

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR BIDS**

**Timber Thinning**

The City of Vernonia is soliciting bids from qualified logging contractors to conduct timber-thinning operations on city property at Ora Bolmeier Park and Airport Park. A complete bid packet is available at City Hall, 1001 Bridge St., Vernonia, OR 97064. Deadline for sealed bids is May 31, 2000, at 5:00 p.m. A mandatory pre-bid field tour is scheduled on May 23 at 2:00 p.m. The tour will meet at Vernonia City Hall. Any questions about the timber-thinning, contact Robyn Bassett, Director of Public Works at (503) 429-6921.

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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Before the Board of County Commissioners for Columbia County, Oregon

In the Matter of an Appeal of the Application by E.B.S. Trust for a Minor Map Amendment and Zone Change from Single Family Residential (R-10) to Mobile Home Residential (MHR):

1. The Board of County Commissioners will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 7, 2000, at or after 10:00 a.m. in Room 308, the Commissioners' Meeting Room on the Third Floor, Columbia County Courthouse, in St. Helens, Oregon.

**Please Don't Drink & Drive**

**Obituary**

**CHARLES H. WEIGANT, SR.**

Charles Henry Weigant, Sr., 69, Vernonia, died May 3, 2000, at his home. A celebration of life service was held May 13, at the home of Dewey and Kelly Kozachenko, in Vernonia.

Mr. Weigant was born December 19, 1930, in Portland, to Carl and Marie (Thiedeman) Weigant. He was raised and educated in the Cully neighborhood of Portland.

He served 11 years in the U.S. Air Force, from 1948 to 1959, including service in the Korean conflict. At the time of his discharge, he held the rank of Staff Sergeant.

Mr. Weigant married Martha Wilson in 1976 in Las Vegas, Nev. They made their home in Rubidoux, Calif. In 1983-84, they spent a year-and-a-half traveling across the country, then moved to Vernonia in 1984.

He worked in construction, then as a maintenance man until his retirement in 1980.

Mr. Weigant was a member of the Disabled American Veterans Chapter 1, in Portland.

Survivors include his wife; four sons, Charles H. II of Hillsboro, Dewey Kozachenko of Vernonia, Jerry of Portland, and Harry Kozachenko, Jr. of Tri-Cities, Wash.; two daughters, Joyce Mills of Indiana, and Nellie Kozachenko of Estacada; a sister, Amelia May Downing of Tillamook; 18 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; nieces and a nephew.

2. The purpose of the hearing is to consider the appeal of the decision by the Planning Commission to deny the application by E.B.S. Trust for a Minor Map Amendment and Zone Change from Single Family Residential (R-10) to Mobile Home Residential (MHR) to develop a medium density mobile home park.

3. The land considered for a zone change is a 32.92 acre parcel located northeast of Vernonia inside the Urban Growth Boundary between Mellinger Road and Nehalem River, in Vernonia, Oregon. The property is described as Tax Lot #4404-000-00101.

4. The hearing will be held according to the procedures established in the Columbia County Zoning Ordinance.

5. This hearing is open to the public and all interested parties may appear and be heard. The Commissioners' Meeting Room is accessible to the disabled. If you are in need of special accommodations, please contact the Board of Commissioners' office at (503) 397-4322.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON  
BY: Jack R. Peterson, Chairman

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Fuiten, Rose & Hoyt Funeral Home of Vernonia was in charge of arrangements.

**HELEN D. WILLIAMS**

Helen D. Williams, 81, Forest Grove, died May 10, 2000 in Hillsboro. Graveside services were held May 13 at Gales Creek Cemetery in Gales Creek. A Flag Honor Presentation was under the direction of the Forest Grove American Legion Washington Post #2.

Mrs. Williams was born April 2, 1919, in Charlotte, North Carolina, to Cary C. and Janie (Orders) Duncan. She grew up in Charlotte and attended Marysville College in Tennessee, then Queens College in Charlotte, N.C. She also attended the School of Fine Art and Design Institute in New York City and Oregon College of Education in Monmouth, where she received a teaching degree.

During World War II, she served in the U.S. Women's Army Corps as a Technical Sergeant at Ft. Sill, Okla. She was awarded the Army Commendation Ribbon for meritorious service, and was discharged at Fort Bragg, N.C., in 1945.

She married Ray A. Williams in 1945 at Ft. Sill. The couple moved to Oregon, settling first in Sprague River, then Monmouth while she attended

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I would like to thank my family and friends for their prayers, cards, flowers and food while I was in the hospital and after coming home. I love living in Vernonia.

