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No change in sexual offender ordinance

by **Patty Brant**
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Hendry County Commissioners would not budge on relaxing county rules regarding sexual offenders. Felda resident Lorrie Campbell asked that the county ordinance match state rules, which would allow her boyfriend, a convicted sex offender, to live in a house near a school bus stop in Felda.

Commissioner Don Davis felt the county should “go along with the state” in its less restrictive ordinance on where sexual offenders can live.

Hendry County created a buffer around school bus stops, daycare centers and such. Also, sexual offenders cannot go to public shelters during an emergency, but must go to public areas of the sheriff’s office.

County Attorney Mark Lapp looked at other counties’ restrictions and concluded that Hendry’s is “pretty strict.”

Commissioner Karson Turner said the board needs to consider its rural communities and the fact that it’s hard for the sheriff to patrol outlying areas. They don’t want laxity at bus stops, he pointed out. He added that the county needs to know who the sexual offenders in residence are and where they are.

Commissioner Davis countered that these residents have difficulty finding places where they are allowed to live. For his part, he felt the county’s ordinance should match the state.

Commissioner Michael Swindle said he empathizes with the problem but “has an issue with him living near a bus stop.”

Commissioner Janet Taylor noted that the county ordinance details would not allow sexual offenders to live anywhere in Harlem and or in Hookers Point. She said one guy lives under bridge, another cannot live with his elderly parents in order to help them.

Ordinances allow sexual predators to live inside the city limits of both LaBelle and Clewiston.

According to Deputy Bonnie Weaver sexual offenders do have areas where they can live within Clewiston, LaBelle city limits and the Seminole Indian Reservation,

There are currently 34 registered sexual offenders living in Hendry County. Of those, one is considered absconded, three are under Department of Corrections supervision,

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Independence Day

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Mace close to being an Eagle Scout

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Aaron Mace, 15, is just a step away from being LaBelle Boy Scout Troop 9’s next Eagle Scout.

On June 14, Flag Day, he completed his Eagle project as members of American Legion Post 130 held their annual flag retirement ceremony.

Aaron planned and coordinated a new burning pit for the post. Aaron decided on the burn pit because the post needed a permanent one. They had been using a rack made from a bed frame to burn old, worn flags no longer serviceable. Aaron’s pit is made of concrete block about 2.5 feet tall with a grate inside.

Aaron took charge of his project, securing donations and workers to build it properly. Donors included Fortress Block, Ace Hardware, Gulf Coast Pavers, Mim’s Welding and Plant World. Randy Wallace laid the block and Frank Schauer cleared the area and did the ground-work and final grading. His son is another Troop 9 Eagle Scout.

In addition to the planning and execution of the plan, Aaron was also responsible for documenting the entire process – 430 hours from beginning to end.

He first began the project on April 5. This



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Aaron Mace at the American Legion Post 130’s recent flag retirement ceremony.



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three under Department of Juvenile Justice supervision, and one is under Florida Department of Law Enforcement jurisdiction (for computer pornography).

Of this group eight victims are under 12 years of age; 16 under 16 years of age; five between 16-18 years of age. It is unknown how many victims there are in the computer pornography case or their ages.

It is possible for convicted sexual offenders to be released from the sexual offender category if certain criteria are met.

Tallahassee funding

Hendry County lobbyist Joe Spratt appeared to explain this year's Legislative Session. He said the legislature passed a \$77.1 billion budget - \$2 million over its 2013-14 budget. The budget included some \$500 million in tax cuts and \$100 million in tax incentives.

He said the state is investing funds in water quality, in particular the Indian River Lagoon and spring heads, and in affordable housing.

He said small counties did well as the Legislature preserved revenue sharing as well as SCRAP and SCOP funding for roads. He said small counties will receive some \$9 million in new program funding.

Hendry County got money for Court-house renovation, Helms Road and SR 78.

Commissioner Turner thanked Mr. Spratt for the "amazing job" he did for Hendry County.

County residents will be pleased to know that adequate money is available for mosquito control this year, according to County Engineer Shaner Parker.

No changes are proposed for MSBU assessments except Sky Valley MSBU, which is to be reduced from \$195.58 to \$175, since lane improvements have been completed.

Murray Road MSBU assessments will be the previously agreed to \$800 per year.

In other business:

- There will be no commission meeting July 8. The next meeting will be July 22, with workshop sessions on the 16th and 18th.

- The county staff will be looking at planning and building and land use codes and enforcement.

- A part time temporary assistant was approved for the Harlem Library. Commissioner issued a challenge to come up with a pilot program for 2015 that will get 13-18 year olds level five readers to mentor level 1 readers at Harlem and Clewiston Libraries.

Did you know?

The U.S. Coast Guard occasionally received telegrams from concerned citizens, who apparently did not realize Gilligan's Island was a scripted show, pleading for them to rescue the people on the deserted island.

In 1959 the USPS attempted to deliver mail via cruise missile and successfully shipped 3,000 pieces of mail from Virginia to Florida in 22 minutes.

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quiet young man talked to business people about donations of time, materials and money and wrote letters while meticulously noting all his hard work.

The hardest part, he said, was coordinating such a project. One of the biggest lessons he learned was responsibility.

Troop 9 has been assisting the American Legion with various projects for years, including ceremonies at the Veterans Park where they help lay the memorial bricks and Memorial Day services at Felda and the Fort Denaud Cemetery.

Aaron said he took on this project because of the respect he has for this country's veterans, including both of his grandfathers.

All that remains is for Aaron to complete the last touches on his project paperwork and submit them to the review board next month. He expects their response some time in August.

Aaron said he always knew he'd be an Eagle Scout one day, even as a young Cub Scout. At that time he didn't know how much time and effort it would take, but he does now. And he said he'd still do it again.

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LEFT: Fellow scouts help fill the cells of the concrete blocks of the burn pit. INSERT: Several flags were retired that day.

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'Drain and Cover' National Mosquito Control Awareness Week

The Florida Department of Health in Hendry and Glades Counties would like to remind residents and visitors that it is important to "Drain and Cover" this National Mosquito Control Awareness Week. Please take simple precautions to protect yourself, your family and your neighbors from mosquito-borne illnesses which have received increased attention recently in Florida.

"One way folks can help to prevent mosquito-borne illnesses is to follow the "Drain and Cover" method," said Pat Dobbins, Administrator/Health Officer for the Florida Department of Health in Hendry and Glades Counties. "Drain or remove water from any containers around your home, cover your skin with clothing and use mosquito repellent and cover doors and windows to keep mosquitoes from entering buildings."

DRAIN standing water to stop mosquitoes from multiplying:

- Drain water from garbage cans, house gutters, buckets, pool covers, coolers, toys, flower pots or any other containers where sprinkler or rain water has collected.

- Discard old tires, drums, bottles, cans, pots and pans, broken appliances and other items that aren't being used.

- Empty and clean birdbaths and pets'

water bowls at least once or twice a week.

- Protect boats and vehicles from rain with tarps that don't accumulate water.

- Maintain swimming pools in good condition and appropriately chlorinated. Empty plastic swimming pools when not in use.

COVER skin with clothing or repellent:

- Clothing: Wear shoes, socks, and long pants and long-sleeves. This type of protection may be necessary for people who must work in areas where mosquitoes are present.

- Repellent: Apply mosquito repellent to bare skin and clothing. Always use repellents according to the label. Repellents with DEET, picaridin, oil of lemon eucalyptus, and IR3535 are effective. Use mosquito netting to protect children younger than 2 months old.

COVER doors and windows with screens to keep mosquitoes out of your house:

- Repair broken screening on windows, doors, porches, and patios.

For more information and to view weekly reports containing information on mosquito-borne disease surveillance in Florida, visit <http://www.floridahealth.gov/diseases-and-conditions/mosquito-borne-diseases/index.html>



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Let's build a playground

Thanks to Alva resident Elizabeth Bumgarner, LaBelle children will have a brand new playground at the LaBelle Civic Park. Ms. Bumgarner donated \$25,000 for the project at the June 15 Hendry-LaBelle Rec Board meeting. If the community can match that, Ms. Bumgarner has promised another \$25,000 for the project. She suggested naming the playground after Zac Reyna, the young boy lost his brave battle with a brain eating amoeba last year. Businesses, organizations and foundations who would like to show their support for this project may send their tax deductible contributions to: Hendry/LaBelle Recreation Board "Zachary Reyna Memorial Playground." PO 1760 LaBelle, FL 33975. In addition to funding, help with fundraising activities, in-kind of labor, site preparation, and landscaping would help provide a playground for the LaBelle area children.

For information contact: Ramiro Rodriquez, Hendry/LaBelle Recreation Director at: 863-675-5347.

School's out Traffic Safety Tips

FORT MYERS -- As the school year comes to a close in our twelve district counties (Charlotte, Collier, Desoto, Glades, Hardee, Hendry, Highlands, Lee, Manatee, Okeechobee, Polk and Sarasota), the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) and our local safety partners remind motorists and students to take extra traffic safety precautions this summer.

During the summer, children are at increased risk of transportation related injuries from pedestrian, bicycle, and motor vehicle crashes. FDOT offers these tips for making summer safer for everyone:

Tips for motorists

- Slow down and obey all traffic laws, speed limits and traffic signals.

- Keep an eye out for children walking or bicycling in the street, especially where there are no sidewalks.

- Be alert for children playing and for those who may dart into the street without looking for traffic.

