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## THE VOICE OF BOISE COUNTY

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### Intense Spring Runoff Threatens Homes & Motorists



Mores Creek has been flowing at above flood stage, inundating homes and property with excess water.

Photos by Eileen Capson



(Right) A large boulder in the southbound lane of Hwy 21, mile marker 27, which ITD later cleared.

### Progressive Destruction of the Miner's Bridge



Sheriff Jim Kaczmarek and Camille Wassom, with the Robie Creek Volunteer Fire Dept., kept close tabs on the flooding and threat of debris (aka - trees) from taking out Hummingbird Lane's access bridge.



Thursday,  
March 16, 2017.

The Miner's Bridge has long been the tell for the water level. This spring's runoff was no match and the bridge was eventually washed away by the force of the water.

Friday,  
March 17, 2017.

The water level had risen and continued to rise, causing structural damage to Miner Mike's Bridge.

Photos by Eileen Capson



Monday,  
March 20, 2017.

Sheriff Jim Kaczmarek said it's difficult to tell how much of the bridge is left, because it is underwater. However the boards are gone. Many of the boards hit Hummingbird Haven's bridge (middle left photo) on the way down. The Idaho Transportation Dept. and Robie Creek Volunteer Fire Dept. have been watching these areas of Mores Creek carefully.



A park along Robie Creek Road was entirely underwater on Monday, March 20th. A Declaration of Emergency has **not** been issued by the Commissioners, as of March 21st. Photos by Eileen Capson

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# WEST BOISE COUNTY

## GARDEN VALLEY SENIOR & SOCIAL CENTER NEWS

By Al Scharf

The monthly dinner is coming up quickly and will be on Tuesday, March 28th, beginning with our awesome Salad Bar at 5:30 p.m. and followed with dinner at 6:00 p.m. The dinner will be Spaghetti and Meatballs and all the trimmings, vegetables and bread. And our great pastry chef, Georgiana, will prepare a from scratch fantastic dessert. Drinks are also included, all for the suggested donation of \$7.00.

Are you a senior citizen living in Garden Valley, are you perhaps new to Garden Valley? Have you stopped in and picked up your welcome basket which contains some nice little useful items for your home, coupons from some of the local businesses, and includes a dinner coupon for your first visit to the Garden Valley Senior Center. If you've not yet come to one of our dinners or the potluck, it's a great way to meet a wide range of folks who live here, from young ones to, yes, retired citizens as well.

The Garden Valley Senior Center dinners are something everyone in the Valley is invited to attend, it's not exclusive to senior citizens, it's on a night when it's hard to find a meal out anywhere else and this really is a "soup to nuts" affair. Come join us!

Coming up on April 19th, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., is the opportunity to attend a one day AARP Driver Workshop. Those senior citizens who attend this

workshop will get a certificate at the end of the day which they can show to their insurance carrier, and likely receive at least a 5% discount on their insurance. That in itself is worth the time spent there, but it's also an opportunity for all of us to brush up on our knowledge of driving techniques including some that have been changed in more recent years. This community service will only be offered if enough people, at least six, sign up for it sooner rather than later. Call the Center, 462-3943, and leave your name and number to sign up. Posted on the Senior Center door are all the benefits of attending the workshop.

Granny's Closet is definitely thinking spring and Easter as well so if you're looking for something colorful for Easter for the kids or the Mom, maybe even a new shirt for the Dad, Granny's is your place. We also have lots of Easter decor and all the things you need to put together an unique Easter basket... except the candy!

We are also beginning to be hopeful that some good old dirt to dig in will soon appear so we are putting out our gardening things as we have the space to do so. How about thinking about renting a Community Garden plot for this summer? Call the Senior Center if you're interested and we'll put you in touch with the right person for further information.

# Local Economy Thrives When Events Come to Town

Written by Janet Juroch

**Garden Valley** - A goal of the Greater Garden Valley Chamber of Commerce is to bring quality events to tourists. This makes Garden Valley area a destination as well as keeping the local economy thriving. The General Membership Meeting was held on March 9th, 2017. Members discussed planning and sponsorship of events throughout the year.

As with every quarterly Chamber member meeting there is food that is catered by a different local eatery. This meeting everyone was treated to sandwiches and cookies. The dinner was provided by Wild Bill's Coffee and Bistro located along Market Street.

A Chamber Map is being developed and is looking for advertisers. The map will have detailed lists of streets and businesses on it and will be a handy guide for anyone looking to find where things are at in the area. Advertisers will greatly benefit purchasing a spot in this brochure map since it is picked up by thousands of people each year at different locations. Contact Julie Leslie or Toni Palmiotto at the GV Properties office during the week if interested in advertising or contact [info@gvchamber.org](mailto:info@gvchamber.org).

The Visitor Information Center and the Boise County Job Creation/Retention Council is also in the process of creating a tourist map of a different style. This map will be smaller than the Chamber map with potential to become placemats for restaurants that will pinpoint tourist attractions more specifically. Once the map is designed, the VIC will be seeking advertising at a nominal fee. Businesses will

have a simple mentioned of the type of business with address and phone number on one side of the map. A matching number place point will be on the visual map on the other side. This map is directed at providing tourist information for the area. Once completed, the maps will also be linked to certain websites where tourists can find locations of tourist attractions via smartphones and computers.

Members that attended unanimously voted to do our normal event for the 4th which we have always promoted, but have never promoted the illegal fireworks activities that happen in the center of town. Along with that vote, there will be absolutely NO OUTSIDE FIREWORKS brought into Crouch. Boise's NBC affiliate Channel 7, KTVB, was on hand at the meeting to cover the decision about the fireworks in Crouch. The news report can be viewed on the KTVB website.

Jason Sawin explained the Boost Program for the Business of the Week Promotion the Chamber has started. Once a Chamber member, a business can sign up for the Boost Program that is through Facebook promotions. He explained how a business will be advertised one day free

and then \$25 is also paid for to boost the remaining days of the week. SWITA (Southwest Idaho Travel Association) will be paying for part of this and each business' dues will go for the \$25 of the cost. Non-profits can participate in the program, also, but will pay the \$25 as they don't pay dues for membership.

Sawin has had experience with Facebook boosting and says, "It will help draw people up here." His business at Idaho X-sports went from 1,700 "likes" to 5,000 likes by doing Facebook boosting. Businesses should talk to Jason about the process and how to get boosted. The businesses can choose which time in the year the boost will best meet their needs.

Diane Caughlin, Chamber President, had a Press Release prepared and ready to go out indicating the decision of "no fireworks" in Crouch and that the chamber will only support the Chamber fireworks show at dusk on the 4th. She said news media has been contacted.

The Chamber website is [www.gvchamber.org](http://www.gvchamber.org) and shows chamber member businesses and other information links. Caughlin reminds everyone that the website is "a handy source for lists, links and information."

**The Garden Valley Preschool/Kindergarten screening will be held on Friday, April 21, 2017 for 3, 4, and 5 year olds from 10 AM to 12 PM. Please contact Melea Hileman at 462-3756, ext. 1050 or email [mhileman@gvsd.net](mailto:mhileman@gvsd.net) to schedule an appointment. Please bring an updated immunization record and a copy birth certificate to the appointment. Anyone who has a child 3 or 4 and is concerned about their development may also schedule an appointment for screening.**

## Spring Flooding Begins in Garden Valley



The flooding at Weilmunster Park is growing and resembles a lake. The whole park is underwater except for the picnic area under the Pavilion. The water is coming in from the rising waters of the Middlefork of the Payette River that runs through Garden Valley. Photo by Janet Juroch

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## Idaho City Historical Foundation to Receive State's Highest Honor for Museum Work



The Idaho City Historical Foundation has been chosen to receive the 2016 Sister Alfreda Elsensohn Award for outstanding museum interpretation and historical preservation at a special award ceremony on Saturday, April 1, 2017, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. (presentation will be at 2:30 p.m.), at Idaho City's historic Pon

Yam House on the corner of Commercial and Montgomery Streets. The public is welcome to attend the ceremony and to enjoy refreshments afterwards.

