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The Groton Area School Board met Monday evening and as you can tell in the center window, snow is starting to encroach in on the visibility. The left window appears to be covered over. Elementary Principal Brett Schwan said the same thing is happening at the elementary school. Pictured left to right are Kara Pharis, Marty Weismantel, Deb Gengerke, Elementary Principal Brett Schwan, MS/HS Principal Kiersten Sombke, Superintendent Joe Schwan, Board President Steve Smith, Business Manager Michael J. Weber, Merle Harder, Grant Rix and Clint Fjelstad. (Photo by Paul Kosel)

Sternhagen, Hanson and Strom turned in their resignations, Monday

Justin Hanson and Nick Strom both turned in their resignations as boys basketball coaches, effective at the end of the current school year. Hanson has been the head coach and Strom the assistant coach. Jodi Sternhagen will be retiring at the end of the school year as high school counselor. All four administrators turned in their contracts for another year. (Supt. Joe Schwan, Elementary Principal Brett Schwan, MS/HS Principal Kiersten Sombke, Business Manager Mike Weber)

National motto to be displayed in SD Public Schools

Superintendent Joe Schwan reported that SB55 has been signed by the governor and will go into effect the next school year. The national motto, "In God we Trust" will need to be displayed in all public schools in South Dakota. If there is a lawsuit against a school district, the state will defend them.

The Groton Area School District will be a TSI school where more emphasis is needed on students with disabilities. Targeted Support (TSI) is any school with a consistently low-performing subgroup (subgroup has been performing significantly below the All Students group on all indicators). Schwan said that Groton's students are higher than the state average, but there is a gap between those students in the general students within the district; thus causing the district to fall into special needs. This spring, the district will need to develop a plan. Then from July-December 2019, the data needs to be collected and organized. In January 2020, the data needs to be analyzed as facilitators synthesize the data. From February-March 2020, the data is analyzed with the team. From March-May 2020, the needs are to be prioritized. Then the connect to implementation needs to be submitted by May 31, 2020. Then monitor and evaluate the action plan progress in years 2-4. Elementary Principal Brett Schwan said it may be time consuming, but it will be worth it in the end.

There was discussion on the end of the school year with the number of missed days due to storms. So far, the district has missed six full days of schools and has had six late starts. Going past Memorial Day is not really an option. Board Member Deb Gengerke suggested going to school on Easter Monday as a make-up day. A decision will be made at the next school board meeting.

Business Manager Mike Weber reported that the Groton Area School will receive an additional \$80,000 tax revenue from Day County that will help the Capital Outlay and Special Education budget. Results from Brown County were not available.

The Groton School received a 99/100 at the the high school and elementary school for the Health Food Service Inspection. A ceiling tile at the high school and contact paper on a shelf at the elementary school were the only dings on the report.

Mitchell Holler, a student teacher for Shaun Wanner, introduced himself to the board.

Homecoming for 2019 will be Friday, Sept. 20, against Milbank. Coronation will be on Monday, Sept. 16.



The frost made for pretty views on Monday morning. (Photo by Paul Kosel)



Groton Area held its regional Destination Imagination Review Monday at the Groton Area Elementary School. Dean Fenenga, the South Dakota DI Affiliate Director, introduced the first team which was the Rising Stars team. A good crowd was on hand for the event. Since there was no regional tournament held due to the weather, all Groton Area teams were reviewed last night and will attend the State DI Tournament set for March 30 in Pierre. (Photo by Paul Kosel)

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Mighty big snow drift

Photo Below: This is, perhaps, the largest snow drift in Groton. Brenda Englund lives on 16th Avenue in the far northern part of the city. This is a natural made drift made by the winds and snow of South Dakota. She is pictured with her son, Gavin. She estimates that the drift grew by two feet with the last storm and with the upcoming storm scheduled to hit this week, it could grow even taller. The photo above is a view of the backyard snow. You can barely see the fence in the middle left. (Photos by Paul Kosel)



About 10 inches of snow made travel in town difficult unless you had a 4-wheel drive vehicle. (Photo by Paul Kosel)

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This is becoming more of a site around town as people are shoveling the snow off of the roofs. Joe Schwan was doing exactly that Sunday afternoon. (Photo by Paul Kosel)



Fire Call at Dollar General

The Groton Fire Department responded to a fire call at Dollar General Tuesday evening. The store was closed for the rest of the evening and according to what Kim Bell, manager, posted on Facebook, Wednesday was a wait and see what would happen. (Photo by Paul Kosel)



Where's my storm sewer inlet?

We are sure that Karla Pasteur was not alone in asking that question as residents were digging out of a thawing day on Tuesday. As I drove my, I stopped, got out my Google Map app on the phone and using the street view, I was able to tell her very close to where her storm sewer inlet is at (see left photo). In fact, the app came in handy for city employees as well as I was able to pin point where the inlets were at, saving a lot of time in a search and rescue mission. You can do the same thing on your smart phone. It comes in real handy at times! (Photo by Paul Kosel)



Swisher Wins First Place in Corn Yield Contest

Groton farmer Travis Swisher earned a first-place state yield award in the 2018 National Corn Growers Association (NCGA) National Corn Yield Contest. Swisher was recognized as one of the top-yielding corn producers in the nation with DEKALB® DKC46-79RIB Brand Blend corn yielding an impressive 272.66 bushels per acre in the A No-Till/Strip-Till Non-Irrigated category. (Courtesy Photo)



By Richard P. Holm, MD ~ Prairie Doc® Perspectives

Fearing Death Can Cause Suffering

When in life does one come to confront the tough truth that each of us will eventually die? In my years as an internist caring for young and old alike, some people understand this early, and some people never get it. In denying death, we intensify our fear of it. Usually, however, it is sometime during their 50s that people first look into the eyes of death. Put it off as we may, the hard certainty is that we are all aging and one day an end will come. Shakespeare described advanced age in his play *As You Like It*, Act II, Scene VII (All the world's a stage):

“... Last scene of all, That ends this strange eventful history, Is second childishness and mere oblivion, Sans (without) teeth, sans eyes, sans taste, sans everything.”

Shakespeare's description of advanced age during the 1600s is rather bleak and scary. I think, with modern medicine and the support of a loving family, we could do better. I clearly believe that advanced age and facing our own death should not fill us with dread. The following is a more hopeful version to end Shakespeare's excerpt:

“... He did not have to end his life alone; If over time he'd shared his caring, raised the worth of others, fed the love he'd sown. His death would find him kindly prized and praised, While kin sang festive songs of joy, amazed.”

Fear comes from the oldest reptilian part of our brain. Fear helps us run from attackers but can also make us run from making important choices about our health. Fear can even bring us to push forward with treatment that may cause significant suffering, even when we are very old and even when treatment is futile and it's time to quit.

Fear of dying can prevent us from making plans about end-of-life care and, most importantly, prevent us from talking to our families about those wishes. How do we want to be cared for if we should lose mental capacity from a stroke or dementia? Do we wish to have a feeding tube, resuscitation, antibiotics when there is no quality of life left, when one doesn't recognize family and when the only option will be residing in a bed somewhere “sans everything.”

I would rather die and be: “... kindly prized and praised, While kin sing festive songs of joy, amazed.”

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A playlist of Sunshine Week hits

Little darling, it's been a long cold lonely winter
 Little darling, it seems like years since it's been here
 Here comes the sun (doo doo doo doo)
 Here comes the sun, and I say it's all right



By Brian Hunhoff, Yankton County Observer

George Harrison's song of spring is a fitting start to this Sunshine Week salute to everyday heroes bringing light to local government.

"Why do you want to know that?" is a question most reporters have heard when asking for public documents. It generally becomes a Freedom of Information teaching moment from the journalist to the reluctant keeper of records.

Many years ago, I was covering a county commission meeting when a department head stood to speak. Before addressing commissioners, he turned to a radio reporter next to me and gruffly ordered him to turn off his tape recorder.

Say what?! We insisted my friend had every right to tape comments at a public meeting, but it took a while to convince the surly official. He clearly didn't know the first thing about open meeting laws.

It goes with the territory. The press must sometimes teach Sunshine 101 to public officials on Main Street, U.S.A. This column recognizes some of those intrepid reporters and public servants with symbolic citations from my Sunshine Week playlist.

"HERE COMES THE SUN" award to Hilde Lysiak, a plucky 12-year-old reporter who made headlines on a visit to Patagonia, Arizona. Riding her bike to investigate a tip, Lysiak was stopped by Patagonia town marshal Joseph Patterson and asked for ID. Lysiak gave her name and said she was a reporter. Patterson said, "I don't want to hear about any of that freedom of the press stuff." Lysiak said he also threatened to put her in juvenile detention.

In a second encounter, Lysiak began video-taping Patterson and said, "You stopped me earlier and said I could be thrown in juvie? What exactly am I doing that's illegal?" Patterson warned her (inaccurately) against posting the video online. "If you put my face on the Internet, that's against the law," he said.

Lysiak posted a YouTube video of their exchange on her Orange Street News website. She later received an apology from Patagonia mayor Andrea Wood who said the town respects her First Amendment rights.

"HOUSE OF THE RISING SUN" award to Brenda Fisk, mayor of Paint Rock, Alabama (population 200). Mayor Fisk drafted a resolution to close town board meetings to non-residents and members of the press. She told the Jackson County Sentinel, "What goes on in Paint Rock is the business of the people who live in Paint Rock." Fisk said she had "personal reasons" for proposing the move, "but I since found out that I cannot do that."

"I CAN SEE CLEARLY NOW" award to Kirby Delauter, county councilman from Frederick, Maryland. Delauter once threatened to sue the Frederick News-Post for "unauthorized use of my name." The newspaper responded with an editorial using his name 26 times. They also explained why newspapers in America are actually allowed to write about public officials without their permission. Delauter later apologized.

"LET THE SUNSHINE IN" award to Jerry Toomey, former mayor of Mitchell, South Dakota. A citizen called Toomey "a drunk" during the public forum portion of a Mitchell City Council meeting. His accusation set off a heated exchange, and stemmed from an earlier altercation between the two men in the citizen's driveway.

In an interview with the Mitchell Daily Republic, Toomey called the incident "a black eye" for the city, but added, "The public forum has a critical place in government and it is important to let people voice their issues, valid or not."

"AIN'T NO SUNSHINE" award to the Kentucky State Police spokesman who sent the following email to the Barbourville Mountain Advocate: "From this point forward when KSP is working on an investigation, you are to wait until OUR press release is sent out before putting anything on social media, radio, and newspaper ... If this continues, you will be taken off our media distribution list."

Jon Fleischaker, general counsel for the Kentucky Press Association, said the order violated the First Amendment and state agencies cannot withhold information "just because they don't like what the media outlet is writing."