- When backing out of a driveway or leaving a garage, watch for children walking, biking, skating or skateboarding.

Tips for parents

- Be a good role model. Always buckle up, always wear a helmet when biking, and always follow pedestrian safety rules.

- Supervise young children when they are walking, biking or skating.

- Provide your children with bright clothing so motorists can easily see them.

- Make sure your child is properly buckled into the appropriate child safety seat in the back seat. Safety experts advise that all children under the age of 13 should ride in the back seat.

- Make sure your teen driver understands

and obeys all state traffic laws.

Tips for youngsters

- Always buckle up when riding in a car. Ride in the back seat, it's the safest place for young people.

- Always wear a helmet and follow traffic safety rules when riding your bike.

- Learn and practice safety rules for pedestrians. It's extremely important for you to use the sidewalk where available, look left-right-left when crossing the road, and always walk facing traffic.

- Always cross at crosswalks, obey all traffic signs and traffic lights.

- Teen drivers should avoid speeding and minimize distractions (texting, talking on cell phones, eating, adjusting the radio) while driving. Never overload your vehicle. Require everyone riding with you to use safety belts.

- Teen drivers should be good role models for younger brothers, sisters, and friends, and should help them learn and follow traffic safety rules.

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Road Watch

US 27 from Glades County line to Palm Beach County line: Maintenance project: Crews will be sweeping bridges. No lane closures are expected. Motorists should use caution as crews work near the roadway.

SR 80 from Willington Road to Ever-high Acres Road: Maintenance contract project: Crews will be replacing driveway culverts at several locations. Drivers should use caution as crews work near the roadway.

SR 80 from Park Lane to Lashley Street: Maintenance permit project: Motorists should expect the westbound lane closed periodically from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for crews to replace light poles. Drivers should use caution as crews work near the roadway.

SR 80 from Birchwood Parkway to Dalton Lane: Construction project:

Crews expand five miles of existing roadway from two lanes to four lanes. The contractor has shifted two-way traffic to the two new 12-foot lanes to the south of the existing roadway. Reconstruction of the two north lanes continues. Workers are building the new bridge over the C-1 canal. Drivers should expect intermittent lanes closures while crews pave. Flaggers will direct motorists. Motorists should use caution, expect possible delays, and watch for trucks entering and exiting the roadway throughout the project. Expected completion is summer 2014. The contractor is C.W. Roberts Contracting, Inc.

SR 29 from G Road to the City of LaBelle: Maintenance project: Crews will trim weeds along the roadway from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Motorists should use caution as crews work near the travel lanes.

To all Citizens of Hendry County,

I would like to thank you for the trust you have bestowed upon me to continue to serve you as your District 3 Hendry County School Board member.

Along with my fellow board members, we will continue to be focused on and committed to providing all Hendry County students with the skills they need to gain employment. This is the commitment I have had for 22 years and it will not cease.

May God bless the students, parents, teachers, administrators, all non-instructional personnel, volunteers, elected officials, and anyone who has a part in helping our students become upstanding, moral and work-ready adults.

Sincerely,

Pat Langford

Hendry County School Board Member District 3

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Our Heritage and Our Hope

A radio talk show host and a call-in listener were talking about Christianity in America. In that conversation heard by hundreds of thousands across the listening audience, the host, an avowed agnostic, stated the following: "Why do Christians think they had anything special to do with the founding of this country. Anybody who reads history books knows that Christianity was no more involved in America's founding than any other religion."

Regretfully, many believe that. However, the truth is that our nation is rooted in the Judeo-Christian-Biblical ethic.

Are we a Christian nation? There are two possible answers. 1) If being a "Christian nation" means that everyone is a Christian, then no, we are not a Christian nation. 2) If Christianity was overwhelmingly the faith of the majority of Founding Fathers, then yes, we are a Christian nation.

Biblical influence is undeniably seen in our nation's Founding Documents. Our ethics and moral codes were accepted as the rule for our social order, based on Biblical principles.

America's history is not timid about this fact. In fact, Christianity was involved in nearly every aspect of our nation's beginnings.

Columbus, in 1504, wrote his reason to discover a new land: "I was led of the Holy Spirit to carry the message of the Gospel to undiscovered lands."

The Mayflower Compact stated, "for the glory of God and the advancement of the Christian faith."

The Puritans, realizing the backslidden state of the Church of England, came to America for the stated purpose of showing how a nation could prosper if citizens lived under the laws of God.

The Plymouth Charter says, "The Colony was established to advance the enlargement of the Christian religion to the glory of God Almighty."

Likewise, the Delaware Charter defines its purpose with clarity: "To further propagate the Holy Gospel."

Moreover, the Virginia Charter instructs people to, "Propagate the Christian religion to such people who yet live in ignorance of the true knowledge and worship of God."

Those living in Rhode Island perhaps would be shocked to find these words in



Les Morgan

the Rhode Island Compact: "We submit our persons, lives, and estates unto our Lord Jesus Christ, the King of Kings and Lord of Lords."

On July 4, 1776 Continental Congress signed the "Declaration of Independence" but first called the signers to prayer and fasting.

Pastors were, without doubt, incredibly influential within the culture. For example, Rev. Frances Bellemey wrote our "Pledge of Allegiance." Rev. Samuel Smith wrote "My Country 'tis of Thee." Rev. John Leland wrote the introduction of the first Amendment to the Constitution.

Amazingly, prior to the Civil War, 90% of all of America's College Presidents, including Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Brown, Dartmouth, William and Mary, and Columbia, were preachers of the Gospel intent to educate youth for Christ.

Perhaps it is a little known fact, but still true, that Rev. John Harvard, Charlestown, MA (for whom Harvard was named) proclaimed, "The purpose of the University was that every student be plainly instructed and earnestly pressed to consider well the main ends of his life and studies: to know God and Jesus Christ which is eternal life and therefore to lay Christ in the bottom as the foundation of all knowledge and learning, and see that the Lord only giveth wisdom. To let everyone seriously set himself by prayer in secret to seek Christ Jesus as Lord and Master." Harvard's original seal, on campus today, states: "Truth for Christ and the Church."

Columbia University: "the chief things that are aimed in this college are to teach and gauge the children to know God and Jesus Christ and to love and serve Him in all sobriety."

American's first schoolbook, "New England Primer", had the Lord's Prayer on its cover.

Since 1865, "In God We Trust" has been printed on every piece of our currency.

The Legislature of New York, 1838: "This is a Christian nation. Ninety-nine hundredths, if not a larger proportion, of our whole population, believe in the general doctrines of

the Christian religion."

Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court in 1892 declared in the court's opinion the United States was a "Christian nation."

We have drifted far, far away from our original intent as a nation. History tell us that we were once great as a nation. It would behoove us to return to that which made us great in the beginning.

But what are we to do? Can we really make any difference? I believe changes can come.

First, we must pray. 2 Chronicles 7:14 gives this promise: "If My people who are called by My name will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land."

Einstein understood things about nature of matter, space & time. He also knew ethical behavior depends on existence of an inner moral strength that is fixed and that right and wrong are never arbitrary. He said, "The real problem is in the hearts & minds of men. It is not a problem of physics but of ethics. It is to denature plutonium than to denature the evil spirit of man."

Second, we must work within the process. God never calls His people to be uncivilized, to speak in a demeaning way towards those in authority, or to be active in radical behavior such as burning down City Hall, of shooting the President, or actions that would blacken the eye of God or His church. It is appropriate, however, to learn what candidates stand for, be well-informed of voting records of political candidates and then to vote according to Biblical principles.

Third, we must persevere. President Teddy Roosevelt is credited for the following: "Americanism means the virtues of courage, honor, justice, truth, sincerity, and hardihood – the virtues that made America. The things that will destroy America are prosperity-at-any-price, safety-first instead of duty-first, the love of soft living, and get-rich-quick theory of life."

May God Bless America, again.

Dr. Les Morgan is pastor of Caloosa Baptist Church in LaBelle, located on Highway 80, across the street from City Hall.

Make our schools tobacco free

We know the deadly consequences of tobacco use in Hendry County and we encourage our students to never to start. Unfortunately, this advice is not as effective if the people who give it don't back it up.

It has been stated by countless youth in Students Working Against Tobacco (SWAT) chapter about faculty, staff, parents and visitors smoking or using tobacco near or on school grounds.

Tobacco free schools are an important step to building a healthier future for all of us. That's why it's time for Hendry County School District to move forward with a 100 percent Comprehensive Tobacco-Free Policy by working to approve the recommendations set forth by the Center's for Disease Control (CDC). These policies create a safe and healthy environment for students, faculty, staff, and visitors while sending a clear message about the dangers of tobacco use and that tobacco doesn't belong in our schools or on our campuses.

In the United States, nearly nine out of 10 smokers start by age 18. In Florida, more than 18,900 kids (under 18) become new cigarette smokers each year. Tobacco use initiation often leads to a lifetime of addiction, resulting in devastating diseases, and early death. In fact, one of three youth who continue to smoke will die early because of smoking.

That's why a clearer message needs to be sent. We can look at neighboring, Glades County School District and other surrounding counties as an example. They don't allow tobacco-use on any School District property during school or at any events held on school property and a plan to help adults quit tobacco and provide educational support to students has been outlined.

The Hendry Tobacco-Free Partnership and SWAT want our schools to be 100 percent tobacco free – inside and out! Join us in taking a stand against tobacco in Hendry County.

