

OBITUARIES

Vincent Raymond Gersch



December 17, 1921 — April 21, 2016

Vincent Raymond Gersch, 94, Mt. Angel, passed away April 21, 2016, at the Marquis Silver Gardens, Silverton. He was born on December 17, 1921, on the family

farm in Crooked Finger, Scotts Mills, to Ambrose and Theodocia Gersch. Vincent graduated 8th grade from Noble School in Scotts Mills, joined the Marines at the age of 19 and served during WWII in Guadalcanal, Saipan, and Okinawa. After Vince's discharge in 1945, he held a commercial pilot license and maintained his private pilot's license for many years. On September 25, 1971, he married

Orpha Mae Fridley in Las Vegas, Nevada. They eventually moved to Milwaukie, Oregon and retired to Mt. Angel Towers in Mt. Angel. He wore many hats during his working career from logger to pilot to school bus driver and retired from USPS.

He is survived by his step-children, Barbara Ripple of Kaneohe, Hawaii and Alan Fridley of Narooma, NSW Australia; his brother, Leo Gersch of

Spring Valley, California and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ambrose and Theodocia Gersch; his brothers, Joseph, John, Ambrose, Albert, and Martin; and his sisters Veronica and Mary. His true love Orpha passed in 2012.

Service will be Wednesday, June 1, 2016, at 11 a.m. at the Holy Rosary Church on Etlin Loop,

Crooked Finger, Oregon, followed by burial at Holy Rosary Cemetery. Tears, laughter and visiting will follow at a bratwurst luncheon to be served on the church grounds.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorials be made to Willamette Valley Hospice, Mt. Angel Knights of Columbus and/or Holy Rosary Church. The family is also thankful for the compassionate care given to Vincent by the caregivers at Silver Garden.

Teresa Maria Howe



October 16, 1924 — May 17, 2016

Teresa M. Howe died peacefully at home in West Salem, surrounded by family and a loving energy.

in her sleep



Teresa was born in Cavite City in the Philippines October 16, 1924 to parents Felisa and Eugenio Amalia. She married John L. Howe Jr. III, and they raised two sons in Silverton, he preceded her in death in 1975. She is survived by son, Richard Howe (Annette); son, John Howe (Sherry); granddaughter Tiffany Howe; grandson, Jordan Howe (Rachael); great-grandsons Jameson and Callan; grandson Mitchell Howe (Katie) great-grandchildren Madelyn, Preston and Jacob; granddaughter, Jena Walker (TJ) great-grandchildren, Ella, Tyson, Lucy, June

and Carson; granddaughter Zoya Howe and many close friends.

Teresa was always the life of the party and she enjoyed dancing, playing cards and games, and was an avid gardener. She was an amazing cook always preparing multiple dishes to please the particular tastes of her guests. She celebrated life to the fullest and made everyone feel special and loved. We are blessed to have known her, she was a beautiful soul inside and out, we will do our best to follow her lead and make her proud.

A celebration of Teresa's life was held at Unger Funeral Chapel in Silverton. The family would like to thank Willamette Valley Hospice and the loving staff at Tokarski Home. If you wish to make a donation in Teresa's honor, please consider Willamette Valley Hospice, 1015 3rd St. NW, Salem, Oregon 97304.

Daniel Lee Coffman

Feb. 12, 1956 — May 6, 2016

Private family service. Arrangements by Unger Funeral Chapel.

Beverly Ann Lorenzen

Feb. 4, 1936 — May 17, 2016,

Funeral service pending. Arrangements by Unger Funeral Chapel.

Virginia Over

May 14, 1940 — May 19, 2016

Funeral service pending. Arrangements by Unger Funeral Chapel.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

A public meeting of the Mt. Angel Fire District will be held on June 9, 2016 at 8:00 pm at 300 Monroe St., Mt. Angel, Oregon. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016 as approved by the Mt. Angel Fire District Budget Committee. A summary of the budget is presented below. A copy of the budget may be inspected or obtained at 300 Monroe St, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. This budget is for an annual budget period. This budget was prepared on a basis of accounting that is the same as the preceding year.