"WALKING ON SUNSHINE" award to Art Cullen, Pulitzer Prize-winning editor of the Storm Lake Times in Iowa. Cullen's editorials about agricultural impact on his state's poor water quality were not popular with some prominent Republicans. The GOP-controlled Iowa Senate stalled a resolution to recognize his national writing prize. Cullen responded, "I would not want the support of a den of philanderers and oafs." He added, "I honestly do not care if I am ever honored by the Iowa Senate, the U.S. Congress, or any other institution of dysfunction and cynicism."

Brian Hunhoff of the Yankton County Observer is a member of the South Dakota Newspaper Hall of Fame. He received the 2005 S.D. First Amendment Committee Eagle Award "for protecting the public's right to know" and the 2014 Golden Quill award for editorial writing. He is a two-time winner of the National Newspaper Association Freedom of Information Award.



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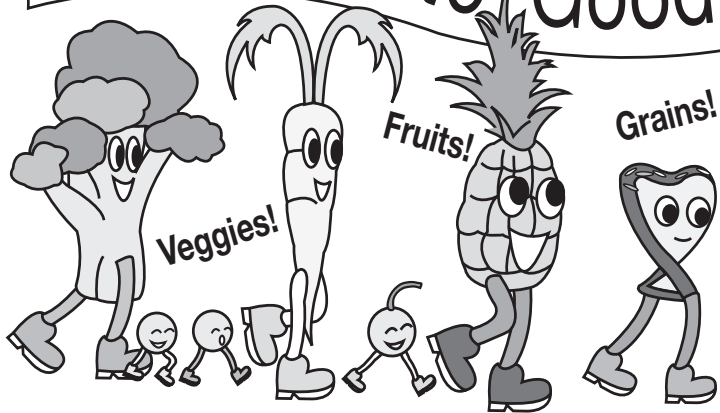
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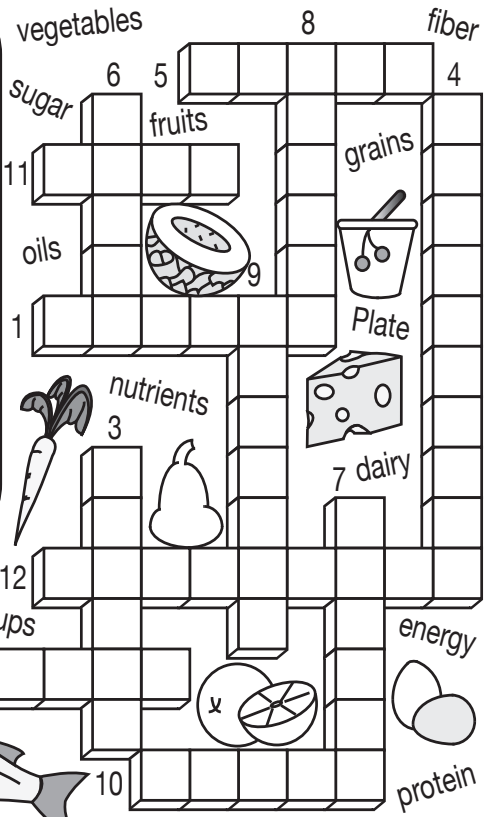
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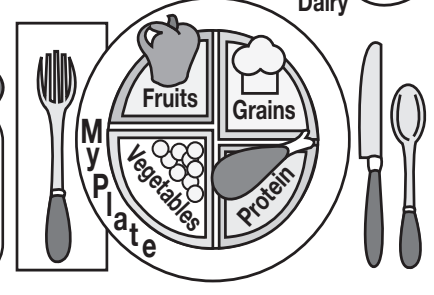
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- fruits have lots of vitamins, but may have a lot of _____ too
- it's better to eat fruits than to drink their juice: when you eat an apple instead of drinking its juice, you get _____ too
- foods in the grains group have carbohydrates that give you _____
- whole _____ have more fiber, so try whole wheat noodles or pizza crust
- _____ to build muscles comes from meat, fish, beans and nuts
- foods in the milk or _____ group have calcium to build strong bones and teeth
- some fat is needed for your body and brain to run well; choose _____ over fats that are solid
- eat foods of all colors from all the different food groups and you will get lots of _____ for good health

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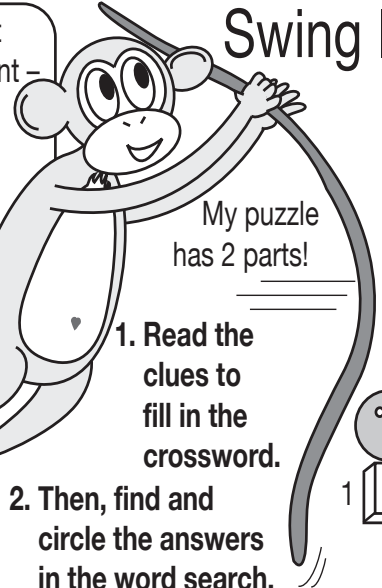
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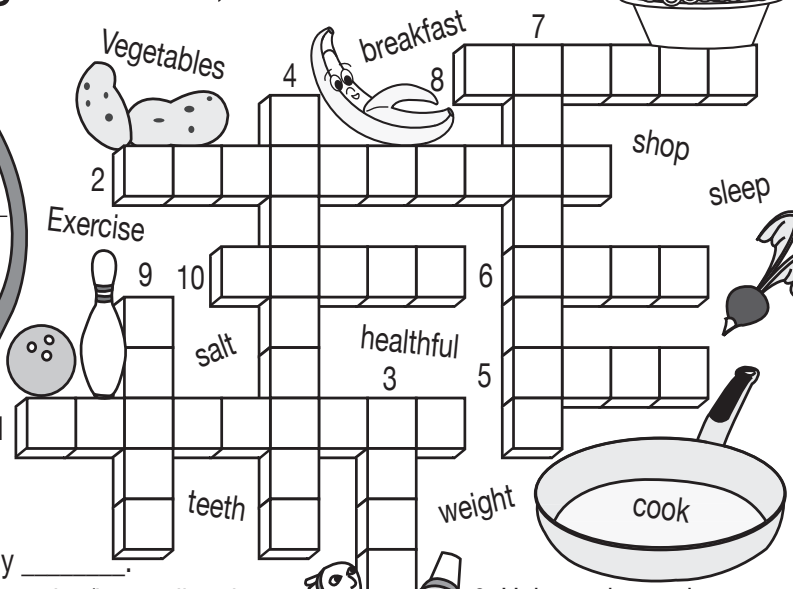
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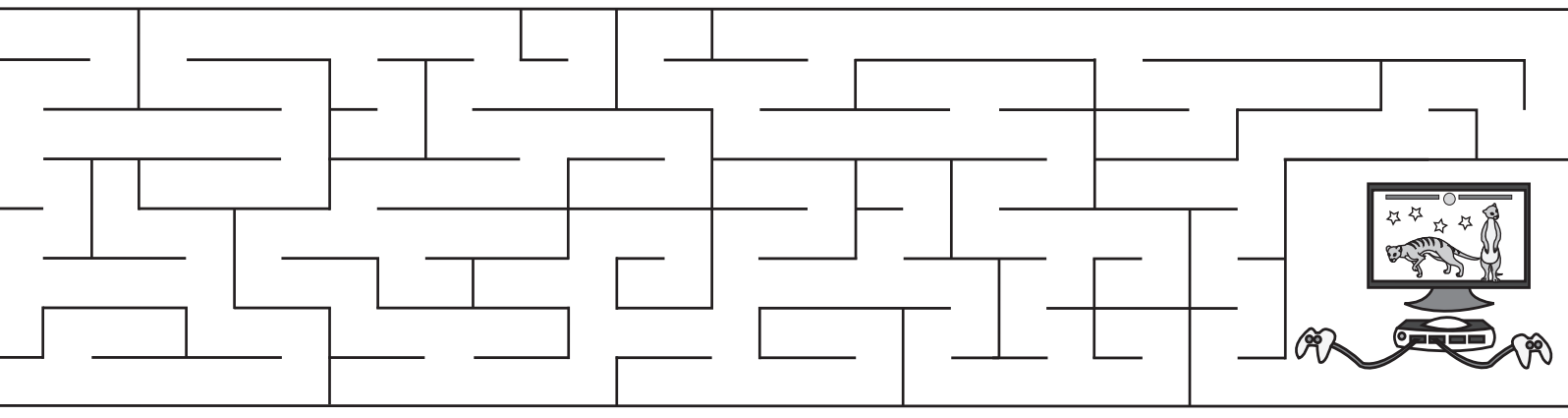
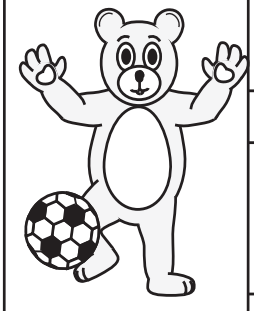
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- Choose snacks that have less fat or _____ and cereals with less sugar.
- When you eat out, choose items that are fun, but also more _____, such as a baked sweet potato instead of french fries, etc.
- Help to _____ for and choose vegetables and fruits that everyone likes!



- Help to plan and _____ meals that are more healthful for everyone.
- _____ every day for at least 30 minutes.
- Keep a good _____.
- Your family doctor can help you to decide what is healthy for your size and activities.
- Brush your _____ twice a day and floss once too.
- Get enough _____ so you wake up ready to take on the day!

