

Sheriff's Report

The Morrow County Sheriff's office (MCSO) reported the following business the past week:

Morrow County deputy arrested Timothy Todd Glaze, 25, on a warrant arrest for Failure To Appear, Trespass I. Glaze was transported to the Umatilla County Jail;

MCSO received a report of two non-sufficient funds checks in Boardman;

MCSO received a report of a horse showing up at a residence in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of a forged and cashed money order in Irrigon;

MCSO dispatched to the Oregon State Police a report of a deer hit on I-84 west of Boardman;

Morrow County deputy and Oregon State Police responded to detain a vehicle at a highway construction site on I-84 milepost 176 westbound. The vehicle kept cutting through a fence rather than going to the depot exit to get on the freeway;

Morrow County deputy and Oregon State Police responded to a possible domestic dispute at a residence in Irrigon. It turned out to be a verbal dispute only.

April 9: MCSO received a report of a suspicious vehicle at a residence on Dry Fork Road near Lone;

Morrow County deputy gave a pedestrian on I-84 a ride into Boardman;

MCSO received another report of a suspicious vehicle on Dry Fork Road near Lone;

MCSO received a report that dogs had killed a woman's goat;

MCSO received a report of a series of hang up calls at the residence at Morgan;

MCSO received a report of two juveniles fighting in Bakes parking lot in Irrigon. The fight was broken up;

MCSO received a report of harassment at a residence on Upper Rhea Creek Road;

MCSO received a report of a male with chest pains at Taggeres Farms in Boardman. The man was transported by private vehicle to Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston;

MCSO received a report of a suspicious vehicle behind a residence in Irrigon. It turned out to be an irrigator;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of a man, who had previous health problems, acting strangely;

MCSO received a report of a suspicious vehicle in an orchard near Paul Smith and Kunze roads in Boardman;

Morrow County deputy arrested Sandra Lois Edmonds, 25, on a Benton County warrant for Possession of Cocaine. Edmonds was transported and lodged at the Umatilla County Jail;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of three juveniles playing ball in the street in front of a residence in Boardman, causing dogs to bark.

April 10: MCSO received a report of overdue Irrigon motorists who were in the Rhea Creek area and had not come home;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a request for assistance concerning a domestic dispute involving a 12 year old girl. The Boardman Police responded;

MCSO received a report of a burglary at an Irrigon residence. Because all deputies were occupied, the call was dispatched to the Oregon State Police;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of kids smoking behind the Trail Apts. in Boardman;

Barbara Van Arsdale, the Search and Rescue and the U.S. Forest Service joined in a search for missing persons. The people had gotten stuck at Madison Butte and spent the night in their pickup. Everyone was okay;

MCSO dispatched to the Heppner ambulance a request for an ambulance at the Mt. Glen Apts. in Heppner;

MCSO received a report of kids playing at a work site on Wilson and Kunze roads in Boardman;

MCSO received a report from a woman that someone had gone through her mail and threatened her at the Irrigon Mobile Court;

MCSO dispatched to the Heppner Fire Dept. a report of a small grass fire north of the storage sheds on Linden Way. The fire was put out;

MCSO received a report of a person who had spun out in his car, throwing rocks all over another person's vehicle;

Morrow County deputy responded to the Irrigon Fire Dept. request concerning three juveniles who may have had something to do with a fire at the Umatilla Refuge in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of dogs barking on Division Street in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of a pickup with music blaring at the Irrigon Mobile Court.

April 11: MCSO received a report of a vehicle cutting across property in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of a fireball approximately 10 miles south of Arlington in the western sky with bright orange explosion of light and flames. The Wasco County Sheriff's office confirmed reports from the Mill Creek area and from a deputy and trooper who also saw the explosion. The officers were unable to locate;

MCSO received a report of two horses hit and dead on Highway 26, milepost 58-60. A third horse had also been hit and died earlier;

MCSO received a report of a violation of a restraining order in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of neglect of two horses on Olson Road in Boardman. The owner reportedly moved, left the horses, and was not feeding them;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of harassment in Boardman;

MCSO received a report of tires dumped on another person's brush pile in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of a juvenile throwing a rock through a residence in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of a shoplifter at the BP station in Irrigon;

MCSO received a dispatch report of a man and three children who had not returned home to Heppner from a drive. The vehicle was discovered to be stuck;

MCSO dispatched to the Oregon State Police a report of a drunk driver near Boardman;

MCSO received a report of a pickup stolen from a motel behind Bakes in Irrigon.