Given annually by the Idaho Humanities Council, the Idaho State Historical Society, and the Idaho Heritage Trust, the Sister Alfreda Elsensohn Award carries a pooled \$10,000 prize to be used by a chosen museum, historical society, or interpretive organization to continue its educational efforts. The Sister Alfreda award is the highest honor

currently awarded to a museum in the state. Representatives from all three organizations will be in Idaho City on April 1 for the award ceremony.

Established in 1958, the Idaho City Historical Foundation's mission is to preserve and interpret the history of the Boise Basin. Over the years, the ICHF has met its mission in some innovative ways. With help from the Idaho Heritage Trust, the Idaho State Historical Society, and the Idaho Humanities Council, the ICHF has preserved buildings, interpreted history, and often brings scholars to the community to nurture interest in the history of Idaho, the region, and Idaho City. In addition to a museum, the ICHF maintains a number of other historic buildings and several parks, and cares for the historic Idaho City Cemetery. Idaho City was a gold-mining boom town of the 1860s, and today many buildings and artifacts are preserved thanks to the ICHF.

"The Idaho City Historical Foundation is working with a variety of projects and presentations to meet a diverse public audience," noted Janet Gallimore, Executive Director of the Idaho State Historical Society. "The Foundation continues to preserve the rich history of the Idaho City area through its Boise Basin Museum, Pon Yam House, Territorial Prison, and other properties. The Foundation is most deserving of the Sister Alfreda Award."

Idaho Humanities Council Executive Director Rick Ardinger praised the ICHF as being more than a promoter of history.

"The Idaho City Historical Foundation is the cultural cen-

ter of the Idaho City community," Ardinger said. "History is the reason why so many people visit the town throughout the year. The ICHF's John Brogan Park is a place for weddings, family reunions, music fests, and more. Every July 4<sup>th</sup> the town meets to read aloud the Declaration of Independence, and then enjoy picnics. The ICHF is the town's cultural hub."

Idaho Heritage Trust Director Katherine Kirk praised the ICHF's extensive commitment to so many historic structures and activities.

"The Foundation's motto is 'History is our Future.' Through their care and management of seven historic buildings including two museums, two historic parks, and the pioneer cemetery, they perpetuate an authentic experience of the original Idaho City for many international visitors and tourists," Kirk said. "For a small community and a small organization, they are at the heart of saving and promoting the history of the town."

"We are so honored to receive this award," said Idaho City Historical Foundation President Beth Wilson. "We are all volunteers giving our time and money from a deep need to protect our part in the history of Idaho. But we could

not do it without the assistance and expertise of the very entities that are now recognizing our efforts."

The special award is named after Sister Alfreda Elsensohn, founder of the Historical Museum at St. Gertrude Monastery in the 1930s. One of Idaho's outstanding historians, Sister Alfreda sought to collect, preserve, interpret, and display artifacts from Idaho County and the surrounding area to better educate the public. "A museum is a bridge that links the present with the past," she said.

It was Sister Alfreda's vision of Idaho museums as exciting, interactive, and educational institutions that the award seeks to recognize by honoring one outstanding Idaho museum each year.

Previous award winners include the Bonner County Historical Museum in Sandpoint (2008), the South Bannock County Historical Center in Lava Hot Springs (2009), the Historical Museum at St. Gertrude's (2010), the Lemhi County Historical Society (2011), the Basque Museum and Cultural Center (2012), Wallace District Mining Museum (2013), the Sawtooth Interpretive and Historical Association (2014) and the Latah County Historical Society (2015).

## Boise Basin Senior Center's New Coordinator

Written by Georgene Thomas

**I d a h o C i t y**-- On March 9th, Dee Woodstrom began as the coordinator for the Boise Basin Senior Center. She likes helping people and



Dee Woodstrom  
Photo by Georgene Thomas

feels that this new opportunity will be very rewarding and fulfilling. She wants to learn more of the details of how the Senior Center operates and help the kitchen to provide appetizing and nutritional meals. Her goals for the future include: helping to plan more events for the Center and increasing the food pantry.

She and her husband Scott

fell in love with the mountains and moved to Idaho from North Dakota. They have lived in the Idaho City area for over 15 years. Dee is currently working as a volunteer at the Visitor's Center, does substitute teaching at the Basin School District, and is an Avon representative.

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## SCHOOL WATER WOES

**Written by Eileen Capson**

**Idaho City** -- Elementary School Principal, Jamie Pilkerton, looks around at all the damage done by the seeping water. It is assumed that the wall was not sealed well during construction and each year it leaks into the computer lab.

Pilkerton was concerned that students were scheduled to take state mandated tests soon. On Thursday morning, March 16th, there were over 2 inches of water flooding the computer room. The water was coming in as fast as they could shop vacuum it out. The maintenance crew set up four garden hoses to pump the water out.



Mrs. Pilkerton looks around at the water damage.



Computers are set up on desks. Photos by Eileen Capson



The head maintenance man, Jim Anderson, is at his wit's end trying to keep the water back. There is a springtime creek that runs behind the school and around the preschool. It's higher than ever! He said it has more water than he's seen in the 20 years working at the school.

## New Officer



Congratulations to two new officers that graduated from POST Academy on Friday, March 17th. Kody MacKenzie (photo) and James Anderson are the newest recruits of the Boise County Sheriff's Office. Photo by Eileen Capson

## Letters to the Editor

Once again the Idaho World captured the spirit of the Idaho City Historical Foundation's St. Patrick's Day Dinner through pictures in the last issue. The food was delicious and the attendees were joyous and generous. From the food and service to the many silent auction items, almost everything needed to put this event on was donated by individuals and businesses. Because of their support and time, all of the funds raised can be used to preserve our historic buildings and to operate our museum.

We want to thank Food Services of America, ALSCO American Linens, Trudy's Kitchen and Staff, Sam Aaron's I.C. Sound, and the Idaho City Middle/High School track team for donating of their time and services to put the whole thing together. Thank you to the musicians, Nox Lumus (Laura Coleman and Hayden Woras), Dave Woras and Sam Aarons, Peter Scarborough and Rhonda Jameson, Rick Ardinger and John Thomsen

for filling the air with melody and jigs. And a big thank you to all the helping hands, Cara Woras, Tracy and Tory, Carmen and Ardele, Terry and Don, Aspen and Dante, Marcy, Kelly and Tom and Committee Chair Linda Stohmeyer.

A big thank you to the silent auction donors: Idaho Power, Rick and Rosemary Ardinger, Grimes Creek Metal, Kay and Wayne Bushnell, Jean Jones, Charles Hanzel, Cara Woras, Idaho City Hardware, The Springs, John Thomsen and Linda Stohmeyer, Susie Osgood, Barbara Karnowski, Boise Escape, The Sarsparilla, Al Karnowski, Kelly Demasters, and Idaho City Grocery. We extend a special thank you to Bert Hiner for donating his beautiful painting of the St. Joseph's Church for auction as well as a limited print edition.