At the End of the Day

Forest has been to soccer practice, helped with dinner and finished his homework. Now, he has 30 minutes before bedtime to play video games with his brother. **Help him get to the game console.**



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 - *Chairman of the Communist Party of China
 - Parent group
 - Horsefly
 - Voldemort's title
 - Ohio city
 - Saintly glow
 - Never a UK currency
 - Disapproved by audience
 - *American concentration camp
 - Peters out
 - *Harry Truman to Margaret
 - Feedbag morsel
 - Mountain climber's tool
 - Overplay in front of audience
 - Negative conjunction
 - Within a building
 - Leafy green
 - Captain America actor
 - Party bowlful
 - Dictum, pl.
 - Network of nerves
 - Native Americans of the Pacific Northwest
 - "To _____ is human"
 - *#23 Across victim
 - Like a human
 - "Never _____ never"
 - Raccoon's South American cousin
 - Mount Olympus' famous dweller
 - *Manhattan Project site
 - Does like a sponge
 - Horizontal wall beam
 - Pelvic parts
 - Actress Parker
 - Geologic time divisions
 - Steve Urkel, e.g.
 - Eat, past tense
 - Lt.'s subordinate
 - "_____ Louise"

- DOWN**
- Mozart's "L____ del Cairo"
 - Homecoming guest
 - #50 Across wife
 - Kenya's neighbor
 - Native American earthen structure
 - Orderly arrangement
 - Shoe emanation
 - Circus trainer's poker
 - Zac Brown Band's body part hit
 - A in FANBOYS
 - Like weighed down with metal
 - At right angle to a ship
 - *Thor Heyerdahl's raft
 - Third axis
 - Dinghy propeller
 - Unable to move
 - Don't judge a book by it
 - Muse of love poetry
 - Shoshonean people
 - "It is silent" in sheet music
 - U in UV
 - *_____ Harbor
 - *a.k.a. Operation Neptune
 - Black gold
 - Miniature Japanese carving
 - Hindu garment
 - Blue overhead
 - Intelligence
 - Impudent
 - Horse-involved activity
 - Man-made stone pile
 - Ladies' fingers
 - *Popular 1940s suit
 - "Ill at _____"
 - Type of molding
 - High school club
 - Ireland's previous name
 - Hot springs
 - Wood-shaping tool

SCHOOL LAND LEASE AUCTION

A school land lease auction will be held at the Brown County Courthouse Annex (Community Room) in Aberdeen, SD on March 28, 2019 at 10:00AM (CT). A list of tracts available for lease may be obtained at the Brown County Auditor's Office or by contacting the Office of School & Public Lands, 500 E Capitol Avenue, Pierre, SD 57501-5070 or phone (605)773-3303. You may also visit the SPL website at www.sdpubliclands.com. Disabled individuals needing assistance should contact the Office of School and Public Lands at least 48 hours in advance of the auction to make any necessary arrangements. (0227.0320) Published four times at the approximate cost of \$

Savo Township Equalization Notice

The Savo Township Board of Equalization will meet at 10326 390th Ave. on Monday, March 18, 2019 at 7:00PM. All appeals shall be filed in writing with the clerk no later than Saturday, March 16, 2019. (0313.0320) Published twice at the total approximate cost of \$7.64. 17308

Putney Township Equalization Notice

The Putney township equalization meeting will be Tuesday March 19th at Mark Thompson's shop, 5:00 PM. Prior notification to the clerk is required. (0313.0320) Published twice at the total approximate cost of \$6.46. 17308

Bates Township Equalization Notice

Bates Township Equalization Meeting Notice: The Bates Township Board of Equalization will meet at the Clerk's home on Tuesday, March 19th, 2019 at 7 pm. All persons disputing their assessments are requested to notify the clerk prior to the meeting. Betty Geist, Bates Township Clerk, 14523 409th Ave, Conde, SD 57434 (0313.0320) Published twice at the total approximate cost of \$19.21. 17306

Bates Township Maintenance

Bates Township Board of Supervisors reminds all landowners and tenants that the road right-of-way extends 33 feet from the center of the township road. This ditch is to be maintained and mowed. Any crops planted in the road right-of-way will be mowed and expenses charged to the landowner. Landowner is responsible for spraying all noxious weeds. Bates Township Board of Supervisors, Betty Geist, Township Clerk (0313.0320) Published twice at the total approximate cost of \$20.11. 17307

Groton Prairie Mixed Team Standings:

- Coyotes 38, Foxes 35 1/2, Cheetahs 34, Shih Tzus 30 1/2, Chipmunks 23, Jackelopes 19
- Men's High Games:** Doug Jorgensen 193, Brad Waage 189, Ron Belden 184
- Women's High Games:** Nicole Kassube 187, Darci Spanier 178, Lori Giedt 162
- Men's High Series:** Roger Colestock 534, Doug Jorgensen 531, Brad Waage 525
- Women's High Series:** Nicole Kassube 480, Darci Spanier 468, Lori Giedt 424

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New machines, games help video lottery revenues rebound in S.D.

By: Tom Griffith

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Eight years after a smoking ban dealt South Dakota video lottery owners a heavy blow, the industry has quietly remade itself, last year recording nearly its highest revenue in 30 years.

The games brought in \$221 million in fiscal 2018, substantially higher than the \$176.6 million achieved at the industry's recent low point in 2012. The proceeds are divided evenly among the machine owners and the state.

Industry executives credit new games, updated gaming technology and more variety in entertainment options with the turnaround.

"A lot of that is the introduction of line game terminals, originally introduced in 2011," said South Dakota Lottery Executive Director Norm Lingle, who has held his post since 2005. "As we have seen that consistent and steady growth and investment in the new terminals, that has probably been the largest factor in us achieving year-after-year growth."

The gaming landscape has changed greatly since South Dakota first activated its video lottery system in 1989. Standalone casinos now are operating in neighboring states and a new casino is proposed for Yankton. An effort to allow sports betting in Deadwood is also underway. Even so, the state's most financially formidable gambling interest seems to have stabilized and, some proponents say, video lottery could be situated for even bigger growth if the state will allow it.

Smoking ban fears envelop industry

In the fall of 2010, South Dakota voters overwhelmingly endorsed a ban on smoking, prohibiting it in public places, including bars, casinos and restaurants. The vote came on the heels of a contentious battle in the state Legislature, which passed a smoking ban in March 2009. A petition drive followed and a ballot initiative sought to overturn the ban. When voters went to the polls in the fall 2010 general election, they approved the no-smoking measure by a lopsided 64-36 percent margin.

Smoking ban opponents had predicted that video lottery revenues, the second largest state revenue source behind only sales and use taxes, would drop 20 percent if smoking was prohibited in bars and casinos. And, reports from the state Department of Revenue indicate they were nearly right.

In fiscal 2008, net machine income from video lottery, which represents the cash players put in video lottery terminals minus the prizes they win, peaked at \$224.6 million. In fiscal 2009, the year before the smoking ban took effect, it fell to \$220.2 million.

After the smoking ban was implemented midway through fiscal 2010, net machine income dropped to \$215.5 million, then to \$191.7 million in fiscal 2011, before plummeting to \$176.6 million in fiscal 2012.

Since that year, video lottery revenues have posted continuous gains, rising to about \$185 million in both fiscal 2013 and 2014, and \$199.1 million in fiscal 2015.

Meanwhile, in fiscal 2018, the total number of establishments offering video lottery across the state stood at 1,336, down from its 2008 peak of 1,478. Those operators managed 9,109 terminals last year, just shy of the high of 9,156 terminals in 2010.



Despite accounting for slightly more than 40 percent of the state's video lottery machines, new terminals produced more cash and net machine income than their legacy counterparts in 2018, helping boost video lottery revenues. Photo: Tom Griffith

Tom Griffith

A rocky history in S.D.

According to the state Lottery website, South Dakota pioneered the first state video lottery in the nation on Oct. 16, 1989. But it has been anything but smooth sailing.

An initiated measure to repeal video lottery appeared on the general election ballot in 1992, when voters statewide favored continuing the revenue stream by a 63 to 37 percent margin.

Opponents then filed a lawsuit questioning the constitutionality of video lottery, and on June 22, 1994, the South Dakota Supreme Court declared video lottery unconstitutional.

In a special legislative session in July 1994, lawmakers passed a resolution to place a constitutional amendment on the general election ballot to reauthorize it. A court order to shut down video lottery was handed down Aug. 12, 1994, but South Dakotans voted by a 53 percent to 47 percent margin to reauthorize it and, on Nov. 22, 1994, video lottery was restarted.

The issue came before voters two more times: Nov. 7, 2000, when a measure to outlaw video lottery failed by a 54 to 46 margin, and in November 2006, when an initiated measure to repeal video lottery was defeated 67 to 33 percent.

Despite the overwhelming support for video lottery evident in the votes, opponents have continued to describe this specific form of entertainment as "the crack cocaine" of gambling, preying on those with addictive tendencies, destroying families, and encouraging crimes such as theft and embezzlement.

As recently as a Feb. 2 legislative question-and-answer session, a state legislator from Rapid City was asked about a sports betting bill before the Legislature and used the occasion to blast the video lottery.

Labeling video lottery a scourge on South Dakota that has led to increased social ills, District 30 Rep. Tim R. Goodwin also said state government had grown addicted to the revenues.

"We're drunk on the money," Goodwin said. "It's a shame we have dirty money in our state but that's what this video lottery revenue is –

dirty money."

Goodwin said if gambling is legal in South Dakota, it should be confined to Deadwood.

"I don't think there should be a casino on every corner," he said.

Some point to growth options

But Larry Mann, a Rapid City lobbyist who has represented clients in the video lottery industry since its inception and whose current client operates 4,000 of the 9,000 terminals in the state, said those who oppose the industry have never presented a viable alternative to replace the revenue that would be lost should video lottery be outlawed. Mann said that opposition also has stood in the way of advances that could increase play as well as revenues to the state.

"We tried hard to get an increase in bet limit and the number of machines allowed per location, but we couldn't get it accomplished," Mann said. "There's resistance to this day. In the past few years, there have been at least three efforts to ban video lottery all together."

"But the issue is you can't replace \$112 million," he added. "There are still those out there who just want it to go away. The video lottery is the second largest source of revenue, outside of state sales tax. That's huge and no one can figure out how to replace it."

Lottery Executive Director Lingle credits new technology and new games with the steady surge in net machine income, attracting new players and retaining them for longer durations.

According to the state Lottery's 2018 annual report, "FY18 was out with the old and in with the new for many South Dakota video lottery players. The year saw the continued emergence of updated technology in the video lottery industry, as many players and retailers enjoyed the use of new terminals.

"The new terminals featured updated graphics and a wider array of games, which appealed to players based on the numbers," the report continued. "Despite accounting for just over 40 percent of the state's machines, new terminals produced more cash in (\$418 million to \$325 million) and net machine income (\$119 million to \$102 million)."

To that end, the South Dakota Lottery announced in January a seven-year deal with International Game Technology to provide the state lottery with an updated central system, business intelligence tools, new point-of-sale and self-service terminals, ongoing maintenance and retailer training.

Lingle, who oversees 31 Lottery employees across the state who monitor video lottery as well as scratch-off lotto games, said South Dakota has remained competitive in the face of a proliferation of gaming opportunities throughout the U.S.

"I think the growth in net machine income has been steady," he said. "When compared to other gaming jurisdictions, we have done well in South Dakota with year-after-year growth in video lottery."

One operator's perspective

For the past 36 years, Don Rose has operated a Sioux Falls bar and restaurant. His establishment currently offers 10 video lottery terminals. He also is vice president of the South Dakota Licensed Beverage Dealers and Gaming Association, which represents some

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300 members across the state.

From Rose's perspective, the statewide rebound of video lottery revenues since the smoking ban was instituted has been uneven and, for him, a bit disconcerting.

"Our experience is it went down everywhere," Rose said recently. "Some places have come back and some haven't. My numbers are down 21 or 22 percent, and it hasn't come back an inch for me. We have play, but we don't have it the way it was prior to the smoking ban."