April 12: MCSO received a report of people in Irrigon driving too fast and making a lot of noise;

MCSO received a report of a suspicious vehicle at Irrigon Irrigation District;

MCSO dispatched to the Heppner Police Dept. a report of a stolen vehicle in Heppner;

MCSO received a report of a vehicle that had been egged and ketchup put all over it at a residence on Wilson Road in Boardman;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a request for a welfare check on children living in Boardman;

MCSO, Heppner EMTs, Heppner Fire Dept., Gilliam County Sheriff's office and Oregon State Police responded to a call from a woman who had wrecked her car and didn't know where she was. The woman was cited for Driving While License Suspended infraction and was transported to Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Heppner with neck and shoulder injuries;

MCSO received a report of a horse trailer that was stolen from the Eight Mile area. A blue Chevy pickup had been reported pulling it;

MCSO, Boardman ambulance, and Boardman Fire Dept. re-

sponded to a report of a man climbing on a power pole by the golf course on Wilson Road in Boardman. The man, reported to be hollering and waving, came down on his own;

MCSO received a report of persons throwing beer bottles from a vehicle in Boardman;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of a verbal dispute at a residence in Boardman;

MCSO dispatched to the Boardman Police Dept. a report of a male at the Boardman BP whose ID did not match his description.

April 13: MCSO received a report of shots fired behind residences at Cain Drive in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of broken windows and the inside of a vehicle cut up at a residence in Irrigon;

MCSO received a report of a motion alarm at Cascade Specialties in Boardman. A truck driver had bumped a door and set off the alarm while backing up;

MCSO dispatched to the Heppner Police Dept. a report of a person trying to back up a boat and blocking traffic on Water Street;

MCSO and the Boardman Police Dept. received a report of a car and loud screaming noise in the desert. It turned out to be vehicle problems.

April 14: MCSO received a report of a theft of a torch from Wise Excavation in Irrigon at a crusher site.

Coast to Coast merger approved

The independent owners of True Value and ServiStar Coast to Coast stores voted on April 1 to consolidate their buying power and resources in one wholesale company.

The new company, TruServ Corporation, is the world's largest wholesaler of hardware and related products aimed at the "do-it-yourselfer" market, with expected annual sales of \$4.5 billion, said a company news release.

The creation of TruServ will strengthen the independent retailer who is a member of the wholesale co-op, said the release. "TruServ's dominant position as the largest hardware wholesaler will enable it to negotiate for better prices on merchandise," they said.

Cliff Green, owner of the Coast to Coast Store in Heppner, says he believes the merger will give him the advantage he needs to compete with chain stores and giant home centers. "By merging together, we have created the largest hardware and related product buying cooperative in the country. This puts us in a strong negotiating position and will result in lower costs for store owners and that translates into lower costs for our customers," said Green. "The huge home center stores can not match our friendly and knowledgeable service. And with the price gap narrowed, we are even better prepared to make them lifetime customers."

No store names are affected by the merger, so customers can continue to shop at Coast to Coast. Store hours are 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The merger, which was unanimously approved by the boards of directors of both wholesalers on December 9, 1996, was approved by over 95 percent of the True Value and ServiStar Coast to Coast retailers casting ballots.

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Come Share With Us At

Willow Creek Baptist Church
 Worship Service at 3 p.m.
 Meeting in the 7th-day Adventist Church
 560 North Minor

Plant exchange planned April 26 BMCC reunion dinner on April 26

The Heppner Garden Club will sponsor their fifth annual public Town Plant Exchange Saturday, April 26, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the St. Patrick Senior Center.

Club spokesmen stress that this is not a plant sale. It is offered to give area gardeners opportunity to share and obtain plants without cost, said a club spokesperson. The only requirement for participants is that they bring plants, which could include vegetables, trees, shrubs, vines, roots, pips, corms, bulbs, tubers or rhizomes.

Plants should be labeled as to species and variety wherever possible. The club will furnish tags for labeling, pens, bags, boxes and other assistance for the exchangers.

Representatives from the local Master Gardeners will be present to answer questions.

A space will also be provided for "garden talk" over cookies and coffee.

"We think that this event can bring new plants, new information, new gardening friends and a more beautiful town," said the spokesperson.

The Blue Mountain Community College Recognition-Reunion-Retirement Dinner is set for Saturday, April 26. This year's dinner will be held at the Pendleton Red Lion, with a no-host social hour beginning at 5:30 p.m. Dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m.

In the past, staff members, including those employed part-time, those who have been employed at the college for five, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30 years, and retirees were recognized. This year's retirees are Don Amsberry, Pat Amsberry, Ron Daniels, Bill Fenton, Conrad Thomason and Norm Vorvick

Tickets for the dinner are now on sale and can be purchased in the Instructional Deans office for \$14 per person. Current and former staff members, and other college supporters are invited to attend.

W.C.C.C. Golf Ladies' Play, April 8

Low gross of the field: Bev Gunderson 39.

Flight A: low gross Cathy Enyeart 41; low net Karen Thompson 27; least putts Lois Hunt 16; long drive Jan Paustian; K.P. Susan Atkins.

Flight B: low gross Luvilla Sonstegard 44; low net Norma French 30; least putts Lynnea Sargent 19; long drive Lynnea Sargent; K.P. Lynnea Sargent.

Flight C: low gross Lorrene Montgomery and Lucille Peck 50; low net Jackie Allstott and Floss Watkins 31; least putts Doll Campbell 14; long drive Jean Ball; K.P. Lucille Peck.

Chip in: Norma French #3.