Thank you everyone who attended and everyone who bid on the silent auction items.

And thanks, Idaho World and Eileen Capson, for recording

the gathering for future historians to find.

Sincerely,  
**Beth Wilson**  
President  
**Idaho City Historical Foundation**

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## GARDEN VALLEY SCHOOL SCIENCE FAIR

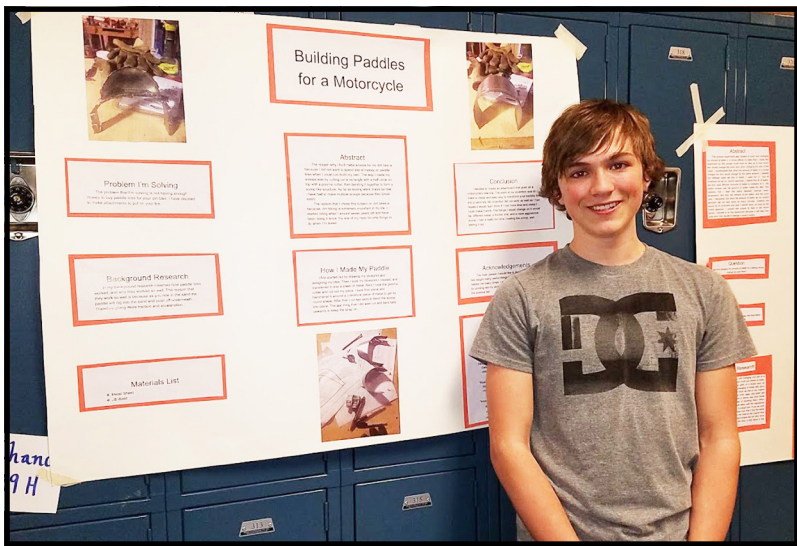


A musical concert was performed as part of STEAM Night at the GV School. Students are warming up before showtime.



Kayla Grimm, 11th grade, explains reactions of different terminal cleaners in her Science Fair Project. A lot of work went into projects incorporating STEAM - Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Math.

Photos by Janet Juroch



Chance Harold, 10th grade, is working on a designed paddle to use with his motorcycle to increase traction. He agreed there is lots more trial and error in project like these.



Kateri Koenig incorporated engineering a conveyor belt in her restored van as her science project. This passes items from the back to the front of the van so that everyone can keep seat belts on.

## Planning and Zoning Meets to Discuss Permits



Doug Russel, representing Bogus Basin Recreational Association, spoke regarding a proposed Aerial Rope Course. The P&Z Commission included: (R-L) John Jauregui, Dan Gasioiowski, Michel Tain and Rosemary Ardinger.

Photos by Eileen Capson

Doug Russel spoke to the Planning & Zoning (P&Z) Commission on March 16<sup>th</sup> regarding an aerial rope course, planned for Bogus Basin. They have several scientists working with them and are in contact with the Army Corps of Engineers. Russel asked that the area be extended to include some of the riparian area. Poles will be installed with platforms, which will be 20 feet off the ground. Russel claims that it's a popular summer activity

at ski resorts. They are planning short zip lines, and other activities that are intended to build confidence and strength. It is not expected to be built for another year. The plans for the design will cost Bogus Basin \$50,000.

The P&Z Commission had several questions, which were unanswered, such as the quantity of poles and material to be used. However, after a long discussion, the commission agreed to approve the project,

pending the Army Corps of Engineers' approval.

The second was to be a decision on a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) was for 3 Springs LLC, Gamebird Preserve. It would only serve as a preserve a portion of the year, during the "season". At the last meeting, the commission had a split decision. However, at this meeting, those that had voted against were allowed to ask questions of the applicants Stu-



Stuart and Raeleen Welton addressed the Commission in Idaho City.

art and Raeleen Welton. There was some concern for an outside toilet facility and cleanup after dogs. There had been no comment made by the local Horseshoe Bend Volunteer Fire Department. The applicants assured the commission that they

also wanted to protect their property from the danger of fire and have prohibited smoking on the premises. After much deliberation, the commission voted in favor of the proposed CUP.

**Boise County --** The Board of Boise County Commissioners has appointed Doug Bergey to be the Planning and Zoning Commissioner for District #5. Mr. Bergey brings decades of land use-related experience. Mr. Bergey is a surveyor for Forsgren, which is a company that Boise County regularly contracts with to provide surveying and engineering services. The Board has consulted both the Prosecuting Attorney and independent legal counsel regarding this potential conflict, and has concluded that any potential conflict issues can be dealt with by recusing himself when appropriate. The Board welcomes Mr. Bergey and his willingness to serve in this capacity.



# BOISE COUNTY

## Mustang Towing ~ a Family Business

**Written by Tracy Koslosky**  
**Horseshoe Bend** -- Nick Gibler and his father Tim have partnered up to expand Gibler's existing business Mustang Towing. The new enterprise is Mustang Towing, Tires, & Service.

It all started four years ago when Gibler and his wife Jodi Stevens found the perfect house for their family in Horseshoe Bend. Most of his working life had been spent as a self-employed hauler, transporting equipment throughout the northwest. That experience led him to begin his new enterprise, Mustang Towing. He located the business right in the middle of Horseshoe Bend on Highway 55 across from City Hall. With an impound yard utilized by Boise County and a contract with the American Automobile Association (AAA), Gibler has been op-

erating Mustang Towing with much success.

When the adjacent automobile repair shop closed recently, Gibler and his father decided to create Mustang Towing, Tires, & Service. It took the father and son 16 days to refurbish the building's interior and with the artistic talents of Gibler's 17-year-old daughter Shaleesa, the company's new logo was created and now adorns the wall of the building's foyer. The new enterprise provides new tire sales as well as repairs and the Gibler's have invested in new MayFlow-er mounting and balancing equipment to assist them. The company will do complete oil changes as well as fluid top off, checks, and visual inspections.

Gibler found out during his operation of the towing company that these were the problems that most car owners needed as-

sistance with and he hopes that his location will make these services more convenient and accessible to local residents.

Employees include HSB Volunteer Fire Firefighter Jason Gifford who will work the tire & service portion and HSB Volunteer Fire Chief Nate Howell, who along with the Giblers provide the community with 24/7 towing, roadside assistance and lock out services.

Their main goal right now



Shaleesa's new logo for Mustang Towing. Photo by Tracy Koslosky

according to Nick Gibler is "to have this place stable in every aspect of sales and eventually expand, hopefully up north." In the meantime, the Giblers plan to create a salvage yard adjacent to the impound lot and to man the shop from 8-6, seven days a week until

they figure out the community's needs. Mustang Towing, Tires, & Service is located at 438 Highway 55 in Horseshoe Bend. They can be contacted at (208) 793-3333. Check out their Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/MustangTowing/](http://www.facebook.com/MustangTowing/)

## High School Sports in HSB

The warmer weather last week lent a hand to the spring sports teams at Horseshoe Bend schools.

