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## 'Don't take our way of living away from us'

### Milton City Council moves forward with alcohol district, will hold public hearing

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MILTON — The City Council approved March 13 to move forward with the

Alcoholic Beverage Overlay District and hold a public hearing next month.

The Milton Planning board met March 1 and recommended adopting the overlay district as an extended area of alcohol sales and on-premise consumption in the RC1 and DCM zoning district. Councilman Jeff Snow motioned to approve the item, and



**Lowery**  
Councilman Alan Lowery seconded.



“What this does — it’s not going to approve an ordinance — it will just put into

motion a process in order to get the overlay district approved which would start with a public hearing,” City Manager Brian Watkins said.

The public hearing will take place April 10. Two public hearings are required to pass an ordinance.

“If Mayor Meiss had been here tonight, I was going to read to him from the city

charter that gives him the power, after you pass an ordinance — which is basically what you’re attempting to do with this overlay — to veto it,” Milton resident Mary Golden said.

Golden was going to personally ask the mayor to veto what he knows is not right,

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Santa Rosa County courthouse [FILE PHOTO]

## County to begin search for courthouse design-build team

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MILTON — The Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners approved March 15 to move forward with a timeline of events for hiring a design-build team to start work on the courthouse project.

At February’s planning workshop, the board agreed to move forward with the courthouse project via a design-build project delivery, according to County Administrator Dan Schebler.

According to a memo from Schebler, the county will select a design-builder using price and non-price



**Schebler**

qualifications. In this specific type of project, the design-builder is responsible for managing the details of the design and construction. The design-builder also accepts risks for designing and constructing the project in accordance with the owner’s criteria.

The county staff recommended the advertisement of a request for qualifications for a design-build team to take on the courthouse project, based solely on qualifications.

County staff put together a

timeline for finding a design-build team, which includes:

- Publishing an RFQ by March 30
- Allowing a 6-week response period for proposals, ending May 11
- Having the Evaluation Committee review and short list the proposals by June 8
- Presenting the short list to the BOCC for approval June 11
- Holding a special meeting for presentation and selection June 19
- Negotiating and finalizing a contract by July 26
- Submitting a notice to proceed for the courthouse design by August 1

The board voted to move forward with the plan and submit an RFQ.

## City approves \$20K for Main Street Milton program

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MILTON — The Milton Council approved \$20,000 of CRA contingency funds to go to the Main Street Milton program to hire an executive director at the March 13 Community Redevelopment Agency and City Council meetings.

According to Watkins, everything the city has received from MSM members has been compiled into a draft agreement he sent to the council over the weekend and should answer any questions they may have.

City Attorney Heather Lindsay presented a recommendation to not fund the MSM program.

“My recommendation is that we make sure that they have shown compliance with federal and state law before municipal funds are dedicated to Main Street Milton,” Lindsay said.

“We’ve been waiting 30 days from the Committee of the Whole knowing we’re going in this direction and staff has not even personally... reached out to Main Street?” Snow asked. “To me, that means you reach out to them, ask, try to work it out.”

Lindsay questioned how the city was to know if Cassandra Sharp was the authorized representative for the organization. Snow suggested calling MSM. Lindsay said it wasn’t



**Watkins**



**Lindsay**



**Snow**



**Holley**

enough to hear confirmation over the phone. There are certain documents that need to be provided.

“If you... actually contact them back or respond... then you might could get some of the answers and... all of this might have been resolved by now instead of us having to wait another month for this to go through,” Snow said.

Lindsay said she wasn’t asked to give her opinion, but when her firm realized the council made motions to use the Garden Club building and have two employees funded by the city, her father suggested providing some advice to the council.

Councilwoman Sharon Holley expressed concerns about spending tax-payer money on the program and leasing the building to both the Garden Club and MSM

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## Transportation services for veterans to end

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MILTON — Transportation services provided by the non-profit group Santa Rosa Vets to VA Clinics will be discontinued at the end of March.

For the past five years Santa Rosa Vets to VA Clinics has provided transportation for Santa Rosa County veterans to and from the Joint Ambulatory Care Center and the Veterans Affairs Clinic in Pensacola. The program will end March 31 due to lack of funds.



**Ward**

Shawn Ward, the transportation planner for Santa Rosa County, said the program was eliminated after the county’s Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund grant was cut by \$87,917. According to a press release from the county, the funding cut was due in part to the new distribution formula used by the state for Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund allocations. Direct costs to

Santa Rosa Vets to VA Clinics averaged \$2,000 to \$4,000 monthly, so it could no longer afford to operate.

“It was a trickle-down effect,” Ward said.

The Vets to VA Clinics provided free rides twice a week to some 90 registered veterans. It originally was funded by an Elk’s Lodge grant before it became a 501(c)(3) nonprofit.

“Veterans either had to take a taxi cab — which cost about \$100 — to the clinic or they simply weren’t going,” Ward said.

The group made 395 trips totaling 15,297 miles last year.

Santa Rosa County does have a transportation system, but it is unlike Escambia County Area Transit or Emerald Coast Rider in that the county offers a door-to-door service. Residents must call to reserve a time, and the program stays booked out at least a month. Veterans will now compete for those rides, Ward said.

“We’ve had some calls from clients who were worried about their rides,” he added. Ward said there are other

options for veterans. One possibility is the local Disabled American Veterans shuttle bus, which takes veterans from Eglin Air Force Base to the VA Clinic in Pensacola three days a week.

“If they can add a stop in Santa Rosa county, veterans may have an easier time getting a ride to the stop,” Ward said.

Veterans needing transportation to the clinic are eligible for the Transportation Disadvantaged Program and should contact Santa Rosa Transportation at 850-626-6806.

# COMMUNITY

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

**MILTON** — Upcoming Santa Rosa County events and activities are as follows.

### UPCOMING

**SANTA ROSA DEMOCRATIC PARTY:** In honor of Women's History Month, the Santa Rosa Democratic Party hosts the Santa Rosa County Teacher of the Year as the guest speaker for its regular monthly meeting at 6 p.m. March 15 at 4966 Henry Street in Milton. All elected precinct members and interested parties may attend. For additional information, contact Chairperson Sarah Coutu at 375-2334, or Secretary Trish Hansen at 261-5662.

