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PUBLIC NOTICE

MORROW COUNTY PUBLIC HEARING

THE MORROW COUNTY COURT will hold the following hearing of public interest on Wednesday, February 22, 2006, at 11:00 a.m. at the Morrow County Courthouse in Heppner, Oregon.

The Morrow County Court, at the recommendation of the Morrow County Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC) and the Solid Waste Management Plan Advisory Committee, has scheduled the second of at least two hearings to consider the adoption of an update to the Morrow County Solid Waste Management Plan (SWMP) and Solid Waste Ordinance. The proposed SWMP and Ordinance insures the County's engagement in complying with the State's solid waste priorities of waste prevention, reuse, recycling, composting and disposal; provides for continued safe and sanitary accumulation, storage, collection, transportation and disposal of solid waste; provides for improved public input in solid waste management and recycling by expanding role of the SWAC; and enforces public responsibilities in the transportation of solid waste, littering, disposal of hazardous wastes and open burning. The proposed Solid Waste Ordinance includes provisions for the makeup of the expanded SWAC, the regulations by which collection franchises operate in the County, the rules for recycling and disposal licenses; and supports enforcement and funding of solid waste activities. The proposed SWMP and Ordinance also insures that the County is consistent with the requirements of the State of Oregon Solid Waste Rules.

Opportunity to voice support or opposition to the above proposals or to ask questions will be provided. The time frame by which specific concerns and questions may be raised in person or by letter will end when the Court adopts the Plan and Ordinance in a scheduled hearing to be announced in February.

Copies of the proposed SWMP and Ordinance and all relevant documents will be available after February 13, 2006. For more information, please contact the Planning Department at 541-922-4624 or 541-676-9061 extension 5503.

DATED this 2nd day of February 2006

MORROW COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT
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Affidavit

subject took off headed towards Irrigon.

-MCSO arrested James Gray Johnson, 42, on an IJC warrant for failing to appear for driving while suspended violation.

-MCSO received a report that a window and door were open at a residence and there was a male subject there. The situation was checked out and the male subject is the homeowner and he was locked out.

-MCSO arrested Donald Lewis Griffin, 37, for Theft III.

-MCSO received a report that a toolbox and antique bottles went missing after the reporter's furnace was repaired.

-MCSO received a report that OSP arrested Gary Beeler Jr., 41, on and HJC warrant for failing to pay fine for a driving while suspended violation.

-MCSO received a report that Washington County SO arrested Carol Maes, 27, for failure to appear.

Feb. 3: MCSO received a report that Keiser PD arrested Merle James Floyd, 44, for felony possession of a firearm.

Feb. 5: MCSO received a report from Albert Allen Gomez, Jr., 22, that he has a warrant and wants to turn himself in. He was arrested on a Umatilla County Sheriff's Office warrant for Failure to Appear/Aggravated Theft I. He was lodged at Umatilla County Jail.

Stanley, 21, for unreasonable sound.

-MCSO received a report that Umatilla Co SO arrested Jason Trickel, 26, on a HJC warrant for failing to pay fine for driving while suspended.

Feb. 1: MCSO issued a citation to Isaias Campos, 19, for going 96 mph in a 65 mph.

-MCSO received a request from Tri-Comm. for mutual aid for a one vehicle MVA that involved one patient that had head injuries.

-MCSO received a report from a caller in Heppner that advised a subject who was putting rocks in the road.

-BPD issued a citation to Michael Anthony Mullikin, 22, for no operating license and for not having insurance.

-BPD received a report that a subject was at an abandoned house. Subject turned out to be cleaning up the property so that they can sell it.

Feb. 2: MCSO received a report from ADT that the alarm was going off at the high school. The alarm call was cancelled.

-MCSO received a report that a man tried to buy alcohol in a store in Umatilla. The store declined the male subject because of visible intoxication. The male

ABOUT THE HEPPNER GAZETTE-TIMES NEWSPAPER

News articles

The Heppner Gazette welcomes news articles that are of interest to the communities of Ione, Lexington, Heppner and the surrounding area.

You can submit your article through mail, fax, email or bring it to our office (see below under how to contact us).

There is no charge for news articles, but if the article is a moneymaking activity for a person or business other than a non-profit or community service organization, it must run as a paid advertisement.

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Letters to the Editor

Letters to the Editor must be signed. The Gazette-Times will not publish unsigned letters. Please include your address and phone number on all letters for use by the G-T. The G-T reserves the right to edit. The G-T is not responsible for accuracy of statements made in letters. (Any letters expressing thanks will be placed in the classifieds under "Card of Thanks" at a cost of \$10)

Letters in poor taste or libelous will not be published.

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Hours & Deadlines

Open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Advertisement and news article deadline is 5 p.m. Monday for that week's paper. The newspaper publishes on Wednesday of each week.

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Heppner, OR 97836

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Sheriff's Report

The Morrow County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) reports handling the following business:

Jan. 29: BPD issued a citation to Luanne Carolyn Flanagan, 36, for driving while suspended.

-MCSO issued a citation to Christian Danyel Kennedy, 29, for failing to register vehicle.

-MCSO issued a citation to Stephanie Lorraine Brown, 18, for going 84 mph in a 65 mph.

-MCSO issued a citation to Michael Leonard

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