**Softball:** The 1A HSB Varsity Softball team traveled on March 10th to Nampa for a non-conference game against Nampa Christian. On the defense, Kate Renfro was on the mound as the starting pitcher where she delivered 7 strikeouts while keeping the Nampa Christian offense to just 2 hits. Aspin Quijas relieved Renfro and struck out 2 batters with 3 hits yielded. The team's offense was led by Ciara Drake who marked the scorebook with two triples, while starting pitcher K. Refro and Riley Renfro each had 2 hits. Despite the teams good showing they fell to 2A Nampa Christian 8-5 and they have temporarily lost Kiah Jones to a knee injury. The loss was due to "several errors that will be cleaned up as the season progresses," said Coach April Renfro. The team fared better on March 14 as they took on Adrian in a conference game at home. The 17-2 win

was credited to starting pitcher Aspin Quijas who delivered a 1 hit game with 9 strikeouts. Relief pitcher Brooke Lane held the win in the last inning, pitching 2 strikeouts. Offensive contributors K. Refro, Julia Black, Drake, and Quijas each produced 2 hits. The team went down 13-3 on March 15 in another non-conference game against 2A Melba. K. Renfro and R. Renfro put up the only hits, while K. Renfro was responsible for all 3 runs scored by delivering 3 RBI's. The team ended the week on a high note taking on 1A Garden Valley in a conference game as visitors in Horseshoe Bend. Starting pitcher K. Renfro went 3 innings giving up 2 hits, 9 strikeouts, and 5 walks and offensively giving HSB their first homerun of the season. Quijas finished the game strong with no hits or walks and 2 strikeouts.

**Baseball:** The 1A HSB Varsity Baseball team is 1-1 for the season with the win coming on March 15 versus 2A Melba at the team's first away

game. Starting pitcher Ethan Smith faced 10 batters and delivered no hits, 5 strikeouts, 2 walks, and 2 runs with Angelo Koslosky coming in to relieve. Koslosky faced 1 batter to secure the last out of the 2nd inning leaving HSB in the lead 3-0. Relief pitchers Colter Elliott and Dace Huston held on to the lead with Huston retiring 2 players on strikeouts. Offensively Smith put up a triple, a double and 2 RBI's, first baseman Mikee Farrar had 2 singles and 3 RBI's, Koslosky had a triple, and center fielder Philipp Theis delivered a single with 1 RBI. As shortstop, Koslosky led the defense with 4 put outs and 2 assists to help the team finish with an 8-5 win. The team fell to 2A Cole Valley Christian 11-8 in a non-conference game in Meridian on March 16. Starting pitcher Koslosky faced 22 batters and gave up 3 hits, with 1 walk and 9 strikeouts in a defensive error ridden game. Smith came in as relief giving up 1 hit with 2 strikeouts. Offensive standouts were Elliot with a triple, 3 sin-



HSB Varsity Baseball team at practice.

Photo by Tracy Koslosky

gles, and 4 RBI's, Farrar with 2 singles, Theis with a single and 2 RBI's, Koslosky with a single and 1 RBI, Huston, and Adam Akers each with a single, and Hank Ralls with an RBI. The team takes on 1A Glens Ferry in a doubleheader at home on March 31 at 3:00 p.m.

**Track & Field:** The 1A HSB Varsity Track & Field team competed in the Wildcat Invite at Columbia High in Nampa on March 17. The following

are District III results. Wyatt Smith takes 2nd place running the 100 meters with a time of 14.02 with Sam Fluke taking 5th with a time of 15.09. Rachel Houle has a 2nd place finish with a time of 1:21.10 in the 400 meters. Smith places 4th in the 12 lb. Shot put field putting 34'7.25".

The team meets up next on March 23 at the Melba Invite at Melba High School. The meet starts at 4:00 p.m.

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# BOISE COUNTY

## When Life Gives You Lemons ~ Try Kayaking



**Written by Eileen Capson**  
**East Boise County** -- Highly experienced kayakers have been monitoring the water flow of creeks and gauging class 2 and 3 rapids. Tucker Marcus (left) and Nick Sabin (right) headed out on Mores Creek on March 16th. They had pre-walked the area, looking for places to get out and walk around the bridges. There were also obstacles such as a cable that stretches across the creek that they were particularly aware of.

Although this is a recreational activity, a Boise County Deputy was quite concerned to learn of this activity and did not advise going into the creek at this time. The currents are unpredictable, there is a lot of debris in the water, and it's extremely cold.



*Bear Run Road was washed out with the heavy rains on Thursday morning. Boise County and Idaho City employees blocked the road leading to Duquette Subdivision to repair the deep ravine carved out by a stream of water.*

**Photo by Eileen Capson**



*The duo made it safely to the first bridge, from the conduit of Mores and Grimes Creek. They then needed to maneuver to the side, get out over a snow bank and put in on the opposite side of the bridge.*

## Researching at the Boise Basin Library



*"The Basin Elementary 4th graders from Mrs. Ogden and Mrs. Exon's classes had the opportunity to research their Indian report topics at the Boise Basin Library. Topics include various tribes, memorable individuals and chiefs, or other topics such as tools, weapons, boats, and homes. They will also create a visual aid related to their research and then present their research to the class," Mrs. Ogden wrote.*

**Photo by Eileen Capson**



### BOISE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TUESDAY, MARCH 28th, 2017 BOISE COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S ROOM AGENDA

- 9:00 a.m.** CALL TO ORDER Chairman Ward
- PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- PA ISSUES Prosecuting Attorney's Office
- EXECUTIVE SESSION per Pending Litigation, Personnel Issues, Exempt Records (because executive sessions are listed, does not necessarily mean that they will be engaged)
- 9:30 a.m.** CONVENE TO REGULAR SESSION
- AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA Commissioners
- CONSTITUENT INPUT (each member of the public will be allowed 3 minutes only to speak)
- MINUTES Clerk Prisco
- CONTRACTS/AGREEMENTS/GRANTS/RESOLUTIONS Clerk Prisco
- DEMAND WARRANTS Clerk Prisco
- INDIGENT - EXECUTIVE SESSION per exempt records Deputy Clerk Loya
- 10:00 a.m.** DEPARTMENT HEAD/ELECTED OFFICIALS MEETING: (All Department Heads & Elected Officials are required to attend)
- RECESS FOR LUNCH**
- 1:15 p.m.** PA ISSUES Prosecuting Attorney's Office
- EXECUTIVE SESSION per Pending Litigation
- EXECUTIVE SESSION per Personnel
- 2:00 p.m.** IAC ADULT MISDEMEANOR PROBATION ANNUAL REPORTS Wade Dishion
- 2:30 p.m.** SHOW CAUSE HEARING: NON-COMPLIANT BUILDING PERMIT: SLATE MAY P&Z Admin Canody/BOCC
- 3:00 p.m.** MISCELLANEOUS & CORRESPONDENCE Commissioners, Board of Equalization, Reinstatement Letter-Emergency Management Coordinator Roberts
- Bills
- Commissioner Discussion/Committee Reports
- Future Agenda Topics Review
- RECESS REGULAR MEETING UNTIL TUESDAY, APRIL 4th, 2017**

*Miscellaneous & Correspondence and Future Agenda Topics Review times may be changed to fill in gaps, if the Board chooses to do so. The Board reserves the right to enter into Executive Session when necessary.*

*Any person needing special accommodations to participate in the above noticed meeting should contact the Boise County Clerk's office two days prior to the meeting at (208) 392-4431, 420 Main Street, Idaho City, ID 83631*



## BOISE BASIN HISTORY

# ELKHORN QUARTZ MINE IN ELK CREEK

Written by Historian, Jerry Branson

The first Elk Creek quartz mine began very early in 1863. It was begun by Daniel Harrington on Elk Creek upstream from Ross Fork Creek on Elk Creek. He had prospected up Elk Creek to Ross Fork Creek and beyond because Elk Creek was showing good panning all the way up to and beyond Ross Fork. He found gold up a drainage basin on the north side of Elk Creek about a mile above Ross Fork. The basin there contained a huge outcropping of gold bearing rock. But access would be very difficult. No road existed up Elk Creek beyond Eldorado Gulch in by 1864. Eldorado Gulch is 2.5 miles above Idaho City. That mine was the Elkhorn mine, some eight miles above Eldorado Gulch. Elk Creek flowed a lot of water and a road by hand up Elk Creek from Eldorado Gulch was deemed impossible.

