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Notice of Openings for City of Vernonia Planning Commission

The City of Vernonia has one (1) position open on the Planning Commission. The Planning Commission makes recommendations regarding planning and development of the City and the surrounding area. They assist with recommendations regarding the location of roads, buildings, parks and residences. If interested in this volunteer position, please write a short note of interest and drop it at City Hall, 1001 Bridge Street, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. or call 503-429-5291. The City of Vernonia is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

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Notice of Openings of Vernonia Committee

The City has one (1) positions open on the Airport Committee. This committee assists Vernonia Municipal Airport and Airport Park and makes recommendations to the City Council for changes, new policies and planning. This member must be a resident of the City of Vernonia and use Vernonia Airport Park or the Air strip. If interested in this volunteer position, please write a letter of interest or stop by and speak to Kate Conley, City Recorder, City of Vernonia 1001 Bridge Street, Vernonia Ore 97064 between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. or call 503-429-5291. The City of

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Notice of Openings of Vernonia Budget Committee

The City has one (1) position open on the FY 2006-2007 Budget Committee. This committee assists the City's Finance Officer and Budget Officer in reviewing the proposed budget and makes recommendations to the City Council for changes. The budget committee establishes and approves the amount and/or rate of property taxes to be imposed. If interested in this volunteer position, please write a letter of interest or stop by and speak to Kate Conley, City Recorder, City of Vernonia 1001 Bridge Street, Vernonia Ore 97064 between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. or call 503-429-5291. The City of Vernonia is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

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Notice of Public Hearing

Conditional Use Permit for Home Business, Tax Lot Number 4405-014-14208

When: Please Attend April 5, 2007 before Planning Commission

Where: Vernonia City Hall Council Chambers

Why: Wauna Federal Credit Union Requesting a Conditional Use to the

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Residential Zone for Parking Lot at 1010 Bridge Street Vernonia OR 97064

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission will conduct a Public Hearing regarding a Conditional Use Request from Wauna Federal Credit Union to the residential zone to be used as a parking lot at their new location 1010 Bridge St. on March 1, 2007 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 1001 Bridge Street, Vernonia Or 97064.

A copy of the proposed changes will be available to the public at City Hall for seven days before the hearings, and may be copied for a fee. Failure to raise an issue in a hearing, in person or by letter, or failure to provide statements or evidence sufficient to afford the decision-maker an opportunity to respond to the issue preclude appeal to the board based on that issue. Public testimony is welcome, and written statements will be received before the hearing if you cannot attend. You are receiving this notice because you own property within 250 feet of the subject property.

The meeting location is accessible to persons with disabilities. A request

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for an interpreter for the hearing impaired or for other accommodations for persons with disabilities should be made at least 48 hours prior to public hearing to Kate Conley at 503-429-5291, TTY 1-800-735-2900 or at City Hall, 1001 Bridge Street, Vernonia OR. The City of Vernonia is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

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Notice of Town Hall re: Lowering Speed Limit

The Vernonia City Council will hold a special town hall at 7:00 p.m. at the Vernonia City Hall, 1001 Bridge St, Vernonia OR 97064 in the City Council Chambers on Monday, April 2, 2007

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during the city council meeting.

The purpose of the meeting will be to take testimony and consider posting 20 mph speed limit signs at Rose Avenue and at Grant Avenue. Public comment is invited and written statements will be received before the hearing at 100 Bridge Street, Vernonia OR 97064.

The meeting location is accessible to persons with disabilities. A request for an interpreter for the hearing impaired or for other accommodations for persons with disabilities should be made at least 48 hours prior to the meeting date to Kate Conley 503-429-5291 ext 104, TTY 1-800-735-2900 or City Hall, 1001 Bridge St, Vernonia OR. Publish March 15, 2007

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fueled by drug use. There will be FREE pizza provided by the Vernonia Lion's Club at the presentation.

The other date is an April 2nd Town hall Meeting at City Hall regarding the lowering of the speed limit from 25 mph to 20 mph on Bridge St. from Rose Ave to Grant Ave. Downtown Vernonia is already considered a "Business District"

with a 20 mph speed limit but the 20 mph signs were removed and a 25 mph speed limit has been enforced. Several people have requested the reduced speed and the council could just change the limit through ODOT but they felt it was more prudent to get public input. Citizen input on this change is needed, so mark your calendars to attend and speak up, either for or against.