**SANTA ROSA COUNTY DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S CLUB:** 1:30 p.m. March 26 at Henderson Hall, St. Augustine Episcopal Church, 7810 Navarre parkway, Guest speakers to the monthly meeting will be Christian Wagley, with The Gulf Restoration Network speaking on local environmental concerns and Wei Ueberschaer, Santa Rosa County School Board candidate. Contact Margie Purkerson at 206-5884 or margie@bellsouth.net for more information.

**FLORIDA PANHANDLE PROGRESSIVES CANDIDATE MEET AND GREET:** 5 p.m. March 22 at the Tiger Point Park Community Center, 1370 Tiger Park lane in Gulf Breeze

**REPUBLICAN CLUB OF SANTA ROSA COUNTY:** 6:30 p.m. April 3 at the Club at Hidden Creek, 7030 PGA Blvd in Navarre, The club will meet for a dutch-treat dinner. The featured speaker will be William Goulet, chairman of the Holley Navarre Water Board.

### RECURRING

**GUY THOMPSON COMMUNITY CENTER:** The City of Milton's Senior Program holds basic ballroom dance classes 11 a.m. to noon every Monday at the Guy Thompson Community Center, 5629 Byrom St. This class will be a way to exercise, meet active people and learn the steps to several different dance styles. The cost of the class will be \$5 per session. Call Joe Paschal at 983-5466 or e-mail joe.paschal@ci.milton.fl.us to suggest an event or activity for the community center.

**TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY:** TOPS meets Tuesdays at 4709 Keyser Lane, Pace. Weigh in 8:30-9:45 a.m. Meet 10-11 a.m. Details: 983-0178.

**SANTA ROSA COUNTY WRITER'S GUILD:** 3:45-5:45 p.m. Tuesdays at the Guy Thompson Community Center, 5629 Byrom St. Milton Poet Laureate Marc Livanos' poetry night includes open mic, free-verse workshops, poetry contests with prizes, author events and refreshments.

**MILTON GARDEN CLUB MONTHLY MEETING AND PROGRAM:** 9:30-11:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of each month, September through May at the Milton Event Center, 5256 Alabama St.

March 13 is the "Life Cycle of the Dragonfly" presentation by Pam Murfey, Santa Rosa County Master Gardener. April 10 is "All About Herbs" presented by Ginny Hinton, Santa Rosa County Family and Consumer Services Agent. The Spring Luncheon will be in May, date to be announced.

**PACE AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE:** 7:30 a.m. March 21 at Grover T's BBQ, 5887 Highway 90. The cost of the breakfast is \$10. Call 994-9633 by March 20 to RSVP.

**CENTRAL SANTA ROSA REPUBLICAN CLUB:** 5:30 p.m. meal and 6:30 p.m. meeting first Thursdays at Grover T's Restaurant, Highway 90 in Pace. Visitors are welcome. Call 377-3976 between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. weekdays for more information.

**SANTA ROSA BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION:** 7 p.m. third Thursdays at the Bay Area

Vineyard Church, 5163 Dogwood Drive, Milton. Visitors are welcome. Details- Bill Blankenship, president, 232-6005, or Clarence Prater, vice president, 623-776-7018.

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT:** 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. second and fourth Fridays at the Navarre Library, 8484 James M. Harvell Road. All materials are provided; there's no charge to attend.

**GULF COAST CALLIGRAPHY GUILD:** 9:30 a.m. second Saturdays at the Courts of Praise Church on the corner of Johnson Avenue and Davis Highway, Pensacola. A presentation and practice follow each meeting. Details:- 995-7056.

**CONTINUING EDUCATION:** Need a few credits to earn your high school diploma? Santa Rosa Adult School offers adult high school completion through earned credits. Classes are provided evenings in Milton and Navarre. Tuition is \$30 per term. Call 983-5710 for details.

**FLORIDA TRAIL ASSOCIATION:** The Western Gate chapter's activities are free to participate in except as noted. See more details at www.meetup.com/ftawesterngate/

### PUBLIC MEETINGS

**SANTA ROSA MEETINGS:** The following meetings are held in the County Administrative Center boardroom, 6495 Caroline St., in Milton, unless otherwise indicated. The following Santa Rosa County offices will be closed Fri., March 30 in observance of Good Friday- Santa Rosa County Clerk of Court, Property Appraiser, Supervisor of Elections, Tax Collector and the County Board of Commissioners including the library system and animal shelter.

The Central Landfill will be open from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Santa Rosa County 9-1-1 dispatch, Lifeguard Ambulance Service and fire departments are open daily.

- **Zoning Board:** 6 p.m. March 8
- **Blackwater SWCD Regular Board:** 8 a.m. March 9, 4664 Kolb Road, Milton
- **Commission Committee:** 9 a.m. March 12
- **Fire Department Executive Group:** March 12, Cancelled
- **Building Code Board of Adjustments:** March 14, Cancelled
- **Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS) Special Meeting:** 10 a.m. March 14, Public Services Conference Room, 6051 Old Bagdad Highway
- **Commission Regular:** 9 a.m. March 15
- **Commission Special Rezoning Meeting:** 6 p.m. March 15
- **Bagdad Architectural Advisory Board:** 8:30 a.m. March 28, Public Services Conference Room, 6051 Old Bagdad Highway
- **Parks and Recreation:** 5:30 p.m. March 28

**MILTON MEETINGS:** The following meetings take place at Milton City Hall, 6738 Dixon St., unless otherwise indicated.

- **Riverfront Redevelopment Team:** 4 p.m. March 8 in City Hall Council Chambers
- **Historic Preservation Board:** 5:30 p.m. March 8 in City Hall Council Chambers
- **Community Redevelopment Agency:** 5:30 p.m. March 13 in City Hall Council Chambers, Details: 983-5411
- **Milton City council Regular Meeting:** 5:45 p.m. March 13 in City Hall Council Chambers, Details: 983-5411
- **Committee of the Whole:** 3 p.m. March 22, Milton City Hall Council Chambers
- **LEAP Committee:** 3:30 p.m. March 29 at Milton City Hall Conference Room A
- **Youth Council:** 4:30 p.m. March 29 at Milton City Hall Conference Room B

**Benevolent Cemetery Board:** 4 p.m. April 3, Conference room B of City Hall

## Grammy Award-winning songwriter to perform in Milton

By Press Gazette contributor

**MILTON** — John Paul White is an American singer-songwriter, and was a member of the Grammy Award-winning duo The Civil Wars. John Paul White has worked with such artists

as Emmylou Harris and Taylor Swift.

