

On The Record

SNAP to allocate emergency allotments in July

SALEM—Most Oregonians who receive Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits will receive emergency allotments in July. The federal government has approved emergency allotments every month since March 2020, to give SNAP recipients additional support during the COVID-19 pandemic.

In July, approximately 465,000 SNAP households will receive approximately \$66.5 million in emergency allotments in addition to their regular SNAP benefits.

"We are grateful to have

the opportunity to provide emergency benefits to most SNAP households in Oregon," said Dan Haun, director of the Oregon Department of Human Services (ODHS) Self-Sufficiency Program. "We also know that many Oregonians are still struggling to meet their basic needs due to the COVID-19 pandemic, and we encourage them to contact our partners at 211 and the Oregon Food Bank for support during this difficult time."

Emergency allotments will be available on July 13 for current SNAP households. New SNAP house-

holds will receive the emergency allotments July 30 or Aug. 3.

If you are a SNAP household and your income or the number of people in your household has changed, that could impact your benefits. It is important to make sure we have the most up-to-date information.

You can report any changes to your income or household in many ways:

- Online at: ONE.Oregon.gov

- By mail at: ONE Customer Service Center, PO Box 14015, Salem, OR 97309

- By fax at: 503-378-5628
- By phone at: 1-800-699-9075 or TTY 711

SNAP recipients do not have to take any action to receive these supplemental benefits as they will be issued directly on their EBT cards.

More information about emergency allotments is available at www.oregon.gov/dhs/ASSISTANCE/FOOD-BENEFITS/Pages/About-SNAP.aspx.

Questions about your SNAP benefits should be directed to local ODHS offices or by calling the ONE Customer Service Center at 1-800-699-9075.

OBITUARY

McKEE—Patrick F. McKee went home to be with the Lord at 87+ years of age on June 28, 2021, at his home in Spokane, Wash., with his wife Sharon at his side.

Patrick was born on July 9, 1933, in South Pasadena, Calif., to Catherine and Forrest Milligan McKee. The family moved to Arizona in 1945 and Patrick attended St. Mary's High School, Phoenix and Arizona State University at Tempe.

He served four years in the Navy as Sonarman on USS Hanna. Following military service, he started what would be a long career in banking, holding positions with Wells Fargo Bank, American Savings and State Savings.

During a hiatus from banking Patrick pursued his interest in the restaurant business and owned The Pancake House and Prime Rib House in Yuba City. He then participated in designing, building and managing The Refuge, a fine dining restaurant in Yuba City.

Life brought him back to banking and to the Turlock/Modesto area to First

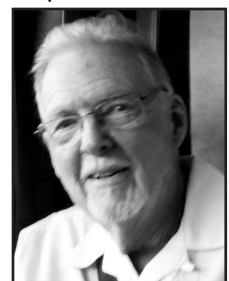
Interstate Bank, where he was VP and Manager of the Branch in Turlock until retirement in 1998. He was active in Turlock, in Rotary Club as past president and treasurer and the Chamber of Commerce as interim president in 1999.

Patrick was an avid golfer, Dodgers fan, a member of Turlock and Modesto Chambers of Commerce, a Deacon at Trinity Presbyterian Church in Modesto and an active member of LWV of Modesto.

After retirement, Patrick and Sharon moved to Florence, Ore., and were active in the Presbyterian Church of Siuslaw. They later moved to Spokane to be with family.

Patrick is survived by his wife Sharon, his three daughters Deidre Korthals (James), Carole Sivley (Dan), and Lisa McKee-Davis (Bradley), six grandchildren and two great grandchildren. He was a loving husband and father who will be missed very much.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Spokane, PO Box 2215, Spokane, WA 99210-2215 or your favorite charity.



Patrick F. McKee

County seeks volunteers for Commission Redistricting Committee

The Lane County Board of Commissioners is required to periodically draw new boundary lines for the five Lane County Commissioner positions. The board is further required to form an Independent Redistricting Committee (IRC) and prepare at least two but not more than four proposed redistricting plans in ordinance form for adoption by the Lane County Board of Commissioners, as required by the Lane County Home Rule Charter.

The new commissioner boundary lines must be drawn in such a way as to not deny any citizen

equal rights. This process is called redistricting and the Lane County Home Rule Charter requires that it be done not less than every 10 years. The boundaries were last drawn on Oct. 26, 2011.

The Lane Charter also requires that the new commissioner boundary lines be adopted in the form of an ordinance by the Lane County Board of Commissioners. Individuals selected will be contributing in the formation of these boundary options.

Meetings: The scheduling of meetings will depend upon receipt of United States Census data, and are

estimated to average two per month through the end of the year.

