

**WANTED****REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS FOR**

Tree and Brush Trimming Contractor  
**Morrow County Public Works Projects - Morrow County, Oregon**  
 Morrow County, Oregon, requests proposals for a qualified tree trimming Services Contractor to provide regular trimming of brush and tree services for various County General Public Works projects. Contractors submitting qualifications shall be considered based upon the following general evaluation criteria:

1. Fee schedule.
2. Experience.
3. Method of approach.
4. Availability of labor and equipment.

Copies of the Request for Qualifications may be obtained from Morrow County Public Works, P.O. Box 428, 365 W Hwy 74, Lexington, Oregon 97839, (541) 989-9500. Complete proposals will be accepted at the same address no later than 4:00 p.m. October 23, 2009 any questions or concerns may be addressed to Sandi Putman.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Town of Lexington Town Council has an open Council position. The Council is looking for candidates who would be interested in being appointed to Council Position #1. The term of office for this position will expire December 31, 2010. To be eligible to hold an appointed office in the Town of Lexington a person must be a qualified elector, as defined by the Oregon State Constitution, and must have resided within the Town of Lexington for at least one year preceding the election. If you meet the above qualifications and are interested in serving your community, please submit a letter of interest to: Town of Lexington P.O. Box 416 Lexington, Oregon 97839. You may also drop off the letter to Town Hall located at 150 W. Main Street in Lexington. Dee Burch Town Recorder Town of Lexington Published October 21 and October 28, 2009

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF MORROW Probate Department In the Matter of the Estate of:  
**CLEO EDWARDS, Deceased.**  
 No. 09 PR 031  
**NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS** Notice is given that the undersigned has been appointed and has qualified as the personal representative of the estate. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present it, with proper vouchers, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, as stated below, to the personal representative at the offices of Kuhn & Spicer, 267 N. Main Street, P.O. Box 428, Heppner, Oregon 97836, or they may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings in this estate may obtain additional information from the records of the court, the personal representative or the

attorney for the personal representative.  
**DATED** and first published October 14, 2009.  
 Nolan L. Edwards, Personal Representative  
 15387 Fields Denio Rd. Fields, OR 97710  
 To be published for three consecutive weeks.  
**PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE:**  
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 Published: October 14, 21, and 28, 2009  
 Affidavit

**Sheriff's Report**

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

-BPD cited a subject for Violation of the Speed Limit, 41 mph in a 30 mph zone, No Operator's License and Driving Uninsured.

-BPD received report from a subject who said she had advised people to turn their music down and they did, but then turned it back up again. An officer responded and advised the music had been turned down, but he would drive back by again.

-BPD cited Veronica Andrade, 29, for Failure to Wear Seatbelt/Child Seat (infant).

-BPD arrested Jessica Cruz, 25, for Possession of a Controlled Substance. She was lodged at Umatilla County Jail. She was also cited for Violation of the Speed Limit, 52 mph in a 40 mph zone; Driving While Suspended Violation, Driving Uninsured.

-BPD received request from Arlington for mutual aid for a 65-year-old male with a leg injury concerning a motor vehicle vs. car accident.

-Heppner Ambulance completed a transport to Lexington.

**August 2:** Morrow County Sheriff's Office received report of a driver traveling across both lanes on I-84, Boardman.

-MCSO received report of nine cattle out on Hwy. 74, Heppner.

-MCSO deputy advised he was flagged down by a subject on Hwy. 74, Heppner concerning criminal mischief down to her motor home.

-MCSO received report of a disabled vehicle on I-84. The driver didn't feel safe and requested that a deputy respond.

-MCSO received a request for information from an Irrigon subject who wanted to know when he was supposed to do community service.

-MCSO received report of a vehicle all over the road on Hwy. 74, Lexington.

-MCSO received report of two people riding dirt bikes in the desert area in Irrigon.

-MCSO received report from an Irrigon subject that his ex-wife was outside his yard yelling for the kids to come outside. It was a civil dispute.

-MCSO received report from an Irrigon subject that while they were camping a small dog was hit by a car and dragged itself under their van. The animal was put down humanely.

-MCSO received report of four-five cars out

on Hwy. 207, Heppner.

-MCSO received report of a male subject on a moped possibly intoxicated on Hwy. 730, Irrigon.

-MCSO deputy advised he was out with subjects at Willow Creek Lake and told them they had to leave by 10 p.m.

-MCSO received report from an Irrigon subject that her boyfriend was at her residence intoxicated and he had driven there from a bar. She wanted him removed from the property. He left the residence for the night.