For more information or to get involved in this initiative or others, you may contact the Hendry Tobacco-Free Partnership at hendrytftp@gmail.com.

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DOH awards grants to expand research into cancer and tobacco-related diseases

The Florida Department of Health today announced that research grants in the amount of \$1,600,000 each are being awarded to the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute and the University of Florida. This grant funding will be used to expand research into tobacco-related diseases, such as lung cancer. Lung cancer is the leading cause of all cancer-related deaths, and is the most common tobacco-related cancer.

"Florida is creating collaborative research networks to accelerate progress in the care of patients with cancer and tobacco-related disease," said State Surgeon General and Secretary of Health Dr. John Armstrong. "These projects will move us closer to becoming the premier destination for cancer treatment, research and prevention."

Funding for the awards comes from the James and Esther King Biomedical Research Program which supports initiatives addressing tobacco-related diseases including cancer, cardiovascular disease, stroke, and pulmonary disease. The Department will issue a new funding opportunity announcement for the King program as well as the Bankhead-Coley Cancer Research Program prior to July 15.

H. Lee Moffitt's research project will seek to detect lung cancer early, when it may be treated more successfully. The research focuses on improving the accuracy of cancer scanning using a type of x-ray scan called low-dose CT screening. Moffitt plans to translate the work of their research teams into improved computer software to analyze the scans and provide more accurate results. Moffitt will advance the quality of care and Florida's research infrastructure by sharing everything in this project -- the screening methods, computer software programs, and education materials -- with hospitals, universities and research institutions in Florida. Moffitt plans to engage health care providers and the community to ensure that the people at high risk know that screening is a lifesaving choice.

The University of Florida will use this new grant to expand an existing research network that includes nearly 40 percent of all Floridians through a network of 22 hospitals, 416 clinics, and more than 3,000 physicians. This project will seek to improve quality of care

for tobacco-related diseases by testing new ways of providing care in real-world clinical settings. The project is significant because it will increase enrollment of vulnerable populations in research studies to better understand ways of improving health outcomes for everyone in Florida. The project will expand the existing research network, provide education for physicians on conducting research in real-world settings, and collaborate with the Florida Department of Health to reduce regulatory barriers to conducting large-scale research at many institutions.

State Representative Marti Coley said, "Working to find better treatments and a cure for tobacco-related diseases, such as lung cancer, is so important for the citizens of Florida. I want to express my congratulations to the research teams that have been awarded these critical grants and wish them great success."

State Senator Eleanor Sobel said, "It is important for Florida to stay on the frontline of the effort to address all cancers and specifically those tied to tobacco use. This grant funding from the James and Esther King Biomedical Research Program will assist these research institutions in their mission to find cures and share that information with the rest of the state."

Dr. Daniel Armstrong, Chair of the Biomedical Research Advisory Council said, "As the state strategic research priorities were being developed, the Biomedical Research Advisory Council recognized an opportunity to fund enduring infrastructure in the prevention, diagnosis and cure of tobacco-related diseases. This infrastructure can benefit investigators across the state and help us realize advances to reduce cancer burden. The funded projects demonstrate desired collaboration across institutions, shared scientific advisory boards, and meaningful ways to include input from research participants and community advisors. Importantly, these projects include specific plans to share results and make infrastructure available to any researcher in Florida."

"We applaud the state's continued commitment to funding cancer research and the effort to position Florida as the premier destination for cancer treatment and research," said Thomas Sellers, PhD, MPH, center di-

rector and executive vice president of Moffitt Cancer Center the only NCI-designated comprehensive cancer center based in Florida. "This grant will be used to improve the excellent research being conducted at Moffitt and the funding will enable greater collaboration among the network of research institutions across the state."

University of Florida President Bernie Machen said, "This grant funding enables us to expand on the nationally-recognized research we have been conducting for several years. A key distinction of the Clinical and Translational Science Institute at the University of Florida is to serve as a central source which connects resources, people and ideas that lead to increased collaboration and new discoveries."

Dr. Myra M. Hurt, Senior Associate Dean for Research, Graduate and Undergraduate Programs at the Florida State University College of Medicine said, "We are pleased to collaborate on this grant with the University of Florida that will accelerate the sharing of information across the research community and lead to increased potential for better prevention technology and new treatments for patients."

Stephanie Leeds, vice president for advocacy in the Florida Division of the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN) said, "We appreciate the strategic grant funding that the Florida Department of

Health has awarded to these distinguished institutions. Cancers that develop from the use of tobacco affects so many Floridians and their families. It is critical that we remain relentless in our pursuit of better prevention methods, improved treatment and collaborative research throughout our state."

Martha Bogdan, President and CEO for the American Lung Association in Florida said, "Lung cancer is the #1 cancer killer of women, killing almost twice as many women as any other cancer. On average, less than half of all women diagnosed with lung cancer will be alive one year after their diagnosis. The American Lung Association in Florida applauds this investment of research by the James and Esther King Research Program and we remain committed to working toward a day when Florida families will be free from the pain and loss caused by tobacco-related illnesses."

Dr. Charles E. Wood, Chair of the Department of Physiology and Functional Genomics at the University of Florida and the American Heart Association member on the Biomedical Research Advisory Council, said, "These awards provide critical resources that will allow for vibrant research on diseases that stem from tobacco use. We are particularly pleased by the new level of collaboration that is now made possible with these specific projects."

Witches Brew

by Pudge Lehman

Daughter Suzy can always find the funniest sayings'. Two of her latest:

Note to husband... Gone shopping, might be late. Your dinner is in the cookbook on page 264, ingredients at the grocery store, Love,..... This is where you insert the name on your marriage license and the impending divorce decree.....OR...

I hate to brag but I wear the same size earrings I wore when I went to high school.

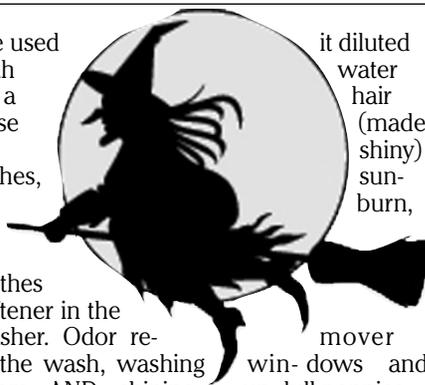
I used to think those TV cooks that took out a bowl for garbage scraps made another bowl to wash but turns out it's a real time-saver.

My friend Pat Hashman gave me a recipe for weed killer containing white vinegar but I've temporarily missplaced it but in the olden days we used vinegar for lots of stuff.

We used it diluted with water hair (made shiny) sun-burn, it dilutes water hair (made shiny) sun-burn, it dilutes water hair (made shiny) sun-burn, it dilutes water hair (made shiny) sun-burn,

clothes softener in the washer. Odor-re-mover in the wash, washing windows and floors AND shining up dull pennies.

This calls for a history lesson for you young whippersnappers: A penny is a small coin that you will observe older people bend over to pick up.....if they still can....I still can but it's not a pretty sight.



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Christian Men announce winners

LEFT: The Gathering of Christian Men proudly announce the winner of their \$1,000 scholarship. Meagan Watkins just graduated from LaBelle High School and HAS been dual enrolled at Edison State College. She plans to finish her AA degree then transfer to a University for her bachelor's degree. Meagan graduated summa cum laude (with highest honors) and is very active at her church, First Seminole Baptist Church.

RIGHT: The lucky winner of the 100 gallons of gas give-a-way is Dick Bruce. The Christian Men wish to thank everyone who participated in the give-a-way.

Gathering of Christian Men is an organization composed of Christian men from all over Southwest Florida. They meet every third Monday, 7 p.m. at LaBelle area churches. The host church usually provides a dinner. Look for announcements in the paper or call Randy Way at 863-675-2785 to be added to email list for regular announcements.

Church Briefs

Movie night

Christ the King Lutheran Church is offering to the elementary school children of LaBelle a free children's movie on Friday, July 11th at 7:30 p.m. Join us for some fun in our air-conditioned hall with free hot dogs, popcorn and drink. The movie showing is Despicable Me. Get ready for more Minion madness with Gru and his crew in this action-packed comedy. Christ the King Church is located ¼ mile west of State Route 29 (at Fiesta Food Mart) on County road 78.

Gathering of Christian Men

The third annual LaBelle Gathering of Christian Men's Community Prayer Service will be held at Caloosa Baptist Church, located at 550 W. Highway 80 on Thursday evening July 3, at 6 p.m. Everyone is invited and urged to attend. For additional information, please call Clay Townsend at 963-674-0699.

First Christian Church VBS

Get ready to set sail on July 21-25, for Vacation Bible School at the First Christian Church. From 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Children will be introduced to Jesus Christ and learn about the wonderful treasure of God's love. Children who are in Kindergarten through 5th grade are welcome to come, enjoy, and be blessed. Lunch will be served and transportation is available. We are located at the corner of Lee and Ford Streets. For more information, call 675-1366.

Worship at Muse Oak Grove Holiness Church

Come worship the Lord with Muse Oak Grove Holiness Church. Sunday morning

services 11 a.m.; Sunday School for children and worship service for adults; Sunday evening 6 p.m. praise and worship service, nursery available. Wednesday night 7 p.m. children's crafts, snacks for all. Bible study for adults. Come take an active part of the church if you sing, preach, have a ministry.

Pastor Jerome Sears and congregation invite you you to be a part and enjoy services with them.

