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ONGOING

Grant County Library is open 1-5 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday; 10 a.m.-noon and 1-7 p.m. Tuesday; and 7-9 p.m. Thursday. The library is located at 507 S. Canyon Blvd., John Day.

Canyon Mountain Center offers meditation sittings from 5:30 to 6:10 p.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 511 Hillcrest, John Day. Call ahead, 541-932-2725.

Burns-Hines VA Clinic - Services for Grant County veterans. Immunizations, minor surgical procedures, blood pressure and diabetes monitoring, group therapy for combat PTSD, sobriety and other issues. Lab draws on Wednesdays. Nursing staff and therapy Monday through Friday.

Grant County Genealogical Society Research Center - Open 1-4 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays; and 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturdays. Parsonage building behind Historic Advent Church, West Main Street in John Day. 541-932-4718 or 541-575-2757.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 20

12 p.m. - Seniors Meal Program at the Prairie City Senior Center, Prairie City.

12 p.m. – Women's Support, by Heart of Grant County, for domestic violence survivors. Free lunch. 541-575-4335. 1 p.m. - Grant Cooperative Weed Management Area,

Grant Soil and Water Conservation Office. 541-575-1554. 3:30 p.m. – Humbolt Elementary School Site Council, school library. 541-575-0454.

4 p.m. - Grant County Safe Communities Coalition, Cornerstone Christian Fellowship, John Day. 541-575-1799,

5:30 p.m. - Grant County Law Enforcement Review Council, Grant County Courthouse Conference Room. 6 p.m.- Grant County Public Forest Commission, Squeeze-In Restaurant. 541-620-1949.

6 p.m. - Prairie City Community Association, held in the PCCA office in the former Methodist Church, 211 W. Sixth St., Prairie City.

6:30 p.m. - Prairie City School District 4 Board, school library.

6:30-8:30 p.m. - Family History Center open, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, John Day. Also open by appointment. 541-656-8069.

7 p.m. - VFW 3597, 240 S. Canyon Blvd., John Day. 541-932-4113.

7 p.m. - Grant School District 3 School Board, District 3 office, 401 N. Canyon City Blvd., Canyon City.

7:30 p.m. - Let Go Group of Alcoholics Anonymous, St. Elizabeth Catholic Parish Hall, John Day. 541-575-0114. THURSDAY, Jan. 21

6:30 a.m. - John Day/Canyon City Park and Rec. Board, Belshaw office.

9 a.m.-5 p.m. - Family History Center open, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, John Day. Also open by appointment. 541-656-8069.

10 a.m.-1 p.m. - Monument Food Pantry, food distribution, trailer west of the Senior Center. 541-934-9191.

Noon - Chamber of Commerce, Outpost Restaurant, John Day. 541-575-0547.

Noon - Seniors Meal Program and bingo, John Day Senior Center, 142 N.E. Dayton St. 541-575-1825.

1:30 p.m. - Blue Mountain Hospital Caregivers' Support **Group,** first-floor classroom at Blue Mountain Hospital, John Day. 541-575-0728, Ext. 248, or 541-820-3341.

4-7 p.m. – Blue Mountain Forest Partners, Juniper Room at the Forest Service's supervisor's office, 431 Patterson Bridge Rd., John Day.

5:30 p.m. - Friends of Kam Wah Chung & Company, Kam Wah Chung Interpretive Center, N.W. Canton St., John Day.

541-575-2800. 5:30 p.m. - Blue Mountain Hospital Board, hospital con-

ference room, John Day. 6 p.m. - "The Girlfriends" Women's 12-step Recovery,

John Day Church of the Nazarene. 541-620-0065.

7 p.m. - Prairie City Volunteer Fire Department, Fire Hall. 541-820-4360.

7 p.m. - American Legion Unit 77, Alec Gay Hall. Call Art Pereira, 541-575-1841.

FRIDAY, Jan. 22

3-6 p.m. - United Methodist Church, weekly distribution of boxes of food, 126 N.W. Canton Street, John Day.

7 p.m. - Whiskey Gulch Gang, Sels Brewery, Canyon City. 541-575-0329.

4 p.m. - Long Creek Historical Society, Long Creek City Hall, 541-421-3621.

SUNDAY, Jan. 24

Fun Jam, musicians and listeners welcome for bluegrass, gospel and traditional country western music. Call for time and location, 541-575-1927.

MONDAY, Jan. 25

Noon - Seniors Meal Program, John Day Senior Center,

142 N.E. Dayton St. 541-575-1825. 6 p.m. - Mt. Vernon Volunteer Fire Department, 541-932-

7:30 p.m. - Outlaw Group of Alcoholics Anonymous, Presbyterian Church in Mt. Vernon. 541-932-4844. 7 p.m. - John Day Valley Bass Club, Outpost Restaurant.

