arizona, for the purpose of presenting evidence to obtain an Order on the Second Amended Petition for Appointment of Conservator of a Minor, Approval of Settlement and Allocation of Settlement Proceeds of Claims of Minor and Approval of Attorney's Fees on behalf of RAY CARLOS ARAGON, a minor.

This is a legal notice; your rights may be affected. Este es un aviso legal. Sus derechos podrían ser afectados. If you object to any part of this petition or motion that accompanies this notice, you must file with the court a written objection describing the legal basis for your objection at least three days before the hearing date or you must appear in person or through an attorney at the time and place set forth in the notice of hearing.

Dated: February 20, 2020.

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Corpus Christi, TX 78401
Attorney for Petitioner

Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 03/13,
03/20, 2020

J29 Enterprises, LLC is interested in receiving quotes from WBE and MBE firms for the construction of the Lower Rio Grande Valle del Rio Water Systems Improvements Phase II. Sub-contractors or suppliers may quote the following: Traffic Control, Surveying, SWPPP, Material Testing, Paving, Electrical and tank. Minor-ity firms must submit EPA forms provided in the bid documents with or prior to submission of the quote. All quotes and forms must be submitted prior to bid day, March 19, 2020. All subcon-tractors must be in compli-

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ance with and will follow NM Public Works Minimum Wage Act. If interested please call J29 Enterprises, LLC at 575-524-2226, fax 866-761-4996, email rcorona@j29enterprises.com.

Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 2020

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 19, 2020, Herman Ortiz on behalf of JALOSA Cattle Company, LLC (as leasee), PO Box 937, Mesilla Park, NM 88047, and the New Mexico State Land Office (as lessor) PO Box 1148, Santa Fe, NM 87504, filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application No. LRG-3725-S for Permit for Additional Point of Diversion of Groundwater, associated with Water Right File Nos. LRG-12727-1 and LRG-12727-4 within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico.

Dona Ana and Sierra Counties are affected by the diversion and place of use where the water has been or will be put to beneficial use. This notice is ordered to be published in the Las Cruces Bulletin and Sierra County Sentinel.

Request to use additional existing well LRG-3725-S located within the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 07, Township 18 South, Range 4 West, NMPM, more specifically described at X=1,317,851 Y=639,304 feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83) on land owned by T.O. Gilstrap, Jr. as Receiver-ship Estate, to be used in conjunction with existing wells LRG-12727, LRG-12727-S and LRG-12727-S-2, all located within E 1/2 SE 1/4 of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 5 West, NMPM, more specifically described at Y-639,304, and feet (N.M.S.P., Central Zone, NAD83) respectively, located on land owned by the applicants, for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provisions contained in the August 22, 2011 Final Judgment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, for the irrigation of 37.66 acres of land, owned by the applicants, located within the E 1/2 SE 1/4 of said Section 12. All wells and the irrigated acreage can be found ap-

proximately 1.2 miles west of the intersection of Loma Parda Rd. and Arroyo Yeso Rd. on the west side of the Rio Grande in Garfield, NM. The applicants have requested Emergency Authorization to Use well LRG-3725-S under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-24.

To view the application and supporting documentation contact the State Engineer District Office to arrange a date and time for an appointment located at 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J. Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J. Las Cruces, NM 88005, on or before May 8, 2020. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest if the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, (575) 5246160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 03/20, 2020

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 10, 2020, Edward and Dolores Padilla, 3585 Paradise Lane Las Cruces, NM 88007 filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application No. LRG-05052-1, for Permit to Change Location of Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by discontinu-

ing the use of well LRG-05052, located within the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 21, Township 22 South, Range 1 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32° 22' 26.48" N, 106° 50' 56.77" W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicants, and by drilling new well LRG-05052-POD2, to be located within the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 21, Township 22 South, Range 1 East (NMPM), and more specifically located where latitude and longitude intersect at 32° 22' 26.29" N, 106° 50' 56.76" W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicants, for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provisions contained in the August 22, 2011 Final Judgment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District for the irrigation of 0.97 acres of land owned by the applicants, located within the SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 21, Township 22 South, Range 1 East (NMPM), as described by Subfile Order No. LRN-28-004-0102-A of the Third Judicial District court, Dona Ana County, State of New Mexico.

The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-22.

Old well LRG-05052 will be plugged. The proposed site for new well LRG-05052-POD2 is located west of Dona Ana, New Mexico and is approximately 2, 124 ft. east of the intersection of Shalem Colony Trail and Paradise Lane.

Dona Ana is the County affected by the diversion and in which the water has been or will be put to beneficial use. This notice is ordered to be published in the Las Cruces Bulletin.

To view the application and supporting documentation contact the State Engineer District Office to arrange a date and time for an appointment located at 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

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protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before April 24, 2020. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest if the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, at 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 03/13, 2020

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 6, 2020, Robert Battle Watson & Nell E. Watson, P.O. Box 595 Dona Ana, NM 88032, filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application No. LRG17926-POD2 for Permit to Change Point of Diversion within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin in Dona Ana County by discontinuing the use of well LRG-17926-POD1, located at ft, 498,312 ft NMSP, Central zone, NAD 83, on land owned by the applicant, and drilling replacement well LRG- 17926-POD2 to be located at approximate Lat/Long: 32.368200°N & -160.812510°W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicant for the continued diversion of up to 3 acre feet per annum of ground water, for domestic purposes. The proposed well site is located approximately 635 Ft., SW of the intersection of Taylor Rd., and Dona Ana Rd. Well LRG-17926-POD1 will be plugged. The applicant requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-23.

Dona Ana is the County affected by the diversion and in which the water has been or will be put to beneficial use. This notice is ordered to be published in the Las Cruces Bulletin.

To view the application and supporting documentation contact the State Engineer District Office to arrange a date and time for an appointment located at 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

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Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 03/13, 2020

NOTICE is hereby given that on January 17, 2020, Sam Calhoun of Colver, LP, 5835 Onix Dr. ste. #300, El Paso, TX, 79912, filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application No. LRG-6965-POD5 for Permit to Drill & Use a Supplemental Well within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Basin of the State of New Mexico.

Dona Ana County is the County affected by the

diversion and in which the water has been or will be put to beneficial use. This notice is ordered to be published in The Las Cruces Bulletin.

The applicant proposes drilling well LRG-6965-POD5 to a depth of 500 feet with a 16-inch casing within the NE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 30, Township 25S, Range 3E (NMPM) and more specifically located at or near where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°6'40.327"N and 106°40'14.253"W (WGS84), on land owned by the applicant, which will supplement existing wells L R G - 6 9 6 5 & LRG-6965-POD4, both located on property owned by the applicant, both located within the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of said Section 30 and more specifically described where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°6'41.209"N & 106°40'28.605"W and at 3 2 ° 6 ' 3 8 . 9 4 6 " N & 106°40'28.641"W (WGS84), respectively, for the continued diversion of an amount of shallow groundwater reserved for future determination by the May 24, 1999 Order of the Third Judicial District Court, Dona Ana County, State of New Mexico, for irrigation of 0.91 acres with groundwater only and in combination with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District for irrigation of 82.58 acres, all owned by the applicant and all located within the NE 1/4 of said Section 30 as described in Subfile No. LRS 280100097 of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-24. The site of proposed well LRG-6965-POD5 will be southeast of La Mesa, NM and may be found approximately 0.29 miles east of the intersection of Montes Rd. & Highway 189.

To view the application and supporting documentation contact the State Engineer District Office to arrange a date and time for an appointment located District IV, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J., Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include

the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights* and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, District IV, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J., Las Cruces, NM 88005, on or before April 17, 2020. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest if the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 03/13, 2020

NOTICE is hereby given that on January 17, 2020, Sam Calhoun, representative of Colver Farms LP, 5835 Onix Dr. STE #300, El Paso TX 77912, filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application No. LRG-4008-POD7 OSE File No. LRG-4008-C for Permit to change an existing water right within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by drilling supplemental well LRG-4008-POD7 located within the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 30, Township 25S, Range 3E, NMPM, and more specifically where latitude and longitude intersect at 3 2 ° 6 ' 3 4 ' N , 106°40'26"W (WGS84), on land owned by applicant, to supplement existing wells LRG-4008-POD6 located within the NE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 24, Township 25S, Range 2E, NMPM, and more specifically where latitude and longitude intersect at 32°7'32"N, 106°41'14.105"W (WGS84), on land owned by Willa Dean Esslinger, LRG-4008-S located within the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 19, Township 25S, Range

3E, NMPM, and more specifically where latitude and longitude intersect at 32°6'53 "N, 106°40'57"W (WGS84), on land owned by Willa Dean Esslinger, LRG-4008-S-2 located within the NW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 13, Township 25S, Range 2E, NMPM, and more specifically where latitude and longitude intersect at 32°8' 1.8 "N, 106°41'27"W (WGS84), on land owned by Willa Esslinger Farms LLC, LRG-4008-S-3 located within the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 30, Township 25S, Range 3E, NMPM, and more specifically where latitude and longitude intersect at 32°6'36"N 106°42'7"W (WGS84), on land owned by owned by the applicant, and LRG-4008-S-4 located within the NE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 25, Township 25S, Range 2E, NMPM, and more specifically where latitude and longitude intersect at 32° 6'41 "N, 106°41' 15"W (WGS84) located on land owned by Willa Esslinger Farms LLC, for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provisions contained in the August 22, 2011 Final Judgment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District for the irrigation of 51.51 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the SW 1/4 of Section 30, Township 25S, Range 3E, NMPM, as described by Subfile No. LRS-28-010-0003 of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey. The site of supplemental well can be found 800 feet southeast of the intersection of Montes Rd. and Highway 189. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-24. Dona Ana is the County affected by the diversion and in which the water has been or will be put to beneficial use. This notice is ordered to be published in the Bulletin.

To view the application and supporting documentation contact the State Engineer District Office to arrange a date and time for an appointment located at 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity having

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standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before April 10, 2020. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest if the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, at 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 03/13, 2020

NOTICE is hereby given that on January 3 1, 2020, Linda Armstrong with DeRuyter Farm Land LLC, P.O. Box 10, Mesquite NM 88048, filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application No. LRG-1281-POD6, OSE File No. LRG-1281 for Permit to change an existing water right within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by drilling proposed well LRG-1281-POD6 to a depth of 500ft with a 16in casing, in a location within the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 26S Range 3E (NMPM) and more specifically located at or near where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°3'54"N, 106°38'57"W (WGS84) on land owned by the applicant to supplement wells LRG-1281 located within the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 26S, Range 3E (NMPM) and more specifically where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°4'2"N, 106°38'57"W (WGS84) on land owned by the applicant,

LRG1281-PODS located within the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 26S, Range 3E (NMPM) and more specifically where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°3'52"N, 106°38'57" W (WGS84) on land owned by the applicant, and LRG-1281-S-2 located within the SE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 26S, Range 3E (NMPM) and more specifically where Latitude and Longitude intersect at 32°3'31"N, 106°38'50" W (WGS84) on land owned by the applicant for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provisions contained in the Final Judgment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, filed August 22, 2011, for the irrigation of 232.73 acres of land, owned by the applicant, located within the NW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 26S, Range 3E (NMPM), and SW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 26S, Range 3E (NMPM) as described by Subfiles: LRS-28-012-0064 & LRS-28-012-0066 of the Lower Rio Grande Hydrographic Survey. Proposed well can be found 1000 feet northwest of the intersection between W. Berino Rd. and Three Saints Rd. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-24. Dona Ana is the County affected by the diversion and in which the water has been or will be put to beneficial use. This notice is ordered to be published in the Las Cruces Bulletin.

To view the application and supporting documentation contact the State Engineer District Office to arrange a date and time for an appointment located at 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water

within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before April 24, 2020. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest if the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, at 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 03/20, 2020

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

The City Council of the City of Las Cruces, New Mexico, Hereby Gives Notice of Its Adoption of the Following Ordinance(s) at the Regular City Council Meeting Held on March 2, 2020:

(1) Council Bill No. 20-021; Ordinance No. 2913: An Ordinance Amending the Las Cruces Municipal Code 1997, as Amended (LCMC), Sections 2-1113 Through 2-1116 to Establish the Health; Housing; Quality of Life; and Transportation, Sustainability and Infrastructure Policy Review Committees, Respectively, Within Chapter 2, Article IV, Division 9, Policy Review Committees Division of the LCMC.

(2) Council Bill No. 20-022; Ordinance No. 2914: An Ordinance Amending the Las Cruces Municipal Code (LCMC) 1997, as Amended, Chapter 2, Art. IV, Div. 1, Section 2-186, to Revise the Definition of the Term, "Select Committee."

(3) Council Bill No. 20-023; Ordinance No. 2915: An Ordinance to Repeal and Replace the Existing Las Cruces Municipal Code (LCMC) 1997, as Amended, Chapter 27, Art. VII, Sections 27-12-7-9 and 27-12-7-9.2, with New Versions to Permit the Use of Recreational Off-Highway Vehicles on City Owned Streets Pursuant to a State Law Exception.

Copies Are Available for Inspection During Working Hours at the Office of the City Clerk. Witness My Hand and Seal of the City of Las Cruces on this the 3rd day of March, 2020.

Christine Rivera, CMC
Acting City Clerk

Date: 03/06, 2020

PROPOSED ORDINANCE

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Hatch, New Mexico, does propose to adopt at a regular meeting to be held on Tuesday, March 10, 2020, at 6:00 p.m., an

1. Ordinance amending Title 13, Chapter 13.08 Sewer Connections and Service Charges Sections 13.08.010 and 13.08.030.

2. Ordinance amending Title 13, Chapter 13.04 Section 13.04.060 Water Rates

The proposed ordinances are on file in its entirety in the Clerk's Office of the Village of Hatch, located at 133 N Franklin Street, Hatch, New Mexico, and may be reviewed during normal office hours.