Therefore a road was begun from the Centerville to Idaho City toll road in Quartz Gulch to the ridge top at the head of Quartz Gulch which ran east from Grimes Creek at old Centerville, up to the top of the ridge that is the divide between Lewis Gulch and Henry Creek. The road then connected to the Deer Creek road from the Elk Creek side. This road was no easy task to construct but at

least it followed a ridge top. It continued up the ridge top that was the divide between Smith Creek and Elk Creek for many miles to Ross Fork Creek.

Then the road went down across Ross Fork and up the east side to the ridge beyond the drainage. This was a very difficult segment of road to build as Ross Fork is very steep and covered with heavy timber on both sides. This was huge undertaking. The road then went around the ridge on the east side of Ross Fork about five miles to the claims of the Elkhorn. In all, this road was more than 25 miles over extremely rugged terrain, with huge rock outcrops and heavy timber. Much of it was on side hill, especially from west of Ross Fork to the mine site, some eight miles. The crew had nothing but pick and shovel digging to build the road wide enough for a wagon to traverse. Curves had to be gentle enough for a long wagon with as many as a half dozen pairs of horses to bring in a five stamp quartz mill, and boiler to the mine. That included switchbacks. This was an incredible feat with the entire road being built with hand labor. It not only consisted of pick and shovel work but falling trees and clearing heavy brush to open a roadway. Noth-



Stamps from the old original 1864 mill.

Photo by Jerry Branson

ing was written on the number of workers or how long the work took. Again, no Chinese were involved in the road work or in the mining itself.

The road also provided an access to the start of the ditch from Elk Creek to the head of Deer Creek where the Deer Creek placer work began in 1863. The road was unusable during winter months because of the higher elevation of some 6000 feet. Amazingly enough, a 5-stamp quartz mill

was hauled up the road in the summer of 1864 to a site on the very steep hillside about Elk Creek. It was hauled there by wagons. Two tunnels were driven into the mountain below the top of the ridge above Elk Creek. The tunnels were hundreds of feet deep and all hand driven. Tunnel work advanced a given tunnel about three feet per day.

Besides that, a camp had to be built to accommodate the entire operation. That meant a mill building, mess hall, bunk house or perhaps two, an office, a blacksmith shop. A ditch had to be built to bring water to the mill site to operate the steam boiler and steam engine that ran the stamp mill. Some 20-25 men worked there according to the Idaho World. They worked year around. That area commonly has 5-6 feet of snow each winter and perhaps as much as 8 feet of snow. Operating such a mine so far from any town was a real tribute to the men who worked in such mines.

During the early years, the ore had to be hauled to old Centerville by wagon over this tremendously steep and narrow road but likely to the head of Deer Creek and down to Idaho City. The Deer Creek road was improved in 1863 by Greathouse Stage Coach Company. But Cornish and Wiley built a shorter road to Centerville over a lower pass from the head of Spanish Fork by 1864, so the Deer Creek road was not even used except by miners in Deer Creek and perhaps the ore haulers from the Elkhorn after

1864. But ore could be hauled only when the route was snow free. That was from sometime in May to Thanksgiving, maybe approximately a six month window. A total of three tunnels were dug in the drainage above Elk Creek. Some old equipment including the stamps from the stamp mill still remains at the upper site today.

But in 1913, with the coming of bulldozers, a road was built up Elk Creek to other mines above the Elkhorn. A lower tunnel was dug that was as much as 1800 feet into the mountain with cross cuts off of the main tunnel at several points along the main tunnel. A new mill was built along with new buildings down on Elk Creek. The bunk house and boarding house were built on the south side of Elk Creek opposite the tunnel. A foot bridge was built across the creek. I am not sure I would have had any desire to walk across it in the winter.

### BIBLIOGRAPHY:

*Idaho World newspaper, 1863 – 1870*

*Claims files, Idaho State Library 1863-1870*

*Site exploration 2003-2013*

## Saturday's Stolen Vehicle Unoccupied Crash



The Boise County Sheriff's Office confirmed that there was an unoccupied truck found on Saturday in Lucky Peak Reservoir, near the High Bridge. The truck never made it to the water and tore apart in its descent. This was a stolen vehicle. Unfortunately, there are no leads at this time. If you were a witness to this crime, please contact the Boise County Sheriff's Office. Photo courtesy of Boise County Sheriff's Office



# BOISE COUNTY

## Avalanche Alley Receives 60-Foot Deep Slides



Taken March 11, 2017.

Photos courtesy of ITD

**Written by Eileen Capson Boise County** -- The Idaho Transportation Department (ITD) has been assessing this slide, which is estimated to be 60-feet deep with snow and debris. As of March 21<sup>st</sup>, the department predicts to have Highway 21 back open within the next two days. The slide area is between Lowman and Stanley, or Grand Jean and Banner Summit, this area of the highway is traditionally gated off.

"It's not been just one slide. It's been multiple slides on the road," explained Jennifer Gonzalez. "This winter has been record setting, so this is the longest that we've had parts of

Highway 21 closed – *ahead of avalanches*. So, our forecasters know to close that road ahead of one. They can tell by the snowpack and can determine when they need to close the road, because there is an unstable snowpack and there's the potential for it to *slide*. All of these closures have been *before* the slides occurred, which is really a testament to the work that they do."

ITD has been working closely with the National Weather Service, because there have been periods of snow, warming and freezing. "It's just this constant freezing and thawing, and that creates an unstable snowpack," says Gonzalez. The highway has been closed

longer this year than last, due to a record winter.

ITD plans to keep a close eye on the Mores Creek area. "We're expecting all of that snow up in the mountains to be melting. Although winter is *technically over*, our crews on [Hwy] 21 have been working night and day for weeks, and weeks, *and weeks*."

In regards to the avalanche removal from the roadway, Gonzalez says, "This is very, very slow cleanup work. We don't want our crews in an unsafe zone cleaning debris, when there's a potential for more slides."

Go online to 511.idaho.gov to check current road conditions.

### Drinking Water WARNING in IC

**Written by Eileen Capson Idaho City** -- A notice has been given to Idaho City residents of a Boil Water Advisory, due to turbidity, or cloudiness of the water. A high amount of spring runoff into Elk Creek has made it very dirty and the sand filtration plant is having a difficult time producing drinkable water for the residents of Idaho City. It has been recommended that folks boil their water for one minute, prior to consumption. This includes all drinking water, ice making, dish washing, water used to brush teeth, and in food preparation. This advisory is in effect until further notice.

put people at risk, due to the presence of bacteria, viruses and parasites. This dirty water could result in nausea, cramps and diarrhea. Those with a severely compromised immune systems, infants, and some elderly may be at an increased risk. If individuals experience these symptoms, they may want to seek medical attention.

The Idaho City Water Department and Department of Environmental Quality are working together to monitor the levels of turbidity and will inform the public when the threat no longer poses a problem for human consumption.

For more information, please contact Nancy Ling, City Clerk, at (208) 392-4584.