White restarted his career with the 2016 release of new album, "Beulah." John Paul White and his full band will be performing at The Imogene Theatre.

### Want to go?

**What:** John Paul White  
**When:** doors open at 7 p.m. for the March 24 show  
**Cost:** \$20 presale at www.theimogenetheatre.com, \$25 day of the show at the door

## Interstate 10 repairs coming

By Press Gazette contributor

**MILTON** — Drivers on Interstate 10 between the Escambia Bay Bridge and Avalon Boulevard will encounter alternating lane closures from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. March 18 and 19 as crews perform asphalt repair operations.

All activities are weather dependent and may be delayed or rescheduled in the event of inclement weather. Drivers should use caution, especially at night, when traveling through a work zone and watch for construction workers and equipment entering and exiting the roadway.

For more project information and the latest traffic advisories, visit [www.facebook.com/WidenI10NWFL](http://www.facebook.com/WidenI10NWFL). You may also follow the Florida Department of Transportation District Three on Twitter @myfdot\_nwfl or like us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/MyFDOTNWFL](http://www.facebook.com/MyFDOTNWFL).

## Students to vote on Pensacola Bay signs, benches

By Press Gazette contributor

**CHIPLEY** — Public high school students in Escambia and Santa Rosa counties will have the opportunity to vote on the mile-marker signage and benches for the Pensacola Bay Bridge replacement project. The Florida Department of Transportation has partnered with the Escambia

and Santa Rosa County School Districts to make electronic voting ballots available to each high school student in the two districts.

Escambia County Schools will vote from March 19 to 23 while Santa Rosa County Schools will vote from March 28 to 30.

The option for each item that receives the most votes

across both counties will be used on the new Pensacola Bay Bridge. The winner will be announced in April.

More information about the Pensacola Bay Bridge replacement project is available online at [www.PensacolaBayBridge.com](http://www.PensacolaBayBridge.com), [www.Facebook.com/MyPensacolaBayBridge](http://www.Facebook.com/MyPensacolaBayBridge) and [www.instagram.com/MyPensacolaBayBridge](http://www.instagram.com/MyPensacolaBayBridge).

## NHS senior receives West Point appointment

By Press Gazette contributor

**NAVARRE** — Navarre High School senior Xavier Allen, 18, has been selected for an appointment to the United

States Military Academy Prep School at West Point.

Allen's parents, Willie and Shuana Allen both served in the United States

Air Force. Their service to country motivated his desire to follow their example at a young age.

## BRIEFS

By Press Gazette staff

**MILTON** — Here's a look at upcoming events in Santa Rosa County and surrounding areas.

### Santa Rosa County 4-H sets quilting workshops

**MILTON** — Santa Rosa County 4-H will offer a "Past, Present & Future 4-H Quilting Class" workshop series for current, former or prospective 4-Hers as well as adults.

The series, in partnership with the Home & Community Educator volunteers, will teach the basics of quilting and prepare students for quilting projects. The cost is \$10 per class (\$40 total).

Here is the schedule:

- Jan. 13, 2018 (9 a.m. to 12 p.m.) — picking the pattern
  - Feb. 10, 2018 (9 a.m. to 12 p.m.) — cutting the quilt
  - March 10, 2018 (9 a.m. to 12 p.m.) — sewing it up
  - April 14, 2018 (9 a.m. to 12 p.m.) — putting it all together
- All classes are held at the Santa Rosa County Extension Office, 6263 Dogwood Drive in Milton.

For more information, contact Prudence Caskey or Jasmin Bradford at 623-3868.

### March Jazz Gumbo

**PENSACOLA** — The March Jazz Gumbo takes place from 6:30 to 9 p.m. March 19 at Phineas Phogg's, Seville Quarter, 130 E. Government St. in Pensacola. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and admission includes a cup of seafood gumbo.

The program will feature The Music of John Coltrane, featuring Rebecca Barry on saxophone, Gino Rosaria on keyboard, Josh Titford on bass, Jimmy Roebuck

on drums and Kevin Lee as narrator.

The cost of Jazz Gumbo, every third Monday of the month, is \$10 each for Jazz Pensacola members and guests, \$12 for non-members, free for students with ID and military in uniform. Also, join Jazz Pensacola at this event, and admission is free.

### Gulf Breeze Spring Festival

**GULF BREEZE** — The City of Gulf Breeze is hosting its first Spring Festival 2 p.m. March 24 at the Gulf Breeze Community Center, 800 Shoreline Drive. This is a free event.

The festival begins at 2 p.m. Activities will include laser tag, bounce houses, archery, animal exhibits, over 64 vendors and concessions. At 5 p.m. there will be free hamburgers and hotdogs.

There will also be live entertainment from Blue Levee, Emerald Gold and the feature band, Not Quite Fab Beatles Show. The grand finale at 8 p.m. is a fireworks show followed by the film "Guardians of the Galaxy" on a 25-foot outdoor movie screen.

Contact Kathy Wortham at 934-5140 for more information.

### Holley Navarre Seniors Center offers snowbird activities card

**NAVARRE** — The Holley Navarre Seniors Center is offering a Snowbird Activities Card for \$25. This will give snowbirds the same privileges, except voting as a full member, until March 31.

Free activities include bridge and other card games, exercise, Greek dancing, yoga, corn bowling, shuffleboard, Wii hole and Thursday game night. Bingo is available at \$1

per card and art class is \$6.

The center is located at 8476 Gordon Goodin Lane, east of Highway 87 across from the Navarre Library. The office is open 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday.

### University of Florida Spring Festival of Flowers

**MILTON** — The University of Florida, IFAS and the Pensacola State College Milton Campus will hold one of the largest festivals of the season.

The Spring Festival of Flowers will take place at 9 a.m. April 6 to 8 at the University of Florida, IFAS and the Pensacola State College Milton Campus located at 5988 Highway 90.

This festival features plant nurseries, UF student club plant sale, arts and crafts, food and educational opportunities.

The goal of the event is to raise money for scholarships, student field trips and other student needs.

### Jazz Pensacola seeks arts and crafts exhibitors

**PENSACOLA** — Jazz Pensacola seeks arts and crafts exhibitors to submit applications for the 2018 JazzFest. The event takes place April 7-8 at Seville Square in historic downtown Pensacola.