/s/ Andy Nunez
Andy Nunez, Mayor

ATTEST:
Elizabeth J. Porras
Clerk/Treasurer

Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA

THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

CV-2019-3261
JUDGE MARTIN

THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF PERLA MARINA MUNOZ, FOR CHANGE OF NAME.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that PERLA MARINA MUNOZ, a resident of the City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, and over the age of fourteen years, has filed a Petition to Change Name in the Third Judicial District Court, Dona

Ana County, New Mexico, wherein she seeks to change her name from PERLA MARINA MUNOZ to PERLA MARINA GUADIAN, and that this Petition will be heard before the Honorable James T. Martin, District Judge, on the 23 rd day of March, 2020, at 2:30 p.m., at the Dona Ana County District Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Submitted by:
PERLA MUNOZ
P.O. BOX 1665
FAIRACRES, NM 88033
(602) 737-9353

Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA PROBATE COURT

Case No: 20-0027

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WALTER CLYDE BLACK, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of any published notice to creditors or sixty (60) days after the date of mailing or other delivery of this notice, whichever is later, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the attorney for the personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the Probate Court of Dona Ana County, 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88007.

/s/ Helen J. Hendrix
Helen J. Hendrix,
Personal Representative

Prepared by:
Jacqueline Bennett LLC
PO Box 849
Las Cruces, NM 88004
(575) 527-0225

Dates: 02/21, 02/28, 03/06, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.
D-307-PB-2019-00165
Judge: Manuel I. Arrieta

In the Matter of the Estate of Frederick Farmer Burgess, Deceased and Hattie Elizabeth Burgess, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Betty Lynn Burgess James has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at the address shown in this notice or filed within the court.

The attorney for the personal representative is William L. Lutz of the law firm of Martin & Lutz, P.C., 2110 North Main Street, Las Cruces, New Mexico, 88001.

DATED this 14th day of January, 2020.

/s/ Betty Lynn Burgess James
Betty Lynn Burgess James
Personal Representative
2003 N. Magdalen
San Angelo, TX 76903

Dates: 02/21, 02/28, 03/06,

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

No. D-307-PB-2020-00010
Hon. Martin, James T.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HENRY W. KASELOW, DECEASED.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims

within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the District Court of Dona Ana, County, New Mexico, located at the following address: 201 West Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

/s/ Richard W. Kaselow
Richard W. Kaselow
7760 E. Peakview Ave., Apt 402
Centennial, CO 801 1 1
SUBMITTED:

E-LAW, P.C.
By /s/ Michele Ungvarsky, Esq.
1340 Picacho Hills Drive
Las Cruces, NM 88007
575.556.2462
Attorneys for the Estate of Henry W. Kaselow

Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 03/13, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

No: D-307-PB-2020-00021
Judge James T. Martin

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARILEE ALLYN FIELD, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

William P. Hampton has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of any published notice to creditors or sixty (60) days after the date of mailing or other delivery of this notice, whichever is later, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the Third Judicial District Court of Dona Ana County, New Mexico, located at 201 W. Picacho Ave., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

DATED this 19th day of February, 2020.

KEITHLY & ENGLISH, LLC
/s/ Shane A. English

SHANE A. ENGLISH
Attorney for Ricardo Acevedo,
Personal Representative
N.M. State Bar No. 4854
Post Office Drawer 1329
Anthony, NM 88021
(575) 882-4500
(575) 882-5000 [FAX]
kne1329@aol.com

/s/ William P. Hampton
William P. Hampton
Personal Representative
PO Box 81, Fairacres, NM 88033

Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 03/13, 2020

Submitted By:
Jacqueline Bennett
Attorney for Personal Representative
PO Box 849
Las Cruces, NM 88004
(575) 527-0225

Dates: 02/21, 02/28, 03/06, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-307-PB-2020-00029
Judge James T. Martin

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: LORNA ANTONIA TRIVIZ (a/k/a TONI TRIVIZ), DECEASED.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that RICARDO ACEVEDO has been appointed personal representative of the estate of the decedent. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of any published notice to creditors or sixty (60) days after the date of mailing or other delivery of this notice, whichever is later, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the Third Judicial District Court of Dona Ana County, New Mexico, located at 201 W. Picacho Ave., Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

DATED this 19th day of February, 2020.

KEITHLY & ENGLISH, LLC
/s/ Shane A. English

SHANE A. ENGLISH
Attorney for Ricardo Acevedo,
Personal Representative
N.M. State Bar No. 4854
Post Office Drawer 1329
Anthony, NM 88021
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Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 03/13, 2020

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2019-02340

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., Plaintiff,

vs.

ANA L HERNANDEZ AKA ANA HERNANDEZ; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 506 Putter Circle, Anthony, NM 88021, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 17, FAIRWAY ESTATES SUBDIVISION, IN DONA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON JANUARY 26, 2000, IN BOOK 19 PAGES 372-373 OF PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 10:45 AM on April 23, 2020, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on February 5, 2020, in the total amount of \$45,267.17 with interest at the rate of 4.125% per annum from September 18, 2019 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

By: Robert Doyle c/o Legal Process Network
P.O. Box 51526
Albuquerque, NM 87181
2 NM-19-853847-JUD ID-SPub #0161139 3/6/2020 3/13/2020
3/20/2020 3/27/2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-307-CV-2019-01640

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS TRUSTEE FOR THE RMAC TRUST, SERIES 2018 G-CTT, Plaintiff,

vs.

TAMMY A. JUAREZ, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 8, 2020, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Dona Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, New Mexico, sell all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendants in and to the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 3300 Squaw Mountain Drive, Las Cruces, and is situate in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows: Lot numbered 10 of Foothills Subdivision, Las Cruces, Dona Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Foothills Subdivision, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Dona Ana County, New Mexico on March 02, 1993 in Plat Book 17, Folio 279-281.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on February 20, 2020, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$164,378.74 and the same bears interest at 4.500% per annum from February 2, 2020, to the date of sale. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to, the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured

home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one month right of redemption.

Electronically filed
/s/ Pamela A. Carmody
Pamela A. Carmody, Special Master
PO Drawer 16169
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169
(575) 642-5567

Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 03/20, 03/27, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2019-03154

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., Plaintiff,

vs.

MANUEL H HERNANDEZ; SUNNY RIDGE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to Defendant, Manuel H Hernandez, to be published on: You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled Court and cause, the general object thereof being to foreclose a mortgage on real property located at 122 CHERRY HILL LN, SANTA TERESA, NM 88008. The real property which is the subject matter of this action is legally described as follows:

LOT 26, SUNNY RIDGE SUBDIVISION, IN THE COUNTY OF DONA ANA, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY AS PLAT NO. 2831 ON 07/01/1996 IN BOOK 18 PAGE(S) 496- 97 OF PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. Unless you serve a pleading or motion in response to the Complaint in said cause on or before thirty (30) days after the last publication date, judgment by default may be entered against you.

McCARTHY & HOLTHUS, LLP
By: /s/ Katherine L. McCarthy
Jade Rotonda
Katherine L McCarthy
6501 Eagle Rock NE, Suite A-3
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87113
Telephone No.: (505) 219-4900 kamccarthy@mccarthymholthus.com
Attorneys for Plaintiff

IDSPub #0160782

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

No. D-307-PB-2020-00037
Judge Martin, James T.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF VIRGINIA JACQUELEEN COOK, a/k/a VIRGINIA J. COOK, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned **JOHN MICHAEL JONES** has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the Personal Representative c/o The Law Offices of Dana M. Kyle, P.O. Box 2277, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004, or filed with the Third Judicial District Court of Dona Ana County, 201 W. Picacho, Suite A, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

Dated this 21st day of February, 2020.

/s/ John Michael Jones
JOHN MICHAEL JONES,

Personal Representative of the Estate of VIRGINIA JACQUELEEN COOK, a/k/a VIRGINIA J. COOK, deceased.

Prepared by:
The Law Offices of Dana M. Kyle, P.A.
/s/ Dana M. Kyle
Dana M. Kyle
P.O. Box 2277
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004-2277
(575) 525-0020
(575) 525-0017 fax
Attorney for Personal Representative

Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 03/20, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2017-00118

SPECIALIZED LOAN SERVICING LLC, Plaintiff,

vs.

SALLY MACY GRECH; RBS CITIZENS, N.A., Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 2923 Long Bow Loop, Las Cruces, NM 88011, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 34, BLOCK A, CIMARRON HILL SUBDIVISION UNIT NO. 11, PHASE 2, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DONA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON MARCH 15, 2004, IN BOOK 20 PAGES 562-563 OF PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 9:00 am on March 24, 2020,

Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on January 16, 2020, in the total amount of \$133,453.12, with interest at the rate of 5.75000% per annum from September 30, 2019 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. SPECIALIZED LOAN SERVICING LLC, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

By: Margaret Lake
201 Eubank NE Suite #A1
Albuquerque, NM 87123

2 NM-16-757790-JUD IDSPub #0160582

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2019-01901

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,

vs.

CHARLES VAN HOOZEN AKA CHARLES R VAN HOOZEN; DIANA VAN HOOZEN AKA DIANA VANHOOZEN; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY AND THROUGH THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 0 Luna Vista Road, Las Cruces, NM 88012, and more particularly described as follows:

THE WEST 1/2 OF THE SE 1/4 OF THE SW 1/4 OF THE NE 1/4 OF SECTION 5, TOWNSHIP 22 S, RANGE 3E., N.M.P.M., CONTAINING 5 ACRES, SAVE AND EXCEPT FOR 30 FEET ACROSS THE SOUTH SIDE FOR ROAD PURPOSES, MORE OR LESS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 10:45 am on March 19, 2020, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to

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satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on January 13, 2020, in the total amount of \$42,933.55, with interest at the rate of 4.9000% per annum from November 11, 2019 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. U.S. Bank National Association, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

By: Robert Doyle c/o
Legal Process Network
P.O. Box 51526
Albuquerque, NM 87181

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Case No.:
D-307-CV-2019-00120

MIDFIRST BANK, Plaintiff,

vs.

THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES AND LEGATEES OF JON J. STEWART, DECEASED, Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 2853 Borroughs St. Las Cruces, NM 88007, and more particularly described as follows:

LOT 118, LEGENDS WEST NORTH, PHASE 1, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DONA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON DECEMBER 27, 2006, IN BOOK 22 PAGE(S) 83-91 OF PLAT RECORDS.

If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 10:45am on March 19, 2020, Third Judicial District Courthouse, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on December 17, 2019 in the total amount of \$157,650.71, with interest at the rate of 3.75% per annum from October 2, 2019 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. MIDFIRST BANK, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale

takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption.

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING.

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3/6/2020 3/13/2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

NO. D-307-CV-2019-02476

IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,

v.

RICHARD PORTER JR, NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY, THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF RICHARD PORTER JR, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on April 7, 2020 at 11:00 AM, outside the main entrance of the 3rd Judicial District Courthouse, 201 W. Pícacho, Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash

all the right, title, and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State:

Lot numbered 20 in Block numbered 1 of Mason Farms Subdivision Unit 1, Dona Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Mason Farms Subdivision Unit 1, filed in the office of the County Clerk of Dona Ana County, New Mexico on June 11, 2003 in Plat Book 20, folio 351-352.

The address of the real property is 106 Desert Sage Ct., Santa Teresa, NM 88008. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on January 17, 2020 in the above entitled and numbered cause, which was a suit to foreclose a mortgage held by the above Plaintiff and wherein Plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien against the above-described real estate in the sum of \$134,158.63 plus interest from February 1, 2019 to the date of sale at the rate of 3.625% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

At the date and time stated above, the Special Master may postpone the sale to such later date and time as the Special Master may specify.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a pay off, a reinstatement or any other condition that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist,

at the time of sale, this sale will be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to, the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above-described real property subject to rights of redemption.

Margaret Lake
Special Master
Pro Legal Services, LLC
201 Eubank Blvd. NE, Suite A1
Albuquerque, NM 87123
(505)715-3711

Dates: 02/14, 02/21, 02/28,
03/06, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

NO. D-307-CV-2018-01004

IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,

v.

IGNACIO SALCIDO JR., A/K/A IGNACIO SALCIDO, NEW MEXICO MORTGAGE FINANCE AUTHORITY, AND UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF IGNACIO SALCIDO JR., A/K/A IGNACIO SALCIDO, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will on April 28, 2020 at 11:00 AM, outside the main entrance of the 3rd Judicial District Courthouse, 201 W. Pícacho, Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title, and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate located in said County and State:

Lot numbered 14 in Block numbered 15 of Las Colinas Planned Unit Development, Phase IV-B, Las Cruces, Dona Ana county, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on the plat of said Las Colinas Planned Unit Development, Phase IV-B, filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Dona Ana County, New Mexico on October 14, 1991 in Plat Book 17, Folio 94-97.