Obituary

DAVID LYNN AKERS

David Lynn "Dave" Akers, 53, St. Helens, died March 4, 2007. A celebration of life was held March 12 at the Columbia Funeral Home in St. Helens.

Mr. Akers was born January 7, 1954, at home in Vernonia, to Wayne and Maxine Akers. In 1964, the family moved to Warren. He graduated from Scappoose High School.

In 1973, he married Dormilee Petite. They made their home in St. He-

lens. He worked for Fat Boys Pizza for 12 years, then as a meat cutter for the Oregon Meat Co., for four years.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Irene Bowery.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Nick of St. Helens; one daughter, Shannon Townsend of Rainier; two brothers, Larry of Warren, and Norman of St. Helens; two sisters, Sharon Johnson of Cathlamet, Washington, and Rose Birch of St. Helens; and five grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to the OHSU Cancer Unit.

NORMA E. KELLY-WOOLLEN

Norma E. Kelly-Woollen, 94, Forest Grove, died February 28, 2007. A celebration of life was held March 3 at First Christian Church in Forest Grove. Interment was in Union Point Cemetery in Banks.

Mrs. Kelly-Woollen was born April 27, 1912, in Goodrich, Sheridan County, North Dakota, to Emmett Clarence and Minta Florence Lamb Knepper. The family moved to Portland, where she graduated from Grant High School in 1932.

In 1936, she married Lewis Edgar Kelly. They made their home on a farm in the Green Mountain area near Banks, where they grew strawberries. After Mr. Kelly died, she later moved to Forest Grove and married Dempsey Gilbert "Gib" Woollen in 1992.

She was preceded in death by her husband; a daughter, Nancy Lyda; a great-granddaughter; a brother, Ray Knepper; and four sisters, Isla Genzer, Beatrice Holterman, Arlene Fischer, and Lois Townsend.

Survivors include three sons, Larry W. Kelly of St. Paul, Gordon L. Kelly of Salem, and Gene M. Kelly of Banks; a brother, Neil Knepper of Salem; three sisters, Elsie Spiers of Mesa, Arizona, Carol Hawes of Centralia, Washington, and Cleone Major of Springfield; 17

grandchildren; 33 great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to the First Christian Church, 2231 19th Ave., Forest Grove, OR 97116, or to Union Point Cemetery, 500 Banks Road, Banks, OR 97106.

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

KATHRYN "IRENE" KERNS



Kathryn "Irene" Kerns, 96, Vernonia, died March 9, 2007. Graveside services will be held today at 2:00 p.m. at the Mountain Vale Memorial Gardens in Cañon City, Colorado.

Mrs. Kerns was born January 20, 1911, in Rossville, Illinois, to Samuel and Mamie (Vaught) Collins. She was raised in Bedford, Indiana, until her family moved to St. Francis, Kansas, where she graduated from high school in 1929.

In 1930, she married Glenn Robert "Bob" Kerns. They made their home in Colorado, Utah and Wyoming. She taught in a one room school house in

St. Francis, Kansas, for several years. She moved to Cortez, Colorado, to live with a daughter, then moved with them to Vernonia in 2003.

She was preceded in death by her husband, a son, Robert G.; and nine siblings.

Survivors include one son, Thomas of Cortez, Colorado; three daughters, Roberta Krahenbuehl of Chickacauga, Georgia, Doris McComb of Keaney, Arizona, and Susan M. Whiteman of Vernonia; 20 grandchildren; 38 great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105, or donors@st.jude.org.

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

EDWARD GEORGE ROSS

Edward George Ross, 80, formerly of the Manning/Banks area, died February 28, 2007. At his request, no service will be held.

Mr. Ross was born February 23, 1927, in Killdeer, North Dakota, and moved to St. Helens at age eight.

He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He worked in heavy construction and was a part-time instructor in construction at Mt. Hood Community College and Benson High School.

Survivors include two sons, Gary of Longview, Washington, and Michael of Spring Grove, Illinois; three daughters, Donna Muehleck of Oregon City, Regis Peregrin of Canby, and Roxanne Ross of Gresham; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to Hospice Care Center, 1035 11th Ave., Longview, WA 98632.

Neptune Cremation Services was in charge of arrangements.

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