Rose said the one bright spot has been the addition of new terminals that are gradually replacing "the VLCs, known as the old black boxes."

"They were the main thing for years and

Video lottery revenues rebound

South Dakota video lottery revenues have rebounded in recent years after declines following a statewide smoking ban.

Year	Net machine income
2008	\$224.6 million
2009	\$220.2 million
2010	\$215.5 million
2011	\$191.7 million
2012	\$176.6 million
2013	\$184.6 million
2014	\$185.2 million
2015	\$199.1 million
2016	\$207.6 million
2017	\$213.3 million

years," he said. "With a bit of change and a bit of push, they got new machines, and they are very similar to Deadwood slots. If you played them, you'd think you were in Deadwood, though on a smaller scale. That's what brought people back and their familiarity has made them more attractive."

Yet, Rose said the video lottery industry's offerings have largely remained the same as the nation has witnessed a proliferation of gaming venues and players have cycled through 30 years of changing technologies.

"We still have a maximum bet of \$2 and a maximum payout of \$1,000," he noted. "Our Lottery Commission doesn't want to ruffle anybody's feathers, so they haven't made



New gaming terminals and a variety of new games entered the video lottery arena in 2011. Response from players has been good and revenues continue to grow. Photo: Tom Griffith

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Without changes in the future, Rose predicts a slumbering video lottery industry with 1 percent annual growth and no real prognosis for significant increases in play or spikes in revenue.

"There are people who want to help the state and we've made suggestions," he said. "We could easily bring in another \$10 million for the state with a \$5 maximum bet and increased payouts."

State regulations permit 1,400 video lottery licenses with each authorized to have 10 terminals, Rose noted. In fiscal 2018, only 1,336 licenses were in-force with 9,109 devices.

"Without changing the video lottery, the bet limit or the maximum payout, we could authorize existing video lottery establishments to have five more machines each," Rose said. "That would be a win for the governor, for the state and for places like mine."

Over the past three decades, the South Dakota Lottery has provided nearly \$2.7 billion to support education, develop natural resources, lower property taxes, and provide problem gambling treatment services, according to the agency's website.

That includes more than \$441 million to the state general fund. Each year, nearly half of the general fund is used to support local K-12 schools, state universities and technical institutes.

Additionally, the Lottery has provided more

than \$79 million to the Capital Construction Fund. Local communities use these funds to pay for rural water systems, community drinking water and wastewater improvement projects, plus recycling and waste disposal programs, according to the agency.

The Lottery also has provided \$3.46 million to the state Department of Social Services for problem gambling treatment services.

Net machine income is divided between the state and machine operators on a 50/50 split. One-half of 1 percent of the state's share is retained by the Lottery for administration.

"Video lottery has generated a lot of revenue to assist with various state projects and programs, including education," Director Lingle said. "But we always like to remind people to please play responsibly. Some people do have issues with gaming, just as they may have issues with other vices."

About Tom Griffith

Tom Griffith, Deadwood, S.D., reported this story for South Dakota News Watch, a non-profit news organization. A fourth-generation South Dakotan, Griffith has been a journalist, editor and photographer in Arizona, Montana and South Dakota. He also has written or co-authored more than 70 books and his travel features have appeared in more than 250 magazines and newspapers worldwide.



"I Hate Winter" Party



It was the "I Hate Winter" event at the Groton Care & Rehab Center. Residents and members of the community were treated to a root beer float and a cup of smores. Bottom left features Activities Directory Pam Hanson with a water gun. Bottom right features Administrator Brynn Pickrel having her photo taken with resident Jack Mahan. (Photos by Paul Kosel)



Brown County March 5, 2019

Meeting Minutes

MARCH 5, 2019 – GENERAL MEETING

Meeting called to order by Commission Chair Fjeldheim at 8:45 A.M. in the Commissioner's Chambers, Courthouse Annex, Brown County, SD. Present were Commissioners Feickert and Kippley. Commissioners Wiese and Sutton were absent. Commissioner Kippley led the Pledge of Allegiance.

MINUTES: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to approve the Joint Aberdeen City/Brown County Meeting Minutes from February 25, 2019, Joint Frederick City/Brown County Meeting Minutes and the General Meeting Minutes of February 26, 2019. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

CLAIMS: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to approve the following claims:

Payroll #5: Commission \$5,528.71; Auditor \$8,185.34; Treasurer \$13,615.50; States Attorney \$22,759.87; SVA-WA Grant \$1,389.40; Maintenance \$8,067.67; Assessor \$12,425.32; Register of Deeds \$8,771.40; Veterans Service Office \$4,393.42; GIS \$2,367.50; Information Technology \$8,065.26; Human Resources \$1,243.60; Sheriff \$40,052.11; Jail \$53,659.79; Court Security \$6,211.19; JDC \$24,728.61; Welfare Office \$3,786.79; Museum \$8,502.76; Parks & Fairgrounds \$4,885.77; Fair Board \$3,970.41; 4-H \$664.15; Weed \$2,343.42; Planning and Zoning \$2,104.38; Highway \$54,209.43; Communications \$27,779.81; Emergency Management \$4,079.58; Teen Court \$570.24; 24/7 \$3,288.13; Landfill \$12,703.94. Matching Benefits: FICA \$20,782.20; Medicare \$4,860.35; HSA \$150.00;

Professional Fees: AMG Psychiatry \$1,000.00; Bantz, Gosch & Cremer \$17,160.62; DevNet \$3,281.25; Dohrer Law Office \$574.90; Haar Law Office \$4,097.23; Mark Katterhagen \$12.00; Jay Kleinknecht \$150.00; Kuck Law Office \$2,533.10; Lucy Lewno \$150.00; Darcy Lockwood \$12.00; Marco \$2,257.20; Jerald McNearney \$2,143.20; Sanford Clinic \$22.00; Sanford Health \$667.08; Schneider Corp. \$2,265.00; SD Attorney General's Office \$278.00; SD Dept. of Health \$2,360.00; SD Dept. of Public Safety \$5,650.00; SDSU Extension \$20,020.00; Sheriff of Woodbury County \$10.00; Tammy Stolle Court Reporting \$142.35; Terrago Technologies \$500.00; West Payment Center \$165.00; Joni Wileman \$100.00; Yankton Co. Sheriff Office \$50.00. Publishing: Aberdeen American News \$1,464.13. Repairs & Maintenance: Aberdeen Plumbing & Heating \$1,047.81; Butler Machinery \$335.80; Double D Body Shop \$1,962.10; Ecolab \$147.16; Gardner Locksmith \$691.00; Grafix Shoppe \$245.82; Great Western Tire \$15.00; HF Jacobs & Son Construction \$3,280.00; Lang's TV & Appliance \$87.00; Leidholt Electric \$140.22; Lien Transportation \$4,302.50; Midwest Erosion \$6,119.00; Running's \$307.91. Supplies: 3D Specialties \$653.64; Ameripride \$69.75; CommTech \$292.00; Crescent Electric \$800.59; Dakota Electronics \$93.20; Digi Security \$3,532.50; DT Pharmacy \$1,530.46; Ferguson Enterprises \$1,942.76; Geffdog \$939.03; GovConnection \$1,363.51; Great Western Tire \$5,449.75; Heartland Paper \$2,211.62; Lar-Jo's \$526.44; Lucy Lewno \$5.00; Menards \$813.74; Pantorium Cleaners \$63.00; Running's \$14.97; Sherwin Williams \$159.59; Twin Valley Tire \$1,811.80; Ryan Vogel \$21.29; Young's \$177.16. Travel & Conference: City of Groton \$83.70; Mark Milbrandt \$489.00; Brittany O'Day \$11.00; Ramkota-Pierre \$114.00; SD Corrections Assoc. \$170.00; SDAAO \$700.00; Chris White \$543.74; Karly Winter \$32.00. Utilities: Aberdeen City Treasurer \$106.73; AT&T \$247.49; BDM Rural Water \$36.00; Dependable Sanitation \$402.00; Midcontinent \$130.96; NWPS \$10,443.93. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to adjourn the Brown County Commission at 11:30 a.m. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to approve the following Commission Assistant/HR Office Report, which includes the following personnel changes:

Approve hiring Joseph Kraft as Full-time Equalization Appraiser effective March 25, 2019, at \$17.92/hr.

Approve hiring Erica Coughlin

as Full-time Human Resources Director effective March 18, 2019, at a salary of \$56,000 annually.

Acknowledge resignation of Meagan Hale, Full-time Correction Officer effective March 3, 2019, and allow Megan Hale to work part-time employment as needed. Approve request to fill Full-time vacancy.

Acknowledge termination of Jeremy Eppard, Full-time Highway Labor Grade 4, effective February 26, 2019.

Acknowledge Austin Hoffman denial of employment at the Landfill and approve request to fill vacancy.

Approve the following Employee Step Increases, effective March 10, 2019: Cindy Mitchell @ \$20.35 per hour, JoAnn Sheffield @ \$17.57 per hour, Joseph Embury @ \$19.95 per hour, Dana Breske @ \$19.61 per hour, Wayne Kleinsasser @ \$17.09 per hour, Scott Richards @ \$17.45 per hour. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

SHERIFF REPORTS: Moved by Feickert, seconded by Kippley to approve the following January 2019 Sheriff Reports: Incidents and offenses, Prisoner care, JDC, and Money deposited with the County Treasurer. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

ABATEMENT: Moved by Feickert, seconded by Kippley to approve the following Abate-ments: Dawn Allam @ \$52.25; Brown County @ \$14,973.12 (sold on tax deed); Performance Ag @ \$268.74 and \$278.38. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

FAIR CONTRACT: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to approve and authorize the Chair sign the following contract: 2018 Fair – Alicia Krueger (judge 4H) payment declined. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

DISCUSS AG LAND ASSESSMENT: Discussion only. No action taken.

RECONVEYED TAX DEED PROPERTY: Discussion only. No action taken.

DAKOTA MILE SHOOTOUT: Dan Rohrbach met to discuss closing 4 miles of county road to host the Dakota Mile Shootout fundraiser. No Action Taken.

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE: Cathy McNickle, County Auditor, presented information on state legislation affecting elections. No action taken.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to go into executive session to discuss personnel, per SDCL 1-25-2(1) with Chris White, Gary Vetter, and Cathy McNickle in attendance. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

The Chair declared the executive session closed, with the following action taken: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to approve promoting Sara Swisher from Deputy Auditor to Chief Deputy Auditor effective March 11th, 2019 at \$24.13 per hour. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to go into executive session to discuss personnel, per SDCL 1-25-2(1) with Chris White, Gary Vetter, and Clifford Rhodes in attendance. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. The Chair declared the executive session closed, with no action taken as a result of the discussion. Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to go into executive session to discuss personnel, per SDCL 1-25-2(1) with Chris White, Gary Vetter, and Clifford Rhodes in attendance. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. The Chair declared the executive session closed, with no action taken as a result of the discussion.