The address of the real property is 5056 Emerald St., Las Cruces, NM 88012. Plaintiff does not represent or warrant that the stated street address is the street address of the described property; if the street address does not match the legal description, then the property being sold herein is the property more particularly described above, not the property located at the street address; any prospective purchaser at the sale is given notice that it should verify the location and address of the property being sold. Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on February 13, 2020 in the above entitled and numbered cause, which was a suit to foreclose a mortgage held by the above Plaintiff and wherein Plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien against the above-described real estate in the sum of \$120,772.78 plus interest from October 1, 2019 to the date of sale at the rate of 3.750% per annum, the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fee, publication costs, and Plaintiff's costs expended for taxes, insurance, and keeping the property in good repair. Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

No. D-307-CV-2019-01183

PIONEER BANK, Plaintiff,

v.
the purchase price in lieu of cash. At the date and time stated above, the Special Master may postpone the sale to such later date and time as the Special Master may specify.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this sale may be subject to a bankruptcy filing, a pay off, a reinstatement or any other condition that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, at the time of sale, this sale will be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Special Master and the mortgagee giving this notice shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to, the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above-described real property subject to rights of redemption.

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Special Master
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(505)715-3711

Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 03/20,
03/27, 2020

PIONEER BANK, Plaintiff,

v.
TANYA EILEEN WATSON; TANYA EILEEN WATSON, AS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF JOYCE EILEEN WATSON, DECEASED; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF TANYA EILEEN WATSON; JON MARK PETERSEN; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF JON MARK PETERSEN; MATTHEW AARON PETERSEN; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF MATTHEW AARON PETERSEN; TROY E. WATSON; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF TROY E. WATSON; UNIFUND CCR, LLC FKA UNIFUND CCR PARTNERS, LLC; OCCUPANTS OF THE PROPERTY, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on March 19, 2020 at 10:45 AM, the undersigned Special Master will, at the front entrance of the Third Judicial District Courthouse, 201 West Pícacho, Las Cruces 88005, sell all of the rights, title, and interests of the above-named Defendants, in and to the hereinafter described real property to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 1598 Highway 192, La Mesa, NM 88044, and is more particularly described real estate located in said County and State:

A TRACT OF LAND SITUATE EAST OF SAN MIGUEL, DONA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, IN SECTION 3, T.25S., R.2E., NMPM OF THE USRS SURVEYS, BEING PART OF USRS TRACT 18-27 AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS, TO WIT:

BEGINNING AT A 1/2" IRON ROD SET ON THE NORTH LINE OF NEW MEXICO STATE ROAD 228 FOR THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE TRACT HEREIN DESCRIBED

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BED; WHENCE A RIGHT-OF-WAY ALUMINUM CAP FOUND AT STATION 26 + 28.74 BEARS S. 60 DEG. 01' 18" W., 1441.02 FEET;

THENCE FROM THE POINT OF BEGINNING AND LEAVING THE NORTH LINE OF NEW MEXICO STATE ROAD 228, N. 19 DEG. 39' 00" W., 268.34 FEET TO A 1/2" IRON ROD SET FOR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THIS TRACT;

THENCE N. 60 DEG. 01' 00" E., 165.00 FEET TO A 1/2" IRON ROD SET ON THE WEST LINE OF THE LA MESA DRAIN FOR THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THIS TRACT;

THENCE ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE LA MESA DRAIN S. 19 DEG. 39' 00" E., 268.36 FEET TO A 1/2" IRON ROD SET FOR THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THIS TRACT;

THENCE LEAVING THE DRAIN, S. 60 DEG. 01' 18" W., 165.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 1.000 ACRE OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.

including any improvements, fixtures, and attachments, such as, but not limited to, mobile homes (the "Property"). If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control.

The foregoing sale will be made to satisfy a foreclosure judgment rendered by this Court in the above-entitled and numbered cause on January 21, 2020, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the Property. Plaintiff's judgment is in the amount of \$124,338.81. Plaintiff has the right to bid at the foregoing sale in an amount equal to its judgment, and to submit its bid either verbally or in writing. Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash.

In accordance with the Court's decree, the proceeds of sale are to be applied first to the costs of sale, including the Special Master's fees, and then to satisfy the above-described judgment with any remaining balance to be paid to unto the

registry of the Court in order to satisfy any future adjudication of priority lienholders.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that in the event that the Property is not sooner redeemed, the undersigned Special Master will, as set forth above, offer for sale and sell the Property to the highest bidder for cash or equivalent, for the purpose of satisfying, in the adjudged order of priorities, the judgment and decree of foreclosure described herein, including the costs of advertisement and publication for the foregoing sale, and reasonable receiver and Special Master's fees in an amount to be fixed by the Court. The amount of the judgement due is \$124,338.81.

The foregoing sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master, and is subject to all taxes, utility liens and other restrictions and easements of record, and subject to one (1) month right of redemption held by the Defendant upon entry of an order confirming sale, and subject to the entry of an order of the Court approving the terms and conditions of sale.

Witness my hand this February 7, 2020.

By: /s/ Robert Doyle
Robert Doyle
Special Master
Legal Process Network
P.O. Box 51526
Albuquerque, NM 87181
(505)417-4113

Dates: 02/14,02/21,02/28,03/06,2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

D-307-CV-2019-02859
Judge Martin

MICHAELA CARLUCCI, individually and as Personal Representative of THE ESTATE OF PIEDAD GUTIERREZ f/k/a PIEDAD B. MARTINEZ, Deceased Plaintiff

vs.

JOSE V. BARELA, ESTHER S. BARELA,

ROBERT L. URANGA, CECILIA D. URANGA, GERALD SANCHEZ, MARTOS, LLC, and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF.

Defendants

NOTICE OF CIVIL ACTION PENDING

TO: JOSE V. BARELA, ESTHER S. BARELA, ROBERT L. URANGA, CECILIA D. URANGA, GERALD SANCHEZ, MARTOS, LLC, and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF.

GREETING:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that a civil action is now pending in the District Court of the Third Judicial District of New Mexico, in and for Dona Ana County, New Mexico, being number CV 2019-2859 on the civil docket of said court wherein MICHAELA CARLUCCI is the Plaintiff and you are Defendants. The general objects of said action are to establish the Plaintiff's fee simple title to and estate in the following described real estate in Dona Ana County, New Mexico:

A tract of land situate within The City of Las Cruces, Dona Ana County, New Mexico, being part of Lot 79 of the Original Townsite of Las Cruces, being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a chiseled "X" found along the south line of Hadley Avenue, for the northeast corner of this tract; WHENCE the northeast corner of Block 79, marked by a chiseled "X" bears, N.79°29'24"E, 27.51 feet;

THENCE from the point of beginning, leaving the south line of Hadley Avenue, S.13°08'07"E., 100.01 feet to a "PK" nail found for the southeast corner of this tract;

THENCE along the north face of a wall, S.77°26'09"W., 116.53 feet to a 1/2" iron rod (cap#22648) set for the southwest corner of this tract;

THENCE N.14°28'25"W.,

54.22 feet to a 112" iron rod (cap#8081) found for an angle point of this tract;

THENCE N.10°24'19"W., 49.94 feet to a rail spike found along the south line of Hadley Avenue for the northwest corner of this tract;

THENCE along the south line of Hadley Avenue, N.79°37'05"E., 67.73 feet to a 2" iron pipe found for an angle point of this tract;

THENCE continuing along the south line of Hadley Avenue, N.79°14'51"E., 47.80 feet to the point of beginning. Containing a total of 0.274 acres, more or less.

Subject to any easements and reservations of record.

This property is commonly known as 536 E. Hadley, Las Cruces, New Mexico, against the adverse claims of you, and each of you, and everyone claiming by, through or under you, or any of you, and to bar and forever estop you, and each of you, and everyone claiming by, through or under you, or any of you, from having or claiming any lien upon, or any right, title or interest in or to the said real estate adverse to the fee simple title and estate of the Plaintiff thereto and therein and to forever quiet and set at rest the fee simple title and estate of the Plaintiff in and to said real estate. Unless you enter your appearance in said action on or before the 23rd day of March, 2020, judgment will be rendered against you, and each of you, by default and the relief prayed for in the Complaint will be granted. The attorney for the Plaintiff is

MELISSA J. REEVES, P.C.
/s/ Melissa J. Reeves-Evins
Melissa J. Reeves-Evins
NM State Bar No. 7629
200 W. Las Cruces Ave., Ste. A
Las Cruces, NM 88005
575-522-5009 522-5031
FAX
Attorney for Personal Representative

Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 03/20, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-307-CV-2019-02930

HOME POINT FINANCIAL CORPORATION, Plaintiff,

vs.

LONNIE E. HONEYCUTT; DOLLY F. HONEYCUTT; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,

David S Borunda

Clerk of the District Court

(District Court Seal)

By: /s/ Joe M. Martinez
Deputy Clerk
Deputy - Joe M Martinez

Dates: 02/14, 02/21, 02/28, 03/06, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

No. D-307-PB2020-19
Judge: Arrieta

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF OPHELIA M. CHAFFIN, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that **PATRICIA HOLT** has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned counsel for Personal Representative or filed with the Clerk of the Third Judicial District Court, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005.

MELISSA J. REEVES, P.C.
/s/ Melissa J. Reeves-Evins
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Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 03/20, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

No. D-307-CV-2019-02930

HOME POINT FINANCIAL CORPORATION, Plaintiff,

vs.

LONNIE E. HONEYCUTT; DOLLY F. HONEYCUTT; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,

INC.; and PARAMOUNT EQUITY MORTGAGE, LLC, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 8, 2020, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned Special Master will, at the main entrance of the Dona Ana County Judicial Complex, 201 W. Picacho, Las Cruces, NM, New Mexico, sell all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendants in and to the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder for cash. The property to be sold is located at 2029 Rose Lane, Las Cruces, and is situate in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, and is particularly described as follows:

Lot 7, NORTH HIGHLAND ADDITION, in the City of Las Cruces, Dona Ana County, New Mexico, as the same is shown and designated on Plat No. 488 thereof filed for record in the office of the County Clerk of Said County on July 01, 1958 and recorded in Book 8 Page 25, Plat Records, Dona Ana County, New Mexico.

THE FOREGOING SALE will be made to satisfy a judgment rendered by the above Court in the above entitled and numbered cause on February 27, 2020, being an action to foreclose a mortgage on the above described property. The Plaintiff's Judgment, which includes interest and costs, is \$126,915.27 and the same bears interest at 4.875% per annum from February 4, 2020, to the date of sale. The Plaintiff and/or its assignees has the right to bid at such sale and submit its bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash. The sale may be postponed and rescheduled at the discretion of the Special Master.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein, and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. Plaintiff and its attorneys disclaim all responsibility for, and the

purchaser at the sale takes the property subject to, the valuation of the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one month right of redemption.

Electronically filed
/s/ Pamela A. Carmody
Pamela A. Carmody, Special Master
PO Drawer 16169
Las Cruces, NM 88004-6169
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Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 03/20, 03/27, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

Cause No.
D-307-CV-2017-03694
Judge Manuel I Arrieta

NARESH RAJA, Plaintiff,

v.

MILCOR III, LLC, a Utah limited liability company, THE LEON RULON HANSEN FAMILY TRUST, LEON R. HANSEN, SHELLY HANSEN, a/k/a SHELLEY A. HANSEN, as Trustees and individually, MILCOR NM, LLC, UNITED STATES SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will, on the 2nd day of April, 2020, at 10:00 AM, at the east entrance of the Dona Ana County District Court, located at 201 W. Picacho Avenue, Las Cruces, New Mexico, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendant in and to the following real property located in said county and state:
Lot 1, U.S.R.S. TRACTS

11C-64 AND 65, REPLAT NO.1, in the City of Las Cruces, Dona Ana County, New Mexico, as shown and designated on the plat thereof, filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County on August 23, 1996, in Book 18 Page(s) 525 of Plat Records; Instrument #0803419, with a street address of 2200 South Valley Drive, Las Cruces, NM 88005.

Said sale will be made pursuant to the Stipulated Judgment, Decree of Foreclosure, Order of Sale, and Appointment of Special Master, entered on February 28, 2020, in the above-entitled and numbered cause, which, among other things, was a suit to foreclose a note and mortgage against all secured real property by the above Plaintiff and wherein Plaintiff was adjudged to have a lien against the above-described real estate in the sum of \$1,591,699.74, on which post-judgment interest shall run at 3.895% per annum until satisfied in full, which the Special Master calculates to be a per diem of \$172.213069 from February 26, 2020 for 36 days to the date of the Special Master's sale (the "Sale"), for total post-judgment interest of \$6,199.67, together with attorney fees incurred and costs of sale to the date of sale, and a reasonable Special Master's fee. The Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale and submit their bid verbally or in writing. The Plaintiff may apply all or any part of its judgment to the purchase price in lieu of cash at the sale.

Bidders, to the extent that they do not have a judgment permitted to be bid in lieu of cash, must bid cash at the sale. The successful bidder will be given until the close of the second business day following the determination of the winning bidder to supply to the Special Master cash, certified check, or cashier's check in the amount of the bid. Failure to do so will void that bid, and the Special Master shall either accept the next highest bid, or the Special Master may, in her sole discretion, telephone each bidder who attended the sale, using the telephone number each bidder submits at the sale, and communicate a new date and time for a subsequent sale, without republication of any further notice. Responsibility for reception of notice of

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any subsequent sale is on the bidder submitting the telephone number.

Notice is further given that the above-described real estate and improvements located on such real estate will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein and all recorded special assessments and taxes that may be due. All prospective bidders are notified that

they are responsible for making their own determination as to the extent and nature of the title being conveyed by purchase at the Special Master's sale.

DATED at Las Cruces, New Mexico this 2nd day of March, 2020.