-Boardman Police Department officer advised he was out with an intoxicated subject who was going to the store for more beer. The officer advised him to stay on the side of the road to avoid getting hit.

-BPD received report from a female subject in Boardman who said she asked for \$10 worth of fuel, but they filled it up and she was worried about being overdrawn on her account. The people at the station told her there was nothing they could do.

-BPD received report of an alarm at Riverside High School computer lab. An officer responded and advised the building was secure.

-BPD arrested Guiberto Mendoza Ramirez, 18, for Failure to Carry and Present. He was lodged at Umatilla County Jail.

-BPD cited Teresa Vargas, 22, for Driving While Suspended.

-BPD officer reported he was out with an open vehicle and no one was around.

-Irrigon Fire Department, Morrow County Sheriff's Office, Boardman Fire Department responded to a report of a fire at a residence in Irrigon. According to the report a subject was under the house working when the fire started and the wife called it in and said she was getting out.

**August 3:** Morrow County Sheriff's Office received report of a possible fire towards Ruggs. The reporter could smell smoke while they were in the house. Heppner Fire Department responded and the homeowners said there was no fire inside the house and they did not want the firefighters to go through the house.

-MCSO received report from a Heppner subject that he found a red boy's bike on his lawn about a month ago and no one has claimed it. The reporter said he would bring it to the sheriff's office.

-MCSO received report of a cow in the highway.

-MCSO received report that Hermiston Police Department arrested Jacob J. Richards, 36, on an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for Failure to Pay Fire/Theft III. He was released on his own recognizance.

-MCSO received report of a bike stashed in the bushes in Heppner. The bike was transported to the Sheriff's Office.

-MCSO received report from a subject that someone threw out a food container on Hwy. 730 heading toward Irrigon. The caller had a license plate and wanted to sign a complaint.

-MCSO received report from an Irrigon subject that his son had a considerable amount of money stolen from him.

-MCSO received report from a deputy that he was out with a vehicle in Boardman. The subjects contacted AAA.

-MCSO received report from an Irrigon subject that a bike was stolen

several months ago and the bike was located.

-MCSO received report from an Irrigon subject that a 15-year-old borrowed a skateboard and has not yet returned it.

-MCSO received report from an Irrigon man that he was going to pick his kids up from his ex's parents' place and they would not let him have the kids. The grandparents stated that the ex-wife and the kids packed up and went on vacation one hour before he showed up to get the kids.

-MCSO received report from a Heppner subject that a female was starting her car and trying to leave, but she has no insurance. The reporter said that there were two women in the car and the passenger was intoxicated or high.

-MCSO received report from a Heppner subject that a male had put a female's hand through a fan. A deputy responded and determined that the female was intoxicated, broke a jewelry box and then threw the fan. The female asked the male to leave and he did so. The parties were separated.

-MCSO received report of a male subject yelling on Riverside Ave. in Heppner. A deputy responded and did not see any windows down.

-Boardman Police Department received report that an 88-year-old man fell and the caller was unable to get him back up. There were no apparent injuries.

-BPD received report from a male subject that his five and six-year-old kids are not being allowed to leave the house with him and he has custody. He said there were approximately 20 people at the residence and there was yelling and screaming in the background.

-BPD received report that two females showed up at a residence and were in a verbal dispute with her friend/neighbor. Two women were trespassed with the location and were advised that if they returned they would be charged with criminal trespass.

**August 4:** Morrow County Sheriff's deputy reported that he was out with a large ground of males in Boardman.

-MCSO received report of a kitten with an injured back leg dangling, possibly shattered at the hip. It was determined that the kitten was bleeding internally and was put down.

-MCSO received report from a female in Lone that a family of skunks was living in a neighbor's old garage. The subject was given trapper information.

-MCSO received report from the Neighborhood Center in Heppner that a subject came in and made the caller feel very uneasy. The reporter asked to speak to a deputy. She then called back to advise that the subject returned and was very belligerent. He was asked to leave. Charles David Wright, 40, was trespassed from the Neighborhood Center.

-MCSO received report from the city crew that kids had been warned about throwing rocks at city signs, but were still doing so. A deputy spoke to a juvenile's father.

-MCSO received request for a house check in Irrigon.

-MCSO, Boardman Police Department, Boardman Ambulance received relayed information from ATT that a six-year-old male could not wake his sister in Boardman. It was a false alarm.

-MCSO received report of a green pickup parked at a location in Heppner for a few days and it is in a bad spot with all the construction going on.

-MCSO cited Jose Antonio Lemus, 20, for Violation of the Basic Rule, 79 mph in a 55 mph zone.

-MCSO received a request for a house check in Irrigon.