Centennial meeting set

A meeting concerning the annual Heppner-Centennial eighth grade exchange has been planned for this Thursday, April 17, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at Heppner High School.

A planning meeting for the eighth-grade celebration will get underway at 5:30 p.m. at the high school that evening.

Heppner Little League has outfield fence advertising available for your business or ranch.

Your personally designed sign will help support Youth Baseball and Softball in Heppner, plus give your business recognition for that support during the season!

The first year fee is \$100, and \$50 each year thereafter.

Please contact John Murray at 676-9158 days/676-9631 evenings to place your order.

PUBLIC NOTICE

FORM LB-1 NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING Republication

A meeting of the Oregon Trail Library District will be held on May 8, 1997, at 7:00 p.m. at Boardman Library, 203 1st St.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1997 as approved by the Oregon Trail Library District Budget Committee.

A summary of the budget is presented below. A copy of the budget may be inspected or obtained at Boardman Library, 203 1st St., N.W., Boardman, OR between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

This certifies that the budget was prepared on a basis of accounting that is consistent with the basis of accounting used during the preceding year. Major changes, if any, and their effect on the budget, are explained below.

County Morrow City Boardman Date 4/15/97 Chairman of Governing Body C. Drayton M. Schlegel Telephone Number 481-2525

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS		Adopted Budget This Year—1996—1997	Approved Budget Next Year—1997—1998
1. Total Personal Services		102,075	108,453
2. Total Material and Services		81,366	55,674
3. Total Capital Outlay		2,500	0
4. Total Debt Service		0	0
5. Total Transfers		0	0
6. Total Contingencies		15,000	10,000
7. Total All Other Expenditures and Requirements		0	30,000
8. Total Unappropriated or Ending Fund Balance		26,050	20,000
9. Total Requirements—add lines 1 through 8		226,991	224,127
10. Total Resources Except Property Taxes		74,453	88,950
11. Total Property Taxes Required to Balance Budget		152,538	135,177
12. Total Resources—add lines 10 and 11		226,991	224,127
13. Total Property Taxes Required to Balance Budget (line 11)		152,538	135,177
14. Plus: Estimated Property Taxes Not to be Received			
A. Loss Due to Constitutional Limits		4,341	30,000
B. Discounts Allowed, Other Uncollected Amounts		10,677	12,432
15. Total Tax Levy—add lines 13 and 14		167,556	177,609
16. Levy Within the Tax Base		167,556	177,609
17. One-Year Levy Outside the Tax Base		0	0
18. Serial and Continuing Levies		0	0
19. Levy for Payment of Bonded Debt		0	0
20. Total of lines 16 through 19 (equals line 15)		167,556	177,609

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS None As Summarized None As Summarized

FORM LB-2 FUNDS NOT REQUIRING A PROPERTY TAX TO BE LEVIED

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Name of Fund	GRANT FUND	Actual Data Last Year 1995-96	Adopted Budget This Year 1996-97	Approved Budget Next Year 1997-98
1. Total Personal Services		7,500	0	0
2. Total Materials and Services		37,150	3,900	3,900
3. Total Capital Outlay		10,000	0	0
4. Total Debt Service		0	0	0
5. Total Transfers		0	0	0
6. Total Contingencies		0	0	0
7. Total All Other Expenditures and Requirements		0	0	0
8. Total Unappropriated or Ending Fund Balance		0	0	0
9. Total Requirements		54,650	3,900	3,900
10. Total Resources Except Property Taxes		54,650	3,900	3,900

FORM LB-3 FUNDS REQUIRING A PROPERTY TAX TO BE LEVIED

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Name of Fund	GENERAL FUND	Actual Data Last Year 1995-96	Adopted Budget This Year 1996-97	Approved Budget Next Year 1997-98
1. Total Personal Services		63,359	102,075	108,453
2. Total Materials and Services		66,483	81,366	55,674
3. Total Capital Outlay		688	2,500	0
4. Total Debt Service		0	0	0
5. Total Transfers		56,000	0	0
6. Total Contingencies		15,000	15,000	10,000
7. Total All Other Expenditures and Requirements		0	0	30,000
8. Total Unappropriated or Ending Fund Balance		82,359	26,050	20,000
9. Total Requirements		266,844	226,991	224,127
10. Total Resources Except Property Taxes		118,129	74,453	88,950
11. Total Prop. Taxes Required/Required to Balance		148,715	152,538	135,177
12. Total Resources (add lines 10 and 11)		266,844	226,991	224,127
13. Property Taxes Required to Balance (from line 11)		148,715	152,538	135,177
14. Estimated Property Taxes Not to be Received				
A. Loss Due to Constitutional Limit			4,341	30,000
B. Discounts, Other Uncollected Amounts			10,677	12,432
15. Total Tax Levy (add lines 13 and 14)			167,556	177,609
16. Levy Within the Tax Base			167,556	177,609
17. One-Year Levy Outside the Tax Base			0	0
18. Serial and Continuing Levies			0	0
19. Levy for Payment of Bonded Debt			0	0