/s/ Pamela A. Carmody
Pamela A. Carmody, Special Master
PO Drawer 16169
Las Cruces, NM 88004
Telephone (575) 642-5567

Submitted by:
Kelly P. Albers
LAW OFFICE OF KELLY P. ALBERS, P.C.
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Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 03/20, 03/27, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

NO. CV-2020-600
JUDGE JAMES T. MARTIN

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF MARTHA ALICIA RODRIGUEZ, FOR CHANGE OF NAME OF JUELZ JAMES GUERRERO

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME (OF PERSON UNDER 14 YEARS OF AGE)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MARTHA ALICIA RODRIGUEZ, has filed a Petition to Change Name of her child from JUELZ JAMES GUERRERO to JUELZ JAMES RODRIGUEZ. This Petition will be heard before the Honorable James T. Martin,

District Judge, on the 25th day of March 2020, at the hour of 4:00 p.m., at the Doña Ana County Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho Ave., Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/Martha Rodriguez
Martha Rodriguez
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Las Cruces, NM 88011
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Dates: 03/06, 03/13, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

NO. CV-2020-470
MARCIE BEYER

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF NOHEMI MONGE DE MENDOZA FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Nohemi Monge de Mendoza, a resident of La Mesa, County of Doña Ana, and State of New Mexico, and over the age of fourteen years, has filed a Petition to Change Name in the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, wherein she seeks to change her name from Nohemi Monge de Mendoza to Nohemi Mendoza, and that this Petition will be heard before the Honorable Marci E. Beyer, District Judge, on the 6th day of April 2020, at the hour of 4:00 p.m., at the Doña Ana County Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho Ave., Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Respectfully submitted :
/s/ Nohemi Monge de Mendoza
Nohemi Monge de Mendoza
2060 San Jose Rd.
La Mesa, NM 88044
575-649-8442

Dates: 02/28, 03/06, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DOÑA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

NO. CV-2020-471
JAMES T. MARTIN

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF MELISSA CORREA MARQUEZ FOR CHANGE OF

NAME

NOTICE OF PETITION TO CHANGE NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Melissa Correa Marquez, a resident of Las Cruces, County of Doña Ana, and State of New Mexico, and over the age of fourteen years, has filed a Petition to Change Name in the Third Judicial District Court, Doña Ana County, New Mexico, wherein she seeks to change her name from Melissa Correa Marquez to Melissa Marquez, and that this Petition will be heard before the Honorable Marci E. Beyer, District Judge, on the 6th day of April 2020, at the hour of 4:00 p.m., at the Doña Ana County Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho Ave., Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Respectfully submitted :
/s/ Melissa Marquez
Melissa Marquez
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Date: 03/06, 03/13, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT DONA ANA COUNTY

No. 20-0036

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, Shelly A. Ortega, has been appointed Personal Representative of the estate of Roberto J. Robles. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the Personal Representative, c/o J. David Beasley, Esq., P.O. Box 1620, Las Cruces, NM 88004, or filed with the Probate Court of Dona Ana County, New Mexico, located at 845 N. Motel Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88007, (575) 525-6132.

Dated: February 12, 2020.

Submitted by:
/s/ J. David Beasley, Esq.

J. DAVID BEASLEY, Esq.
Beasley Legal, P.C.
Attorney for the Estate of Roberto J. Robles
P.O. Box 1620
Las Cruces NM 88004
575-528-6782

Dates: 02/21, 02/28, 03/06, 2020

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT DONA ANA COUNTY

NO. 20-0033

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ISAAC MELENDEZ SR., DECEASED
AKA: ISAAC M. MELENDEZ
AKA: ISAAC M. MELENDEZ, SR.**

NOTICE OF INFORMAL APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT

1. This notice is being sent to the heirs (and devisees), of the decedent.
2. On February 21, 2020, Patricia A. Melendrez was appointed the personal representative of the estate of the decedent in an informal proceeding under the Probate Code.
3. No bond has been filed
4. All documents relating to the estate of the decedent are on file with the probate court of Dona County. They are available for your inspection.
5. The estate of the decedent is being administered by the personal representative according to the terms of the Probate Code without supervision for the court. You are entitled to information regarding the administered of the estate of the decedent from the personal representative. You may also petition the court in any matter relating to the estate of the decedent, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

Dated: Feb. 21, 2020

/s/ Patricia A. Melendrez
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Oscar-winning screenwriter knows movie biz

By **ELVA K. ÖSTERREICH**
Las Cruces Bulletin

Tom Schulman has been writing for screens, both big and small, since the early 1980s. He got his first writing credit in 1986 on a made for TV movie called "The Gladiator."



Tom Schulman

He has seen many changes in the industry, from VCRs through DVDs and into the modern streaming era, and that's just the beginning. "In the 70s and 80s, the kind of movies that were popular were films for grown ups and, slowly after, they became more youth-oriented," Schulman said. "Now it's about people in capes. Independent movies are

getting less and less. Movies tend more to spectacle than to character."

As part of the Las Cruces International Film Festival, Schulman, best known for his semi-autobiographical Academy-Award winning screenplay for "Dead Poet's Society," will present a March 6 screenwriting workshop, as well as a screening of "Dead Poet's Society," followed by a Q and A. Other works include "Welcome to Mooseport," "What About Bob?," and "Holy Man," starring Eddie Murphy. He was also hired to rewrite the hit movie "Honey, I Shrunk the Kids."

"My agent pressured me to do 'Honey, I Shrunk the Kids,'" he said. "It had to be done very quickly, and I knew how tortuous it would be. The original script



was a light drama, and the studio didn't think it was funny enough. I think the original filmmakers had decided to do the stunts with humans in suits. The studio fired the entire team, but the movie was to start filming in nine days."

Schulman said It's more fun to write a comedy, but he likes the drama, too.

"It's really just

about having a compelling story that has me hooked," he said.

Of all the films Schulman worked on, "Honey, I Shrunk the Kids" was the most successful box-office hit, but "Dead Poet's Society" was the most significant. During the film festival, he will receive the Mark Medoff Lifetime Achievement in Screenwriting Award following the "Dead Poet's

Society" screening at 7 p.m.

One of the shifts in the screenwriting world is to the use of writing teams rather than individuals. He said there was more of a writer's voice in the past, more of a special voice in the movies.

"I haven't tracked it, but there are certainly a lot of people who work as teams," Schulman said. "In the film credits, names in a team are delineated with ampersands. If individuals did the writing, they are delineated by 'and'."

In the mid-1990s, Schulman said, big corporations took over the movie studios and started relying on marketing versus creative producers. There grew more of a need to have franchises, not just sequels.

For example, once Maybelline sponsored

the makeup in conjunction with Penelope Cruz, they would pay Disney so it would spread the marketing around.

"That's something that is more of a business school in the movies," he said. "In a way, that changed the kind of movies that they were able to make."

Marketing became the top priority for the studios. There were more and more things to consider than a good story.

"Then somewhere out of nowhere, Netflix arrived and that changed everything again," Schulman said. "Studios were trying to squeeze as many big screen days as possible. There is pressure for all to narrow the theatrical timing. Now there are quite a few movies for streaming platforms that don't even

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Las Cruces International Film Festival event highlights

Friday, March 6

11 A.M.: Workshop, "Staging Combat for Film," with Randy Messersmith, actor and stuntman. Cineport 10

1:30 P.M.: Screenwriting workshop presented by Academy-Award Winning Screenwriter Tom Schulman. Cineport 10

3:30 P.M.: Workshop: "Breaking into Hollywood: The Do's and Don'ts," presented by Brian Medavoy, talent manager, entrepreneur

television producer, and cofounder of More Medavoy Management with his partner, Erwin More, and Brian Espinosa, CEO and co-founder of Optimism Entertainment, where he oversees the growth and development of the company's talent, music and sports divisions. Cineport 10

5:15 P.M.: Screening of "Now or Never – A Tony Romo Story," starring Tony Romo, chronicling his life with his family, friends, teammates and coaches, who collectively

tell the improbable story of how the undrafted free agent and underdog became captain of the Dallas Cowboys.

7 P.M.: Screening of "Dead Poet's Society," followed by a Q & A with screenwriter of the film, Tom Schulman. Shulman will receive the Mark Medoff Lifetime Achievement in Screenwriting Award. Cineport 10.

Saturday, March 7

1 P.M.: Panel/Workshop: "The Women of the Man in

the High Castle." Actors Bella Heathcote (Nicole Dörmer; also Fifty Shades Darker, Tim Burton's Dark Shadows) and Chelah Horsdal (Helen Smith) and stunt coordinator Maja Aro (also Once Upon a Time) will present a panel on Amazon Prime's hit series. Heathcote will receive the Outstanding Achievement in Drama Award at the Awards Ceremony. Rio Grande Theatre

4 P.M.: Screening of "48 Hour Film Competition" entries.

Cineport 10

4:15 P.M.: Screening of "The Killing of Kenneth Chamberlain." Chamberlain Sr. accidentally triggered his medical alert pendant at 5:22am. By 7 a.m., he was dead. Based on the true story of an elderly African American veteran with bipolar disorder, who was killed during a conflict with police officers who were dispatched to check on him. (Austin Film Festival Jury and Audience choice winner) Actor and

producer Enrico Natale will present a Q&A after the film.

7 P.M.: Awards Ceremony: Rio Grande Theatre
Sunday March 8
Screening of winning films all day at Cineport 10

Afterparties will be held each night for sponsors, VIPs and filmmaker badge holders. For tickets, details, schedules and updates for the Film Festival, visit www.LasCrucesFilmFest.com or call 575-649-6149. Military discounts offered on VIP passes.

Movie filmed in Las Cruces premieres

Teen girl explores her sexuality in comedy film 'Banging Lanie'

By **ELVA K. ÖSTERREICH**
Las Cruces Bulletin

"Banging Lanie," a coming-of-age indie comedy, has its world premier Friday, March 6, at 3:45 p.m. at the Las Cruces International Film Festival (LCIFF). This somewhat twisted tale comes from first-time director Allison Powell, who also wrote, stars and co-produced the project, along with Lauren C. Brooks.

The film centers around Lanie Burroughs (Powell), a smart high-school senior who suddenly discovers that she isn't meeting all the requirements laid out in the hierarchy of needs. Believing her scientific knowledge can be applied to dating, she plans to change that — by sleeping with her first crush. What she encounters is that friendship and connection are about more than mere physical touch.



The story, told with no explicit sexual content, reflects the high school experience of first sexual exploration. As my 18-year-old son pointed out, that time and experience varies so vastly person to person, there is no normal. So, heads up, this film does normalize sex in the senior year of high school, but all the main characters are sexually active in one way or another.

"Banging Laine" is neither crass nor easy. While billed as a comedy, it is not going for raucous laughter, but rather some of that quiet-smile

humor. Lanie is driven by grades, numbers and preparing for the future and is seriously lacking in social graces. Her fellow students call her "the robot." She has a lot to learn, not just about sex, but about friendship and social interaction.

The film has some touching moments and one heartbreaking one. It doesn't sink into sentimentalism or triteness, and it seeks to reflect a certain process of the high-school experience.

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get theatrical platforms. That changes what a movie is."

Schulman said he grew up loving movies and dreaming in the large-screen format. Afraid the feature film will go the way of television films with all the new platforms coming up, he hopes theaters will not become a thing of the past.

"In the old days, studios made about one out of 10 moves they developed," he said. "Now the numbers are much higher. They make

maybe on in 200 or 300 movies."

Schulman said he is working on a series for Amazon and writing a feature independent film, which is much smaller.

"It's hard to tell if the

audience has changed the movies or the movies have changed the audience," he said.

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NMSU film student is editing film festival trailer, doing what he loves

By **MIKE COOK**
Las Cruces Bulletin

“To be able to control the audience’s eye is a pretty big deal,” New Mexico State University Creative Media Institute film student Kobe Teal said.

Filmmaking – and especially film editing – offer ways to do that like no other form of media, he said.

One of Teal’s current

projects is editing the trailer for the Las Cruces International Film Festival. That’s quite a challenge for a film student or any filmmaker, because it involves shooting some film himself, and distilling down all the various aspects of the five-day festival – including guest celebrities, film categories and workshops – into no more than a 75-second short film.

The project brings together all the skills Teal is learning in CMI classrooms and on film sets.

Last year, Teal worked on a black-and-white student film, which he called a “daddy/daughter story,” editing about eight hours of footage into less than two minutes. He’s now working on a documentary about New Mexico volcanoes for the NMSU Department of Geological Sciences. Teal has edited a number of other films of his own, for fellow NMSU students and for other filmmakers.

Working with a film’s production team is one of the things Teal likes best about editing, he said. Through that personal connection, especially with the director, an editor can help “find a story” in each film’s raw footage, help to bring a clear vision to the project and “make what they want,” Teal said.

“You have to work with the director every step of the way,” he said.

As an editor, Teal said he sees cinematographic elements that many the-



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Kobe Teal

atregoers wouldn’t focus on, especially poor editing and lack of continuity.

“When it’s bad, it really sticks out,” Teal said.

A favorite of Teal’s is David Midell’s 2019 film “The Killing of Kenneth Chamberlain,” which is based on a true story. It’s “one of the best,” Teal said, in part because it’s

two-camera setup moves the film seamlessly inside and outside a small space. The film is “synced up really well,” Teal said.

Teal also appreciates that film editors tend to be somewhat invisible in the movie-making process.

“Editors are the unsung heroes of the movie,” he said. “If they do the job really well, you will never know their names,” Teal said, challenging anyone to name even one award-winning film editor.

Don’t get him wrong: Teal would love to win an Oscar for film editing. But even if that happens, he said he looks forward to the day when he meets someone at a film festival who tells him, “I do not know what movies you’ve worked on. I would take that as a great compliment,” Teal said.

Teal is a native of Troy (the home of “Uncle Sam”), New York. He moved with his family to Las Cruces about eight years ago. He began studying film at Doña Ana Community College three years ago and has been a CMI student for the past two years. He started out in videogame design, but discovered his passion was for film editing.