The church is at the top of Summeralls Road. From LaBelle Hwy. 29 north to Whidden Road left, then right at four way; SR 726 Loblolly Road follow approximately six miles to the church 239-728-3580 or 863-517-1122.

Free lunches at El Faro

The El Faro Church will be serving free lunches Monday-Friday to all children and youth up to 18 years old. Our address is: 431 Bryan Avenue, LaBelle. We will be serving from 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Any questions please call 863-843-0264.

Lonche gratis

La Iglesia El Faro estara sirviendo lonche gratis de lunes a viernes a todo niño y joven hasta los 18 años. Nuestra direccion es: 431 Bryan Avenue, LaBelle. Estaremos sirviendo a las 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Cualquier pregunta llama al 863-843-0264.

Good Shepherd

Here is July Schedule for the Good Shepherd Episcopal Church, 1098 Collingswood Pkwy, LaBelle Calendar July 2014

Sunday July 6, 10:00 a.m. The Rev. John R Gamble,

Thursday, July 10, The Rev. Dr. David

Jackson 9:30 am. Healing Service 10:30 a.m. Bible Study - All Welcome

Sunday, July 13, 10:00 a.m. The Rev. Dr. David Jackson Special organ music by John Geib

Thursday, July 17, The Rev. Dr. David Jackson 9:30 a.m. Healing Service 10:30 a.m. Bible Study - All Welcome

Sunday July 20, 10:00 a.m. Morning Prayer led by Eucharistic Minister Elizabeth Wade

Thursday, July 24, The Rev. Dr. David Jackson 9:30 A.m. Healing Service 10:30 a.m. Bible Study - All Welcome

Sunday, July 27, 10:00 a.m. Rev. Nancy Smith

Thursday, July 31, The Rev. Dr. David Jackson 9:30 A.m. Healing Service 10:30 a.m. Bible Study - All Welcome

Obituaries

Christine G. White, 83

FELDA — Christine G. White passed away June 29, 2014 in Lehigh Acres.

She was born Apr. 6, 1931 in Hawthorne, FL, to the late Charles and the late Annabelle (Stevens) Graham. She was a lifelong resident of Felda. She cooked for many years at Taylor's Grocery and was known by it's patrons as the "Best Granny in the country."

Survivors include her children: Patty Murphy (David) Trammell of Oklahoma; Randy M. (Nancy) White, Sr. of LaBelle, Steve (Mary) White of Felda, Matt (Lori) White of LaBelle and Debbie (Robert) Galbreath of LaBelle, daughter in law: Lisa Blakey, grandchildren: Jessie Porter, Randy M. White, Jr., Denise Snyder; Steven White, Seth Howard, Steven White, Jennifer Allen, Val White, Nate White; Patrick White, Selena Galbreath, Elias Galbreath; Jackie Blakey, Christy Pequeno, Mona O'Bannon and Diana Blakey and many great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her son: Donnie Blakey and grandson: Patrick White.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, July 3, 2014, 10:00 a.m. at Mount Zion Primitive Baptist Church in Felda with Dr. Les Morgan officiating. Interment will be in Felda Cemetery.

Arrangements by Akin-Davis Funeral Home - LaBelle.

PAID CONTENT ATTENTION

ANYONE IN PORT LABELLE UNIT 4 INTERESTED FOR THE CITIZENS PATROL PROGRAM, PLEASE CALL JACKIE @ 863-675-4168 AND SIGN UP SO WE CAN SET UP THE TRAINING PROGRAM. IT WILL CONSIST OF 3 (1) HOUR SESSIONS IN THE EVENING. LETS GET TOGETHER TO KEEP OUR COMMUNITY SAFE.

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We are having a contest to DESIGN A NEW SIGN - our signs are very out of date and needing to be replaced, please bring ALL drawings and ideas to Jackie at the POA office (4051 NE Eucalyptus Blvd.) by July 17, 2014 and if your design is picked you will win \$100. If you have any questions, please call 863-675-4168.

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COES April Students of the Month



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Students in K-2: First row: Edwin Rosado, Andrea Rivera, Emery McGirt, Erick Ramirez, Eric Aguilar, Rosa Marquez. Second row: Jesus Lopez-Villa, Regino Cantu, Christian Robertson, Dariel Marines, Christian Roblero, Elsy Marquez. Third row: Juanito Diaz-Carreño, Niyet Hernandez, Fernando Vasquez, Kamron Jimenez.



Submitted photos

Students in 3-5: First row: Alfredo Salas-Gonzalez, Maria Rodriguez, Morelia Arreola, Edgar Garcia, Araceli Perez, Ivan Gonzalez. Second row: Breann White, Jaelyn Purvis, Eslevia Hall-Flores, Xavier Adams, Tayler McGill, Kayla Valdovinos, McKayla Hornsby.

Department of Health emphasizes risks of using illegal drugs

The Florida Department of Health urges all residents and visitors to consider the health risks of using illegal synthetic drugs. Taken to achieve the high associated with drugs such as marijuana, ecstasy, and cocaine, these synthetic substitutes are life-threatening and addictive. Within the past week, up to 30 individuals in Alachua County became severely ill after using such substances.

Synthetic marijuana, often known as “K2” or “Spice,” is one of the substances whose popularity is “alarmingly high,” according to the Office of National Drug Control Policy. Labels on Spice products often claim that they contain “natural” psycho-active material taken from a variety of plants. Spice products do contain dried

plant material, but chemical analyses show their active ingredients are synthetic cannabinoid compounds.

The adverse effects of synthetic marijuana use may include agitation, extreme nervousness, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, a racing heartbeat, elevated blood pressure, tremors and seizures, hallucinations and dilated pupils. Spice may also raise blood pressure and cause reduced blood supply to the heart. In a few cases, it has been associated with heart attacks.

Anyone experiencing an adverse reaction to an illicit synthetic substance should contact their local poison center as soon as possible by calling 1-800-222-1222. If there is a life-threatening situation call 911 or go to the nearest Emergency Room.

IBHS offers guidance on preventing lightning-related damage

TAMPA -It’s summertime and as the temperature increases so do the chances for thunderstorm and lightning activity. Next week is Lightning Safety Awareness Week and the Insurance Institute for Business & Home Safety (IBHS) reminds people to take steps to prevent lightning-related damage to their homes and businesses.

“To truly protect your home or business and its contents, consider investing in a certified lightning protection system to reduce the risk of damage. Contact your local utility company to inquire about programs to provide and install these systems; many companies provide this service. If this is not available in your area, consult a licensed electrician to install the system,” Rochman said.

Additional steps home and business owners can take to protect appliances and electronic devices from power surges caused by lightning strikes include:

1. Plug electronic devices (laptops, DVD players, etc.) into a surge protection device, not a power strip. Both allow you to connect multiple electronics to a power source; however, a power strip does not protect against a spike in electrical power. A surge protection device, however, protects devices from such spikes.
2. Connect telephone, cable and/or satellite TV and network lines to a surge protection device.
3. Check the packaging labels to be sure

the surge protection device has been tested to UL 1449.

4. Purchase a surge protection device with a Joule rating of over 1,000. The Joule rating typically ranges from 200 up to several thousand. Remember, the higher the number the better.

5. Look for a surge protection device with a clamping voltage rating (voltage at which the protector will conduct the electricity to ground) between 330 v to 400 v.

“Lightning is one of those severe weather events that doesn’t command as much attention but causes an estimated \$1 billion a year in property damage. We must acknowledge lightning’s power and do what we can to protect our structures and the valuable belongings inside them from the effects of a strike,” Rochman said.

For more IBHS guidance on lightning protection, visit www.disastersafety.org/lightning.

About the Insurance Institute for Business & Home Safety (IBHS) IBHS is an independent, nonprofit, scientific research and communications organization supported by the property insurance industry. The organization works to reduce the social and economic effects of natural disasters and other risks on residential and commercial property by conducting building science research and advocating improved construction, maintenance and preparedness practices. Visit www.DisasterSafety.org for more information about creating resilient communities and the FORTIFIED Home program.

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New Dress Code at LMS

The purpose of this article is to inform parents of the changes in LaBelle Middle School's dress code. The school solicits your support in making sure your child understands and is following their dress code. This dress code applies to all grade levels. During school hours, all students shall be suitably dressed and properly groomed. Students shall not wear apparel or be groomed in a manner that is disruptive to the school climate and/or educational process.

Students may wear:

TOPS: All tops must have sleeves.

BOTTOMS: Any pants, shorts, khakis, jeans, capris, skirt, jumper or dress.

- All must fit snug on the waist and be of an appropriate size and fit. No skin-tight, oversized, baggy or drop styles are allowed.

- All Must be no shorter than mid-thigh.

- No leggings, spandex type pants. No jeggings. No sweatpants. No yoga pants.

- No holes, rips or tears.

IDs must be worn on a lanyard and kept in good condition at all times while on campus.

(Students must wear clean IDs without markings or stickers on them at all times while on LMS campus. The cost for a replacement ID is \$5.00 and a new lanyard is \$1.00. If the ID is not worn for any reason, or if the student is found to be wearing someone else's ID, this will be documented and disciplinary actions will take place per the code of conduct.)