ADJOURNMENT: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to adjourn the Brown County Commission at 11:30 a.m. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

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Olson, Remily, Rux, Slaight-Hansen and Mayor Levsen. Present from County were Commissioners Kippley, Feickert and Fjeldheim. Commissioners Sutton and Wiese were absent.

ORDINANCE #19-02-01/481: On motion by Bunsness and seconded by Rux, the City unanimously approved second reading and adoption of Ordinance #19-02-01/481.

Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert, to adopt of Ordinance #19-02-01/481, An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 1164 to rezone the following described properties: Lot 1, Rohr Fourth Subdivision from the (A-1) Agricultural District to the (M-AG) Mini-Agricultural District and Lot 2, Rohr Fourth Subdivision from the (A-1) Agricultural District and (M-AG) Mini-Agricultural District to the (A-1) Agricultural District, all located in the SW ¼ of Sec 36-T124N-R64W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD (12989 and 12994 Rohr Drive). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Feickert to adjourn the Brown County Commission at 5:32 p.m. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Cathy McNickle, Brown County Auditor

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Brown County Rohr Rezoning Approved

ORDINANCE #19-02-01/481 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 1164 TO REZONE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY

BE IT ORDAINED by the Brown County Commission, Brown County, South Dakota, that the Petition to Amend Ordinance No. 1164 to rezone the following described property filed by Todd Rohr is hereby granted and Ordinance No. 1164 is hereby amended to change the zoning on the following described property:

Lot 1, Rohr Fourth Subdivision from the (A-1) Agricultural District to the (M-AG) Mini-Agricultural District and Lot 2, Rohr Fourth Subdivision from the (A-1) Agricultural District and (M-AG) Mini-Agricultural District to the (A-1) Agricultural District, all located in the SW ¼ of Sec 36-T124N-R64W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD (12989 and 12994 Rohr Drive)

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Brown County Commission, Aberdeen, South Dakota, that the zoning official for the County of Brown is hereby authorized to change the official zoning map for the County of Brown to reflect this Ordinance.

Notice of Hearing: February 13 & 20, 2019

Passed First Reading: February 25, 2019

Passed Second Reading: March 4, 2019

Adopted: March 4, 2019

Published: March 13, 2019

Effective Date: April 2, 2019

Doug Fjeldheim, Chair

Brown County Commission

ATTEST: Cathy McNickle, Brown County Auditor

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Brown County Tax Exempt Property

2019 TAX EXEMPT NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION LIST, TWP #, EXEMPT PROPERTY NAME, LEGAL DESCRIPTION, TYPE

#6 ONEOTA TWP BARNARD COMMUNITY CHURCH, LT 1-2 1ST ADD BARNARD NE 13-126-64, CHURCH

#8 SHELBY TWP TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (SHELBY), W2 LT 7 & LT 8 BK 6 HOUGHTON, CHURCH

#10 CLAREMONT TWP AUGUSTANA CEMETERY/CHURCH, NE CORNER 35-125-60, CHURCH

#19 BATH TWP BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 13-18 BLK 10 BATH, CHURCH

"SUNSET MEMORIAL GARDENS, INC.", LT 1 SUNSET MEMORIAL GARDENS MAINTENANCE ADD (W 295' OF 166' N OF S 966' OF SW SW 14-123-63), MAINTENANCE FOR CEMETERY

"SUNSET MEMORIAL GARDENS, INC.", SUNSET MEMORIAL GARDENS 15-123-63 INC: ALL GARDENS, CEMETERY

#20 ABERDEEN TWP

ABERDEEN AQUA ADDICTS, LT 1 ABERDEEN AQUA ADDICTS SD NW 35-123-64, WATER SKI TRAINING

ABERDEEN AREA HUMANE SOCIETY, OL 1 JANUS SW 27-123-64, ANIMAL SHELTER

ABERDEEN MOTOCROSS ASSOC., LT 3 WOLFFS 1ST ADD 1/2 21-123-64 (1.71 A), MOTOCROSS RACES

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), E 540' OF N 403.33' NE 28-123-64 (5AC), GROUP HOME

AVERA ST LUKES, 500' W OF E 700' OF N 658' NW 11-123-64 EX HWY & EX H1 (4.9 A), HOSPITAL STORAGE & CARPENTER SHOP

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH, 1ST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH LT B CENTURY 21 OL 1 SW 2-123-64 (6.35AC), CHURCH

NORTHERN PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH, LT 1 BUD SMITH 1ST ADD. SE SE 20-123-63, CHURCH

SPURS THERAPEUTIC RIDING CENTER INC, LT 1 SPURS 2ND ADD NW 6-123-63, THERAPEUTIC CENTER

#23 WARNER TWP FOUNDATION FOR YOUTH FIREARMS SAFETY INC, N 820' OF SE 15-122-64 E OF RR EX HWY, PUBLIC RIFLE RANGE

MANFIELD COMMUNITY BETTERMENT, LT 1-3 BK 4 MANFIELD SE 32-121-64, COMMUNITY CENTER & PARK

MANFIELD COMMUNITY BETTERMENT, E 18' OF N 20' LT 7 BK 4 MANFIELD SE 32-121-64, BARE LOT

WARNER TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, WARNER CEMETERY N2 NW 2-121-64 (REFER BK 24 PF 283 & BK 151 PG 344), CEMETERY

#24 GEM TWP EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH CEMETERY, EAST GEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH CEMETERY LT W2 SE 4-122-62, CEMETERY

SCANDINAVIA LUTHERAN CEMETERY, CEMETERY IN E2 NE 30-122-62, CEMETERY

SCANDINAVIA LUTHERAN CONGREGATION, LT 2 SCANDINAVIA LUTHERAN CHURCH ADD SE 19-122-62, CHURCH

#25 E HANSON TWP ST PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH (FERNEY/EAST HANSON), S 60' LT 7-12 BK 9 SD BK 9-13 & OL E-F FERNEY SW 31-122-60, PARKING LOT

ST PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH (FERNEY/EAST HANSON), BK 15 SD BK 14-16 & OL H-I-J-K FERNEY SW 31-122-60, CHURCH

#30 SAVO TWP APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN PIONEER CHURCH, 10 ACRES IN SE 3-128-63, CHURCH & CEMETERY

SAVO EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, 2 AC NW 27-128-63, CHURCH

SAVO HALL ASSOCIATION C/O CALVIN RAISANEN, 3 ACRES IN SW CORNER SW 22-128-63, HALL

#32 ABERDEEN CITY ABERDEEN ALLIANCE CHURCH, FRANCIS VELO ADDN. OL A NE 1/4 19-123-63, CHURCH

ABERDEEN BMX C/O KYLE OSWALD, LT 2 BROWN COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S 2ND SD, BMX AND PARKING

ABERDEEN CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM, LT 1 RONCOLLI NEARLY NEW ADD (BK 8 NORTH ABDN ADDN), NEARLY NEW STORE

ABERDEEN CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, W 8.75' LT 4 & LT 5-7 & E 15' LT 8 BK 7 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, CHURCH

ABERDEEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FOUNDATION, LT 1 ABERDEEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL-AVERA ADD NW 11-123-64, K-12 CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

ABERDEEN CHURCH OF GOD, LT A CHURCH OF GOD ADD (LT 1 NORTHWEST POND ADD (PT L32 AUTO PLAZA), CHURCH

ABERDEEN CORPORATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES, LT 2 ISAIAH'S ADDN (LT 5 & 6 MELROS SOUTHVIEW ADDN) EX H1, CHURCH & PARKING LOT

ABERDEEN DEVELOPMENT CORP, LT 1 ABDN DEV CORP 2001-1 SD NE 16-123-63 (INDUSTRIAL PK EAST), "BUSINESS, HOME OFFICE"

ABERDEEN FAMILY Y, LT 1 LINCOLN'S RAR OF LT 9-12 BK 67 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT

ABERDEEN FAMILY Y, LT 2 LINCOLN'S RAR OF LT 9-12 BK 67 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT

ABERDEEN FAMILY Y, HAGERTY & LLOYD 7TH SD (PT BK 66 & 67 H&L), LEARNING TREE

ABERDEEN FAMILY Y, YDC, LT 3 ISAAC LINCOLN'S RAR OF BK 67 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, ABIDING LOVE FELLOWSHIP INC., S 25' LT 5 & LT 6 BK 9 1ST ADD TO HIGHLAND, ACT 2 INC, #2 MIDWEST

CAPITOL PROJECT OF LT 10-12 BK 27 1ST ADD, THEATRE ARTS

ACT 2 INC, #3 MIDWEST CAPITOL PROJECT OF LT 13-18 BK 27 1ST ADD EX MEZZANINE HALLWAY UNIT 3, THEATRE EDUCATION

ACT 2 INC, MEZZANINE STORAGE UNIT 4A #4 MIDWEST CAPITOL PROJECT OF LT 13-18 BK 27 1ST ADD, STORAGE

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), ATC 1ST SD BK 47 BENNETT & THOMAS ADD, PARKING LOTS

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), LT 11-12 BK 47 BENNETT & THOMAS ADD, PARKING LOTS

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), LT 3 BERKSHIRE ADD NW 13-123-64, OFFICES

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), E 77' LT 1-2 BLK 19 THOMAS ADDN, GROUP HOME

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), N2 LT 193 & LT 194-196 MORNING HTS ADD, GROUP HOME

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), W 150' OF N 100' OL B LAWSONS OL'S RPL OF LT 8 BONACCORD HTS 19-123-63, GROUP HOME

ADJUSTMENT TRAINING CENTER (ASPIRE INC), LT 849-852 MORNING HTS EXT ADD, GROUP HOME

ALANO SOCIETY OF ABERDEEN, W 8' LT 3 & LT 4-9 BK 1 THOMAS ADD & LT 12 & W 115' OF S 8.5' LT 13 & E 27' LT 13- 14 PIERCES SD OF BK 103 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD & V/A, AA MEETING HOUSE

AQUINAS STUDENT CENTER, N 38' OF E 52' LT 21 & E 52' LT 22 BK 1 NORMAL ADD, PARKING LOT

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 4 HAGERTY & LLOYDS 3RD SD SE 13-123-64, "AMG INTERNAL MED, PODIATRY, DAKOTA MED CLINIC, ASC THERAPY STORAGE, ETC."