Teal hopes to eventually relocate to Austin, Texas and continue filmmaking and editing “on a bigger scale,” he said.

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Stone collection featured at Mesquite Gallery

By **JESS WILLIAMS**
Las Cruces Bulletin

Mel Stone has been running the Mesquite Art Gallery since 2010. In that time, he's featured the work of dozens of artists.

March will be just a tad different.

Stone presents his own collection of art through March 28.

"I have always been enamored of artists," Stone said, "but I didn't start to collect art until much later. Now that I'm a gallery owner, my collection has grown substantially. Unfortunately, it spends a lot of time in storage when the largest gallery room is taken up by [the works of] guest artists."

Part of the original City of Las Cruces plat, the gallery building – which is also Stone's home – is an 1898 adobe with thick walls and a welcoming ambience.

He has featured the work of such artists

as Raul Dorn, Charles Beck, Joyce Macrorie, Aaron Freeland, Sandi Dahl and Wanda Fuse-lier, among others. Along the way, he has purchased as well as shown and sold art that catches his eye.

Among the pieces for sale during the March show are two Free-lands, a few Macrories and at least one Dorn.

The Dorn piece, titled "Indian Summer," is the one Stone said is probably his favorite, but he quickly added, "That's like asking which of your kids you like best."

Stone – a self-described accomplished photographer – said he likes the realism of quality photography, but in art he looks for something different.

"Almost none of my stuff is representative," he said. "I'm drawn to work that is interpreted by the artist."

Stone's website – mesquiteartgallery.com – tells the story of



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Mel Stone at Mesquite Art Gallery.

how he landed in Las Cruces a decade ago.

"After teaching in a few colleges and universities for a few years, I became a TV journalist. The last gig was 26 years as a one-man band at the NBC station in Fargo, ND. As I slid into retirement, I bought my first digital still camera (Panasonic FZ30) and high-quality Epson ink jet printer. I showed

my work to a Fargo art co-op, joined and sold well. Wanting to escape the brutal cold, I moved to Las Cruces. The art-co-op experience persuaded me to buy something I could live in and have an art gallery, too, thus Mesquite Art Gallery."

Stone's photographic work can be viewed at melstonephotography.com.

Mesquite Art Gallery



Untitled mixed media by J. Carey Crane, former chief art curator for the City of Las Cruces.

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'The Keeper' is more than a sports story



By **ELVA K. ÖSTERREICH**
Las Cruces Bulletin

"The Keeper" introduces Bert Trautmann (David Kross), a German soldier and prisoner of war who, against a backdrop of British post-war protest and prejudice, secures the position of goalkeeper for Manchester City, and in doing so becomes a soccer icon.

Trautman is a German paratrooper captured in the Kleve forest in 1944 and sent to a Lancashire POW camp, where uptight Sergeant Smythe (Harry Melling) sees him as just another prisoner. Trautman is sent to latrine duty at the camp and forced to help repair the damage German forces have caused to the area. As he and the

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David Kross

other prisoners play soccer in their spare time, he is spotted by local businessman Jack Friar (John Henshaw), who convinces Trautman to play goal for his non-league team.

When the war ends, Trautman elects to stay in England and is invited to try out for the Manchester City league team.

Trautman's signing with the team initially causes outrage to thousands of fans, many of them Jewish. But receiving support from an unexpected direction, Rabbi Alexander Altmann, who fled the Nazis, he is able to win over the city.

Friar's daughter, Margaret (Freya Mavor), becomes his wife, providing a romantic subtext for the film. Their relationship grows and changes as the film unfolds and is depicted as

charming in unobtrusive moments that don't overburden the film. What is a little burdensome is the subtext which shows up as flashbacks from Trautman's Nazi life. The film becomes a parable about forgiveness and moving forward without really resolving the burden honored several times in the war, including with the Iron Cross. He is a man who has seen atrocities and failed to act as his conscious directed.

The fact that it's a true story is what makes this film, and it's done quite well. Somehow, a Nazi youth won the heart of an

English city and became one of the heroes of the land. It comes off as a genuine, if romanticized, journey from the bleakness of the POW camp to the heroics of a revered goalie. Trautmann finishes the 1956 FA Cup Final playing with a broken neck.

In the end "The Keeper" is a sports movie about an outstanding real player with an improbable story. The underlying current about finding and believing in the good in people, despite the appearance of some clearly evil-hearted characters, works well within the sports construct.

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Tai Mikulecky

Concert set for March 8

The Mesilla Valley Concert Band will present a free concert at 3 p.m. Sunday, March 8, in the Atkinson Recital Hall in the Music Building, 1075 N. Horseshoe on the New Mexico State University campus.

The varied program will range from baroque to swing. Highlights will include a modern saxophone concerto featuring Tai Mikulecky, assistant band director at Las Cruces High School, as well as guest conductors.

The 90-member concert band is directed by Dr. William Clark. Admission is free but the hall fills quickly.

Info: www.mesillavalley-concertband.org.

Arts Fair underway

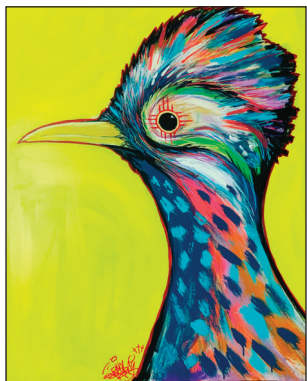


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Las Cruces Arts Fair is this weekend. "Roadrunner" is by Abel Garcia, a Las Cruces native who is the featured artist at the 10th annual Doña Ana Arts Council Las Cruces Arts Fair, Friday-Sunday, March 6-8, at the Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Ave.

Black Box Theatre



PHOTO BY PETER HERMAN

"Bosoms and Neglect" opens this weekend. Left to right are cast members Avra Elliott, Jamie Bronstein and Bobby Senecal. Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Main St. downtown. Premiere performance at 8 p.m. Friday, March 6, with a second performance at 8 p.m. Saturday, March 8. Additional performances in the three-week run of the play are 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, March 13-14 and 21-22, 2:30 p.m. Sundays, March 15 and 22, and 7 p.m. Thursday, March 19. Tickets are \$12-\$15 and \$10 for the Thursday performance. Info and tickets: 575-523-1223, www.no-strings.org.

'Spelling Bee' opens its run



PHOTO BY MIKE WISE, NMSU THEATRE DEPARTMENT

Left to right are "25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee" cast members Joshua Jackson, Hugo De Billie, Xodia Choate, Brianna Horvath, Jenna Ivey and Riley Merrit in rehearsal for the musical, which opens with a Thursday, March 5, preview performance, continuing its two-weekend run at the ASNMSU Center for the Arts, 1000 E. University Ave. Performances are 5:30 p.m. Thursday, March 5; 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, March 6-7 and 13-14; 2 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, March 14-15. Tickets are \$18 for adults (ages 18-64), \$15 seniors (ages 65 and older) and NMSU faculty/staff; \$11 for students (ages 3-17 and NMSU students); \$5 for high school students; and \$10 for the March 5 preview performance only. Purchase tickets by phone at 575-646-1420, in person at the Pan-American Center ticket office or the ASNMSU Center for the Arts box office, which opens one hour before each performance or online at Ticketmaster. Info: www.theatre.nmsu.edu.

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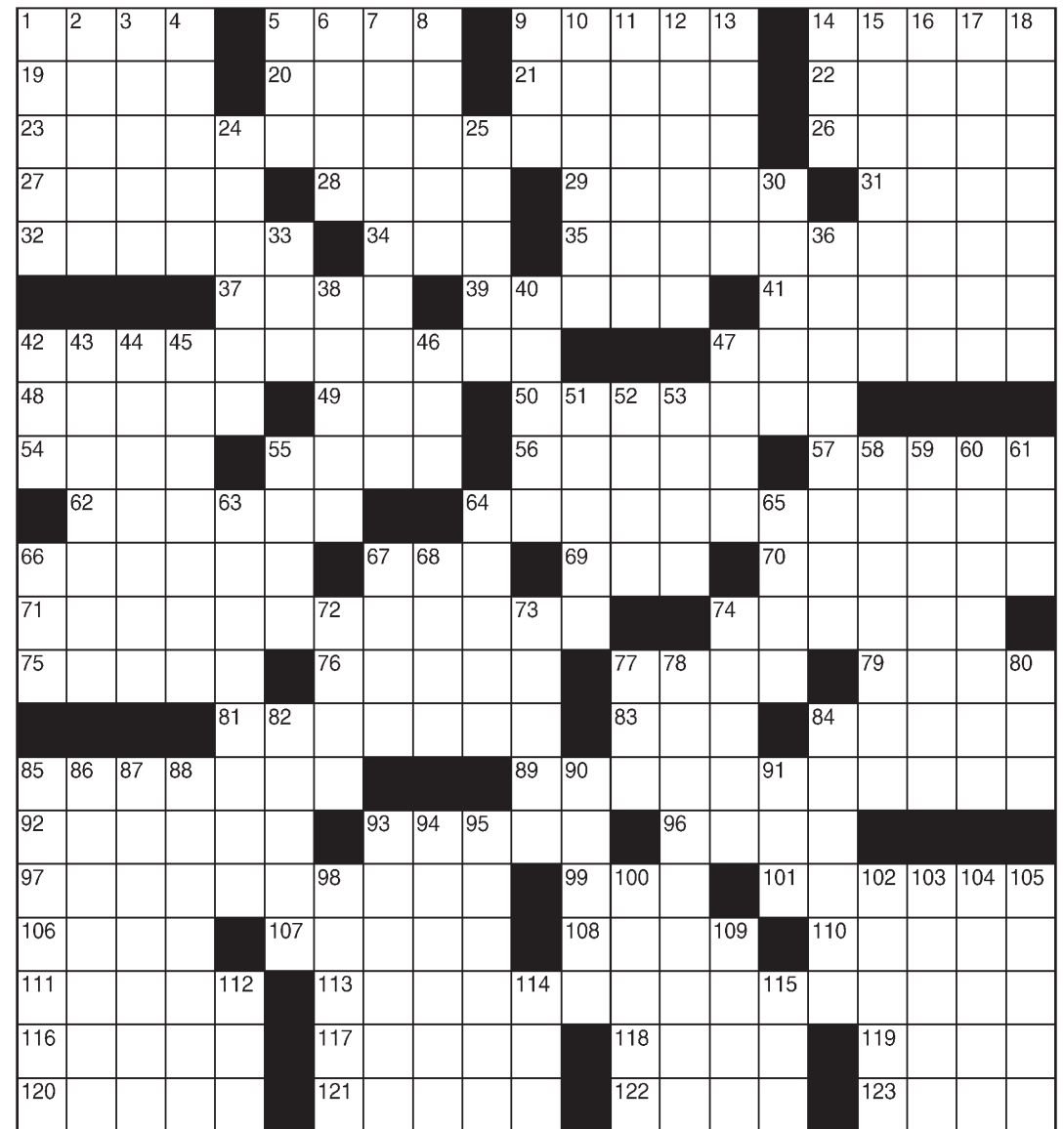
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 26 Brand of fake fat
 27 Geriatrics topic
 28 Vegetable in Cajun cuisine
 29 Beach birds
 31 St. Patty's land
 32 Gains' opposites
 34 Australian avian
 35 Defunct figure-skating show
 37 Robin's place
 39 Woven together
 41 Take one's turn after all others
 42 Actress married to Steven Spielberg
 47 Develops an affinity for
 48 Strong glue
 49 MGM lion
 50 Sling mud at
 54 Mushy food
 55 Itinerary info
 56 Morgenstern of 1970s TV
 57 Hoarse
 62 Evoke
 64 Camera-to-computer upload
 66 Like some sci-fi

aliens, location-wise
 67 Caterer's receptacle
 69 Got the gold
 70 Fruity frozen dessert
 71 Jackson or Lincoln, e.g.
 74 Lay to final rest
 75 Actress Daly and novelist O'Connell
 76 Largest frat in the U.S.
 77 Pooch name
 79 Lowly worker
 81 - -la (utopia)
 83 College e-mail ender
 84 Supreme Court's Sotomayor
 85 With 33-Down, arm of the Indian Ocean
 89 Voyager Golden Record, e.g.
 92 Roving sorts
 93 Is sickeningly sweet
 96 Old fruity soda
 97 Sailor's reply
 99 In shape
 101 Should it happen that
 106 Skinny
 107 Epsom -
 108 Redding with a Grammy
 110 Flynn of early films
 111 Classic tune
 113 Snapshot goes with
 116 Edmund of "Miracle on 34th Street"
 117 Apple messag-

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 118 Like men
 119 Ovid's 2,002
 120 Swamp plant
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 122 Multitude
 123 Word hidden backwards in this puzzle's eight longest answers

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 2 Expenditure
 3 Three, in Lille
 4 Deserves
 5 Bit of luggage
 6 Chevrolet hatchback
 7 Collection for a wrench
 8 Hive cluster
 9 Actress Hagen
 10 Maneuver
 11 Each
 12 Strong dislike
 13 "It's Gonna Be Me" band
 14 Mil. hangout
 15 Sierra Nevada brew
 16 New York tribe members
 17 Least distant
 18 Cuba's Guevara
 24 Part of CIA
 25 Cook Deen
 30 Continuing dramas
 33 See 85-Across
 36 Kitty
 38 Snowball impact sound
 40 Extend - welcome
 42 Beer cask



43 Galore
 44 Moniker for TV's Tim Taylor
 45 Make amends for
 46 Sod-busting tool
 47 - II (Gillette razor)
 51 Stole's kin
 52 - stick (jumping toy)
 53 Utopia
 55 The "D" of CD
 58 Fate who cut the thread of life
 59 Secondary option list

60 Heat to 212 degrees in advance
 61 As of now
 63 Old Toyota
 64 Prefix with 39-Across
 65 "It will come - surprise ..."
 66 East, in Bonn
 67 Go - smoke
 68 Bond girl player Diana
 72 Hot - oven
 73 " 'Tis -" ("So sad")
 74 Draw out
 77 Like women:

Abbr.
 78 Same
 80 No, in Selkirk
 82 Lock holders
 84 Kind of piano
 85 Comparable things
 86 Sovereign's "I," often
 87 Revised
 88 Supporting
 90 "C - Cookie"
 91 Food tuna
 93 Tricolor cat
 94 Chinese fruit
 95 Car security system

98 Easy putt
 100 Gossip tidbits
 102 Pinch into small folds
 103 Good smell
 104 Kind of boom
 105 - the Cow (milk mascot)
 109 Markdown
 112 Shanghai-to-Tokyo dir.
 114 Adaptable truck, briefly
 115 Church perch

GALLERIES & OPENINGS

By JESS WILLIAMS

Las Cruces Bulletin

Lucha Libre: Stories from the Ring

Opens 5 p.m., Friday, March 6

Closes June 13
Branigan Cultural Center

501 N. Main St., 575-541-2154

History of *lucha libre*, its connections to the border region, and the stories that have come from the sport, featuring masks and wrestling wear, as well as how *luchadores* have influenced art and social justice.