Applications are available at [jazzpensacola.com](http://jazzpensacola.com). Just original art and handmade crafts or products will be accepted. No commercial products are allowed for submission. All entries cost \$150, for a 10-by-10-foot canopy or smaller.

Call Jazz Pensacola Administrator Alice Crann Good at 433-8382 for more information. Call between 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. Monday through Friday or visit [jazzpensacola.com](http://jazzpensacola.com).

# Congressman Gaetz to hold military academy program

By Press Gazette contributor



Gaetz

PACE — Pace High School, 4065 Norris Road will be the location for Congressman Matt Gaetz's Military Academy Nights program. From 6 to 8 p.m. March 27, Gaetz will hold an informational program on the academy

application and nomination process. The program will provide constituents with information regarding the admission process and Congressional

Office nomination process. Attendees will also be able to meet and ask questions of service academy representatives from the U.S. Air Force Academy, U.S. Naval Academy and the U.S. Coast Guard.

Call 479-1183 or visit Gaetz.House.gov for more information.

# Diabetes class teaches healthy eating, stress reduction

By Press Gazette contributor

MILTON — Seats are available for the next session of the National Diabetes Prevention Program offered by the Florida Department of Health in Santa Rosa County. The first class will be held from 5 to 6 p.m. March 27, at the DOH-Santa Rosa Milton office, 5527 Stewart Street. The registration fee is \$26.00 and includes classes led by a trained lifestyle coach, lab tests and a workbook. Participants may be referred by a primary care provider or self-refer by contacting Susan Howell at 850-564-2263 or Ashlee Turner at 850-564-2304 to register.

Led by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the program is based on research that showed that people with prediabetes who lost five to seven percent of their body weight (10 to 14 pounds for a 200-pound person) reduced their risk of developing Type 2 diabetes by 58 percent. Guided by a

trained lifestyle coach, participants learn the skills they need to make lasting changes, such as losing a modest amount of weight, being more physically active and managing stress.

Participants learn how to eat healthy, add physical activity to their routine, manage stress, stay motivated, and solve problems that can get in the way of their success. Classes meet once a week for 16 weeks, then once a month for 6 months to maintain healthy lifestyle changes. The program's group setting provides a supportive environment with people who are facing similar challenges and trying to make the same changes. Together, participants celebrate their successes and find ways to overcome obstacles.

People are more likely to have prediabetes or Type 2 diabetes if they:

- Are 45 years of age or older
- Are overweight
- Have a family history of Type 2 diabetes
- Are physically active

less than three times per week

• Have been diagnosed with gestational diabetes during pregnancy

• Gave birth to a baby weighing more than 9 pounds

"The complications from Type 2 diabetes are serious and can include heart attacks, strokes, blindness, kidney failure, and the amputation of toes, feet or legs," said Barb McMillion, BSN, MS, public health services manager and director of nursing for DOH- Santa Rosa. "Small changes can make a big difference. This program can help those with prediabetes make the lasting changes they need to prevent diabetes and its complications and improve their quality of life."

To learn more about making healthy choices and preventing Type 2 diabetes, visit the Florida Department of Health in Santa Rosa County website at: <http://santarosa.floridahealth.gov/programs-and-services/wellness-programs/healthy-lifestyles-toolkit/index.html>



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# Study detailing Santa Rosa County health outcomes available

By Press Gazette contributor

MILTON — The Florida Department of Health in Santa Rosa County recognizes the value in measuring health outcomes and acknowledges the 2018 County Health Rankings & Roadmaps tool released by the University of Wisconsin and the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. This study highlights the many community factors that influence health and uses established data, much of which is available from the department at [www.FLHealthCHARTS.com](http://www.FLHealthCHARTS.com).

"The County Health Rankings are a useful tool in developing our three-year community health improvement plan," Sandra Park-O'Hara, ARNP, administrator of the Florida Department of Health in Santa Rosa County, said. "We have a strong network of community partners dedicated to improving the health of our communities and quality of life in Santa Rosa County."

These rankings are a snapshot of the health of counties across the country and they emphasize

that health is not a singular effort but a combined work in progress across all community partners. The department works in collaboration with local governments, non-profit organizations, health care facilities, business groups, schools, faith-based organizations and many other stakeholders to improve the health of all people in Santa Rosa County. These rankings use data related to physical environments, social and economic factors, health behaviors and clinical care.

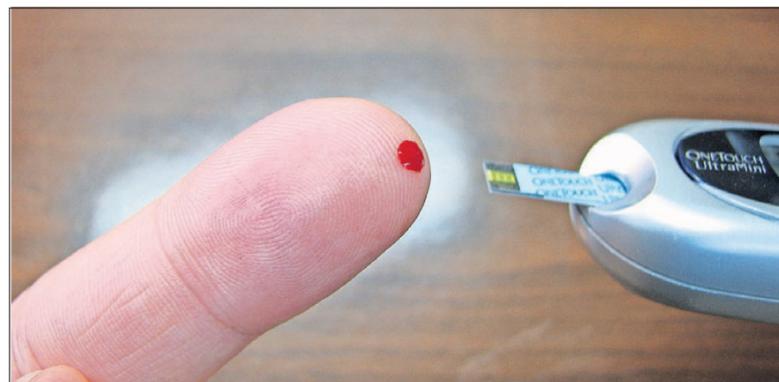
In Santa Rosa County, the Community Health Improvement Plan is designed to address specific opportunities for improved health that have been identified by the community. The department has partnered with many stakeholders to implement the CHIP and collaborates regularly to track progress.

The result of one successful collaboration with the Santa Rosa County School District is the implementation of the 5-2-1-0, Let's Go! program in public schools and daycare centers.

The program encourages children to increase their physical activity and adopt healthier eating habits. Encouraging healthy lifestyle choices among children can lead to a reduction in obesity among the adult population, since habits learned early in life are carried over into adulthood.

In an ongoing effort to decrease the county's adult smoking rate, DOH-Santa Rosa partners with the Area Health Education Center to offer free smoking cessation classes. Efforts to decrease exposure to secondhand smoke have resulted in the adoption of smoke free policies in 18 businesses throughout the county.

Earlier this month, DOH-Santa Rosa announced that its National Diabetes Prevention Program had again been recognized by the Centers for Disease Control. The evidence-based program teaches adults at risk of developing diabetes the skills they need to make lifestyle choices that can help with weight loss and delay or, in some cases, prevent the onset of diabetes.