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 3 AVERALAND-O-LAKES 2ND SD (B72 H&L & OL 2 LANES), AMG EARNOSE AND THROAT/ASC FOUNDATION OFFICE

AVERA ST LUKES, LOT 1 AVERA LAND-O-LAKES 2ND SD, PARKING LOT 2

AVERA ST LUKES, LOT 2 AVERA LAND-O-LAKES 2ND SD, PARKING LOT

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 1 AVERA ST LUKES SD (B73&82 H&L), "STATE STREET MEDICAL SQUARE, LOURDES & POWER PLANT BLDGS ONLY"

AVERA ST LUKES, #1A PHYSICIANS PLAZA SUITE W140, AMG CLINIC BUSINESS OFFICE

AVERA ST LUKES, #1B PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD (SUITE W240) 3.34% INTEREST, PUBLIC RELATIONS/FOUNDATION OFFICE/HR

AVERA ST LUKES, #3A PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD (SUITE W130) 2.67% INTEREST, ASL PRINT SHOP

AVERA ST LUKES, #4B PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD (SUITE W290) 2.80% INTEREST, HUMAN RESOURCE

AVERA ST LUKES, #5B PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADDITION (SUITE W270) 2.26% INTEREST, HUMAN RESOURCE

AVERA ST LUKES, #6B & 7B PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADDITION (SUITE W210) 4.88% INTEREST, HOME HEALTH

AVERA ST LUKES, #1B PHYSICIANS PLAZA SUITE E101, AMG CLINIC BUSINESS OFFICE

AVERA ST LUKES, #1C PHYSICIANS PLAZA SUITE E102, AMG CLINIC BUSINESS OFFICE

AVERA ST LUKES, #2A PHYSICIANS PLAZA SUITE E201, AMG PSYCHIATRY

AVERA ST LUKES, #2B PHYSICIANS PLAZA SUITE E202, ASL CENTRALIZED SCHEDULING

AVERA ST LUKES, # E106 PHYSICIANS PLAZA BK 83 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, BUSINESS OFFICE

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 2 AVERA ST LUKES ADD (SLMRMC LTS) EX H2, PARKING LOT K

AVERA ST LUKES, "LT 1 AVERA ST LUKES ADD (B86, 87, & 96 H&L ETC)", HOSPITAL BUILDING

AVERA ST LUKES, AVERA ST LUKES WEST ADD (BK 88 H & L), PARKING LOTS I & J

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 1-7 BK 44 THOMAS ADD, WORTHMORE/NADRIC

AVERA ST LUKES, #1 DAKOTA PLAINS MEDICAL PLAZA CONDO LOT B OF LOT 2 HOWARDS OL B NE OF 14-123-64, AMG ORTHOPEDIC SPECIALISTS

AVERA ST LUKES, #2 DAKOTA PLAINS MEDICAL PLAZA CONDO LOT B OF LOT 2 HOWARDS OL B NE OF 14-123-64, AMG AV-

ERA DAKOTA PLAINS SURGICAL CENTER

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 3 HAGERTY & LLOYDS 3RD SD SE 13-123-64, POOL/REHAB CENTER

AVERA ST LUKES, LT 1-6 BK 95 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT H

AVERA ST LUKES (DAKOTA PLAINS SURGICAL CENTER), #3 DAKOTA PLAINS MEDICAL PLAZA CONDO LT B OF LT 2 HOWARDS OL B NE 14-123-64, SURGICAL & INPATIENT RECOVERY

AVERA ST LUKES (DAKOTA PLAINS SURGICAL CENTER), BOLS #3 DAKOTA PLAINS MEDICAL PLAZA CONDO LT B OF LT 2 HOWARDS OL B NE 14-123-64, MRI BUILDING/SURGICAL & INPATIENT RECOVERY

AVERA ST LUKES MOTHER JOSEPH MANOR, S 732' OF W 336' HIGHLANDS OL 3 SE 12-123-64, NURSING HOME

AVERA ST LUKES MOTHER JOSEPH MANOR, S 60' HIGHLAND SCHOOL LOT SE 12-123-64, PARKING LOT

BETHESDA HOME OF ABERDEEN, CLARKS 2ND ADD OF MEL ROS EST EX PART DEEDED TO CITY (11.244 AC), "NURSING HOME &

TOWNE SQUARE" BETHESDA HOME OF ABERDEEN, PART CLARKS 2ND ADD MEL ROS ESTATES (7.838 AC), PARKSIDE

BETHLEHEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN, LT 1 BETHLEHEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH ADD SE 18-123-63, CHURCH

BETHLEHEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN, OL 2 BK F EX E 25' OF S 255' LINCOLN & BOYD ADD EX BETHLEHEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH ADD SE 18-123-63, NEW BEGINNINGS CENTER-LAND

BMX, LT 2 BROWN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS 2ND SD, PARKING FOR BMX

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF ABERDEEN, LT 1 BROWN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS 2ND SD, YOUTH PROGRAM

BPOE ELKS LODGE #1046 INC C/O JAN WEISMANTEL, LT 26 PLAT OF AUTO PLAZA ADD, LODGE

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, HOWARD'S OL A NE 1/4 14-123-64 & THE STRIP OF LAND IMMEDIATELY E OF SAID OL BETWEEN THE OL & THE W LINE OF RR R/O/W, CHURCH

CALVARY CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH, W 67' LT 7 & S 12' OF W 67' LT 8 & N 38' LT 8 EX S 12' OF E 30' BK 6 NORTH ADD ADD. CHURCH & PARSONAGE

CATHOLIC CHANCERY OFFICE CORP., LT 1-3 BK 1 NORMAL ADD. STUDENT CENTER

CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL, LT

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CHURCH

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (ABERDEEN) ATTN: VICKI, LT 7-8 BK 90 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT
 FIRST REFORMED CHURCH, LOTS 1-3 LAWSON'S REPLAT BLK 10 WOOLVERTON'S ADDN, CHURCH
 FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 1-2 BK 29 1ST ADD, PARKING & OFFICES
 FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 12-13 BK 29 SD OF LT 4-5 BK 29 1ST ADD & LT 12-13 BK 29 2ND ADD, PARKING FOR VANS
 FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 1 FUMC CORNER SD (BK 30 1ST & 2ND ADD), CHURCH
 FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 7 BK 30 1ST ADDITION TO ABERDEEN, PARKING LOT
 FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 1 FUMC-JOURNEY PARKING SD (BK 28 1ST ADD), PARKING LOT
 FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, LT 8 BK 2 PARK RIDGE EST 1ST ADD / PARSONAGE
 "FOHO I, LLC", LT 8 BK 5 ADDISONS ADD, RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS
 "FOHO I, LLC", LT 1 WSA 1ST ADD (LT 7&8 BK 3 ADDISONS), RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS
 "FOHO I, LLC", LT 1 APARTMENT ADDITION (BK 35 THOMAS ADD), RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS
 "FOHO I, LLC", 1ST UNIVERSITY ADD (LT 1 & 50' ADJ LT 1 BK 16 SIMMONS 1ST ADD), RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS
 FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES, LT 4-12 BK 22 1ST ADDITION, LODGE
 FREEDOM WORSHIP CENTER, LT 2 ADC 2005-1 SD NE 16-123-63 (INDUSTRIAL PK EAST), CHURCH
 GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH, LT 1 GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 2ND SD (B1 1ST HIGHLAND), CHURCH
 HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH, LT D LT 3 PHEASANT RUN SD SW 11-123-64, CHURCH
 HORIZON HEALTH CARE INC, LT 1 MOCCASIN PLAZA ADD (L26 PIERSONS), COMMUNITY HEALTH CARE
 IMMANUEL BIBLE CHURCH, LOT 14 EASTON'S 1ST SD OF BLK 35 BENNETT & THOMAS ADD, CHURCH
 JACKSON HEIGHTS APARTMENTS, LT 1 JACKSON HEIGHTS 1ST ADD, HOUSING FOR INCOME QUALIFIED FAMILIES
 JOURNEY CHURCH OF CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE, W 100' LT 1 NW OF NE 25-123-64, CHURCH & NON PROFIT DAYCARE
 JOURNEY CHURCH OF CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE, LT 2 FUMC-JOURNEY PARKING SD (BK 28 1ST ADD), RELIGIOUS MEETINGS & HOMELSS SHELTER
 JOURNEY CHURCH OF CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE ATTN: DEVIN HEBEISEN, E 108.7' OF LT 1 NE 25-123-64 (.999 A), GYMNASIUM
 KIDS AGAINST HUNGER (WAGNER HOLDINGS LLC), LT 1 LEE PARK ADD (LT 3 SKYWAG ADD), "THRIFT STORE & MEAL PACKETS"
 LANDMARK APOSTOLIC CHURCH, LT 2 JUNG'S GOLDEN ACRE ADD (MEIDINGER 1ST), CHURCH
 LAWSON VIEW TOWNHOMES, N 300' OF S 600' OL 4A GANJE ADD OF MEL ROS EST, HOUSING FOR INCOME QUALIFIED FAMILIES
 LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE LODGE #590, LT 1-8 & ALL OF VAC ALLEY BLK 54 2ND ADDN, MEETING ROOM & CLUBHOUSE
 MASONIC TEMPLE ASSOCIATION ATTN: JEROLD BUECHLER, LOT 8-12 BK 30 1ST ADD, MEETING ROOM
 MEADOW WOOD TOWNHOMES, LT 1 MEADOWWOOD ADD (LT 1 INMANS 5TH B20 ROCHES), HOUSING FOR INCOME QUALIFIED FAMILIES
 NEW BEGINNINGS CENTER, BOL 5 OL 2 BK F EX E 25' OF S 255' LINCOLN & BOYDS ADD SE 18-123-63 (CTR BUILDING), GROUP HOME FOR CHILDREN & OFFICE
 NEW LIFE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH, LT A OF LT 2 HOWARDS OL B NE 14-123-64 (4.63) AC, CHURCH
 NORTH HIGHLAND METHODODIST CHURCH, N HIGHLAND UNITED METHODIST BLDG ADD & LT 7 BK 3 1ST ADD TO HIGHLANDS, CHURCH
 NORTH HIGHLAND METHODODIST CHURCH, LOTS 11 & 12 BK 3 1ST ADDN TO HIGHLANDS,