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## TAX HELP:

Free income tax assistance on Mondays at the Garden Valley Library from 1 to 5, Idaho City Library Wednesdays 2 to 6 Sponsored by the AARP Tax Aide program. For additional information call 392-9934. (2.2.2017 to 4.18.2017)

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## HELP WANTED:

**The Boise Basin School District is looking for part time school bus drivers to start in the fall.** A CDL Class b is required and pay is dependent on years of experience. If you are interested, you can pick up an application at the high school office.

**Boise Basin Library in Idaho City is accepting applications for a full-time Programming Coordinator position,** 40 hrs/wk, Tues-Sat. Qualifications include: high school diploma (or equivalent), computer skills, experience with library practices.

A full job description and

application form are available at the Boise Basin Library upon request. Salary DOE,

Veteran's Preference and the Boise Basin Library is an EOE.

Please call 208.392.4558 for more information.

**Trudy's Kitchen is hiring servers.** Apply in person. Located in Idaho City.

**WANTED:** Boise County Deputy Sheriff's uniform and badges from 1970 - 1980 for display. (Looking for blue

or light green color.) Top dollar paid, depending on condition. Call Mike at 208 863-0000.

**CLOSED:** Steamboat Gulch Sledding Hill is now

closed for the season. Thank you for supporting the Mores Creek Recreational Foundation! Interested in becoming an attendant next winter? Contact Jackie at the Sheriff's Office.

## Legal Notices

NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE (Adult)  
CV 2017-0028  
IN RE: Jacqueline Kennedy - Legal Name

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE 4<sup>TH</sup> JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE

A Petition to change the name of Jacqueline Kennedy, now residing in the City of Boise, State of Idaho. The name will change to MeeshaKeena Keely. The reason for the change in name is: Life change.

A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 3:30 o'clock p.m. on (date) May 3, 2017 can show the court a good reason against the name change.

Date: March 13, 2017

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT  
Staci Baumhoff  
Deputy Clerk

Published in the Idaho World on 3/22, 3/29, 4/5 and 4/12/2017.

The Board of Boise County Commissioners has agreed to the transfer of equipment, valued at \$142,342.00, from the East Boise County Ambulance District to the Boise County Justice Fund, Sheriff's Office. The equipment no longer has operational value to the East Boise County Ambulance District, the equipment is appropriate for use within the operations of the Sheriff's Office. As allowed under Idaho Code 31-808(9), the Board has agreed that this transfer will take place without compensation.

Published by the Idaho World on 3/22/2017.



Placerville Ambulance has been retired and is expected to become an emergency unit for the Sheriff's Office.

Photo by Eileen Capson

**Correction: Idaho City Snowshoe Track Team stated the student was Ian Donahue, but it should have said Gabe Donahue.**

**Basin School District is accepting bids for a 2000 Thomas/freight liner bus 72# capacity. Caterpillar engine model 3126 171.5 HP. Manual transmission. Mileage 185749. New clutch package installed last year. All filters and oil changed at 185571. Annual inspection completed 8/2017. Bids starting at \$2500.00. If you are interested bring your bid to Cindy Hunter in a sealed envelop at the Idaho city high school to be opened at the 3/21/17 board meeting. If you want to see the bus call 392-6747.**

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# LEGAL NOTICES

## REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

The City of Crouch is requesting proposals from qualified consultants for the planning, development, grant writing, and administration of a water system improvement project.

The City of Crouch anticipates applying for federal grant assistance to fund the project.

The a copy of the RFP can be obtained from the City Clerk at cityofcrouch@frontiernet.net

Proposals will be evaluated and ranked on the following criteria. The maximum point value of each criterion is shown in parentheses:

Capability to Perform Project (25) pts

Relevant Project Experience (30) pts

Qualifications of Project Team (30) pts

Project Approach and Schedule (15) pts

Selection Committee Interview (30) pts

The relative importance of each area is shown in parentheses.

Proposals are due in the City Clerk's office at the following address:  
City of Crouch  
342 Village Circle  
Garden Valley, ID 83622

Proposals are due on or before March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017 by 3pm.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

Mayor, Bob Powell  
Published in the Idaho World on 3/15 and 3/22/2017.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING LEGAL NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That the Boise County Board of Commissioners will hold a Public Hearing on April 4, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. in the Commission Chambers in Idaho City regarding an Appeal on CUP #2017-003 The Edge Resort at Garden Valley. All interested persons are invited to attend this meeting. Special accommodations for persons with disabilities will be provided upon advance request to the Clerk's Office 208-392-4431.

Published in the Idaho World on March 15 & 22, 2017.

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE - To be sold for cash at a Trustee's Sale on July 12, 2017, 11:00 AM at the On the front steps of the Boise County Courthouse Annex, 383 Highway 55, Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629, the following described real property situated in Boise County, State of Idaho ("Real Property"): Lot 8 in Block 1 of Gold Hill Subdivision, according to the official plat thereof, filed September 14, 1970 as Instrument No. 75756, official records of Boise County, Idaho. Commonly known as: 114 Placer Street, Idaho City, ID 83631 Gina L. Turner and Steven L. Turner, as Grantors conveyed Real Property via a Trust Deed dated June 17, 2009, in favor of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Taylor, Bean & Whitaker Mortgage Corp., its successors and assigns as Beneficiary, in which Title One was named as Trustee. The Trust Deed was recorded in Boise County, Idaho, on June 25, 2009, as Instru-**

ment No. 223907, and modified pursuant to the Modification recorded on December 28, 2015, as Instrument No. 249516, of Official Records The Deed of Trust was assigned for value as follows: Assignee: Bank of America, N.A., successor by merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP FKA Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, LP Assignment Dated: April 17, 2012 Assignment Recorded: April 23, 2012 Assignment Recording Information: Instrument No. 234781 Assignee: Carrington Mortgage Services, LLC Assignment Dated: January 28, 2015 Assignment Recorded: March 9, 2015 Assignment Recording Information: Instrument No. 246358 Benjamin J. Mann is the Successor Trustee pursuant to a Substitution of Trustee recorded in the office of the Clerk and Recorder of Boise, State of Idaho on February 27, 2017 at Instrument No. 254072, of Official Records. The Beneficiary has declared a default in the terms of said Deed of Trust due to Grantor's failure to make monthly payments beginning September 1, 2016, and each month subsequent, which monthly installments would have been applied on the principal and interest due on said obligation and other charges against the property or loan. By reason of said default, the Beneficiary has declared all sums owing on the obligation secured by said Trust Deed immediately due and payable. The total amount due on this obligation is the principal sum of \$248,434.03, interest in the sum of \$5,977.93, escrow advances of \$743.91, other amounts due and payable in the amount of \$0.00, for a total amount owing of \$254,916.91, plus accruing interest, late charges, and other fees and costs that may be incurred or advanced. The Beneficiary anticipates and may disburse such amounts as may be required to preserve and protect the property and for real property taxes that may become due or delinquent, unless such amounts of taxes are paid by the Grantors. If such amounts are paid by the Beneficiary, the amounts or taxes will be added to the obligations secured by the Deed of Trust. Other expenses to be charged against the proceeds of this sale include the Trustee's fees and attorney's fees, costs and expenses of the sale, and late charges, if any. Beneficiary has elected, and has directed the Trustee to sell the above described property to satisfy the obligation. The sale is a public sale and any person, including the Beneficiary, may bid at the sale. The bid price must be paid immediately upon the close of bidding in cash or cash equivalents (valid money orders, certified checks or cashier's checks). The conveyance will be made by Trustee's Deed, without any representation or warranty, including warranty of title, express or implied, as the sale is made strictly on an as-is, where-is basis, without limitation, the sale is being made subject to all existing conditions, if any, of lead paint, mold or other environmental or health hazards. The Grantors, successor in interest to the Grantors, or any other person having an interest in the property, or any person named in IRC § 45-1506, has the right, at any time prior to the Trustee's Sale, to pay to the Beneficiary, or the successor in interest to the Beneficiary, the entire amount then due under the Deed of Trust and the obligation secured thereby (including