Trails End Gallery

Through March 14

Trails End Gallery

1732 N. Mesquite Ave., 575-649-2951

Featuring the art of Virginia Maria Romero, Rhoda Winters, Robert Highsmith, Penny Simpson, Patricia Black, Gary Biel and Armando Garcia.

Mesquite Art Gallery

Through March

340 N. Mesquite St., 575-640-3502

The private collection of gallery owner Mel Stone, featuring pieces for sale by Aaron Free-

man, Raul Dorn, Joyce Macrorie and more.

Carl Coker 92nd Birthday Show

Through April
Rio Grande Theatre Gallery

211 N. Main St., 575-541-2290

Showing new work in a retro/deco style, Coker has had a long and distinguished career as a professor of art at several universities including, NMSU and the University of Tulsa. An award-winning painter and sculptor, his areas of interest and specialization include Indigenous architecture

and the art and architecture of Ancient Peru.

'Local Color: Landscapes and Architecture'

Through April 5
NM Farm & Ranch Heritage Museum

4100 Dripping Springs Road, 575-522-4100

Collaborative effort by members of the Mesilla Valley Weavers Guild, highlighted by an 84-inch x 93-inch piece, "Blue," representing mountains, sky, water, blues music and blue moods through weaving, felting, crocheting, piecing, quilting,

needlepoint, embroidery, knotting, coiling and free-form constructions.

'Narratives of Faith and Devotion'

Through spring
New Mexico State University Museum/Kent Hall

1280 E. University Ave., 575-646-4536

El Santo Niño de Atoche's importance to communities of the Borderland, featuring photographs from churches in El Paso and Chimayo.

Student art

Indefinitely
Doña Ana County Government Center

845 N. Motel Blvd., 575-525-5808

A rotating exhibit of paintings, drawings, etchings and photographs by students in the Las Cruces and Gadsden school districts.

Please send calendar notices to jess@lascrucesbulletin.com at least 10 days prior to desired publication date. Only emails will be accepted. No PDFs. Include name of event, time and date, location/address, brief description and contact information. For ongoing events, send monthly updates to ensure publication.

CALL TO ARTISTS

By JESS WILLIAMS

Las Cruces Bulletin

Tribute to Mark Medoff:

Submissions sought for an exhibit that will hang in the Black Box Theatre lobby gallery from April 17 through May 3, in conjunction with the run of "The Majestic Kid," which was penned by Medoff in the 1980s. Ceil Herman will direct. Any form of art is acceptable. Info: margaretpaints@yahoo.com.

Las Cruces Space Festival:

Artists sought for multi-media exhibit titled "Dawn of Discovery." Deadline: March 10. Seeking artists working in all mediums to submit work. Festival runs March 30 through April 4 at Bank of the West, 201 N. Church St. Submission details and info: LCSpaceFestival@gmail.com.

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Memorial Medical Center's

Art Initiative seeks works of art for the Administration Building of the MMC Cancer Center on Telshor Avenue and the MMC HealthPlex, Surgical and Women's Imaging Center on Northrise. Mediums: oil watercolor, acrylic, dyes, collages, ceramic, pottery, fabric, weaving, quilting, stained glass and others. Themes: hospital appropriate, warm, positive, humorous and uplifting, with people, animals. Deadline: ongoing. Submit 3-4 jpgs of completed works with title, medium, size, price, artist

name, email, phone, bio and personal pic to: Janice Jones, Janice.jones@LPNT.net, and Cynthia de Lorenzi, Cynthia.deLorenzi@gmail.com.

World Turtle Day: Art exhibit and public reading. Confirm participation by April 1 via email to jelicht@gmail.com. Submit pieces to Tombaugh Gallery, 2000 S. Solano Dr. Submit poetry, essays and stories by April 5 via email to editor@desertexposure.com. All media welcome. Show will run May 3-29. Reading on May 23. Info: 575-642-1110.

Tombaugh Gallery: Submission deadline: April 10. Regional artists within a 200-mile radius of Las Cruces may submit proposals for exhibitions for the 2021 calendar year. Non-traditional media or subject matters welcome. All artwork must be for sale. Include a letter of proposal with information about the artist, type

of work to be shown and USB flash drive containing eight representative images as JPG files. For group shows, supply a list of all members and two images from each member. Info: jelicht@gmail.com or uuchurchlc.org/about-us/our-art-gallery

Singing Out Las Cruces: Seeking accompanist. Paid position. LGBTQ+ choir meets 6:30-8:30 p.m. each Tuesday, Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 E. Missouri Ave. Performances throughout the year. Info: singingoutlascruces@gmail.com.

Male barbershop quartet looking for experienced tenor or lead singer. Must be able to read music and be available to practice at least once a week. Contact Chuck Riggs: 575-521-1729; chuck.riggs@mac.com.

The Mesilla Valley Swing Band has openings for baritone sax, trumpets, trombone, drums and

percussionist. The band rehearses from 6-9 p.m. Wednesdays at The First Christian Church, 1809 El Paseo Road. Contact Jim Helder, 575-373-2188, 575-540-9701 or drh@cognizor.com.

New Horizons Band of Las

Cruces is looking for players. The band rehearses 6:45-8:15 p.m. Tuesdays in the NMSU Music Building, 1075 N. Horsehoe. Contact band Director Judy Bethmann at msjudy@hotmail.com or www.nhsocruces.com.

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A&E EVENTS

By JESS WILLIAMS

Las Cruces Bulletin

Doña Ana Photography

Club: Cruces Creatives, 205 E. Lohman Ave. Info: da-photoclub.org.

6:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 17. Viewing of “Candlelight” submissions, followed by review and awards presentation of first quarterly print competition.

9 a.m. to noon., Saturday, March 21. Photography Club Boot Camp: “Creating Better Photographs” will cover basic composition, lighting and photographic styles \$5.

Las Cruces Arts Fair: 5-8 p.m. Friday, March 6, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday/Sunday, March 6-7, Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Ave. Various media. All items for sale. Info: 575-523-6403.

“Satisfied” at El Patio: 10 p.m., Friday, March 6, 2171 Calle de Parian. \$5. Info: 575-635-6614 or on Facebook, SatisfiedLC.

Rio Grande Theatre Events: Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St. Info and tickets: 575-636-3842.

March 10: 3 p.m., Internationally renowned flutist Jeannie Goeckeritz, popular and crossover classics. Adults \$25, Students 18 and over \$5 (with ID), 17 and under free with adult.

March 13: 7 p.m., Children’s Theatre, Alice in Wonderland. \$8.

March 14: 1 p.m., Children’s Theatre, Alice in Wonderland. \$8.

Art classes: For children, teens and adults, Museum of Art, 491 N. Main St. Register at the Museum

of Nature & Science, 411 N. Main St., for sessions through March 28, April 15-May 23. Info: 575-528-3330; museums.las-cruces.org.

Doña Ana Arts Council:

1740 Calle de Mercado, Bulletin Plaza. Info: 575-523-6403 or daarts.org.

• March 9, 16 & 23: 5:30-7 p.m., Feed Your Mind: *Art in Paris* OR

• March 12, 19 & 26: 1:30-3 p.m., Feed Your Mind: *Art in Paris*

An art history and cultural series presented by art historian Kathleen Key. \$60 for four sessions or \$20 per seminar.

• March 10, 17 & 24: 1:30-3 p.m. Feed Your Mind: *Impressionism* with Kathleen Key. Art history focusing on Impressionism from 1860 – 1926. \$60 for four sessions or \$20

per seminar.

• March 10, 17, 24 & 31: 5:15-6:15 p.m., *Essentials: Body Toning and Strength Building* with Carol Witham. Yoga mat, water and pre-registration required. \$10 per class. Class maximum is 12.

• March 11, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Get ArtRageous! *Watercolor Torn Paper Collage* with Laurel Weathersbee. \$35 includes all materials and light refreshments. DAAC members receive a 20 percent discount.

• March 14, 4-7 p.m.: Second Saturday 10-10 Arts Hop Opening Reception for Dinah Swan’s “Animal Magnetism” gallery exhibit. Free. Exhibit available through March, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

• March 17, 9 a.m. to 4

p.m.: *One-day Workshop: Painting Animals with Pastels with Dinah Swan.* Exercises on painting animal eyes and fur. \$75.

• March 19, 4 - 6 p.m. Opening reception for Three-Day Pop Up Art Sale for Doña Ana Community College ceramics students. Sales benefit ceramics students.

• March 25, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Get ArtRageous! *Painting on Silk* with Judy Licht. \$35 includes all materials and light re-

freshments. DAAC members receive a 20 percent discount.

• March 27, noon to 1:30 p.m.: Promoting Art in the Mesilla Valley. Dinah Swan will give a gallery talk on her exhibit “Animal Magnetism.” Free.

• March 30, 9:00 a.m. to 4 p.m.: *One-day Workshop: Multiwatermedia Painting on Watercolor Paper* with Marie Siegrist. Appropriate for all levels of painters. Supply list provided upon registration.

\$70. Register at daarts.org.

Mesilla historic property tour: Registration deadline is March 27. Sponsored by Museum of New Mexico Foundation. Info and registration: 575-202-1638.

“Cricket in the Web: 6 p.m. Tuesday, March 31, Downtown Blues Coffee Shop, 130 S. Main St. Book signing event by Las Cruces author Paula Moore. Info: 575-523-8828.

Tombaugh Gallery exhibit to open



COURTESY PHOTO

“What Was the Question Again,” by C.C. Cunningham is one of the 36 pieces of art by Cunningham and Noël Sandino in their exhibit “Beyond Words – One Word Two Visions,” which has an artist reception 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday, March 8, at Tombaugh Gallery, 2000 S. Solano Drive. Call 575-522-7281. Watch for a bigger story on the exhibit and the artists in next week’s Bulletin.

PET OF THE WEEK

March 2nd, 2020



ABOUT ME

Name: Simba
Age: 4 years 10 months
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Unique Bruno Leon homes dot Raasaf Hills

By JESS WILLIAMS
Las Cruces Bulletin

Tucked away in Raasaf Hills, looking east toward the Organ Mountains, is one of four homes designed by renowned Modernist architect Bruno Leon (1924-2013).

All four were designed in the 1970s and have decidedly different footprints, but also stylistic touches that help them stand out from the more traditional adobes surrounding them.

Las Cruces Realtor Mary Mulvihill said she happened to get a listing on one of the four houses and was enthralled by the property as soon as she saw it. She immediately sent an email to The Bulletin: "Having been a Realtor in Las Cruces since 2006, I have seen some very nice homes, but it takes something really special to make me sit up and say, 'OMG, how did that extraordinary



The east-facing profile of Nautilus House in Raasaf Hills.

structure find its way here?" I had one of those minutes several weeks ago when I met with the personal representative of an estate and toured it. This is one of four homes designed by the noteworthy Modernist

Bruno Leon and built in Raasaf Hills."

"I don't get very excited about many things," she said during a recent tour of the property. "At my age, it takes something pretty incredible to get my attention," she said.

The Leon-designed 'Nautilus House' got her attention. It did so in such a substantive way that Mulvihill frequently packs a lunch and takes a break from showing properties to enjoy her meal on the east-facing outdoor patio of the glass-intensive home, with its distinct sweeping roofline.

"It's so quiet and beautiful out here," she said.

Built of adobe, Nautilus House is designed as a spiral with large windows in all the main rooms and bedrooms. Because the roof only makes five contact points with the house, there is space for glass between the ceiling and the tops of the walls in every room of the house, allowing light to move through



The master bedroom suite at Nautilus House.

it from east to west all through the day.

"It's a lot of glass, but the rooms are silent," Mulvihill said. "You can't hear anything from one room to the other."

US Modernist's website has a brief biography of Leon that captures both his resume and his New Mexico roots.

"Bruno Leon," the website says, "was born in Van Houten, N.M. He graduated from Wayne State University in 1942, served in WWII in the Air Force 1943-1945 as a pilot, then moved to Raleigh to graduate from the NCSU School of Design in 1953. From 1954-1955, he was head of the design staff for the Buckminster Fuller Research Foundation in Raleigh. From there, he worked for I. M. Pei (1955-1956) then became an instructor at MIT until 1959. Leon also worked for Eduardo Catalano and Pietro Beluschi for a year during the short time they were partners."