PARSONAGE

NORTHEAST REGIONAL HEALTH & FITNESS CENTER, LT 1 HAGERTY & LLOYDS 3RD SD SE 13-123-64, YMCA HOLDING POND
 NORTHEAST REGIONAL HEALTH & FITNESS CENTER, LT 2 HAGERTY & LLOYDS 3RD SD SE 13-123-64 (BK 69), YMCA HEALTH CENTER
 NORTHEASTERN MENTAL HEALTH CENTER, LT 9-10 BK 23 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, RESIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR CHILDREN
 NORTHEASTERN MENTAL HEALTH CENTER, LT 1 BK 1 HYDE PARK 1ST ADD, RESIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR CHILDREN
 NORTHEASTERN MENTAL HEALTH CENTER, LT 3 BK 6 ADDISONS ADDITION, RESIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR CHILDREN
 NORTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, LT 1 RPL BK 1 HUFFMANS 2ND ADD, CLASSROOMS FOR NSU
 NORTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, LT 2 STOKES 1ST ADD (LT 1&2 RIDGWOOD) PRAIRIEWOOD, RESIDENCE FOR NSU PRESIDENT
 NSU FOUNDATION, S 40' LT 2 & N 3' LT 3 SD OF N 421.7' BK 9 SIMMONS 1ST ADD, RENTAL PROPERTY FOR NSU STUDENTS
 NSU FOUNDATION, LT 1 YOUNG RAILROAD ADD (RR ROW), POSSIBLE DEVELOPMENT IN FUTURE
 OLD APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN CHURCH, W 70' OF N 12.75' LT 18 & W 70' LT 19-24 DAWSON & LOWES RPL BK 21 WEST HILL ADD, CHURCH
 OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH, LT 13-14 BK 9 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, PARKING LOT
 OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH, OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH 1ST SD (RPL LT 15-24 BK 9 H&L), CHURCH
 PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, LT A NW 25-123-64 & CMSTP&PRC OL 1 & PORT LT B N OF LT 1 BITZ SD, CHURCH
 PRAIRIE LAKES DISTRICT CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, LT 2 EISENBEIS-KULM ADD (LT 511-512 MORNING HTS ADD), PARSONAGE FOR DAK DIST CHURCH OF NAZARENE
 PRESENTATION SISTERS COLLEGE, PORT NW 12-123-64 W OF W LINE OF N MAIN ST PRODUCED DUE N TO SECTION LINE 12 & N OF NW 15TH AVE & CMSTPP RR CO 100' WIDE ROW, STRODE CENTER
 PRESENTATION SISTERS COLLEGE, BK 1 PRESENTATION HTS ADD (MULTI USE CENTER), STUDENT SUITES
 PRESENTATION SISTERS CONVENT, OL A PRESENTATION HTS ADD BK 1 (3.547 AC), CONVENT
 PRESENTATION SISTERS CONVENT, LT 1 RUSSO ADDN (NW 12-123-64) (25.42 A), FOOTBALL FIELD
 PRESENTATION SISTERS CONVENT, LT 1 BK 4 HUFFMANS 1ST ADD., RESIDENCE FOR THE PRESIDENT OF PC
 QUINT CITY TRADES & LABOR, LT 2 RESTAURANT GROWTH 2ND ADD (B10 HIGHLAND PARK), LABOR UNION BUILDING
 SACRED HEART ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, LT 1 SACRED HEART 1ST SD (BK 80 & 81 H&L), "CHURCH, SCHOOL, RECTORY, PARKING LOT"
 SACRED HEART ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, LT 2 SACRED HEART 1ST SD (BK 80 & 81 H&L), PARKING LOT
 SACRED HEART ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, SACRED HEART ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH CEMETERY (9.47 AC) SW OF NE 18-123-63, CEMETERY
 SAFE HARBOR/RESOURCE CENTER FOR WOMEN, LT 1 BK 5 HAPI 3RD CENTRAL SD W2 NE 30-123-63, GROUP HOME
 SALVATION ARMY, SALVATION ARMY 1ST ADD EX H1 (B1 PLEASANT HILL), THRIFT STORE
 SALVATION ARMY, LT 4 REHFELDS RPL OF BK 1 PLEASANT HILL ADD, STORAGE AND PROGRAMS
 SALVATION ARMY, LT A BK 3 GARDEN PARK ADD EX H1 NW 23-123-64, WORSHIP BLDG.
 SALVATION ARMY, LT 14 BK 1 HOMES ARE POSSIBLE (KO LEE SD), PARSONAGE
 SANFORD HEALTH NETWORK, LT 1 MUTUAL OF OMAHA 5TH ADD (LT 1 3RD), MEDICAL CENTER
 SD CONFERENCE OF SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS, E 29' LT 15 & LT 16 BK 1 ADDISONS ADD, CHURCH
 ST MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, LT 1 MARK'S EPISCOPAL 1 SD (SPAULDING'S 3RD & LT 1 &2 B5 4TH), CHURCH
 ST MARY'S CHURCH (ABERDEEN) C. R., ST MARY'S 2ND ADD ABERDEEN NE 13-123-64 (B38 H&L), CHURCH & PAR-

SONAGE

ST MARY'S CHURCH (ABERDEEN) CEMETERY, SE NE NE 12-123-64 EX STRIP 1.5 RODS WIDE ON W & S SIDES, CEMETERY
 ST MARY'S CHURCH (ABERDEEN) E. P. L., LT 1 ST MARY'S SD BK 39 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADDN, PARKING LOT
 ST MARY'S CHURCH (ABERDEEN) SCHOOL, LT 1 ST MARY'S SD BK 47 HAGERTY & LLOYD ADD, SCHOOL
 ST PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH (ABERDEEN), LOT 4 & W 10' OF LOT 3 BK 45 2ND ADD, PRESCHOOL
 SUNSHINE PARK LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, BLK 4 MELROS SOUTHVIEW ADDITION S2 19-123-63, HOUSING FOR INCOME QUALIFIED FAMILIES
 TDAF/ TOM AMAN, LT 1 BLACKSTONE 2ND SD (2.48AC) (RR ROW), "OFFICE, EXHIBITS, CULTURAL CENTER"
 TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (ABERDEEN), "LT 1 TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH ADD (COE&HOWARD, DIVISIONS)", CHURCH REPLAT ALL PARCELS
 YELDUZ TEMPLE, LT 1-3 BK 50 2ND ADDN, LODGE
 ZION CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, LT 1 ZION CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP ADD (L757-7608/767-772 MH), "CHURCH, PARSONAGE"
 ZION CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, LT 2 ZION CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP ADD (L757-762&767-772 MH), PARKING LOT & DRIVEWAY
 ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, LT 51-60 BK 3 GORDERS 1ST ADD EX LT H1, CHURCH
 ST PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH ATTN: BEVERLY, LT 1-2 BK 36 2ND ADD, CHURCH & PARKING LOT
#33 GROTON CITY
 EMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH, LT 1-12 BK 20 RANDALL ADD GROTON, CHURCH
 FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (GROTON), LT 5-9 & N 15' LT 10 BK 9 ORIG PLAT GROTON, CHURCH
 GROTON ALLIANCE CHURCH, "S 12'13'" LT 3 BK 59 3RD ADDN GROTON, BARE LOT
 GROTON ALLIANCE CHURCH, LT 4 BK 59 3RD ADDITION GROTON, CHURCH
 GROTON ALLIANCE CHURCH, LT 5-6 BK 59 3RD ADDITION GROTON, PARKING LOT
 GROTON AMERICAN LEGION POST # 39, LT 22-25 BK 11 ORIG PLAT GROTON, MEETING ROOM
 GROTON COMMUNITY FIRE DEPARTMENT INC, LT 10-11 & S2 LT 12 BK 4 ORIG PLAT GROTON, FIRE HALL
 GROTON COMMUNITY HISTORICAL SOCIETY, LT 1 BK 7 ORIG PLAT GROTON, CHURCH & MEETINGS
 GROTON COMMUNITY TRANSIT INC., LT 9-12 BK 10 ORIG PLAT GROTON, HOUSING FOR VEHICLES AND OFFICE
 GROTON MASONIC ASSOCIATION, LT 1-4 BK 9 ORIG PLAT GROTON, MEETING ROOM
 GROTON UNION CEMETERY, GROTON UNION CEMETERY SW 18-123-60 GROTON, CEMETERY
 ST ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH, S 311.85' OF W 150' EX N 5' W2 PRIORS OL S OF METHODIST CHURCH & S 164' OF E2 W2 PRIORS OL 4 W OF 2ND ST, CHURCH
 ST ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH, PT SW2 18-123-60 KNOW AS ST JOHN BAPTIST CATHOLIC CEMETERY (1.132AC), CEMETERY
 ST JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH (GROTON), LT 1-3 BK 14 ORIG PLAT GROTON, CHURCH
 ST JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH (GROTON), LT 11-12 BK 14 ORIG PLAT GROTON, PARSONAGE
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (GROTON), LT 7-11 BK 22 RANDALL ADD GROTON, PARSONAGE
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (GROTON), LT 1-6 & 12-16 BK 22 EX .05 A LT 11-12 STATE HWY RANDALL ADD GROTON, "CHURCH, PARKING LOT"
#35 HIGHLAND TWP
 "ST JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH, LCMS (HIGHLAND)", ST JOHN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OL 1 SE 23-122-65, PARKING LOT & PLAYGROUND
 "ST JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH, LCMS (HIGHLAND)", ST JOHN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OL LOTS 1 & 2 SW 24-122-65, CHURCH ONLY EXEMPT
#36 FRANKLYN TWP
 CHURCH OF THE BRETHERN, "5 AC SE 7-126-65 (CEMETERY) 281/2 RODS EAST&WEST, 28 RODS N&S, BEGINNING IN SW CORNER OF SE (B158 P67)", CEMETERY
#37 RICHLAND TWP
 AURLAND CHURCH, .8235 AC E2 SE 33-127-63, CEMETERY

