Bryant to continue as City Attorney

By Sue Stafford

Correspondent

Long-time Sisters City Attorney Steve Bryant will continue in that role for the City of Sisters.

Acting as the Contract Review Board, council members voted 4-0 Thursday night to approve a new three-year contract with Bryant, Emerson & Fitch for City attorney services and authorized the City manager to execute the contract. The previous contract was effective July 1, 2012 until June 30, 2016 with two possible one-year extensions.

There was no discussion regarding the contract approval.

Recently, Bryant was called into question for alleged conflict-of-interest claims regarding his firm's relationship with Kevin Cox and Ageia Health Services, applicant for development of the senior living facility at McKenzie Meadows Village.

In a letter from Bryant to the City regarding the conflict-of-interest allegations, Bryant stated, "...my office does not represent Kevin Cox or Ageia Health Services, LLC in connection with any matters involving the City of Sisters, including any development application or other 'disputes.' Mr. Cox and Ageia Health Services, LLC have been and continue to be represented by Laura Cooper, an attorney in Bend, Oregon, regarding their development application.

"Another attorney in my office does represent Mr. Cox relative to some personal matters and to the formation and management of his corporations. None of that work involves any issues concerning the City of Sisters and there is no conflict in our representation of the City..."

The full text of Bryant's letter to Councilors may be found with the online version of this story at www. nuggetnews.com.

In other business, two members were appointed to the Planning Commission.

Roger Detweiler, outof-city member, is a retired attorney and former executive director of multiple professional and nonprofit organizations. Daryl Tewalt, in-city member, has served on the Planning Commission for almost 10 years and was reappointed for another term.



Me and Earl and The Dying Girl (PG-13)

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Magic Mike XXL (R)

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Inside Out (PG)
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Mon-Thurs 3:45, 5:30

Jurassic World (PG-13)

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Love & Mercy (PG-13) Fri 4:00 • Sun 2:00 Mon-Thurs 7:30

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Lightning lit up the sky Friday night. Luckily — so far —Sisters Country hasn't seen any significant fire starts from the event.

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Thursday~July 2

Sisters Roundup of Gems

9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Over 40 displays of rocks, fossils, minerals & gems from around the world! ogmshows.com.

The Open Door "Artist at Work" with Jim Horsley 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Demonstration of oil painting. For more info call Helen at 541-549-9552.

Faith Hope & Charity Vineyards Live Music with The Substitutes 6 to 9 p.m. \$10 cover. Info, call 541-526-5075 or go to faithhopeandcharityevents.com.

Friday~July 3

Faith Hope & Charity Vineyards Live Music with Off the Record 6 to 9 p.m. \$5 cover. For more information call 541-526-5075 or go to faithhopeandcharityevents.com.

Sisters Elementary School Sisters Roundup of Gems 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Over 40 displays of rocks, fossils, minerals & gems from around the world! ogmshows.com.

Hardtails Bar & Grill Live Music with Derek Michael Marc & the Double D 6 to 10 p.m. on the outdoor deck. Never a cover! 541-549-6114

'Sup Dog? Grand Opening Party with Live Music by Jim Goodwin 6:30 p.m. Corner of
Fir Street & Hood Avenue.

The Open Door "Artist at Work" with Jim Horsley 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Oil painting demonstration. 541-549-9552.

Barclay Park Sisters Farmers Market 2 to 5 p.m. For more info call 541-719-8030 or go to sistersfarmersmarket.com.

Saturday~July 4

Sisters Eagle Airport Fly-in Celebration 7 a.m. for pancakes (\$5 donation); 5K Runway Run (\$35 entry includes breakfast & T-shirt); Hot Rods show; 10 a.m. for Great Rubber Chicken Drop raffle (\$5 per chance). Funds support the SHS flight sciences program. sistersairport.com.

Sisters Elementary School Sisters Roundup of Gems

9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Rocks, fossils, minerals & gems from around the world! Info: 503-829-2680 or go to ogmshows.com.

Hop & Brew Chair-A-Table Upcycle/Recycle Art Silent Auction 2 to 6 p.m. Fundraiser for Sisters Habitat for Humanity, with appetizers, no-host bar and Live Music with Doug Williams. For more information call Robin at 541-549-1621.

Black Butte Ranch 4th of July Celebration 8 a.m. fun run; 10:30 a.m. bike decorating; 11 a.m. parade; noon to 3 p.m. BBQ & live entertainment with Biff Harley; and much more! Live Music with The Ashlings and Laurel Brauns 6 to 8 p.m.

For additional information visit blackbutteranch.com or call 866-901-2961.

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Camp Sherman Bridge Friends of the Metolius Interpretive Walk 10 a.m. to noon. Walk a Camp Sherman Bridge-Allingham Bridge round trip & learn about the habitat. For more information call leader Scott Blau at 503-675-7764 or 541-595-6439.

Sunday~July 5

Sisters Elementary School Sisters Roundup of Gems 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Final day! Rocks, fossils, minerals & gems from around the world! For info go to ogmshows.com.

Streets of Sisters "Around the Block" Fiber Arts Stroll noon to 4 p.m. Artists display & demo work at galleries and shops throughout town. For more information go to sistersoutdoorquiltshow.org.

Camp Sherman Community Hall Pancake Breakfast 8 to 11 a.m. Enjoy the annual fundraiser with pancakes, ham, eggs, blueberries, juice & coffee. \$8 adults (+\$1 for blueberries), \$5 kids under 10, free under 5. For more information call 541-595-6342.

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Monday~July 6

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The Open Door Live Music with Parlour 7 to 9 p.m.
No cover! For information call 541-549-6076 or go online to opendoorwinebar.com.

Wed.~July 8

Sisters High School Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show 40th Anniversary Celebration 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. \$20pp. With live music, the Quilters of Gee's Bend & much more! For tickets call 541-549-1004.

Thursday~July 9

Studio Redfield Artists' Reception for the Quilters of Gee's Bend 3:30 to 6 p.m. For more information call 541-588-6332 or go online to studioredfield.com.

Homes of Sisters Sisters Garden Club's Home & Garden Tour 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. \$15 per person. For information go to sistersgardenclub.com.

Faith Hope & Charity Vineyards Live Music! Derek Michael Marc 6 to 9 p.m. \$10 cover. For more information call 541-526-5075 or go to faithhopeandcharityevents.com.

Stitchin' Post Artist Signing of 2015 SOQS Poster 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Dennis McGregor will sign copies of his official poster for this year's quilt show! For info call 541-549-6061 or go to stitchinpost.com.

Sisters Chamber "Wish Upon A Card" Artists' Reception 3:30 to 6 p.m. All are invited to the unveiling of the fundraising postcards. Free! Refreshments will be served. For additional information call 541-549-0251.

Deadline for the Events Calendar is 5 p.m. Fridays to Teresa@NuggetNews.com



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