"In 1959," the website

continues, "Leon became an assistant professor at the University of Illinois Urbana. In 1961, he moved to the University of Detroit Mercy to be Chairman of planning for a new School of Architecture. Leon was founding Dean (1964-1992). Among other honors, he received an honorary doctorate of humane letters in 1984 from the University of Detroit and was named an honorary professor at the Warsaw University of Technology. Throughout his career, he maintained a private practice as Bruno Leon Associates. He eventually returned to New Mexico and retired from academia."

Aside from the four Leon houses in Raasaf Hills, Leon designed his own retirement home in Santa Fe and designed several other homes in Michigan. The US Modernist's website offers pictures of some of them at ncmodernist.org/leon.htm.

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Danny Gamboa: Selling cars for 43 years

By JESS WILLIAMS
Las Cruces Bulletin

America was freshly done celebrating her 200th birthday in 1977, when a 25-year-old Las Cruces entrepreneur named Danny Gamboa decided to try his hand selling premium used cars from a small lot with a 1,000 square-foot sales office at the corner of Amador and Esperanza streets. Today, it's the oldest independent used-car dealership in Las Cruces.

He'd worked selling cars for the previous four years, working at the local Chevrolet dealership, but he couldn't get promoted off the sales lot into management because he lacked a college degree.

"I figured if I could sell cars for the big boys, I could sell cars for myself," he said, so he started a plan to open his own lot. It took about two years for everything to come together, and during that period, he thought about ways to make his place stand out from every other used-car lot in Las Cruces.

His solution: Corvettes.

In the early days of the dealership, Gamboa was the go-to guy for Corvette enthusiasts. He had a row of the curvy Stingrays out front, and if he didn't have the one a particular customer wanted, he'd hunt the auctions to find the right car.



PHOTOS BY JESS WILLIAMS

Gabriel and Danny Gamboa at the dealership Danny established in 1977.

Over time, the other dealerships in town saw his success and began to carry more Corvettes, as well. Undaunted, Gamboa switched strategies and started stocking Jeeps. Once again, he became a trendsetter in the local market, and once, again, the other dealers followed his lead.

Fast forward 43 years, and the business he started on a shoestring is now home to dozens of vehicles on any given day, and Gamboa himself still travels to the regional wholesale auctions to bring back the cream of the crop for display and sale on his much-expanded lot.

Gamboa outgrew his original lot and sales

building in 2007, and he bought a property on just over three acres just west of the original dealership, upon which he erected what his son, Gabriel, calls "a state-of-the-art facility with a nostalgic feel." In addition to the shiny vintage vehicles, the showroom sports sales offices, a full kitchen, and even a lawyer's office. There used to be a barber shop, too, but it closed. There's a detailing shop in the back.

His dealership remains unique, with a spacious, 18,000-square foot showroom, where he displays vintage cars and trucks – including a 1970's-era Corvette convertible.

"We get a lot of people

who come in here and say they had no idea what was in here," Gamboa said. "Today it's not so much the vehicles on the lot that make us unique. It's the showroom itself. People seem to love it."

Gamboa said a lot has changed in the used-car market since he started his business, but a lot has stayed the same.

"Everyone wants to buy a car," he said, "but the financing is the hard part."

To that end, Gamboa has long maintained personal relationships with the loan officers of the local banks, credit unions and loan companies. He said his business model is one-on-one lis-



Danny Gamboa with a 1970s Corvette in his expansive showroom.

tening, then finding the right fit in terms of both vehicle and financing options for each customer.

Gamboa and his son, Gabriel, are the driving forces behind Casa de Autos, but the whole family has had involvement at one level or another.

"I sold my first car here when I was 13, in 1994," Gabriel Gamboa said. "It was a '76 or '77 VW van, and I sold it to a couple of hippies for \$700. I'll always remember it."

All three of Danny Gamboa's children – Gabriel, Tess and Leandra

– have degrees from New Mexico State University, and all of them put in their time alongside Dad at the dealership. Gabriel and Tess took to the sales side, while Leandra developed an expertise in title transfers. Even Danny Gamboa's wife, Paula, and grandson Othello have pitched in. Paula helped keep the books and Othello, now 17, detailed cars.

Tess went on to become a physical-rehabilitation doctor with a practice in Albuquerque, and Leandra is an

Christine Logan: Face of New Mexico's Economic Development Department Las Cruces office

By **MIKE COOK**
Las Cruces Bulletin

Software to salsa, Reserve to Rincon, Christine Logan's boots are on the ground for the New Mexico Economic Development Department's



Christine Logan

(NMEDD) Las Cruces office that serves seven south-west counties.

"I'm on the road a lot," said Logan, the NMEDD community, business and rural development representative in Doña Ana, Sierra, Socorro, Luna, Grant and Catron counties.

One of the most frequent questions she asks during face-to-face meetings with business owners and entrepreneurs throughout the region is, "What do you need? Let's sit down and talk," Logan said.

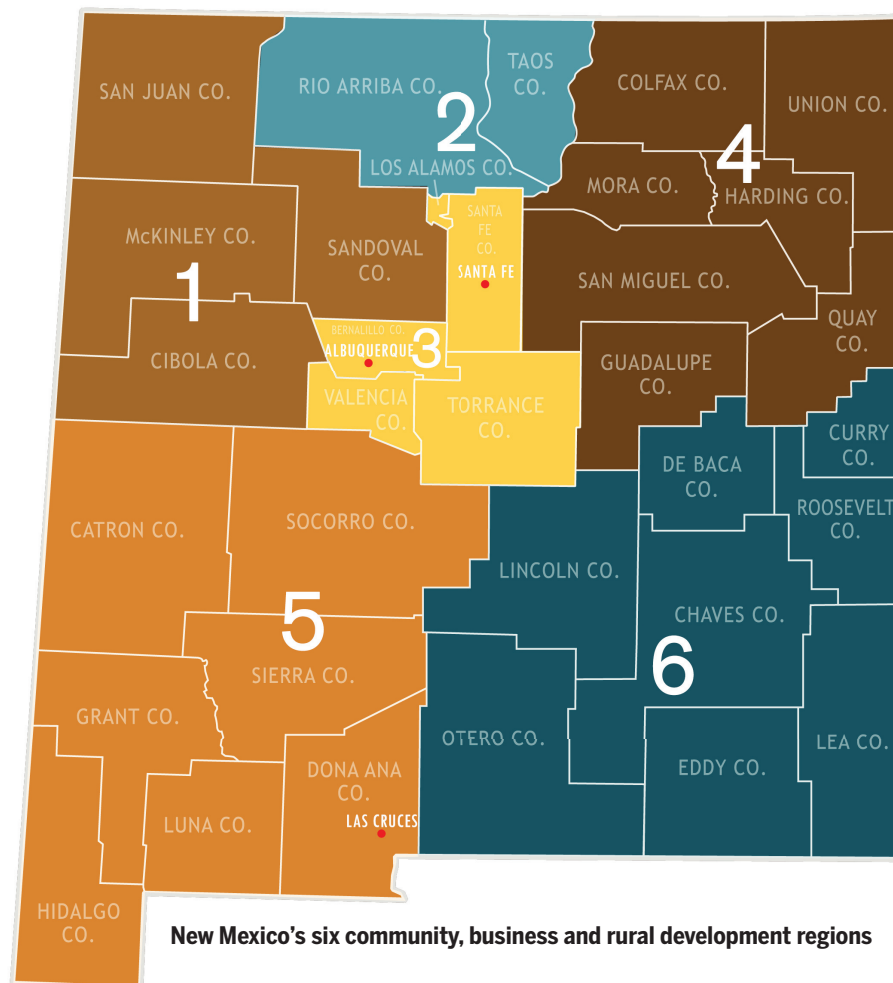
The service area ranges from metropolitan areas like Las Cruces, that have most or all of the major amenities, to towns and unincorporated communities like Columbus and Pie Town that need help with all aspects of economic

development, including recruitment, site development, infrastructure, workforce and housing, as well as connections to suppliers, accountants, small business development and other helpers.

"I try to build relationships in all these places," Logan said.

Logan's office is at Arrowhead Park on the New Mexico State University campus, which makes it easy for her to connect start-up companies throughout the region with the Arrowhead Park business incubator. Its students and staff provide guidance on business planning/development and job training, along with providing demographics like traffic counts and median incomes.

Recently, Logan helped Agmechtronics, an automated farm-equipment company, relocate from rural Grant County into Silver City. Working with Doña Ana Community College's Small Business Development Center in Las Cruces, she met with the business owners in a barn and helped them "to make that leap" to a large commercial site that allowed them to increase their workforce



New Mexico's six community, business and rural development regions

from 10 to 25 and double or triple their manufacturing capacity. It also gave them a findable address instead of "down the dirt road and left at the tree," Logan said.

Logan helped secure \$200,000 in state Local Economic Development Act (LEDA) funds to help bring Big Tuna USA pipe manufacturers to Las Cruces in January.

"We're all here for you in the long term," Logan told Big Tuna Director of Operations Mike Waters at the Jan. 21 news conference announcing that the company had signed a lease on a 15,000-square-foot property on west Amador Avenue.

For another business,

Logan made a call to the New Mexico Taxation and Revenue Department and even participated in a conference call with the department to find the right staff member for her client to talk to. Sometimes she can help most by translating what a business owner needs into language that a banker or a zoning official can understand.

Before it expanded to Las Cruces, Logan helped Little Toad Creek brewery get operational in Silver City, and she helped T or C Brewing Company find a location in Truth or Consequences and then to open an off-site location in Arroyo Plaza in Las

Cruces.

Logan also helped Sunland Park market itself to potential customers as a city in southern Doña Ana County and not just an interstate exit. She's working to improve internet access in Socorro, where the service is excellent on the New Mexico Tech campus but "bad otherwise," she said.

"We're helping people to tie all of that together," Logan said. "Hand holding is a really strong part of doing business in southern New Mexico," she said.

In addition to NMSU and DACC, Logan can also connect business owners to Western New Mexico University and

New Mexico Tech, as well chambers of commerce, MainStreet programs and councils of government.

Logan has helped the City of Las Cruces with business-retention efforts, providing information on an ordinance that's helping with that issue in Rio Rancho, and she's using what's worked for the Mesilla Valley Economic Development Alliance (MVEDA) to help create a new economic development group in Grant County.

And, with a single phone call, Logan has the potential to bring NMEDD Sec. Ryan Stewart or New Mexico Workforce Solutions Department Sec. Bill McCamley to any part of the state to welcome a new business or celebrate the success of an existing one. And, she can sometimes even bring in the governor.

Logan worked as a surveyor for the City of Las Cruces before going to work for NMEDD about seven years ago, and that's helped her better understand how important land use is to successful economic development.

"It does all tie together," she said.

As New Mexico's economy changes, Logan said she is now getting asked for help from more businesses interested in hemp production (and one mushroom farm) and in outdoor recreation

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Coronavirus economics in play as virus spreads

Judging by the stock market, investors are starting to take the novel coronavirus seriously. As of this writing (Feb. 28), the market is down 12 percent from its all-time high two weeks before. This is bad news as the best single indicator of future economic activity. The market seems to be predicting that Covid-19, the disease caused by coronavirus is to be taken seriously.

Other measures of future economic activity also are moving down. One index that predicts recessions has increased in the last month from 20 percent probability during 2020 to 40 percent.



CHRIS ERICKSON

State of the Economy

Oil prices, an import indicator for New Mexico, has seen a major sell. West Texas Crude fell below \$50, the magic number underlying state budget estimates.

The fear is that attempts to contain the virus will disrupt international trade. Global markets are far more integrated today than in 2003, when another coronavirus caused the SARS outbreak. Airline travel, for example, has doubled since then and international trade has increased by a factor of three.

And yet the virus spreads, with outbreaks in Italy, Japan and elsewhere. As of this writ-

ing, the first report of an outbreak in the United States not related to international travel was reported.

We don't know a lot about Covid-19. We do know that the virus spreads easier than its recent predecessors—SARS and MERS. Symptoms start mild. Victims, not realizing that they are sick, inadvertently expose others to infection.

Things are changing fast, but right now, as I write, there have been about 80,000 cases diagnosed. Many patients suffer respiratory distress, with about 15 percent needing hospitalization with an average stay of about 10 days; about 3 percent dying. This is a very high mor-

idity and mortality, much higher than seasonal flu, for example.

On the face of it, this is very scary. If in the long run, these numbers prove to be representative of the disease, this will be the worse epidemic in our lifetimes. But here is the thing, we have diagnosed 80,000 cases but there is selection bias. Early on in a new disease, the sick who show up at the doctors' office get diagnosed.

There may be many cases that are asymptomatic or nearly asymptomatic that go undiagnosed.

If there are, in fact, a large number of undiagnosed cases, then the true morbidity and mor-

tality rates may be much lower. But who knows? Also, our current experience comes mainly from China, where medical care is much more modest than in western countries.

Ironically, the attempts to prevent the spread of Covid-19 may be more harmful economically than the disease itself. In Peking, for example, residents are encouraged to stay at home. If they must go out, they must show a pass to their apartment door attendant to be let out, then their temperature is taken every three blocks. Trying to do business in these circumstances is difficult.

Should Covid-19 escape into the general

population, which it appears to have done, efforts to quarantine and contain will be phased out as ineffective. The consequence will be a return to business as normal, although with many sick colleagues not reporting to work.

One thing we can say for sure is that there is a great deal of uncertainty about Covid-19, and markets hate uncertainty.