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# OPINION

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

### I miss Speak Out

Dear Editor,  
I miss Speak Out. It was an important part of a community paper – our community news paper – one where locals could rant or praise. We could keep up on potholes and what elected official had "misstepped" or otherwise made a faux pas or egregious blunder. I realize that "some" (tee hee) got a tad carried away and had to be censored, but it still was the impetus for picking up and even subscribing to the Press Gazette.

What are the chances of bringing this community "love fest" back to the Press Gazette? It would be wonderful if it were resuscitated.

Thanks a billion.  
**JERRY CUMMINGS**  
Milton

*Editor's note: After some restructuring at the Press Gazette, I believe it will be possible to return this feature. The Speak Out number is 623-5887.*

### When are we going to make a change to our mental health system?

Dear editor,  
Our mental health system fails yet again. Now, my father's and family's name has been discredited and humiliated.

I'm the proud daughter of Jerome Scooler – the burglar, the criminal you've painted a clear picture of. What you failed to mention is that my father has a mental illness.

What you're probably thinking is 'That's not my problem.' Very true and correct. Growing up, my father was a very loving, generous, kindhearted, giving and an irreplaceable piece to my family's puzzle.

In the last five years, my father has lost a brother, sister, aunt but also a very close cousin. Needless to say, much grief, turmoil and loss has gone through our family. Does that make it OK to break into someone's home? Absolutely not.

What's not fair is painting him as a ruthless criminal, even though our county (Okaloosa) has failed on numerous occasions to give him the treatment and diagnosis that he has needed for years. My father has been to the Okaloosa Bridgeway Center three times in the last three years through Baker Act admissions.

That being said, my father has been seen by numerous amounts of doctors and psychiatrist in the last year. Yet, no one has diagnosed my father accurately. Our family has screamed out for help from the police department, Bridgeway Center and Fort Walton Beach Medical Center. Yet, here we are.

My father, who is now sitting at the Santa Rosa Jail in the psychiatric ward, [was] finally put on medication. Some may ask themselves, 'Does that make sense?' No.

Why is it OK for a person that has a mental disease to be painted as a ruthless criminal, yet hasn't received decent treatment until he is apprehended by police? You tell me. When are we going to make a change to our mental health system?

Are we just going to keep letting the mentally ill in this community live a hard, struggling life, or are we going to give them the fair treatment and diagnosis that any human should deserve?

We are not discrediting the family's home that was invaded and the fear that placed on them. My father left the Friday before, with no money, a tank of gas and lost thoughts. His vehicle ran out of gas, his phone was dead and he was trying to get out of the cold. My father ran unarmed because he was scared and not in his right thoughts.

No making any excuses, but asking for humility.

**AMANDA BIRR**  
Fort Walton Beach

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## ANOTHER VIEW



## Tariffs cost Americans money and they seldom work



Ron Hart

Every bad political idea starts with a false premise. The "Affordable Care Act" lie, that we had an awful health care system and government could fix it and save families "\$2,500 a year," spawned the ObamaCare disaster.

The Bush-era intelligence agencies' fibs were that Saddam Hussein had weapons of mass destruction and we had to stop him. Thousands of lives and countless wounded later, we rule the rubble after our \$1 trillion social studies lesson. With that lie and post-9/11 hysteria came the Patriot Act, which sacrificed freedoms (not patriotic). It created the TSA ("Thousands Standing Around"), the Department of Homeland Security, and the FISA court spying on U.S. citizens. Result: the Mueller Witch Hunt.

A liberal, a conservative and a libertarian walk into a bar and the bartender says, "What will you have, President Trump?" Displaying his liberal side, Trump agreed this week to consider stricter gun controls and yielded to the pandering populist economic idea of tariffs. Welfare reform might be next. The difference between a welfare beneficiary and a tariff? If you held a gun to both their heads, the welfare queen might work.

Tariffs go against GOP doctrine. The southern evangelicals quickly forgave Trump for coveting with porn star Stormy Daniels since the economy is roaring and they are getting raises.

But if Wal-Mart raises the price of a bass boat because of his aluminum tariffs, the honeymoon might be over.

Americans still love Trump's border wall and immigration policy. We are tired of Guatemalans coming to America and taking the low-paying jobs of our Mexicans. We did not fight the Civil War for this; our nation fought it to determine forever that slaves would no longer do the menial jobs in America and that illegal immigrants would.

But Trump continues to defy conventional wisdom of "the body politic," which would say he'd be dead by now. He's the Keith Richards of politics. The reason? Poly-tics defines Washington D.C. by meaning "many ticks." Trump is rich; he is not beholden to the GOP, NRA or any predetermined dogma. He comes to D.C. with no ticks on him, if you don't count Jared Kushner. America loves that.

Trump's tariffs have also angered our allies. The UK Prime Minister released an official statement that they were "very disappointed," harsh language for the Brits. "Very Disappointed" is their highest security threat level and punishment for terrorist bombers, right ahead of "Tsk, tsk," and "Blimey."

A casualty of the tariff debate was free-trader Gary Cohn. I worked with Gary at Goldman Sachs, and Trump lost a good man. Trump had tariff advocate and White House Trade Advisor Peter Navarro battle it out with Gary Cohn in his office, "The Apprentice"-style. He likes that "team of rivals" approach. Let two people like Omarosa and Gary Busey compete and you get the best outcome. Next, Trump plans to put a humidifier and a dehumidifier in his office and let them battle it out. And that,

my friends, will determine our humidity going forward.

Tariffs like this one, favoring some U.S. industries over others, are crony capitalism and an industrial swing-state political ploy. Tariffs are more popular in Wisconsin than Aaron Rodgers jerseys. In some degree, steel tariffs have been imposed by every president since Nixon – and then adjusted. They are invariably kickbacks to unions and their executives at the expense of employees of other non-protected industries, and every consumer in America, because tariffs are inflationary.

Trump's risk is that protectionism, a fast-growing economy, and loss of cheap illegal immigrant labor are all inflationary. They can hurt; just ask Jimmy Carter.

Many believe the Civil War was fought over the south's secession after Abraham Lincoln imposed the Morrill Tariff Act of 1861. Slavery would have ended in due course, and the Civil War (and a half million American deaths) might have been avoided with diplomacy – and if South Carolinians at Ft. Sumter had not gotten jumpy and been so damn trigger happy.