All are welcome. William Gibbs, 541-575-2050. TUESDAY, Jan. 26

10-11 a.m. - Story Hour and craft project, Grant County Library, for preschoolers 0-6 years old. 541-575-1992. 12 p.m. - Seniors Meal Program at the Monument Senior

12 p.m. - Transient Room Tax Committee, Grant County Chamber of Commerce, 301 W. Main St., John Day. 12 p.m. - Grant County Genealogical Society, Outpost restaurant, John Day. 541-575-2757, 541-932-4718.

5:15 p.m. - Grant Education District ESD Board, 835 S.

Canyon Blvd., John Day. 541-575-1349. 7 p.m. – John Day City Council, City Hall.

7 p.m. - Grant County Air Search, Grant County Regional Airport meeting room.

7:15 p.m. - Boy Scout Troop 898, John Day Elks Lodge, John Day. 541-575-2531.

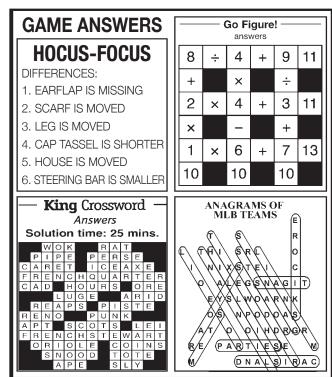
WEDNESDAY, Jan. 27

9 a.m. - Grant County Court, courthouse, Canyon City. 9 a.m. - Shepherd's Closet, open, with free clothing for all ages and coffee, at Prairie City Assembly of God. 541-820-

9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. - Veterans/families services, John Day Elks Lodge. Topics include PTSD services and individual

11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. - TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), weigh-in, meeting. United Methodist Church library, 126 N.W. Canton St., John Day. 541-575-3812, 541-932-4592. 9 a.m-1 p.m. - Grant County Food Bank Surplus Food Distribution, 530 E. Main St., John Day. People are asked to bring empty boxes. Call 541-575-0299.

Puzzle Answers



Public Notice

Oregon Telephone Corporation is the recipient of Federal financial assistance from the Rural Utilities Service, an agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, and is subject to the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, and the rules and regulations of the U.S. Department of Agriculture which provide that no person in the United States on the basis of race, color, age, religion, national origin or handicap shall be excluded from participation in, or admission or access to, denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any of this organization's programs or activities.

The person responsible for coordinating this organization's nondiscrimination compliance efforts is Delinda Kluser, General Manager. Any individual, or specific class of individuals, who feels that this organization has subjected them to discrimination may obtain further information about the statutes and regulations listed above from and/or file a written complaint with this organization; or USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, Room 326-W, Whitten Building, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20250-9410, or call (800)795-3272 (voice) or (202)720-6382 (TDD). USDA is an equal opportunity employer. Complaints must be filed within 180 days after the alleged discrimination. Confidentiality will be maintained to the extent possible."

Public Notice

Invitation to Bid **Courthouse Tile Flooring Preparation and Installation**

Grant County, is currently accepting sealed bids from qualified service providers to perform floor preparation and tile installation in all common areas and stairways (except the top floor) in the Grant County Courthouse located at 201 S. Humbolt, Canyon City OR. Common areas shall include the Main Foyer from east entry to west entry, stairs and landings, Main Floor Conference Room, and Basement Hallway. The tile must match the existing tile in place on the top floor. All necessary floor measurements will be provided to contractors. Please contact Property Maintenance Specialist Nate Hughes 541-620-0720 for measurements, tile specifications, and to arrange an inspection of the premises. The property will not be available for inspection until January 19,

All work performed shall be in accordance with Oregon Administrative Rules, OR-OSHA codes and regulations, and standards adopted by the State of Oregon. Bidders shall provide copies of service provider's current CCB registration, liability insurance, and surety bond. Bidders must submit a detailed floor preparation and tile installation bid itemizing all of the common areas identified above.

Sealed bids must be received by the County Court office, 201 S. Humbolt St. No 280, Canvon City, OR 97820, by 5 pm, Tuesday, January 26, 2016. Bids received by e-mail or facsimile will not be accepted. Bid opening will be January 27, 2016. Grant County retains the right to refuse any and all bids, and to accept the bid that is in the best interest of Grant County.

Public Notice

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

In Accordance with OAR 695-045-0185 and ORS 271.735. OWEB Land Acquisition Grant Program, concerning approximately 6800 acres in the vicinity of Mitchell, Grant Application No. 216-9902. The Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board (OWEB) is a state agency that provides grants to help Oregonians take care of local streams, rivers,

wetlands, and natural areas.

OWEB is considering a grant of funds to Blue Mountains Conservancy for the purpose of purchasing certain property rights on approximately 6800 acres in the vicinity of Mitchell, in Wheeler County, under Grant Application No. 216-9902. OWEB will hold a conservation easement, or third party rights of enforcement in a conservation easement, if the property rights are purchased with OWEB funds.