costs and expenses actually incurred and attorney's fees) other than such portion of the principal as would not then be due had no default occurred and by curing any other default complained of herein that is capable of being cured by tendering the performance required under the obligation or to cure the default, by paying all costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation and Deed of Trust with Successor Trustee's and attorney's fees. In the event that all defaults are cured the foreclosure will be dismissed and the foreclosure sale will be canceled. The scheduled Trustee's Sale may be postponed by public proclamation up to 30 days for any reason. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Successor Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The above Grantors are named to comply with IRC § 45-1506(4)(a). No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation. This is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Dated this 7th day of March, 2017. Benjamin J. Mann, Substitute Trustee 381 Shoup Avenue, Suite 211, P.O. Box 50271, Idaho Falls, ID 83405 Telephone: 208-523-9106 Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8AM-5PM (MST) File No. 14960 Published in the Idaho World on 3/22, 3/29, 4/5, and 4/12/2017.

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No: ID-17-759835-SW NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 8/1/2017, at the hour of 2:00 PM of said day, Boise County Courthouse Annex Hwy 55 & Madison St Horseshoe Bend ID 83629, said Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of BOISE, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit: A PARCEL OF LAND BEING A PORTION OF LOT 3 BLOCK 1 OF GRANITE RIDGE SUBDIVISION, AS RECORDED AT THE BOISE COUNTY RECORDERS OFFICE, LOCATED IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 5 NORTH, RANGE 4 EAST, BOISE MERIDIAN, BOISE COUNTY, IDAHO, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS. COMMENCING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 5 NORTH, RANGE 4 EAST, BOISE MERIDIAN, ALSO BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 1, BLOCK 1 OF GRANITE RIDGE SUBDIVISION; THENCE NORTH 89°51'49" EAST 1323.26 FEET ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SUBDIVISION TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 3, BLOCK 1 OF SAID SUBDIVISION; THENCE SOUTH 08°53'03" EAST 349.50 FEET ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID LOT 3 TO THE REAL POINT OF BEGINNING OF THIS DESCRIPTION; ALONG THE PLATTED BOUNDARY OF SAID LOT 3 AS FOLLOWS; THENCE CONTINUING SOUTH 08°53'03" EAST 977.63 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 3; THENCE SOUTH 88°14'37" WEST 440.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 3; THENCE NORTH 01°19'58" EAST 526.56 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 1; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 01°19'58" EAST 213.80 FEET TO A POINT; LEAVING SAID PLATTED BOUNDARY; THENCE NORTH 30°40'12" EAST 47.14 FEET TO A POINT OF CURVATURE; THENCE ALONG A CURVE TO THE LEFT 20.53 FEET, SAID CURVE HAVING A RA-**

**DIUS OF 60.00 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 19°36'04", TANGENTS OF 10.36 FEET, AND A CHORD WHICH BEARS NORTH 20°52'10" EAST 20.43 FEET TO A POINT OF REVERSE CURVATURE; THENCE ALONG A CURVE TO THE RIGHT 80.40 FEET, SAID CURVE HAVING A RADIUS OF 100.00 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 46°03'58", TANGENTS OF 42.52 FEET, AND CHORD WHICH BEARS NORTH 34°06'07" EAST 78.25 FEET TO A POINT OF REVERSE CURVATURE; THENCE ALONG A CURVE TO THE LEFT 37.52 FEET, SAID CURVE HAVING A RADIUS OF 60.00 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 35°49'38", TANGENTS OF 19.40 FEET, AND CHORD WHICH BEARS NORTH 39°13'17" EAST 36.91 FEET TO A POINT OF TANGENCY; THENCE NORTH 21°18'27" EAST 20.63 FEET TO A POINT OF CURVATURE; THENCE ALONG A CURVE TO THE RIGHT 42.81 FEET, SAID CURVE HAVING A RADIUS OF 60.00 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 40°52'39", TANGENTS OF 22.36 FEET, AND CHORD WHICH BEARS NORTH 41°44'47" EAST 41.90 FEET TO A POINT OF TANGENCY; THENCE NORTH 62°11'06" EAST 47.28 FEET TO A POINT OF CURVATURE; THENCE ALONG A CURVE TO THE LEFT 20.61 FEET, SAID CURVE HAVING A RADIUS OF 60.00 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 19°40'45", TANGENTS OF 10.41 FEET, AND CHORD WHICH BEARS NORTH 52°20'44" EAST 20.51 FEET TO A POINT OF REVERSE CURVATURE; THENCE ALONG A CURVE TO THE RIGHT 54.71 FEET, SAID CURVE HAVING A RADIUS OF 30.00 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 104°29'30", TANGENTS OF 38.74 FEET, AND CHORD WHICH BEARS SOUTH 85°14'53" EAST 47.44 FEET TO A POINT ON A TANGENT; THENCE NORTH 81°06'57" EAST 32.73 FEET TO THE REAL POINT OF BEGINNING OF THIS DESCRIPTION. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-described real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of **XXX BUGLE LN, BOISE, ID 83716** may sometimes be associated with said real property. Said sale will be made, without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust made and entered into on 3/8/2007, by and among **DOUGLAS A. DONEY AND BECKY A. DONEY, HUSBAND AND WIFE**, as Grantor, and **RINGERT CLARK CHARTERED- JEFFREY R CHRISTENSON, 455 SOUTH 3RD STREET., BOISE ID 83702-7614**, as Trustee, and **MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. (MERS), AS NOMINEE FOR US BANK N.A., ITS SUCCESSOR AND ASSIGNS**, as Beneficiary; said Deed of Trust having been filed of record on 3/13/2007, as **Instrument No. 212725** Official Records of **BOISE** County, Idaho. The naming of the above Grantor(s) is done to comply with Idaho Code Sections 45-1506(4)(a); no representation is made as to the responsibility of Grantor(s) for this obligation. The default for which this sale is to be made is: **The monthly installment of \$306.43, which may include principal, interest and escrow, due on 3/1/2016, and all subsequent installments of principal and interest through the date of this Notice, plus amounts that are due for late charges, delinquent property taxes, insurance premiums, advances made on senior liens, taxes and/or insurance, trustee's fees, and any attorney fees and court costs arising from or associated with the beneficiaries efforts to protect and preserve its security, all of which must be paid as a condition of reinstatement, including all sums that shall****

**accrue through reinstatement or pay-off. Nothing in this notice shall be construed as a waiver of any fees owing to the Beneficiary under the Deed of Trust pursuant to the terms of the loan documents.** The balance due and owing as of the date hereof on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is the amount of **\$55,443.77** in principal; plus accrued interest at the rate of **3.3750** percent per annum from **3/1/2016** adjusting, if at all, pursuant to the terms of the note; plus service charges, late charges, and any other costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure as provided by the Deed of Trust or Deed of Trust Note, or by Idaho law. **ROBERT W. McDONALD, ESQ MAY BE CONSIDERED A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.** Dated this 16th day of March, 2017. Robert W. McDonald, Esq, Trustee By: IDSPub #0124276 Published in the Idaho World on 3/22/2017, 3/29/2017, 4/5/2017 and 4/12/2017.