Membership: 15 regular members and three alternate members.

Geographic membership: Must be a resident of Lane County at the time of appointment. Every reasonable effort will be made to select membership from different geographic areas of Lane County.

Other member requirements: Applicants must complete an ethics/conflict of interest form.

Applications must be received no later than Friday, July 16, at 4 p.m.

All interested applicants

are required to submit both an application for the IRC committee as well as a current Statement of Economic Interest. Both applications are also available online on the Lane County website, lanecounty.org. Hard copies of the applications may be obtained from the Lane County Board of Commissioners' Office in the Lane County Public Service Building, 125 East Eighth Ave. in Eugene, Ore.

Hard copy applications can be turned in at the Lane County Commissioners' Office. Online applications can be emailed to Stephen. Dingle@lanecountyor.gov.

People can apply for Emergency Rental Assistance

Applying for rental assistance can help with rent and utilities and can also help pause potential evictions.

The Oregon Emergency Rental Assistance Program (OERAP) is accepting applications now. The program is offered to all eligible renters regardless of immigration status, and does not impact eligibility for other federally funded programs such as food stamps, Medicaid, Medicare, social security, WIC or public housing. Assistance provided is not a loan.

The Oregon Emergency Rental Assistance Program is accepting applications and renters can apply for

future rent. Apply for rental assistance today and learn more at OregonRentalAssistance.org.

WEATHER DATA

DATE	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
June 29	68	52	0.00
June 30	65	57	0.02
July 1	66	57	0.02
July 2	69	55	0.00
July 3	67	50	0.00
July 4	66	52	0.00
July 5	68	49	0.00

Rainfall Week: 0.04"
Month: 2.39" Year: 32.74"

Courtesy of Roger Cunningham

BIRTH

HERRON—Cade Robert Herron, a boy weighing 9 lbs., 6.3 oz., and measuring 20 in long, was born to Cassandra Souther and Brison Herron on June 28, 2021, at PeaceHealth Peace Harbor Medical Center in Florence, Ore.

Mariners Village Annual Yard Sale
Off Rhododendron DR.
Fri. 07/9 & Sat 07/10
8AM-2PM
Sporting goods, Kayaks, Golf Cubs, Tools Guy Stuff, Furniture, Antiques, Jewelry, Fine Art, Books, Yard Art, huge Assortment of nice Furniture.

Shelter Cove Community Garage Sale
Sat. 07/10
Gates Open 9am-3pm

Yard Sale
Sat. 07/10 & Sun. 07/11
10am-3pm
6266 Skunk Hollow Rd.
There some-thing for everyone.

Helping Hands Coalition

Come and join us for a Spring-time BBQ
Selling Hamburgers, polish and hot dog
We will also have soda, bottled water & chips.
Date: July 17, 2021
Time: 11:00 am to 2:00 pm
Location: Grocery outlet parking lot



All proceeds to stay in Florence and help those in need of a free meal.

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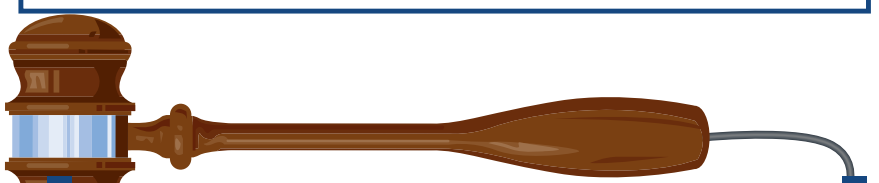
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Rotary Club of Florence, Oregon

INVITES YOU TO OUR VIRTUAL AUCTION 2021 To be held over (4) weekends starting on Thursday June 24th and running through Sunday July 18th



AUCTION #1

THURSDAY JUNE 24TH 5:00PM –
SUNDAY JUNE 27TH 7:00PM

AUCTION #2

THURSDAY JULY 1ST 5:00PM –
SUNDAY JULY 4TH 7:00PM

AUCTION #3

THURSDAY JULY 8TH 5:00PM –
SUNDAY JULY 11TH 7:00PM

AUCTION #4

THURSDAY JULY 15TH 5:00PM –
SUNDAY JULY 18TH 7:00PM

CATEGORIES:

Each weekend auction will have items auctioned from each category below:

1. ALL
2. DONATE
3. HOME & GARDEN
4. TRAVEL
5. ADVENTURE
6. THE ARTS
7. FOOD & BEVERAGE
8. SPORTS
9. PERSONAL CARE & BEAUTY
10. GIFT CERTIFICATES
11. FASHION & ACCESSORIES

Please tour our website

[www. http://www.theflorencerotary.org/](http://www.theflorencerotary.org/)
to learn more about the auction

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