Yet, in a recent poll Lincoln was voted our best president ever (and probably their favorite car) by political science professors. College professors listed President Trump dead last: shocker! Lincoln fought unnecessary wars, bitterly divided our country along racial lines, provoked hatred from Democrats, imposed dangerous tariffs, and made a leading actor of the day want to kill him. So tell me, how was he much different from Trump?

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# FAITH

## Religion News: Scientology Network set to debut

By More Content Now

### WEEK IN RELIGION

In an effort to debunk recent TV shows and movies that have denounced the Church of Scientology, the controversial church recently announced the debut of its own TV network. The Scientology Network debuted on March 12 and in a tweet the church said “It’s TIME for us to tell OUR story.” Shows such as A&E’s “Scientology and the Aftermath” have claimed the church has turned a blind eye to such abuses as sexual abuse, but the church has denied the claims. The network and its programming are available through DirecTV, Apple TV, Roku, Fire TV, iTunes, Google Play and Scientology.tv. The church also announced an accompanying app that allows users to watch original series’ produced by the Church of Scientology.  
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### STUDY SAYS

Americans back Israel According to a recent Gallup Poll, 64 percent of Americans sympathize with Israelis over Palestinians in regards to conflicts in the Mideast.  
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### GOOD BOOK?

“Reconstructing the Gospel: Finding Freedom from Slaveholder Religion” by



The Church of Scientology recently announced the debut of its own television network. [SPECIAL TO THE PRESS GAZETTE]

Jonathan Wilson-Hartgrove Jonathan Wilson-Hartgrove grew up in the Bible Belt in the American South as a faithful church-going Christian. But he gradually came to realize that the gospel his Christianity proclaimed was not good news for everybody. The same Christianity that sang, “Amazing grace, how

sweet the sound” also perpetuated racial injustice and white supremacy in the name of Jesus. His Christianity, he discovered, was the religion of the slaveholder.  
— IVP Books

### THE WORD

hadj: Pronounced “hahj.” In

Islam, a pilgrimage to Mecca in Saudi Arabia, the birthplace of the Prophet Muhammad.  
— ReligionStylebook.com

### RELIGION AROUND THE WORLD

According to the CIA World Factbook, the religious makeup of Paraguay is:

- Roman Catholic: 89.6 percent
  - Protestant: 6.2 percent
  - Other Christian: 1.1 percent
  - Other or unspecified: 1.9 percent
  - None: 1.1 percent
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### CALENDAR

By Press Gazette staff

MILTON — Here is a list of scheduled faith-based services and events.

### UPCOMING

#### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF PACE:

Contact 994-5608 or church@pacefumc.org to learn about more FUMC events.

Due to Santa Rosa County Spring Break there will be no Wednesday night fellowship dinner or Bible study March 18 - 23.

**Saturday, March 17:** Megan’s Love (picnic with the homeless)

**Sunday, March 18:** 9 a.m. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. coffee and donut fellowship, 10:10 a.m. worship service, nursery available for all services

**Easter Festival:** 4-5 p.m. March 25 egg hunt for children up to fifth grade, also crafts, food, snowcones and inflatable maze and slide

#### EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE AT NAVARRE BEACHSIDE CHURCH:

• 6 a.m. April 1, Navarre BeachSide Church will host the Navarre Community-Wide Easter Sunrise Service at 6 a.m. April 1 in the main parking lot for Navarre Beach and Pier. The Navarre BeachSide Church’s regular worship



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service will follow at 9 a.m. at the same location. This is a non-denomination Christian church offering contemporary worship. Children’s church is provided. Holy Communion will be available with all at both services. The church suggests bringing canned goods to share with the local needy and homeless. Call 939-1533 for more details.

**DENTAL BUS REGISTRATION:** 8 a.m. March 26, register for the

April 9-13 Florida Baptist Convention Dental Bus at Olivet Baptist Church of 5240 Dogwood Drive in Milton. Those in Santa Rosa County who need dental help with fillings or extractions should attend registration day. It is first come first serve. The doors for registrations will open at 8 a.m. and continue until all appointment times are filled. In order to come during the week of April 9-13, one must have attended

the registration for an appointment time.

### RECURRING

#### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF MILTON:

Worship services are 9 a.m. Sundays, followed by a coffee social at 10 a.m. and Sunday school at 10:30 a.m. at 5203 Elmira St., Milton. FPC Milton’s Open Hearts Ministry, a Bible study group for adults with special needs,

meets 6 p.m. Wednesdays. **DESTINY BIBLE CHURCH:** Worship service is 10 a.m. Sundays. Wednesday’s Reflect, Share, Study is 7 p.m. at 4867 W. Spencer Field Road, Pace.

**PLEASANT GROVE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH:** Events include 10 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. men’s and women’s studies and 7 p.m. worship service. Wednesday night Building Tomorrow’s Church meetings are at 7 p.m. The church is located at 11130 Highway 87 N., Milton.

**MILTON FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD:** Worship 10:30 a.m. Sundays and 7 p.m. Wednesdays at 6163 Dogwood Drive, Milton. Details: 623-2854.

**BAGDAD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH:** 8:30 a.m. contemporary worship service, 10 a.m. traditional worship service at 4540 Forsyth St., Bagdad. Call 626-1948 or visit www.bagdadeditedmethodistchurch.org for more information.

**SHEPHERD’S HOUSE MINISTRIES INC. OUTREACH DELIVERANCE MINISTRY CHURCH:** Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship 11 a.m.; and Wednesday night Bible study, 7 p.m. at 5739 Stewart St., Milton. Bishop Cecil Downing is the founder and senior pastor. Details: 530-4011.

## LETTERS

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### Support Christian TV and radio ministries

Dear editor, While the anti-Christian element is alive and well, so is Jesus Christ. Christians will be celebrating the risen savior at Easter, Praise God. This supporter of Christian radio and TV ministries since 1973, who

came alive in Christ through them, is now compelled to share what they proclaim and what the world desperately needs, the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Many don’t attend church precluding their access to what Jesus Christ suffered for all providing salvation, eternal life. A favorite, Joseph Prince, is emphasizing a healing this whole month.

If the agony of Christ’s scourging and flogging doesn’t make one accept His sacrifice for all, to receive Him as Lord and Savior, to

be “born again” (John 3:7; Romans 10:9 and 10), I don’t know what will. If preachers accurately presented His sacrifice frequently, I’m sure the Holy Spirit would produce more conversions.