Some examples of inappropriate dress or grooming include: extremely short dresses, rollers or curlers in the hair, see-through clothes, backless dresses, bare skin at the waist, abdomen or chest, head coverings. Scoop neck shirts, sleeveless shirts, sleeveless dresses, tank-top shirts, short-shorts, exposed undergarments, yoga pants, leggings, words, symbols or graphics that violate common decency or promote alcohol, tobacco, drugs or gang affiliation printed or attached to apparel or otherwise disrupt the learning environment.

Other

- No electronic devices in classes at any time (Unless authorized by the teacher as part of instruction.)

- Purses must be no larger than 8 1/2" x 11" in size.

- The size and shape of a student's backpack must allow for storage under a student's desk.

- Cell phones must remain off and out of sight in the classroom. According to Florida statutes.

(Unless authorized by the teacher as part of instruction.)

- No hats or head coverings may be worn at any time.

- Outerwear may not be used to hide dress code violations.

Anything not listed or addressed above is not allowed. The administration reserves the right to make changes in the dress code if circumstances dictate.

El propósito de esta carta es para informarle de cambios en el código del vestido de la escuela media de LaBelle. Le pedimos que lea esta información con cuidado para que pueda asegurarse de que su hijo/a este siguiendo el código de vestuario. Este código

de vestuario se aplica a todos los grados.

Durante el horario escolar, todos los estudiantes deberán estar adecuadamente vestidos y bien cuidados. Los estudiantes no deben usar ropa de una manera que es perjudicial para el clima de la escuela y el proceso educativo.

Los estudiantes pueden usar....

Camisas/blusas: Todas las camisas/blusas tienen que tener mangas

Pantalones: Cualquier pantalón cortos, khakis, pantalón de mezcilla, capris, falda, jumper o vestido.

- Todos deben caber cómodamente en la cintura y ser de un tamaño y en forma apropiada. No holgados, no apretados a la piel, o bajo de la cadera son permitidos.

- Todos deben ser no menos de la mitad del muslo.

- No leggings, pantalones tipo spandex. No jeggings. No sweatpants (sudaderas) o yoga pants.

- Sin agujeros, rasgaduras o roturas.

ID deben ser usadas en un cordón y estar en buenas condiciones en todo momento, mientras estén en la escuela. (Las IDs deben estar limpias sin marcas o etiquetas adhesivas sobre los mismos en todo momento durante horas escolares. El costo de reemplazar la identificación es \$5.00 y un cordón nuevo es \$1.00. Si el ID no se usa, por cualquier motivo, o si se encuentra con el ID de otra persona, esto será documentado y las acciones disciplinarias se llevará a cabo de acuerdo con el código de conducta.)

Algunos ejemplos del vestuario no apropiado incluyen: vestidos extremadamente cortos, rodillos o rulos en el pelo, ropa transparente, vestidos sin espalda, piel expuesta de la cintura, estomago, o pecho, la cabeza cubierta, blusas muy escotada, camisa/blusas sin mangas, camiseta tank-top, pantalones cortos extremadamente cortos, ropa interior expuesta, pantalón de yoga, pantalón de leggings o jeggings, palabras, símbolos o gráficos que violan la decencia común promueven alcohol, tabaco, drogas o afiliación con pancillas impresas o a la ropa o algo que interrumpe el ambiente de aprendizaje

Ademas

- No artículos electrónicos en la clase en cualquier momento. (A menos que sea parte de la clase, con permiso del maestro.)

- Carteras no debe ser más grande que 8 1/2 " x 11 " de tamaño.

- El tamaño y la forma de la mochila de un estudiante deben permitir el almacenamiento debajo del escritorio del estudiante.

- Telefonos celulares deben permanecer apagados y fuera de la vista en todo momento. Según los estatutos de la Florida. (A menos que sea parte de la clase, con permiso del maestro.)

- Sombreros o cubrimientos en la cabeza no se podrá usar en cualquier momento.

- Los abrigos/chaquetas no pueden ser utilizados para ocultar violaciones del código de vestuario.

Cualquier cosa que no se haya mencionado arriba será permitida. La administración se reserva el derecho de hacer cambios en el código de vestuario si las circunstancias lo exigen.



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Williams receives award

On June 27 U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliaryist Eli Santiago (left) presents Mary Jo Williams Deputy City Clerk LaBelle with a Certificate of Appreciation for getting the National Safe Boating Week Proclamation done. June 23 marked the 75th anniversary of Congress creating the Auxiliary which was originally called the Coast Guard Reserve to assist in promoting boating safety, among other things.

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School Briefs

UES: Let's Get Acquainted

Uptegrove Elementary will be having a "Get-acquainted" Open House from 8:00 to 9:30 a.m. on Friday, August 15, 2014.

UES spaghetti dinner

Uptegrove Elementary will be having an Open House with Rotary Club Spaghetti Dinner on Thursday, September 18, 2014. The spaghetti dinner will start at 5:00 p.m.. The Open House will be 5:30-7:00 p.m.

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Touring Europe

Thalia Esquivel, Hannah Andrews, Samuel Maciel, Wesley Huffman, and Brittany Morrison from LaBelle High School recently went to Europe. They are standing in front of the Arc de Triomphe in Paris, France. While there they visited London, U.K.; Paris, France; Lucerne, Switzerland; Florence, Italy; Vatican City; Rome, Italy; Sorrento, Italy; and Capri, Italy. They traveled with EF Tours. The kids worked very hard in order to go holding fundraisers for two years prior to their trip. The tour was led by Nan Akin and three other adults - Norma Maciel, Martha Cerda and Martha Carranza. In London they were there to help celebrate Queen Elizabeth II's birthday. They enjoyed watching the World Cup games in Europe, and walked 5 to 10 miles everyday plus ate really well, Traveling and experiencing new cultures is truly the best way to learn. This was the trip of a lifetime!



Hendry Regional Receives QHR 2014 Excellence in Leadership Award for "Top Overall Supply Chain Performance"

Quorum Health Resources (QHR) announced the winners of the 2014 Excellence in Leadership awards at its Annual Leadership Conference on June 4, 2014 in Nashville, Tenn. QHR client hospital, Hendry Regional Medical Center, received the award for Top Overall Supply Chain Performance.

R. D. Williams, CEO of Hendry Regional Medical Center, was honored to receive this distinguished award. "We could not have done it without the cooperation and efforts of our employees," said Mr. Williams. "I thank all of our staff for their role in this major achievement and give additional credit to Gail Wiseman, Director of Materials Management, for overseeing our organization's supply chain."

"For the second consecutive year, Hendry Regional Medical Center demonstrated a collaborative effort throughout the organization to obtain buy-in for the most effective plan for supply cost savings," said QHR President and CEO, James L. Horrar.

Pictured left to right:
Robert Vento (QHR Senior Vice President of Operations),
John Beltz (HRMC CFO), R.D. Williams (HRMC CEO),
and James Horrar (QHR President and CEO)



"Maintaining high performance is no easy feat in today's difficult healthcare environment.

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- James L. Horrar,
QHR President and CEO



FIZZ! BANG! BOOM! READ! at Barron Library

This event was sponsored by Kiwanis of LaBelle

Welcome to Africa and the Moringa Tree. Did you know that the leaves from the Moringa tree have 3 X more Potassium than bananas, 2 X more Protein than milk, 4 X more Calcium than milk, 7 X more Vitamin C than oranges, and 4 X more Vitamin A than carrots. No wonder it is referred to as the 'miracle tree'.

The Moringa Tree and its many benefits was the subject of Tuesday mornings kid's program at Barron Library. Ellen Hargraves, representative for ECHO, is very familiar with the Moringa Tree from years of working in Kenya, Africa. The children were all encouraged to sample (eat) a leaf from the Moringa Tree as they learned many of the health benefits it offers. They each created a bookmark with Moringa seeds to take home with them.

Barron Library's 'Young Scientists' made Milk Plastic then created different shapes that were left to dry. They will paint their projects next Wednesday. The process of turning eggs to rubber was started and the kids are excited to see the results next week. These projects were also taken to Zac's Friendship House on Thursday.

On Monday, June 30, the first of two photography classes for high school students were held. After the two class session the participants were encouraged to take photos around LaBelle, and select their favorite to display at the library, where a panel of



Submitted photo

The library staff with Ellen Hargraves (center) dressed in African clothing.

Barron Library encourages all children to read throughout the summer so they will be on target when the new school years begins. A new bicycle will be awarded both to the boy and the girl who read the most books. In case of a tie, the winners will be selected through a random drawing. Make sure your children are reading and keeping track of each book. Forms are available at the library and should be turned in no later than August 4 so the winner can be selected.

Fifty Fun Family Finds, is now on day 14, with a fun activity suggested for the whole family. Be sure to pick up your activity list at the library and start playing now and you may be the winner of an overnight stay at Fisheating Creek Outpost, and admission tickets to the 'Hatching Festival' at Gatorama. The daily activity is posted on Barron Library's facebook page as well.

The library wishes to thank the Kiwanis Club of LaBelle for making all of these summer activities possible through their generous donation.

Be involved with your local library this summer by taking part in all the activities offered.

judges will determine a winner.