Enid Parrow

The many forms of caring shown us on losing our dear Mel was most appreciated and helped so very much to make things a little easier. They will always be gratefully remembered. Thanks to each of you.

Sincerely,

Mel Schwab's Family  
Jean and Family  
Bob, Genny and Lois

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**Recycle your magazines** at St. Mary's Church, 2nd & 4th Saturdays, or at Vernonia laundromat daily. Questions? Call 429-8092 or 429-8841.

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**MOVING?**

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**Vernonia Cares Emergency Food Bank** is open every Tuesday and Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at 627 Adams Avenue. Phone 429-1414.

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school. They moved to Forest Grove in 1952.

Mrs. Williams taught at Dilley Grade School and Harvey Clarke Elementary School. In 1957, she began teaching at Banks Elementary School and taught third grade there for 21 years, until her retirement in 1979.

She was a member of the American Legion Washington Post #2 in Forest Grove, and the Forest Grove Elkettes B.P.O.E. #2440.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Janie L. Day of Portland, and Stephanie R. Wray of Seattle, Wash.; a son, Chester D. of Forest Grove; a brother, C.C. Duncan of Charlotte, North Carolina; and two sisters, Evelyn Calvin of Conover, N.C., and Janie Calhoun of Charlotte N.C.; seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to the Women in Military Service for American Memorial Foundation, Dept 560, Washington, D.C. 20242..

Fuiten, Rose and Hoyt Funeral Home in Forest Grove was in charge of arrangements.

**JANE P. BABCOCK**

Jane P. Babcock, 46, Banks, died May 5, 2000. A memorial service was held May 12 in Trinity Episcopal Cathedral.

Mrs. Babcock was born April 17, 1954 in Portland, to Richard and Martha Phillippi. She graduated from the Catlin Gable School, then attended Lewis & Clark College and the University of Oregon, graduating with a bachelor's degree in early childhood education.

She married Forrest Babcock in 1977. They moved to Banks in 1989. Mrs. Babcock had been employed in the Banks Public Library since 1995.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Aaron and Roby, both of Banks; a daughter Laura, also of Banks; parents, Richard and Martha Phillippi of Portland; and a brother, Lincoln Phillippi of Grants Pass.

Remembrances are suggested to St. Vincent's Hospice, Banks Public Library, or to melanoma research at Providence Portland Medical Center's Robert W. Franz Cancer Research Center.

**LENORA V. CARDWELL**

Lenora Viola Cardwell, 64, Laurelwood, died May 9, 2000, at her home. Memorial services were held May 14, at the Newberg Seventh-Day Adventist Church, with Pastor Clifford Gleason

officiating.

Mrs. Cardwell was born October 12, 1935, in Rogue River, to Robert D. and Ida (Frieze) Sprecher. She attended school in Newberg.

She married Clifford Cardwell in 1952, in Vancouver, Wash. They made their home in Newberg until moving to Laurelwood in 1969.

Survivors include her husband; sons, Richard of Vernonia, Clifford Jr. of Salem, and Randy of Touchet, Wash.; daughters, Brenda Stuvenga of Amity, Rhonda Lueptow of Gaston, and Kathy of Aloha; a brother, Kenny Sprecher of Spanaway, Wash; six sisters, Carolyn Lacy of Dundee, Mabel Brown and Ruby Baldwin, both of Tacoma, Alice of Cornelius, Doris Irvin of King City and Helen of Tigard; and 12 grandchildren

Remembrances are suggested to the American Cancer Society, in care of Attrell's Newberg Chapel, 207 Villa Road, Newberg, OR 97132.

**CLARA E. "BETTY" BUSH**

Clara Elizabeth "Betty" Bush, 83, Banks, died May 1, 2000. A memorial mass will be at 11 a.m., June 1, in St. Jude's Catholic Church in Dunlap, Illinois. Private interment will be in St. Clement Cemetery in Dunlap.

Mrs. Bush was born Nov. 26, 1916, in Peoria, Ill. Her maiden name was Seipel. In 1935, she married J. Clifford Bush; he died in 1971.

She was a field director for the American Heart Association for 17 years, covering eight counties in central Illinois. She was a member of the church and served on the boards of the Peoria Deanery Council of Catholic Women. She also was a founding member of the Dunlap Library Guild and a board member for the Rural Peoria County Council on Aging.

Mrs. Bush lived in Banks for the past seven years.

Survivors include her daughter, Saralie Northam; sons, John C. and

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In Loving Memory of  
**CHARLES H. WEIGANT, SR.**  
Dec. 19, 1930 May 13, 2000  
Services held