If more preachers dwelt on end-time prophecies, a favorite of mine, hearers would be doers busy about the Father’s business. Getting ready to meet our Maker is of paramount importance. Some believe Christ’s second coming is imminent. My heart is grieved because some believer’s don’t like

Joel Osteen, et al. Like Christ, he’s an encourager. His father, John Osteen, a blessing, was kicked out of the Southern Baptist Association because he received the baptism of the Holy Spirit speaking in tongues. Thank God he and his son ignored criticisms of some “brethren” and “sisters.”

God blessed John Osteen with a 50-year ministry starting over again in a warehouse. Joel did not attend seminary, labeled “cemetery” by some, but God is certainly using him

and his wife who preaches the Word, too. Christians who cannot love and forgive missed the message of Calvary, all about love and forgiveness. Jesus empowers all to love and forgive by His all-sufficient grace. Hallelujah! I love John 17 where Jesus prays for all. God bless us all as only He can.

**CHRYS HOLLEY Milton**

What’s your view? Write a letter to the editor.



[MORE CONTENT NOW]

## IIHS's new testing procedure looks for technologies that prevent parking collisions

By More Content Now

The Insurance Institute for Highway Safety latest test isn't about the highway and the group isn't talking much about passenger safety this time.

Rather, IIHS says its new test is about saving insurance companies and owners money on a surprisingly costly and very annoying type of crashes – Low-speed, reverse parking crashes.

The "Insurance" part of "Insurance Institute for Highway Safety" indicates that this organization was founded by and funded wholly by insurance companies, who would appreciate it if you would stop crashing into things.

IIHS CEO David Zuby says that "Parking crashes rarely result in injuries, but they often result in expensive repairs." The group gave two examples of minor collisions between a Subaru Outback backing up and hitting another vehicle's bumper and a Cadillac XT5 backing up into a rigid parking lot barrier.

These types of collisions never seem like much, but they tend to shock consumers when the bill from the body shop comes. A low-speed, parking lot crash like the one described on

the Outback would cost consumers – or more likely their insurance company – \$1,899 and the Cadillac XT5 s, a whopping \$3,477.

In both cases, the damage appears very minor, but bumper covers now come packed with proximity sensors, and power tailgates have cameras built-in. Even if those sensitive components aren't damaged, a USED rear bumper cover for a 2017 Outback runs about \$300. New would be well into \$500 for the part alone, and that's before you prime and paint it, and factor in the labor required to replace it.

As a result, manufacturers are adding technology aimed at making low-speed parking lot collisions less frequent.

Rear automatic braking works the same way that forward emergency auto braking does, but uses simpler technology and works at low speeds. Combined with rear-view cameras, surround view cameras, rear-cross-traffic alerts, and parking sensors, automakers seem to be throwing an abundance of technologies at car owners to help keep them out of trouble when backing up.

Personal injury isn't an obvious part of the

reason we launched rear crash prevention ratings was to encourage more automakers to fit more of their vehicles with the more effective technologies. Hopefully, in doing that, more consumers will choose them and there will be fewer crashes in parking situations."

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John Goreham/  
BestRide.com

### Auto news

Ford recently announced it has begun testing two types of self-driving cars in Miami: one for mapping the roads and another for deliveries. For now, safety drivers are behind the wheel of all of the carmaker's autonomous vehicles and the company has partnered with companies like Lyft, Dominoes and Postmates to eventually offer ride-hailing trips and autonomous deliveries.

### Did you know

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, of the 35,092 people killed in motor vehicle crashes in 2016, 44 percent were not wearing seat belts.

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## DISTRICT

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she said, because the north end of Elmira Street is not a bar district. It has churches and historic homes.

"North Elmira is not a place for stand-alone bars," Golden said. "Don't take our way of living away from us. We've spent a lot of money restoring our historic homes. Leave us alone."

Milton resident Frances McDonald said she will work hard to change the ordinance if it passes.

"You don't understand because you don't live there," McDonald said. "I'm speaking for the whole historic district. It needs to be protected... preserved...enjoyed."



Jorgenson where a bar or tavern could be established, according to Jorgenson, without a religious institution first opting out of the 500-foot-separation law.

Several residents approached the council opposed to the overlay district, and City Attorney Heather Lindsay read a letter by Barrie Bamberg of Milton with suggestions for success in the

**"Let's work to prove we have something better to offer than drunks on barstools, which is what the drinking-only establishments of the area have."**

—Barrie Bamberg of Milton in a letter

city.

"Let's work to prove we have something better to offer than drunks on barstools, which is what the drinking-only establishments of the area have," Bamberg said in her letter.

According to Milton resident Theresa Messick, she has a petition signed by more than 60 people located in and around the historic district opposing the overlay district.

Resident and business owner Cindea Booth suggested giving existing investors in the area the opportunity to opt out of allowing bars or taverns near their property, like the churches. Jorgenson said he would need to look into whether that is allowed.

Lowery called the question – a vote to end discussion – after more than an hour. Snow seconded and the motion passed.

The council then voted on the original motion, to move forward with the overlay district and hold a public hearing, which also passed.

## PROGRAM

From Page A1

simultaneously.

"Main Street Milton is absolutely in a rebuilding stage," Sharp said. "The information you provided... we already know this and most of the council should already know it. Staff should know it."

According to Lindsay, the city can not give municipal funds to a nonprofit unless it meets certain requirements, including adherence to public records requests and Sunshine Law.

Lindsay said she perceived the funding would come solely from taxpayer dollars based on prior motions but Snow said that is incorrect – the only funding would be to get them into compliance with hiring a director.

In that case, the program would not have to adhere to Sunshine Law, and Watkins said the agreement can be amended to remove that section.

According to Watkins, there is enough money in the CRA budget to hire one person, not two, without having to reallocate money. The director will be chosen by the MSM



Powell

board and approved by the city manager.

Snow motioned to authorize

\$20,000 from the CRA for MSM, and Powell seconded.



Smith

Snow amended

his motion to also approve the agreement put forth by Sharp. The motion passed with only Councilwoman Sharon Holley opposed.

During the council meeting, the item to rent the Garden Club building to MSM for \$1 per year passed after a motion made by Councilman Casey Powell and seconded by Councilwoman Peggi Smith.