July 22

Computer Science –
CPR Tools

July 29

Science of Aerodynamics
– Toe Timm

August 5

Healthy Lifestyle Food
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Health Department

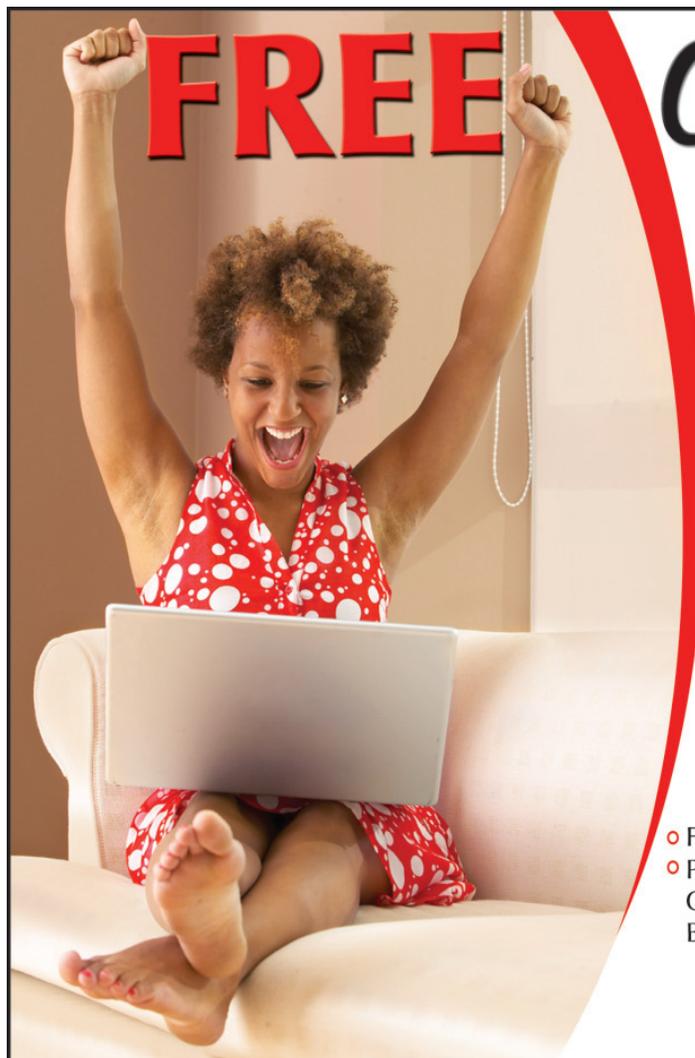
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July 8

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July 15

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Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
21	2010	1034328-010000G0230	Winder VI LLC

Lot 23 Block G, FORT DENAUD ACRES, UNIT 2, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, Pages 68 thru 70, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday** in the month of **July, 2014**, which is the **24th day of July, 2014**.

Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

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 Clerk of Circuit Court
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5417	2011	4104329-HP100060310	Francisco J & Nora Elia Garza

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Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the First Thursday** in the month of **August, 2014**, which is the **7th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466022 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **TC Tampa I, LLC, PNC C/O TC Tampa I, LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
5415	2011	4104329-HP100060250	Guillermo A Rivera & Maria Escobedo

Lot 25, Block 6, PORT LABELLE HOLIDAY PARK, UNIT 1, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, Page 3, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the First Thursday** in the month of **August, 2014**, which is the **7th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466038 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **US Bank as C/F FL Dundee Lien Inv LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1328	2011	1294332-A0000100000	Pahoee Environmental Center Inc

The East one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 29, Township 43 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-43-29-A00-0010.0000
 Property Address: 13515 Dancy Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday** in the month of **July, 2014**, which is the **24th day of July, 2014**.

Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

465875 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

Public Notice

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **TC Tampa I, LLC, PNC C/O TC Tampa I, LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3156	2011	1234334-05000000260	Ranulfo & Maricela Martinez

Lot 26, Tower Lake Estates, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 6, Page 143 and 144, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday** in the month of **July, 2014**, which is the **24th day of July, 2014**.

Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

465870 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **County of Hendry** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1400	2011	1134432-A0001020100	Estrella Gutierrez + Victor Gutierrez M.D.

The North one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 13, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 3662, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday** in the month of **July, 2014**, which is the **24th day of July, 2014**.

Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

465866 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **County of Hendry** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1432	2011	1134432-A0001650100	Raul Roa

The North one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 13, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 2989 in MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday** in the month of **July, 2014**, which is the **24th day of July, 2014**.

Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

465868 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **G. Flash G.P. Inc.** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
4259	2010	4104329-05021850140	Leandro E Toledo

Lot 14, Block 2185, of Port LaBelle Unit 5, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 159, Page 23, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 4-29-43-10-050-2185-014.0
 Property Address: 4536 Springview Circle, Port LaBelle, FL 33935

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the First Thursday** in the month of **August, 2014**, which is the **7th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466029 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

Public Notice

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **US Bank as C/F FL Dundee Lien Inv LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
165	2010	1064428-A000750000	Denton II LLC

The Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 6, Township 44 South, Range 28 East, Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday** in the month of **July, 2014**, which is the **24th day of July, 2014**.

Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

465865 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **TC Tampa I, LLC, PNC C/O TC Tampa I, LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3258	2011	2014329-010007D070	Rose E Nieves

The South one-half of Lot 16 and all of Lot 17, Block D, LABELLE TERRACE, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 34, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the First Thursday** in the month of **August, 2014**, which is the **7th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466034 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **TC Tampa I, LLC, PNC C/O TC Tampa I, LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3563	2011	3014334-01004310020	Waynette J Harris

Lot 7 and the East one-half of Lot 8, Block 431, of the GENERAL PLAN OF CLEWISTON, FLORIDA, as revised September 7, 1937, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 2, Pages 71-78, inclusive, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the First Thursday** in the month of **August, 2014**, which is the **7th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466036 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **G. Flash G.P. Inc.** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3401	2010	2014329-0100108D090	Winder VI LLC

Lots 32,33,34, and 35, Block D, Palm Heights Subdivision, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 5, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 2-29-43-01-010-0108-D09.0
 Property Address: Clark Street, LaBelle, FL 33935

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the First Thursday** in the month of **August, 2014**, which is the **7th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466027 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **US Bank as C/F FL Dundee Lien Inv LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
329	2010	1304428-A0001740000	Oscar Alberto Ruiz Olmeda

The Southwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 30, Township 44 South, Range 28 East in Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday** in the month of **July, 2014**, which is the **24th day of July, 2014**.

Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

465872 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **TC Tampa I, LLC, PNC C/O TC Tampa I, LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3117	2011	1214334-040000E0080	Riley B Lewis

Lot 8, Block E, of HARLEM ADDITION NO. 8, a subdivision of the City of Clewiston, Florida, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 6, Pages 136 and 137, of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

465869 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **US Bank as C/F FL Dundee Lien Inv LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1291	2011	1364331-010000L0030	Martha J Eliassen

Lot 3, Block I, of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 36, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-31-43-36-010-000L.003.0
 Property Address: xxx, Clewiston, FL 33440

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

465874 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **County of Hendry** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1383	2011	1134432-A0000560000	Lucky Path LLC

The South one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 13, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. SUBJECT to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. ALSO known as Lot No. 5595, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday** in the month of **July, 2014**, which is the **24th day of July, 2014**.

Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

465864 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

Public Notice

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **G. Flash G.P. Inc.**, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
4260	2010	4104329-05021850290	Denton II LLC

Lot 29, Block 2185, of Port LaBelle Unit 5, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 159, Page 23, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 4-29-43-10-050-2185-029.0
 Property Address: 4522 Springview Circle, Port LaBelle, FL 33935

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the First Thursday** in the month of **August, 2014**, which is the **7th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466030 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **G. Flash G.P. Inc.**, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3399	2010	2014329-01001080050	Verona A LLC

Lots 10, 11, 12 and 13, Block 108 PALM HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION, Section D, according to the Plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 5, of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 2-29-43-01-010-0108-005.0
 Property Address: Forrey Drive, LaBelle, FL 33935

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466024 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **G. Flash G.P. Inc.**, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3213	2010	1214334-03000010090	Kenneth Gainsou

Lot 9, Block 1 of Harlem Addition No. 7, according to the plat recorded in Plat Book 4, Pages 80-81, of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

TOGETHER WITH a 1986 SUNSTATE single-wide mobile home having Identification No. SSMFLAD113520, Title No. 43793392 and RP Decal No. 20067426, which is permanently affixed to real property.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-34-43-21-030-0001.009.0
 Property Address: 813 Maryland Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466023 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **US Bank as C/F FL Dundee Lien Inv LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1637	2011	1154432-A0001200100	Francisco & Ida L Camejo

The East one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 15, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the South 40 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot 3140, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.)

TOGETHER WITH a 1991 HARBEN INC double-wide Mobile Home having Identification Nos. GAF1M35A04373HS & GAF1M35B04373HS, Title Nos. 61554534 & 60349075, and RP Decal Nos. 0396960 & 0396961, which is permanently affixed to real property. (Lienholder: Green Tree Acceptance, Inc.)
 Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-44-15-A00-0120.010
 Property Address: 133 Bald Cypress Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the First Thursday** in the month of **August, 2014**, which is the **7th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466031 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **G. Flash G.P. Inc.**, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3400	2010	2014329-01001080080	Tarpon IV LLC

Lots 29, 30 and 31, Block 108 Palm Heights Subdivision, Section "D", according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 5, of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 2-29-43-01-010-0108-008.0
 Property Address: xx Clark Street, LaBelle, FL 33935

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466026 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:

Sylvia Santiago 6828 El Toro St. Apt 100 LaBelle, FL 33935
 Michael K. Culver Jr. 700 Harlem Tenant Cir. 405 Clewiston, FL 33440
 Jackeline R. Baez Santos 325 Lindero St. Clewiston, FL 33440
 Dimity L. Pearson 710 Florida Ave. Clewiston, FL 33440

You are hereby notified that your eligibility to vote is in question. You are required to contact the Supervisor of Elections, in Hendry County, Florida, no later than thirty (30) days after the date of this published notice to receive the information regarding the basis for your potential ineligibility and the procedure to resolve this matter. Failure to respond may result in a determination of ineligibility by the Supervisor, and your name will be removed from the statewide voter registration system. Call 863-675-5230 or 863-983-1592.