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FINANCIAL SUMMARY - RESOURCES

	Actual Amount	Adopted Budget	Approved Budget
	2014-2015	This Year 2014-2015	Next Year 2016-2017
Beginning Fund Balance/Net Working Capital	400,990	432,610	533,074
Fees, Licenses, Permits, Fines, Assessments & Other Service Charges	0		
Federal, State and All Other Grants, Gifts, Allocations and Donations	2,755	50	50
Revenue from Bonds and Other Debt	0	10,930	0
Interfund Transfers / Internal Service Reimbursements	161,500	75,100	100,100
All Other Resources Except Property Taxes	13,319	20,760	2,595
Property Taxes Estimated to be Received	439,289	436,301	439,750
Total Resources	1,017,853	975,751	1,075,569

FINANCIAL SUMMARY - REQUIREMENTS BY OBJECT CLASSIFICATION

	Actual Amount	Adopted Budget	Approved Budget
	2014-2015	This Year 2014-2015	Next Year 2016-2017
Personnel Services	115,890	150,480	137,490
Materials and Services	136,543	164,920	160,220
Capital Outlay	129,931	253,820	358,733
Debt Service	0	113,268	0
Interfund Transfers	161,500	75,050	100,050
Contingencies	0	20,000	20,000
Special Payments	0	0	0
Unappropriated Ending Balance and Reserved for Future Expenditure	473,989	198,213	299,076
Total Requirements	1,017,853	975,751	1,075,569

FINANCIAL SUMMARY - REQUIREMENTS BY ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT OR PROGRAM *

Name of Organizational Unit or Program	FTE for that unit or program		
Fire & Emergency Services	382,364	569,220	656,443
FTE	1.5	1.5	1.75
Not Allocated to Organizational Unit or Program	635,489	406,531	419,126
FTE	0	0	0
Total Requirements	1,017,853	975,751	1,075,569
Total FTE	1.5	1.5	1.75

PROPERTY TAX LEVIES

	Rate or Amount Imposed	Rate or Amount Imposed	Rate or Amount Approved
Permanent Rate Levy (rate limit 1.0146 per \$1,000)	1.0146/\$1000	1.0146/\$1000	1.0146/\$1000
Local Option Levy			
Levy For General Obligation Bonds	123,305	118,579	113,246

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

LONG TERM DEBT	Estimated Debt Outstanding on July 1.	Estimated Debt Authorized, But Not Incurred on July 1
General Obligation Bonds	\$685,000	
Other Bonds		
Other Borrowings		
Total	\$685,000	

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

A public meeting of the Mt. Angel School District will be held on June 13, 2016 at 6:30 pm at 730 E. Marquam St, Mt. Angel, Oregon. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016 as approved by the Mt. Angel School District Budget Committee. A summary of the budget is presented below. A copy of the budget may be inspected or obtained at 890 E. Marquam Street between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., or online at www.masd91.org. This Budget is for an annual budget period. This budget was prepared on a basis of accounting that is the same as the basis of accounting used during the preceding year.

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FINANCIAL SUMMARY - RESOURCES

	Actual Amount	Adopted Budget	Approved Budget
	Last Year 2014-15	This Year 2015-16	Next Year 2016-17
Beginning Fund Balance	\$11,300,671	\$6,946,669	\$3,078,443
Current Year Property Taxes, other than Local Option Taxes	1,676,320	1,815,877	1,845,757
Current Year Local Option Property Taxes			
Other Revenue from Local Sources	702,781	786,732	658,540
Revenue from Intermediate Sources	90,651	142,867	252,970
Revenue from State Sources	5,559,928	5,612,216	6,151,702
Revenue from Federal Sources	638,429	680,413	611,137
Interfund Transfers	202,435	140,104	133,339
All Other Budget Resources	1,800	1,000	500
Total Resources	\$20,173,015	\$16,125,878	\$12,732,388

FINANCIAL SUMMARY - REQUIREMENTS BY OBJECT CLASSIFICATION

	Actual Amount	Adopted Budget	Approved Budget
	Last Year 2014-15	This Year 2015-16	Next Year 2016-17
Salaries	\$3,984,225	\$4,178,249	\$4,371,326
Other Associated Payroll Costs	2,288,331	2,845,719	2,925,294
Purchased Services	1,482,668	1,205,170	1,050,574
Supplies & Materials	447,418	711,569	734,053
Capital Outlay	4,020,110	4,845,359	1,287,771
Other Objects (except debt service & interfund transfers)	377,396	237,359	247,897
Debt Service*	736,093	778,688	783,013
Interfund Transfers*	202,435	140,104	139,825
Operating Contingency		1,183,661	1,192,635
Unappropriated Ending Fund Balance & Reserves			
Total Requirements	\$13,538,676	\$16,125,878	\$12,732,388