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GAMBOA

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immigration attorney in San Francisco. Othello is studying art in Santa Fe.

Asked about numbers of sales spanning 43 years, Danny Gamboa shrugged and said, "countless."

Next to the business office, facing the showroom, there's a flat-screen TV that shows a running series of slides of the most recent customers along with Danny or Gabriel shaking the customer's hand in front of the newly purchased vehicle.

"The reason for our longevity, Danny Gamboa said, "is our ability to adapt to change and the fact that we stand by

our products. If someone buys a car from me, and they don't like it, I'll buy it back. And people like the fact that on Fridays, I just might pop open a beer with them."

Gabriel Gamboa said the dealership isn't going anywhere for a good, long time. "My father taught me that the person whose name is up

on the sign is who you should find inside the building. I will continue to be the person you find."

The inventory at Danny Gamboa's Casa de Autos can be viewed on the lot or at casadeautosnm.com. Business hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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Two LCHS wrestlers claim gold in state tournament

By **MIKE COOK**
Las Cruces Bulletin

For senior David Graves and sophomore Avery Atma, their 2020 state wrestling championships are the ultimate recognition for the thousands of hours they have put in on the wrestling mat since the eighth grade. For Las Cruces High School and the Las Cruces school district, the titles are a celebration of students who excel in athletics and in academics: Graves has a 4.1 GPA and Atma has a 3.7.

The two young men “exemplify what we’re all about,” said long-time LCHS Head Wrestling Coach Kevin Marks. “They are true student athletes.”

Graves, 18, won gold in the 145-pound weight class, with a 2019-20 record of 44 wins and four losses; and Atma, 16, won in the 120-pound class, with a 37-3 record, at the New Mexico Activities Association 2020 Wrestling State Championship Jan. 21-22 in Rio Rancho. Both Bulldawgs are Las Cruces natives.

LCPS had a third state



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Senior David Graves, left, and sophomore Avery Atma, right, won state championships in the 2020 New Mexico Activities Association state Wrestling Tournament in Albuquerque in February. With them is their head wrestling coach, Kevin Marks.

champion crowned at the tournament, as Oñate High School senior Angelita Altamirano won the girls’ wrestling title in the 100-pound weight class. She made history by becoming the first girls wrestling champion in the state, said LCPS Athletic Director Ernest Viramontes.

Graves will graduate this May and plans to attend prep school in Boston, study aeronautical engineering and continue wrestling. He’s also a gymnast and played on the LCHS football team.

Graves said wrestling has given him “the ability to know my limits and how

to break through them. No matter how tired I am, I still have more,” he said. Winning a state championship meant “everything I’ve put in it for five years finally came to fruition,” Graves said, like “growing a fruit tree and finally eating the fruit.”

Atma reached the finals at last year’s state championship and worked extra hard this year to win the gold. “Wrestling is a passion for him,” Marks said. “He’s been putting in the hours.” Atma plans to defend his title as an LCHS junior next year and hopes one day to wrestle for Penn State.



PHOTO BY JIM SCHAPEKAHM, OÑATE HIGH SCHOOL

The state’s first girls’ wrestling champion, Angelita Altamirano, of Oñate High School.

“There’s nothing I’d rather do than be on the wrestling mat,” Atma said. Winning the state title has made life less difficult, he said. “Now that I’ve done this, everything is easier,” Atma said.

Because wrestling is an individual rather than a team sport, “everything they did was them,” Marks said. “These kids, they did it. That’s their state championship. No one can take it away from them.”

At the same time, Marks said, Graves, Atma and all his other wrestlers “helped each other get better” all season long. “You’re as good as your training partner,” he said.

In their lives as in wrestling, it’s about “the individual effort that they put forth,” the coach said. It’s the extra discipline and the ability to overcome adversity that makes state champions.

For Graves, that included wrestling the entire season with a broken finger. For Atma, it was dealing with a knee injury.

Atma has two sisters, ages 9 and 11, both of whom are wrestlers like him. He counsels them that being mentally ready on the mat is as important as the physical training. Graves has a brother, age 27, and three sisters, ages 19, 20 and 21, and comes

from a wrestling family.

“I’ve learned you can’t go into a competition being afraid,” Graves said. “You do everything you can,” he said. If one wrestling maneuver doesn’t work, “I’ll just try something else. I’m here to have fun.” The difference for Graves in winning a state championship this year was his ability to win close matches in the last few seconds, Marks said.

“I’m a big believer in God,” Atma said. “The only thing holding you back is you.”

“We love state champs,” the coach said. But more than that, he said, “We’re putting good people out into society.”

Because they won state championships, Graves and Atma have been invited to the National High School Coaches Association Wrestling Tournament, March 27-29 in Virginia Beach, Virginia. Both boys are raising money to help pay for the trip. To make a donation, contact Marks at kmmarks67@icloud.com.

Aguirre tearing up the track

Amerhyst Aguirre has earned all-conference track and field recognition.

The Oñate High School graduate was named to the all-Lone Star Conference second team after earning a silver medal in the 5,000-meter run at the conference championship.



BARBARA BOXLEITNER

Keeping Up

The junior earned eight points for Midwestern State University.

She earned two points by placing seventh in the mile run and finished 13th in the 3,000 run. Aguirre red-shirted the 2019

indoor season.

Women’s basketball

Colby Community College

freshman Estrella Avalos played 29 of 32 games and averaged 6.5 points, sixth on the team. Out of Oñate, she averaged 3.6 rebounds per game, fourth on the squad. She had a career-high 10 rebounds during a win over Cloud County, when she led players from both teams with 16 points and a career-best six blocked shots. Avalos led the squad by averaging 1.2 blocked shots.

Colby freshman Alize Ruiz

started 10 of 30 games and averaged 8.8 points and 6.8 rebounds, both third on the squad. The Mayfield High alumna scored at least 10 in 15 games, including a season-high six consecutive to begin the season. She reached double figures in rebounds nine times, with a season-best 15 against Northwest Kansas Technical.

Women’s swimming

California State Univer-

sity, Bakersfield senior Alyssa Madero finished in a season-best time in the 200-yard backstroke at the Western Athletic Conference championship. The Las Cruces High graduate placed 15th in 2 minutes, 3.99 seconds.

Men’s basketball

Mayfield graduate Jorell Satterfield played in all 30 (28-2) regular season games for Ranger College and led

the freshmen with 29 starts.

Satterfield reached double figures in points 21 times, including in eight consecutive. He had a career-high 28 points during a win over Collin, when he led players from both teams in scoring and led the Rangers with 11 rebounds.

Send updates about area athletes to Barbara Boxleitner at jdanddoc@gmail.com.

Three topics: New league, music and CBS firings

Premier Golf League

Just last week, a golfer at my gym asked me, "What's this I hear about a new proposed professional world golf tour that's trying to lure the top players with over-the-top prize money?"



CHARLIE BLANCHARD

Golf Doctor

Here's the quick and dirty news: The upstart Premier Golf League, just announced last month, is yet another attempt to do what Greg Norman (and others) failed to do 26 years ago – try to compete with the PGA Tour on the world stage.

The impetus for this came from a fellow by the name of Andy Gardiner,

an executive at Barclays Capital, and now the PGL CEO, who claims, "We're only doing this because this is what we believe we as a fanbase want."

News sources (e.g. golf.com Feb. 22, 2020) report there are about 60 "shareholders," including the Raine Group (a global merchant bank) and the public investment fund of Saudi Arabia. There are unnamed sponsors, also.

"We have sufficient backing to ensure, if the players and the fans want this to happen, it will happen properly," Gardiner said.

PGL press releases say the new will consist of 48 of the best players who will play a 4-man-team format with 18 tournaments and a \$10 million purse for each event. A few weeks ago, Phil Mickelson, always

interested in more money, traveled to Saudi Arabia to meet and play a pro-am with PGL principles, but he hasn't said if he wants to be a part of it.

Tiger Woods has been mum about the PGL. Rory McIlroy, on the other hand, has flatly come out and said, "I'm out."

And most definitive yet is the reaction of PGA Tour Commissioner Jay Monahan, who has never even spoken to Gardiner. He announced that "nobody will be a member of both the PGA Tour and the Premier Golf League."

We have multiple World Golf Championships, a European Tour, an Asian Tour, LatinoAmerican Tour, Ryder Cup, President's Cup. Who needs more? In my view, with Saudi money closely tied in with this

venture, it smells foul. Plus, it's obvious that investors in Europe are jealous of the PGA Tour making its gobs of billions, so they want in on the action.

Music on the Golf Course

A number of golfers have asked me about music on the golf course -- namely compact Bluetooth speakers in the golf cart cupholder playing music from a cell phone. There are pros and cons about this trend.

Anybody who has watched Caddyshack remembers the grossly annoying blaring boombox in Al Czervik's golf bag. Well, in today's world, music on the golf course isn't like that, but it does have its detractors.

At the PGA Show in Orlando, one of the pros noted, "It's one of those

things where, if we want to keep the game growing, we're just going to have to adapt to younger generations. And music on the course is opening a door to younger people."

It's controversial. According to the revised 2019 USGA Rules of Golf (Rule 4.3a-4), listening to music in any way, whether with ear buds, headphones or speaker, is legal providing it is not for the purpose of eliminating distractions or to help with swing tempo, in which case it could be a penalty.

One guy wrote into links-magazine.com "I'm 100 percent opposed to being forced to endure some jerk's idea of 'music' on the golf course."

I'll admit to having played classical music or Sinatra during some rounds. But as

in all things, consideration for others is paramount.

Kostis and McCord

For weeks, I've stewed over the recent firings of Peter Kostis and Gary McCord by CBS. Actually, their contracts were not renewed, which is pretty much the same thing.

Kostis, who was the on-course roving reporter and swing-analysis expert, believes the decision was largely motivated by pressure from the PGA Tour.

"The Tour wants more control over what's being said," Kostis said. "I think they want more cheerleaders on the telecast."

Dr. Charlie Blanchard is a licensed psychologist specializing in sports and leadership. Contact Blanchard at docblanchard71@gmail.com.

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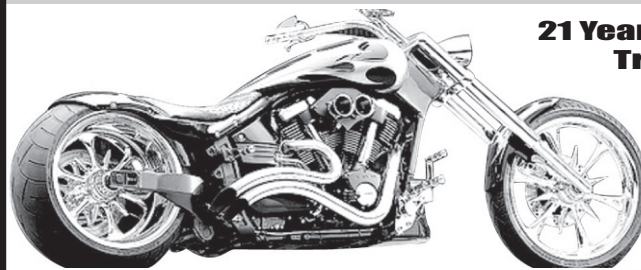
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By Alexia Severson
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While in Dallas, Texas over the Thanksgiving holiday, Las Cruces resident Stacy Hagar experienced severe nose and chest congestion and coughing. With no health insurance at the time, Hagar relied on Electronic Caregiver's technology to get the medical assistance she needed.

Hagar, 56, used pocketMD, a telehealth service offered with Electronic Caregiver's Premier

system, to reach a qualified, licensed physician at the touch of a button. Electronic Caregiver® is a Las Cruces-based 24/7 virtual care and health technology company offering its products and services nationwide.

"It was really convenient," Hagar said of her experience with pocketMD. "I didn't have to make an appointment and wait for it and then go out and potentially get a lot of other people sick. It was just really easy and quick, and included with my [Premier] subscription."



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pocketMD included with Premier Series 1

Hagar subscribed to Electronic Caregiver's Premier, a 24/7 mobile security and care support system, after retiring from her position as a securities industry regulator. She opted for pocketMD with the idea that she would use it to bridge the gap while in between coverage plans, as well as to supplement her health insurance in the future.

Using pocketMD during her trip in Dallas, Hagar was connected with a physician about 45 minutes after initially reaching out. A prescription was sent to her preferred pharmacy and ready for pickup when she got off the phone.

"[The doctor] concluded I had a respiratory virus and prescribed me three different medications," Hagar said.

Since then, Hagar said she has had to use the pocketMD service again – this time while in Las Cruces. The physician response time was about five minutes, with a prescription called in immediately.

Hagar said the pocketMD feature is one of the reasons she would recommend the Premier to others.

"The value you get with that seems to be really incredible," Hagar said. "For a subscription

price, you can contact a doctor an unlimited number of times."

"It's really nice to know you can get that kind of stuff done on a facetime-like visit or over the phone," she added. Hagar also values the feeling of safety the Premier system provides, she said.

In addition to pocketMD, the Premier includes a wearable wrist pendant featuring a Medical Concern Button that connects users to 24/7 emergency response services and a mini controller that provides care plan reminders, geolocation and activity monitoring.

"I live by myself and so I think it's a great tool to use, for any reason – traveling, when I'm out hiking – it just gives me a sense of security to have it with me," Hagar said. "If I need help, it's a moment away."

Fortunately, Hagar has not yet had to use the Medical Concern Button in an emergency, but she has tested her device several times to make sure it was working properly and is pleased with the response time, she said.

"There's not even really a phone ring before [Rapid Response Care Professionals] answer and ask if everything

is OK," Hagar said. "Rapid Response verifies my identity and asks if everything is alright and I say 'yes,' so it's very fast. I'm very happy about that because it's much faster than 911 would be before I can get someone on the phone."

Hagar said being able to wear the water-resistant wrist pendant at all times makes it more accessible than a cellphone.

"If you think about the situation when you're lying in bed and someone broke your door down – if I didn't have [the Premier], I would have to fumble for my phone and dial 911 and then wait," she said.

Hagar, who owns the Premier in mauve, said she also appreciates the fact that the wrist pendant is fashionable.

"It looks really nice," she said. "I don't think it looks like a medical device."

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