El Aviso se da por Este Medio:

Este aviso es para usted que su elegibilidad de votar esta en cuestion. Usted tiene que comunicarse con el Supervisor de Elecciones, del condado de Hendry, Florida, antes de 30 dias despues de la fecha de este anuncio publicado para recibir la informacion al respecto de su inelegibilidad potencial y procedimiento de resolver este caso. Si no responde, puede dar lugar a una determinacion dela inelegibilidad por el Supervisor, y su nombre sera quitado del sistema estatal del registro de votantes. telefono 863-675-5230 or 863-983-1592.

Brenda K. Hoots
Supervisor of Elections
PO Box 174
LaBelle, FL 33975
Hendry County, Florida
F.S. 98.075
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **US Bank as C/F FL Dundee Lien Inv LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1345	2011	1324332-A0000730000	Steven C Dettmar Est

The North one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 32, Township 43 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida.

TOGETHER WITH a 1980 MANA single-wide Mobile Home having Identification No. F060710D5460, Title No. 19003542, and RP Decal No. R053895, which is permanently affixed to real property. (Mobile Home Title is in the name of Natalie Agness Dettmar. Lien Holder: Alliance Funding.)

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-43-32-A00-0073.0000
 Property Address: 4506 Everhigh Acres Road, Clewiston, FL 33440

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday** in the month of **July, 2014**, which is the **24th day of July, 2014**.

Dated this **11th** day of **June, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

465877 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
669	2009	1264329-02000003071	Robert & Belinda S Facundo

The East one-half of Tract 37, LaBelle Acres, unrecorded, being more particularly described as follows: The East one-half of the West one-half of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter in Section 27, Township 43 South, Range 29 East, Hendry County, Florida, LESS the South 25 feet thereof for road right-of-way.

TOGETHER WITH a 1988 OAKS double-wide mobile home having Identification Nos. 32620479AX & 32620479BX, Title Nos. 50878218 & 50878219 and RP Decal Nos. 0586137 & 0586138, which is permanently affixed to real property. (Lien Holders: Clewiston National Bank and K & S Enterprises of LaBelle, Inc.)

Parcel Identification Number: 1-29-43-26-020-0000-037.1
 Property Address: 1400 Case Road, LaBelle, FL 33935

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Dated this **25th** day of **June, 2014**.

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466028 CN 7/3,10,17,24/2014

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1410	2011	1134432-A0001180100	Leslie & Angela Dunkley

The East one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 13, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the South 40 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 3652, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1178	2011	1284331-A0000990000	Hope Marion E Larmond

Lot 420 of Section 28, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, in Hendry County, Florida, the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof, also subject to an easement of a canal of the North 30.00 feet thereof. (Also known as Pioneer Plantation, an unrecorded subdivision.)

Parcel Identification Number: 1-31-43-28-A00-0099.0000
 Property Address: 2300 Naples Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1941	2011	1244432-A0000800000	Javier Quendo + Augustina G Spina + Larry Quendo

The North one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 24, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot 5414, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.)

TOGETHER WITH a 1982 LIBERTY single-wide Mobile Home having Identification No. 10L14815, Title No. 21391597, and RP Decal No. 12105741, which is permanently affixed to real property.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-44-24-A00-0008.0000
 Property Address: 460 N. Zambria Street, Clewiston, FL 33440

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1505	2011	1144432-A0000670000	Anany & Agripina Kojin

The East one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 14, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof and also the South 40 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot 3558, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.)

TOGETHER WITH a 1995 ANNIVERSARY double-wide Mobile Home having Identification Nos. 10L24383U & 10L24383X, Title Nos. 69267241 & 69267242, and RP Decal No. R0638724 & R0638725, which is permanently affixed to real property.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-44-14-A00-0067.0000
 Property Address: 469 Bald Cypress Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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465876 CN 6/19,26;7/3,10/2014

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **TC Tampa I, LLC, PNC C/O TC Tampa I, LLC** the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
4227	2011	4104329-04021690020	HEMC Asset Management

Lot 2, Block 2169, PORT LABELLE UNIT 4, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Pages 86 thru 102, inclusive, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

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Time to clean out the attic, basement and/or garage? Advertise your yard sale in the classifies and make your clean up a breeze!

Community Briefs

Zumba event coming to LaBelle

Plan on getting a good workout on July 7 at Barron Park from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m. as the Larry Lawrence Work Out Show brings Zumba to LaBelle. There will be refreshments and a bounce house for kids 4 and under. All profits from this even will go to Zac's Friendship House.

Join the Girl Scouts at one of these fun events

Would you like for your daughter(s) to join the Girl Scouts this upcoming year! They will be hosting a few summer recruitment events and hope to see them there!

Have your first fun Girl Scout experience at a pool party on July 11th from 3-4 p.m. at Port LaBelle Inn. Registration is only \$15 for the 2014-2015 year. After registering, your daughter can enjoy some pool time with her new troop friends from 4-6 p.m. Flora Zimmerly will be lifeguarding. Don't forget sunscreen and towel!

The Girl Scouts will be going to the movies! Visit them at Barron Library to sign up your daughter(s) starting at 7:15 p.m. While you're there enjoy the Disney Princess movie, Enchanted, starting at 8:15 p.m. on August 1. Enjoy popcorn and refreshments while you get to know your new troop friends. Please bring a chair or blanket to this event.

For more information on joining or becoming a volunteer, please contact Jennifer Welch at 941-302-0005 or jeniferw@gsgcf.org.

Home Based Business Getting Started

The Hendry County Library system is providing you an opportunity to get the essentials of starting and operating a home based business. The program provides information you will need to consider and includes naming your business, licensing, resources, accounting, bookkeeping, taxes and more. Get the facts and then get started.

Choose from three options on time and location: Clewiston Library at 5:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. on July 16, 17, & 18; Barron Library at 9:00 a.m. to Noon, July 23, 24, & 25; Harlem Library at 4:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. on July 29, 30 and 31.

Upon course completion you will receive financial assistance for your local business license. This program is being provided at no charge to you through a grant from Southwest Florida Community Foundation. Janice Groves will facilitate the classes. Call your favorite Hendry County library (Clewiston 863-983-1493, LaBelle 863-675-0833 or Harlem 863-902-3322) for more information and registration.

Mini Health Fairs in July

Ace Homecare (Ace HH License #299991018) and Oakbrook of LaBelle would like to announce their Mini Health Fairs for July.

These health fairs are Free and open to the Public. They will be doing free Blood Pressure, Weight, Pulse and Oxygen checks.

Mini Health Fair: LaBelle Commons- Friday July 25, 2014 at 10:00 am. 284 Bryan Ave., LaBelle.

Mini Health Fair: Clewiston Senior Center, Monday July 7, 2014 at 11:30 a.m. Next to the John Boy Auditorium, Clewiston.

Mini Health Fair: Hope Connections LaBelle-Friday July 25 2014 11:00 a.m., Cowboy Way LaBelle.

Mini Health Fair: Hope Connections Moore Haven, Wednesday July 9, 2014 at 11:0 a.m. 691 US 27 NW Moore Haven.

For more information call the Outreach program at 863-233-1305

Movie fest

Enjoy the free movie fest at the Assembly of God on Fraser Street across from Uptowngrove Elementary School.

July 7: The Nut Job, 9:30 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.

July 14: Monsters University, 9:30 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.

VFW pork steak dinner

Remember Charcoal Broiled Burgers every Saturday from 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. and Bingo every Sunday at 2:00.

Soil conservation

The Hendry Soil and Water Conservation District will hold its regularly scheduled board meeting on July 24 at 1 p.m. in the large conference room of the Dallas B. Townsend Ag Building. Meetings are open to the public.

Become a bus driver

Hendry County School District is recruiting substitute bus drivers. Training classes will be held July 28-August 7, 2014 (8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.) at the LaBelle Bus Compound, 4040 Cowboy Way, LaBelle.

Applicants are required to have their CDL driving permit before the first day of class.

Anyone interested please contact the LaBelle Transportation Dept. at 863-674-4115 or the Clewiston Transportation Dept. at 863-983-1516 to register by July 18, 2014.

Fallen Heroes Benefit

American Legion Post 130, DAV Chapter 144, VFW Post 10100 and the LaBelle Moose Lodge are planning the annual Fallen Heroes Benefit for Saturday, July 26. The annual event begins with a brick laying ceremony at the Veteran's Park, placing bricks in honor of local veterans, then, come to the Legion Post, for a pork dinner with all the fixin's, music and more beginning at 11 a.m. Just \$10. Free delivery in town. All proceeds go toward building and maintaining the LaBelle Veterans Memorial Park, at the corner of SR 80 and SR 29.

Help Woman's Club help

The LaBelle Woman's Club is asking for monetary donations for the Days for Girls Project to finish up the supplies needed for the remaining kits. The club still needs donations of 100 percent cotton material. There is someone at the club house every Tuesday from 9-11:30 a.m.