OWEB will hold a public hearing for the purpose of providing interested parties with a meaningful opportunity to comment on the OWEB grant application. Questions or comments about the grant application, or public hearing, are to be directed to the OWEB representative identified below.

Requests for special accommodations in order to participate in the public hearing must be made at least seven (7) days prior to the hearing. Written comments concerning the grant application must be received by OWEB on or before April 12, 2016.

The hearing will be held January 29, 2016, 9am – 10am, at Mitchell Community Hall, 108 S Nelson St, Mitchell, OR

OWEB Representative: Eric Williams, Grant Program Manager, 775 Summer St. NE, Suite 360, Salem, OR 97301-1290, (503) 503-986-0047, eric.williams@state.or.us.

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Step Forward 4 p.m. Qualified applicants must immediate openings be 18 years of age or older, pass a background Community Support Specialists in our check and have a John Day facilities. valid Oregon driver's license. Apply at This position is an on call position and the Canyon City you have to be able Employment Office, to work all shifts 120 S. Washington, including graveyard. Canyon City or at The weekly hours our Vocational Site at 27877 Apple Rd. will vary. Starting wage is \$11.42 per John Day, OR. hour. Also hiring a Full Time vocational



Employment



position, with health

benefits, vacation

and retirement.

Monday through

Public Notice

Basic Service Annual Ad

Oregon Telephone Corporation is a quality telecommunications services provider that provides basic and enhanced services at reasonable rates within its service territory. Basic services are offered at the following rates:

Single Party Residence Service, Monthly Service Charge, \$11.95; Single Party Business Service, \$16.50; Federal Subscriber Line Charge-Single Line, \$6.50; Access Recovery Charge-Single Line \$2.00.

Touch Tone Service: Touch Tone service is provided as a part of local service rate.

Toll Blocking: Available at no charge; Emergency 911 Services: Surcharges for 911 services are assessed according to government policy.

Low-income individuals may be eligible for Federal and State Lifeline telephone assistance programs that include discounts from the above basic and local service charges.

Basic services are offered to all consumers in the Oregon Telephone Corporation service territories at the rates, terms and conditions specified in the Company's tariffs. If you have any questions regarding the Company's services, please call us at (541)932-4411 or (800) 848-7969, or visit our business office in Mount Vernon.

Public Notice

*** POSTED January 15, 2016 ***

Oregon Water Resources Department in support of Grant County, the City of Canyon City and the City of John Day has applied for Hazard Mitigation Grant Program funding from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to fund the Canyon Creek Watershed Stream Gaging Project located in the Canyon Creek watershed and includes two stream gaging sites; 1) Vance Creek on Hwy. 395 and, 2) Canyon Creek at Bridge No. 12C20 (a double concrete box culvert), Grant County Road #65. Both selected stream gaging locations were previously occupied by United States Geological Survey stream gages. Pursuant to 44 CFR Part 9.12, FEMA gives early notice under Executive Order (EO) 11988, Floodplain Management and EO 11990, Wetland Protection; since this action is located in or affects the floodplain or may affect wetlands.

The project sites are located in or affect the floodplain of Vance Creek and Canyon Creek. The purpose of the project is to collect near real time stream level data that can provide advance notice of impending flood conditions on Canyon Creek. Warnings for flooding are issued by the National Weather Service in Pendleton, Oregon, and disseminated on NOAA Weather Radio, local media and the county's mass notification system. The proposed action includes: Installation of two stream gages that will measure water levels using non-contact radar sensors, control equipment and satellite communications. The type of water level sensor used is mounted above the stream and bounces a radar signal off the water surface to determine the water level. No ground disturbance is associated with this type of water level sensor installation.

Alternatives were considered using the existing stream gage near the City of Canyon City, only, but that stream gaging site provides little advance warning of impending flooding to the community. Comments concerning the proposed action will be accepted from the affected public; local, state and federal agencies; and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate alternatives and the environmental impacts of the proposed action. Comments should be made in writing, sent to the point of contact listed below, and postmarked (or e-mailed) within 15 days of posting of this notice.

Additional information about the project, including a project area map, can be obtained from the applicant contact below.

Given the nature of the proposed action, if no public comments are received, no further public notice will be conducted for this project.

Responsible Official:

Brandon Sweezea Hazard Mitigation Specialist FEMA Region 10 130 228th Street SW Bothell, WA 98021-9796 brandon.sweezea@fema.dhs.gov.

For Additional Information (Grant Co.): Ted Williams Grant County Emergency Manager Grant County Courthouse 201 South Humbolt St., Suite 280 Canyon City, Oregon 97820 williamst@grantcounty-or.gov.