BOISE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
TUESDAY, MARCH 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017  
BOISE COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S ROOM

**OFFICIAL MEETING MINUTES**  
Chairman Ward called the meeting to order and the pledge of allegiance was recited. Present: Chairman Ward, Commissioner Baker, Deputy Clerk Cofelt, Assessor Juszczak, Deputy Clerk Loya (Elections), Community Justice Administrator Leader, Sheriff Kaczmarek, Planning & Zoning Administrator Canody. Absent for morning session: Clerk Prisco. Absent: Commissioner Jackson. The minutes for Tuesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017 were approved. Ms. Canody requested a date for a CUP appeal hearing and a deadline for the P&Z Commission seat appointment. The Sheriff invited the board to attend a deputy Post graduation on March 17<sup>th</sup>, in Meridian. PA Blocksom discussed the Drug Policy and the possibility of an employee assistant program. An agreement between Boise County & BHC Intermountain Facility was approved. Five demand warrants were approved. Mr. Jason Stone from the Department of Juvenile Corrections gave an update to the board. Discussion ensued. An interview ensued with Mr. Kevin Courtney for the Emergency Management Coordinator position. A letter of approval for tax cancellation to Mr. Scott Brown was approved. A tax cancellation was approved. A motion was made to set the deadline for the P&Z commission seat for March 10<sup>th</sup>. A motion was made to set the P&Z CUP appeal hearing for April 4<sup>th</sup>. Chairman Ward is still working on the parcel purchase near Lowman. Commissioner Baker is working on the HSB Highway 55 Bridge. Future agenda topics were reviewed & discussed. Adjourned. Approval, Chairman Ward. Attest, Clerk Prisco, Clerk to the Board.

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# BOISE COUNTY

## BOISE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' MEETING

Transcribed by Eileen Capson

March 14, 2017

**Present:** Commissioners Alan Ward, Laura Baker and Roger Jackson

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:** [Time 9:05am to 9:46am] Closed meeting per pending litigation personnel, and exempt records. Coming out of executive session Chairman

Ward said there was no action required, except for "under litigation, I will motion we sign the letter <names inaudible> to wave the conflict portion in the case of Powell vs. Boise County." [There was no further comment after this motion was approved.]

**CONSTITUENT INPUT:**

None

**MINUTES:** The Board made a motion to accept the minutes from March 7, 2017, official meeting minutes.

**BILLS:** Commissioner Baker said a "Motion to approve the claims approval report for March 10, 2017 in the amount of \$117,151.74." This was approved unanimously.

**PLANNING & ZONING:** The administrator spoke about selecting a new Planning & Zoning Commission member from Horseshoe Bend. She presented 2 applicants to fill the 5th seat. This decision was tabled.

**SHERIFF:** Jim Kaczmarek spoke about the Garden Valley Chamber of Commerce and how they had decided not to have fireworks on the 4th of July. "As far as I know, the City of Crouch has not made any decisions like that," said Sheriff Kaczmarek. He currently has been meeting with different agencies to "adjust for the potential impact of pushing those activities out into the forest." Chairman Ward asked if the city had made an ordinance yet to make it illegal to have fireworks in the city. Sheriff Kaczmarek replied, "The only decisions that have been made as far as I know is by the Chamber of Commerce, which I don't believe is the governing body there." Chairman

Ward stated, "*They are not.* So, I'm curious, I read from the Chamber Chairman an email the other day that said that *anyone setting off fireworks in that area would be cited for trespassing.*" Sheriff Kaczmarek responded, "*No, they won't.* This was made clear to them they want enforcement of these things then they need to pass the appropriate city ordinances." Commissioner Ward said, "I WANT THIS ON THE RECORD... That was a 'No' for the record." The sheriff went on to say, "If they don't want people on their property, then they need to post it accordingly. And we can certainly do that, keep people off their property and cite them." Chairman Ward stated, "*This is going to be the most volatile thing that you've seen in some time!*" Commissioner Ward went on

to say "FOR THE RECORD" that "the email from the Chamber Chairman also indicated that the Chamber had **NEVER** invited anyone in Crouch to light off fireworks. And that is **ABSOLUTELY NOT TRUE**, me being the past president of the Chamber of Commerce. We **absolutely** invited people to our community on the 4th of July." Sheriff Kaczmarek agreed, "Yeah, it's going to be a mess, regardless of what we do. I'm going to be planning accordingly." He suggested renting concrete barriers. Prosecutor Dan Blocksom recommended bringing the BLM and Forest Service into the conversation, "because it's kind of like a balloon. If you squish one part, it's going to pop up somewhere else." Chairman Ward emphasized again, "*It's extremely volatile over there about that.*"

### Get Registered for the Color Run Funraiser

Written by Janet Juroch Garden Valley --

The Color Run is coming to GV! This will be a fundraiser for the GV Track Team. The event will be on April 22nd, but registration time is drawing near. Deadline to register is on April 3th. The event is non-competitive and focuses on having fun and getting sprayed with colors along the route.

For those of you who do not know about Color Runs, it is run that provide splashes of color at stations as the participants run to the finish line. The color is similar to paint but is made of a washable colored powder which is cornstarch and mixed with water. It is not toxic to people or the landscape. The idea is the run is to get a T-shirt sprayed with color which will be unique and a great keepsake.

The vibrant colors wash out easily. Most people will want to keep their shirts since they are splashed with lots of color. The way to keep T-shirts permanently colored is to soak them in vinegar and allow them to air dry. Afterwards, using an iron will set the colors.

Color Runs are widely

popular events and is a new concept to promote a different type of fun run. This race is two miles. The beginning of the race is at Weilmunster Park and will follow the Garden Valley bike path. The end of the race is at the Outreach Center located on Banks Lowman Road just east of the Old Crouch Road intersection. There will be four color stations along the way.

Deadline for to register and get a packet is April 3. The packet includes a T-shirt, head band and temporary tattoos. It is always highly recommended to wear sunglasses. Many will choose fun, colorful sunglasses that can be obtained at the dollar stores and thrift stores.

Line up time is at 8:45am with the Color Run starting at 9am. Anyone wanting a registration form needs to contact [jvandyk@gvsd.net](mailto:jvandyk@gvsd.net) or Jenn Van Dyk at the GV School. Registration cost is \$20 for adults/ kids 6-12th grades. It is \$15 for kids up to 5th grade. Don't hesitate. There is not much time left to register for what is considered one of the "happiest fun runs around".

### Boise County Residents

If you have lost a structure due to snow this year, please contact the Assessor's Office. The structure can be taken off of the Tax Roll.

392-4415

### Horseshoe Bend Superintendent's Corner

Thank you to the patrons of the Horseshoe Bend School District for approving the proposal to renew our expiring supplemental levy. By saying yes, you are allowing us to maintain our current staff, properly maintain our facilities, improve campus safety and security, provide curriculum and materials for students, upgrade our technology, fund athletics, and more. Your generosity and financial sacrifice will enable

us to continue to provide a high-quality education for the children in our community.

On behalf of all of our students and staff, I extend a heartfelt thank you for your continued support and commitment to our school district.

**Dennis Chesnut,**  
Superintendent/  
K-12 Principal  
Horseshoe Bend  
School District

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A butterfly ushers in spring. Photo by Eileen Capson

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