Donate to Salvation Army

Help the Salvation Army provide for those in need by donating cans of meat or soup. Please drop them by 133 N. Bridge Street.

NAMI support

National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) meets Fridays, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at the United Way House, 133 N. Bridge St. NAMI Connection is a free, confidential and safe support group for individuals living with mental health challenges.

Meetings are for 90 minutes, open to any adult 18 or older living with a mental illness. Trained peer facilitators living in recovery teach the sessions.

Horse found

Horse found at Montura. Call Hendry County Sheriff's Office Ag Unit at 863-674-5600 or 863-805-5000.

DAV flea market

Come out every Saturday to the Disabled American Veterans flea market, off Martin Luther King Blvd. Lots of deals - lots of items - lots of fun! Call 239-728-5332.

Take a Florida Forest Break

If you are searching for an affordable day or weekend trip in Florida, then look no further than your Florida State Forest. There are currently 35 Florida State Forests with 1,058,000 acres of designated trails for hiking, biking, horseback riding and off high-way vehicle riding. Annual passes are now available; the annual day use entrance pass costs thirty dollars (\$30) and is valid for one year of unlimited visits. The annual pass allows the driver and up to seven passengers entry into any Florida State Forest where a fee is routinely required. Entrance Fee for designated areas is \$2.00 per person, children under 6 admitted free.

For over 75 years, Florida Forest Service has been preserving large parcels of land for recreation and the state's future natural resource needs. These hidden treasures along Florida provide a break from the hectic city life and allow you to relax in "old Florida" style. Florida State Forest trails serve as outdoor classrooms for people of all ages to explore and learn.

Come to yoga

Come to yoga at Maple Corner Clubhouse Monday-Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. Call Sharyn at 609-707-0940 for a reservation.

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COES teacher competes

Melissa Kelly, a Physical Education teacher at Country Oaks Elementary School, competed in the Thunderdome CrossFit competition that was held at Germain Arena from June 21 - 22. The event brought over 350 athletes from southwest Florida, Orlando, Miami, Tampa and even New York. Kelly competed in the Individual Women's Scaled category with 70 participants. Out of those 70, she came in first. The event entailed five grueling workouts, three on Saturday and two on Sunday. If you were in the top seven of your category, you participated in a sixth workout or WOD (Workout of the Day) as used in CrossFit terminology. The workouts required weightlifting, cardio exercises and body weight movements such as handstand pushups and burpees. Melissa represented her Fort Myers based gym, CrossFit239. Pictured are one of the judges Brian Wasser and Melissa Kelly.

Riverside Retreat request

Riverside Retreat has a need! The camp nurse for the summer has had to drop out! They need an RN, LPN or even an EMT to serve as camp nurse for one or both of the weeks - July 6-12 and 13-19. They would love to have volunteers, but will also provide a stipend or a full scholarship each week for the camper of your choice. The camp nurse will live onsite and dine with campers and staff. Their responsibilities will include dispensing medications, dealing with minor injuries and challenges and making decisions about when it is necessary to take persons to the ER (rare but has happened). Please contact Martha Pierce or Chelsey Hernandez if you are interested. It's last minute but they really need the help!

Old magazines needed. Some of the crafts for the summer ask for magazines and such so the campers can cut words and photos out. Contact Martha Pierce if you can help at 863-675-0334 or e-mail mpierce@umriversideretreat.org

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\$189,900 - Vacant 2 ac. on SR 80, west of town
\$199,000 - Commercial/Industrial Bldg on S. Bridge St. Over 4,000 sq. ft. Can be divided.
\$299,000 - 1.75 Ac. with show-room, workshop, storage units and professional office building. Located North of LaBelle on SR 29.
\$800/Month - Metal building for rent. Call for more information.

WATERFRONT
\$139,000 - Over 1 ac. on the river, Ft. Denaud Rd.
\$238,900 - 3/2 pool home with extraordinary river views.

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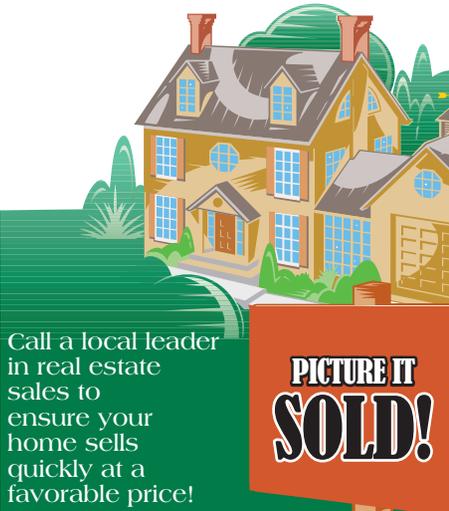
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8.46 ACRES OF I-2 (Heavy Industrial) zoned property in the city limits of La Belle. Unlimited potential with the size and zoning of this parcel. Completely fenced and concreted on the front 3/4 of the property. Small office up front and a handful of smaller storage buildings behind the office. Currently being used as a salvage yard **\$325,000**

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK!

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MICROWAVE PEANUT BRITTLE

INGREDIENTS

- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup raw peanuts
- 1/2 cup white syrup
- 1 tbsp butter
- 1 tsp vanilla

- 1 tsp baking soda

DIRECTIONS

Mix the first 3 ingredients in a pan suitable for microwave ovens. Cook for 4 1/2 minutes. Stir with a wooden spoon. Cook 3 1/2 minutes, then stir. Add butter and vanilla. Cook for 2 minutes and add baking soda, mixing well. Pour foaming mixture on greased cookie sheet. Let cool and break into small pieces. Store in container with tight-fitting lid.

Note: Be careful when cooking sugar-based in-

gredients in the microwave. Items become hot quickly. It is important to use a wooden spoon for stirring, since a metal spoon would become hot. The pan should have a handle for holding while stirring.

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What tree is that?

Tree Identification Book from the Arbor Day Foundation Helps People Identify Tree Species in Florida

The Arbor Day Foundation has a book that helps people identify trees in a simple, step-by-step process. The book, *What Tree Is That?*, is available for a \$5 donation to the nonprofit tree-planting organization.

What Tree Is That? is a fun, easy-to-use tree identification guide that features hand-drawn botanical illustrations highlighting the distinctive characteristics of many tree species.

Nature lovers and professional arborists alike have called this pocket field guide a must-have user-friendly resource. Its beautiful, full-color illustrations are in precise detail and depict natural colors, shapes and textures, so users can make a positive species identification in just a few easy steps.

The Arbor Day Foundation offers this book to help people identify trees in Florida and throughout the Eastern and Central regions of the United States. *What Tree Is That?* uses a unique step-by-step approach for identifying the species of each tree, explaining what to look for in the shape of the leaves, differences in the leaf stems and twig structures, and specific characteristics of fruits, flowers, buds and bark.

"Our *What Tree Is That?* Pocket guide is an ideal resource for developing a greater appreciation for trees," said John Rosenow, founder and chief executive of the Arbor Day Foundation. "The Arbor Day Foundation strives to help people enjoy and appreciate trees, and we feel our pocket field guide will do just that."

What Tree Is That? is also available as an online interactive version at arborday.org.

To obtain a tree identification guide in full color, send your name, address and \$5 for each guide to *What Tree Is That?*, Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, NE 68410. You can also order the book online at arborday.org.

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Dunkin Donuts debuts in LaBelle

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The LaBelle franchise opened for business Friday, June 27. From sandwich makers to finishers (who complete the signature donuts and bagels), Dunkin Donut's 30 new employees spent over a week in training before a customer ever came through the door. Each employee is instructed in the company standards, timing for donuts, ringing up customers and problem solving - the customer always comes first!

Store Manger Dawn Steedley said all the store's varieties of donuts are big sellers, but glazed, chocolate frosted and Boston cream are the stars. Complete your meal with any of Dunkin Donuts' varieties of sandwiches.

Dunkin Donuts' own blend of coffee brings customers back time and again. The brand is also available in grocery stores, but not exactly the same as at the original Dunkin Donuts shop, Ms. Steedley said. If you want the "real thing" you need to stop by the restaurant for a hot steamy cup. Specialty coffees, including swirl flavors are always very popular.

Dunkin Donuts entire menu is available all day so you can order your favorite breakfast sandwiches and PM sandwiches any time of the day or night.

Dunkin Donuts is preferred by many coffee lovers because of its family orientation and competitive pricing.

The restaurant seats 38 and is wi-fi available.



Caloosa Belle/Patty Brant

Dunkin Donuts Manger in training Sandra Luna pours a big bold cup of the restaurant's famous brew.

The franchise owner has stores in LaBelle, Clewiston, Immokalee, the Naples area and will soon add one in Lake Placid, for a total of 21 stores by 2015. The franchise is making its way inland from the West Coast.

Located at the LaBelle Plaza at SR 80 and Lee Street, Dunkin Donuts opens at 5

a.m. Monday through Saturday; Sunday 6 a.m. and closes 10 p.m. (That could change, though, once they know what the customers want.)

Don't forget about catering and preordering; credit or cash, said Store Manager Dawn Steedley.

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REGISTER TO VOTE: For the August 26, 2014, Primary Election at the Supervisor of Elections Office, LaBelle Courthouse, the Clewiston Office, any Drivers License Office, Public Assistance Office and all Public Libraries. The Voter Registration Books close on Monday, July 28, 2014 at 5:00 p.m.

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