-MCSO received report from an Irrigon female that she was being harassed. Both parties were warned not to contact each other.

-MCSO received report of a minor motor vehicle accident in Heppner. The reporter said that the driver of the second vehicle was backing up and hit the reporter's rear view mirror and knocked it off.

-MCSO received report of an unwanted subject in Boardman. The person finally left.

-MCSO, Irrigon Fire Department, Boardman Fire Department received report from the Depot that a fire had jumped the perimeter and was now in the Irrigon Fire District. The caller requested crowd control.

-MCSO received report of juveniles going through the garbage at the Heppner city yard on Riverside. The juveniles were warned not to play in the recycle bins.

-MCSO received report from and Irrigon woman that a subject threw something at her and her dogs and was cussing. A deputy made contact with the caller, but was unable to locate the suspects.

-MCSO received report from a deputy that someone had called her at her residence that kids were riding a garbage can at the Irrigon Skate Park. She also received report of multiple fires in Irrigon, Lone, Lexington and Heppner. A deputy was unavailable.

-MCSO received information of drug activity.

-MCSO received report from a Heppner subject that her husband was overdue from a trip. She called back to say that he had returned.

-MCSO, BPD received report of a male and two females fighting. Officer was unable to locate anyone fighting.

-Boardman Police Department officer reported that he was out with a male on a park bench.

-BPD officer reported he was with a large group of males.

-BPD officer received a 911 call from a cell phone. The subject advised that it was his first cell phone and the phone told him to call 911. He advised his parents were him and he was fine and didn't need help.

-BPD sergeant received report of damage to a rental property.

-BPD cited Yajaira Lizet Cambero Boos, 22, for Violation of the Speed Limit, driving 54 mph in a 35 mph zone.

-Lone Fire Department received report of a fire behind the reporter's residence.

-Lexington Fire Department, Heppner Fire Department received report of a plume of smoke on the Lexington end of Clarks Canyon.

-Irrigon Fire Department received a fire call.

**August 6:** Morrow County Sheriff's Office received report of a possible prowler outside a trailer in Irrigon. The caller said she saw faces in the window. A deputy was unable to locate anyone outside.

-MCSO deputy

advised he was out with a male and a female who were having a dispute about some possessions. A deputy advised he attempted contact, but no one would answer the door and the dispute was a civil matter.

-MCSO received request from a UPS employee for a deputy concerning possible fraud. They said they delivered a package and the subject at first gave them an unsigned check and then when they went back to get a money order, it wasn't where she said it would be. The caller said it had been an ongoing problem since April and would like contact to find out her options.

-MCSO received request from an lone subject for deputy contact regarding a fraudulent call.

-MCSO received report from a Heppner subject who had traveled to Mt. Vernon the previous week and believed he saw his stolen tractor. The sheriff will put the pictures on a disk with a letter providing info to contact the possible victim for confirmation.

-MCSO received request for a house check in Heppner.

-MCSO received report of a Geo Metro traveling from Heppner toward Lexington all over the road. No deputies were in position and no OSP troopers were in position.

-MCSO received report of a non-injury hit and run, Hwy. 74, Lena, Heppner. There was no information about the suspect's vehicle, but there appeared to be a ball hitch mark on the vehicle.

-MCSO received report from a female that she used the restroom at the Heppner City Park and could not get out. She advised it took her about 15 minutes to get out. The City of Heppner Public Works was advised.

-MCSO received report of a male with a long beard walking north at Cutsforth Corner. The reporter asked that the subject be checked out.

-MCSO cited Zachary Floyd Harris, 20, for Driving While Suspended-violation.

-MCSO received report from an lone subject that while driving up Heppner Hill, a white pickup driven by a male forced them off the road. The caller said they drove back into town to get the plate.

-MCSO received report of a brindle dog, possibly part pit bull, found near Rhea Creek Rd., Lone. The dog had what looked like road rash and possibly fell out of a pickup.

-MCSO received report from a subject who said while her granddaughter was working at the Lone Market, an adult Hispanic man came in and asked a lot of questions about her age and where she lived. The caller said that later, while the granddaughter was babysitting, the man showed up at the residence, parked outside the house and watched it. While she was on the phone with dispatch, the man drove by again, which would have been the sixth time that night.

-MCSO deputy advised he had assisted OSP in tagging a vehicle.

-Boardman Police Department officer reported he was out with a subject at the police department.

-BPD arrested Cory James Koertje, 27, on an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for Failure to Pay Fine/Possession of Less than One Ounce of Marijuana. He was lodged at Umatilla County Jail with \$1,242.27 bail.