#38 FREDERICK CITY,
 FREDERICK AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT, LT 1-3 BK 29 1ST ADD FREDERICK E2 11-127-64, HOUSING FOR SUPERINTENDENT
 METHODIST CHURCH, LT 5-6 BK 6 ORIG PL FREDERICK, CHURCH
 ST PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH (FREDERICK), LT 5-8 BK 14 CURTIS 1ST RAR SD BK 14 1ST ADD FREDERICK, TENNIS & BASKETBALL COURT
#40 HECLA CITY
 PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH, LT 4 & E 25' LT 3 BK 32 OF PLAT N2 BK 11 & S2 BK 17-20 & BK 27-34 INC & OL F-L INC HECLA VLG, PARSONAGE
 PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH, LT 4-5 BK 45 SD N2 BK 25 & 35-46 & OL M HECLA VLG EX HWY, CHURCH
 ST JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH (HECLA), LT 1 & 2 BK 14 SD BK 11-14 HECLA VLG, CHURCH & PARKING
 UNITED METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (HECLA), LT 9-12 BK 4 HECLA VLG, CHURCH
#42 CLAREMONT CITY
 ADA CHAPTER ORDER OF EASTERN STAR, LT 7-10 BK 10 ORIG PL EX NW 25' LT 7 CLAREMONT, MEETING ROOM
 AMERICAN LEGION POST #262 ATTN: DALE KURTH, LT 11-12 BK 10 ORIGINAL PL CLAREMONT, MEETING ROOM & LOT
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (CLAREMONT), LT 1 OF OL E DINSMORES 1ST ADDITION CLAREMONT (2.18AC), PARKING LOT
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (CLAREMONT), CLAREMONTS 1ST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SD DINSMORES 1ST ADD, PARSONAGE
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (CLAREMONT), LT 1 LEONARDS SD CLAREMONT, PARKING LOT
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (CLAREMONT), LT 13-18 BK 1 DINSMORES 2ND ADD CLAREMONT, CHURCH
#43 COLUMBIA CITY
 AMERICAN LEGION POST #58, "MILL ST. PECK'S 1ST ADDN. LOTS 107,109,111,113,115,117,119,121,123,125,127", PLAYGROUND
 AMERICAN LEGION POST #58, "BROADWAY PECKS 1ST ADD LT 102,104,106,108,110,112,114,116,118,120,122,124,126,128", MEETING ROOM
 CATHOLIC CEMETERY, BALDWIN'S 3RD ADD S2 BK 21, CEMETERY
 CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH, "BROADWAY PECKS 1ST ADD LT 217,219,221,223,225,227,229,231", GRASS LOT OVERFLOW PARKING
 C O N G R E G A T I O N - A L CHRISTIAN CHURCH, "LT 218, 220, 222, 224, 226,228,230,232 JAMES STREET PECKS ADD COLUMBIA". GRASS LOT OVERFLOW PARKING
 CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH, "BROADWAY SMITHS 1ST ADDN.LOTS 301,303,30 5,307", CHURCH
 ST JOHN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN (COLUMBIA), "LT 23, 25, 27 JAMES STREET PECKS ADD COLUMBIA CITY", CHURCH
 ST JOHN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN (COLUMBIA), LT 26 & 28 JAMES STREET PECKS ADD COLUMBIA, PARKING LOT
#44 BATES TWP
 ST PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH (FERNEY/BATES TWP), CEMETERY LOT IN NW OF NE 6-121-60, CEMETERY
#45 STRATFORD CITY
 ST PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH (STRATFORD), LT 5-6 BK 9 STRATFORD, CHURCH
#46 GARLAND TWP
 ST JOHN'S LUTHERAN CEMETERY (GARLAND) ATTN: BARB MILLER, N 23 RODS W 23 RODS NW4 5-125-62 (CEMETERY)(3.3 AC), CEMETERY
#51 WESTPORT CITY
 SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH (WESTPORT), LT 6 MATTESONS 2ND SD OF LT 1 WESTPORT (.77AC), CHURCH
#52 WARNER CITY
 ST JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH (WARNER), ST JOHNS ADD (3.08AC) (ST JOHN'S OL1-3), CHURCH
#57 W RONDELL
 OAKWOOD CEMETERY, 2 AC FOR CEMETERY SE 25-121-63, CEMETERY
 Published once at the total approximate cost of \$324.21.
 17304

Brown County Remitz Rezoning Notice

Application has been made by Richard Remitz to the Brown County Board of Commissioners for a change of zoning. Hearing

to be held in the Commissioner's Chambers, Courthouse Annex, Brown County, South Dakota on March 19, 2019 at 8:45 A.M. for the purpose of rezoning the following property from Chapter 4.06 Agricultural Preservation District (AG-P) to Chapter 4.07 Mini-Agricultural District (M-AG): Anderson Outlot A in the SE 1/4 of Sec 14-T128N-R63W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD. (10255 393rd Ave)
 The public is invited to attend the hearing and to present comments and testimony regarding the amendment to Second Revision Brown County Ordinances pertaining to rezoning the described property. At the conclusion of the hearing, the Brown County Commission may adopt first reading of Ordinance No. 135.
 ATTEST:
 Maxine Fischer, Brown County Auditor
 (0306.0313)
 Published twice at the total approximate cost of \$22.34.
 17282

Brown County Campbell Rezoning Notice

Application has been made by Scott Campbell to the Brown County Board of Commissioners for a change of zoning. Hearing to be held in the Commissioner's Chambers, Courthouse Annex, Brown County, South Dakota on March 19, 2019 at 8:45 A.M. for the purpose of rezoning the following property from Chapter 4.17 Conservation District (CN) to Chapter 4.10 Lake Front Residential District (R-3): W 1/2 SE 1/4 of Sec 20-T128N-R65W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD. (37574 104th Street)
 The public is invited to attend the hearing and to present comments and testimony regarding the amendment to Second Revision Brown County Ordinances pertaining to rezoning the described property. At the conclusion of the hearing, the Brown County Commission may adopt first reading of Ordinance No. 134.
 ATTEST:
 Maxine Fischer, Brown County Auditor
 (0306.0313)
 Published twice at the total approximate cost of \$21.74.
 17281

Frederick School Voter Registration Notice

NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR VOTER REGISTRATION
 Voter registration for the Frederick Area School #6-2 Election to be held on April 9, 2019, will close on March 25, 2019, at 5:00 p.m. Failure to register by this date will cause forfeiture of voting rights for this election. If you are in doubt about whether you are registered, check the Voter Information Portal at www.sdsos.gov or call the county auditor at (605) 626-7110.
 Registration may be completed during regular business hours at the county auditor's office, municipal finance office, secretary of state's office, and those locations which provide driver's licenses, SNAP, TANF, WIC, military recruitment, and assistance to the disabled as provided by the Department of Human Services. You may contact the county auditor to request a mail-in registration form or access a mail-in form at www.sdsos.gov.
 Any voter who needs assistance, pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, may contact the county auditor for information and special assistance in voter registration.
 Janel Wagner – Business Manager
 Frederick Area School District #6-2
 (0306.0313)
 Published twice at the total approximate cost of \$25.86.
 17296

Groton School Voter Registration Notice

NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR VOTER REGISTRATION
 GROTON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 06-6
 Voter registration for the Groton Area School District School Board Election to be held on April 9, 2019 will close on March 25, 2019. Failure to register by this date will cause forfeiture of vot-

ing rights for this election. If you are in doubt about whether you are registered check the Voter Information Portal at www.sdsos.gov or call the Brown County Auditor at (605) 626-7110, the Clark County Auditor at (605) 532-5921, Day County Auditor at (605) 345-9500, Marshall County Auditor at (605) 448-2401, or Spink County Auditor at (605) 472-4580.
 Registration may be completed during regular business hours at the county auditor's office, municipal finance office, secretary of state's office and those locations which provide driver's licenses, SNAP, TANF, WIC, military recruitment, and assistance to the disabled as provided by the Department of Human Services. You may contact your county auditor to request a mail-in registration form or access a mail-in form at www.sdsos.gov.
 Voters with disabilities may contact the county auditor for information and special assistance in voter registration, absentee voting, or polling place accessibility.
 Michael J. Weber, Business Official
 Groton Area School District
 Published twice at the total approximate cost of \$17.58.
 17284
 (2t. Mar. 4 & Mar. 11, 2019)

Columbia City Meeting Minutes

City of Columbia Council Meeting – March 6, 2019 7:00 pm
 CALL MEETING TO ORDER – 7:00 p.m.
 ROLL CALL – Cara Dennert, Tyler Kampa, Corey Mitchell, Cole Kampa, Ellen Harr
 Community – Jeremy Dosch, Andrew Davis
 Corey Mitchell called the meeting to order. Minutes were passed out from the February meeting. Ellen Harr made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Cole Kampa seconded the motion. All in favor – motion carried.
 Warrant Vouchers: Productivity Plus – 205.66; JVT – 119.72; Dakota Doors – 220.41; Northwestern Energy – 453.42; Menards – 143.62; Runnings – 54.74; S&S Lumber – 3978.82; Great Western Bank – 521.44; Agtegra – 297.50; Corey Mitchell – 148.35; Trevor Meints – 209.99; Tyler Kampa – 42.00; Cole Kampa – 77.00; Jeremy Dosch – 419.99; Kelsie Ehresmann – 153.99; Cara Dennert – 823.50, GDI – 42.31 ; Runnings- 54.74; Web – 37.82
 Cole Kampa made a motion to accept the vouchers as presented. Ellen Harr seconded the motion. All in favor – motion carried.
 COMMUNITY COMMENTS / CORESPONDENCE – Northwestern Energy technology update, Glacial Lakes tourism booklet, Thank you from the Eichler family (for snow removal)
 UNFINISHED BUSINESS – Nuisances –no report
 Streets – lots of snow, might look into possibly moving some of the larger piles out of town – we'll wait and see what the next weather system brings
 Parks – Andrew Davis stopped to tell us that a lighting fixture hood must have blown off down at the park. The hood is on the river bank.
 Lagoon/sewer – need to wait for the thaw for a dump treatment
 Rubble Site – our solid waste application was approved
 NEW BUSINESS – There were no new petitions presented – only those from present board members. There will not be an election. The equalization meeting for 2019 is scheduled for Tuesday, March 19th at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall.
 FINANCIAL REPORT –Bank balances were presented. Tyler Kampa made a motion to accept as presented. Ellen Harr seconded the motion. All were in favor – motion carried.
 February 28, 2019 balances: SF –\$145,256.27; GF – \$139,474.94; FIT – \$13,724.56
 Cash on Hand – \$95.00
 Ellen Harr made a motion to adjourn. Cole Kampa seconded the motion. All were in favor – meeting adjourned.
 Next Meeting Tuesday, April 2, 2019 7:00 p.m.
 Submitted by Cara Dennert, Finance Officer
 Published once at the total approximate cost of \$26.74. 17305.



Lane presented with "Mentor of the Year" Award
 Jim Lane was recently honored with the "Mentor of the Year" award at the South Dakota Robotics State Tournament. Pictured are some of the Robotics team members with Jim Lane. Left to right are Jackson Dinger, Axel Warrington, Jim Lane, Noah Tullis in back, Nick Morris in front, Travis Townsend, Adrian Knudson and Dan Feist. (Courtesy Photo)

Groton Area Schedule of Events

Thursday, March 14, 2019

Girls Varsity State Tournament @ Sioux Falls
 Boys Varsity State Tournament @ Sioux Falls
 No School, Groton Area School District - Spring Break

Friday, March 15, 2019

Girls Varsity State Tournament @ Sioux Falls
 Boys Varsity State Tournament @ Sioux Falls
 No School, Groton Area School District - Spring Break

Saturday, March 16, 2019

Girls Varsity State Tournament @ Sioux Falls
 Boys Varsity State Tournament @ Sioux Falls
 Mitchell Classic Show Choir Competition

Tuesday, March 19

City Council meeting at the Groton Community Center, 7 p.m.



The City of Groton Public Works Department has been busy widening out the streets in preparation for the upcoming two winter storms expected to hit the area. In the right photo, some residents were surprised when they came outside to suddenly find their vehicle parking in the middle of the street. That is how much the snow has encroached in on the roads. The snow blower was able to get between the vehicle and the curb to remove the snow. (Photo by Paul Kosel)



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