FINANCIAL SUMMARY - REQUIREMENTS AND FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT EMPLOYEES (FTE) BY FUNCTION

	Actual Amount	Adopted Budget	Approved Budget
	Last Year 2014-15	This Year 2015-16	Next Year 2016-17
1000 Instruction	\$4,634,990	\$5,423,533	\$5,404,854
FTE	54.65	54.95	54.29
2000 Support Services	2,787,342	3,177,000	3,428,757
FTE	22.73	23.34	25.4
3000 Enterprise & Community Service	325,276	370,950	380,250
FTE	3.5	3.31	3.47
4000 Facility Acquisition & Construction	4,803,905	4,996,833	1,372,235
FTE			
5000 Other Uses			
5100 Debt Service*	784,728	833,797	819,817
5200 Interfund Transfers*	202,435	140,104	133,840
6000 Contingency		1,050,730	930,819
7000 Unappropriated Ending Fund Balance		132,931	261,816
Total Requirements	\$13,538,676	\$16,125,878	\$12,732,388
Total FTE	80.88	81.6	83.16

* not included in total 5000 Other Uses. To be appropriated separately from other 5000 expenditures.

PROPERTY TAX LEVIES

	Rate or Amount Imposed	Rate or Amount Imposed	Rate or Amount Approved
Permanent Rate Levy (Rate Limit 4.6268per \$1,000)	4.6268	4.6268	4.6268
Local Option Levy			
Levy For General Obligation Bonds	\$744,144	\$817,622	\$827,143

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

LONG TERM DEBT	Estimated Debt Outstanding on July 1	Estimated Debt Authorized, But Not Incurred on July 1
General Obligation Bonds	\$10,936,683	
Other Bonds		
Other Borrowings	\$128,566	
Total	\$11,065,249	

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage license applications with Marion County

Matthew Alan Barth, 22, Mt. Angel, and **Arianna Rianin Gilbert**, 21, Mt. Angel.

Magdaleno Gaspar Perez, 34, Silverton, and **Reynalda**

Eusebia Lopez Gaspar, 49, Silverton.

Jacob Conrad Watterberg, 34, Ocean Park, Washington, and **Jena Minhua Agenbroad**, 21, Silverton.

Christopher Michael Predeek, 37, Silverton, and **Lisa Anne Coddington**, 35, Silverton.



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The Gallon House Covered Bridge, built in 1916, stretches over Abiqua Creek in the Silverton area.

Bridge

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oldest bridge, the last remaining of four covered bridges, and the oldest extant covered bridge in the state. It was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1979.

The Gallon House Bridge was so-named because of its proximity to a local "gallon house" that reportedly sold bootleg spirits in the early decades of the 20th Century. On June 6, 1904, Oregon voters approved the Local Option Act that allowed each city to ban the sale of alcohol. Silverton citizens subsequently voted to be "dry," while Mt. Angel voters chose to be "wet" and allow the sale of alcohol. According to local folklore, an enterprising saloon owner erected a small house on the north end of the bridge and stocked it with liquor. Residents of Silverton who wanted to partake walked to the bridge, crossed to the Mt. Angel side and purchased a bottle, jug, or fruit jar and returned home. Folks got around the law by selling the gallon jugs, but "giving away" the spirits. When the Volstead Act created Prohibition across the county, the liquor trade in both towns

went underground.

Despite being swept off its footings and suffering considerable damage, the bridge survived the Flood of 1964, considered one of the worst to affect the Willamette River covering 152,789 acres. The Board of Commissioners decided the bridge should be repaired and maintained as a historic landmark. Fortunately, Marion County road maintenance crews were able to set it back in place. In 1985, county road crews repaired the bridge to accept traffic up to a 10-ton limit. The portals were hinged to allow them to be opened for taller loads when necessary. In 1990, because of its poor structural condition, the bridge was rehabilitated and the hinged portals removed.

The Gallon House Bridge is also listed on the World Guide to Covered Bridges and in the Library of Congress National Covered Bridges Recording Project as "Significant" as the last covered bridge in Marion County and the oldest extant covered bridge in the state of Oregon.

For directions to the Gallon House Bridge and for more information about the rededication ceremony and other events, please visit www.gallonhousebridge.net.