MSM will occupy and manage the rental facility as office space, storage, meeting space, and fundraising and membership events, while the city will be responsible for maintenance, insurance and utilities.

Margie Baldwin of the Garden Club said they will welcome MSM to the facility, but ask for cooperation with their club.

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# LAW ENFORCEMENT

## SANTA ROSA SHERIFF'S ARRESTS: MARCH 13-15

By Press Gazette staff

The Santa Rosa County Sheriff's Office provided these felony arrest reports for March 13-15.

Defendants are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

**Everett Emery Baggett**, 27, Baker, vehicle theft

**Matthew Craig Bauldree**, 48, Jay, weapon possession by felon

**Amber Yvonne Bradford**, 29, Pace, larceny, dealing in stolen property

**Jody Shane Clemons**, 44, Panama City, probation violation

**Morgan Elizabeth Condrey**, 26, Flomaton, Ala., drug possession

**Martina Carolyn Mae Hayden**, 25, Milton, use of false identification

**Clayton Lee Wayne Hendler**, 19, Navarre, probation violation

**Christopher Brian Johnson**, 32, Gulf Breeze, larceny

**Anthony Kendrick Jones**, 22, Milton, conditional release violation

**Jesse Lee Carroll Jones**, 32, Milton, smuggling contraband into detention facility

**Kimberly Dawn Lee**, 38, Pace, drug possession

**Jennifer Nicholl Meade**, 38, Milton, larceny, fraud, forgery

**Eduardo Najera**, 25, Navarre, moving traffic violation

**Kevin Duane Opry**, 33, Milton, probation violation

**Brittini Deyon Phillips**, 31, homeless in Milton, child neglect

**Dustin Steven Lee Holloway Skipper**, 19, Gulf Breeze, probation violation

**Tiffany Nicole Uphold**, 20, Jay, battery

**Timothy Scott Whaley**, 49, Pace, drug possession



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Tiffany Nicole Uphold

## Law enforcement retiree fights off alleged burglar

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NAVARRÉ — An attempted break in to a Navarre Beach home on March 3 led to a retired law enforcement officer chasing the suspect down the street and apprehending him until police arrived.

Edward DeCoste, 64, lives with his wife Kathryn at Navarre Beach. As they prepared for bed March 10, Edward noticed something wasn't right.

Just after 10 p.m., Edward went upstairs and saw the motion-detector lights on the third-floor balcony were on. That's not too unusual, he said, because sometimes the wind activates them.

Edward decided to double-check the door but realized the screen was open.

"I thought to myself, 'I know I closed that about two hours ago,'" he said. "I went over and took a look and here I see this man, his back to the wall like he's trying to not let me see him... It shocked me that there was actually someone there."

Edward opened the door and confronted the man, who said he was looking for a friend and had the wrong house.

"I told him that was a bunch of baloney and he was there to rob my house... and he wasn't going anywhere," Edward said. "He was going to wait right there with me

until the sheriff's [deputies] got there."

That's when the suspect took off on foot.

"He ran down the stairs and I ran after him for about two houses down from where I live," Edward said. "I caught up to him and started to give him very loud verbal orders to get on the ground."

At first, the suspect obeyed the commands but then got up and punched Edward on the left side of his face. Edward fought back, got him back on the ground and held him down until the Santa Rosa County Sheriff's Office arrived.

Deputies booked the suspect, Jerome Edmund Scooler, 57, of Shalimar into the Santa Rosa County jail at 12:31 a.m. on an \$11,000 bond with charges of first degree misdemeanor battery and second degree felony burglary, according to the jail's website.

Edward was a Deputy U.S. Marshall for 25 years, and ended his career there as a Chief Deputy. He then transferred to the Department of Homeland Security for the last four years of his federal service, he said, as a regional Special Agent in Charge.

"It may just be because I'm a proud daughter," Edward's daughter, Cassandra, said. "It may just be because they're locals I love but I really think this episode is awesome and will inspire other residents to be proud of their community."

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# LIFESTYLE

## ‘Some people don’t get check ups like that’

**Milton hosts Senior Expo and Health Fair**

By Alicia Adams  
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MILTON – The Retired Senior Volunteer Program, city of Milton and Woodmen Life hosted the Senior Expo and Health Fair March 15 at the Guy Thompson Community Center with support from Santa Rosa Medical Center.

Local vendors filled the gymnasium, ranging from volunteer groups like Guardian ad Litem to retirement communities like Homestead Village and health insurance companies like United Healthcare.

According to Faye Henry with the RSVP, this year’s event has grown since last year.

“It gives people information on the community they don’t always know about,” Henry said. “The city of Milton did surveys [on] the seniors asking, ‘If you need this service, where would you go?’ and most of them did not know.”

Another feature of the event was free health screenings including blood pressure, hearing and cholesterol.

“Some people don’t get check ups like that,” Henry said. “And they’ll get information about disasters and getting prepared for the next hurricane season, which is also important.”



Santa Rosa Medical Center provides free health screenings at the Senior Expo and Health Fair. [ALICIA ADAMS PHOTOS | PRES GAZETTE]



Milton seniors walk from booth to booth at the Senior Expo and Health Fair, learning more about volunteer opportunities, retirement communities, health services, disaster preparedness and more.



Ears 2 Hear hosts a booth at the Senior Expo and Health Fair, educating guests on their services.



Guardian ad Litem educates guests of the Senior Expo on their services and volunteer opportunities.



Santa Rosa Medical Group educates seniors on nutrition and smart grocery shopping.



Seniors get checked in at the Senior Expo and Health Fair held at the Guy Thompson Community Center.

# SPORTS & OUTDOORS

## Gulf Islands National Seashore seeks ice machine, laundry services

By Press Gazette contributor

**GULF BREEZE** — Gulf Islands National Seashore officials are seeking applications to provide commercial services at the Fort Pickens Campground. The services currently requested include a self-dispensing ice machine and laundry machines. Applications by commercial operators will be accepted through April 1 with services starting before the summer season.

The Fort Pickens Campground Store, which provided many supplies and services to campers in the past, closed at the end of 2016. Efforts to find a new operator for the store were unsuccessful, primarily due to the aging, unappealing store building which was built by the State of Florida nearly 60 years ago when Fort Pickens was a state park. Commercial Use Authorizations provide the national seashore the opportunity to make services available while organizing funding for the buildings rehabilitation or replacement.

The self-dispensing ice machine service requested will be similar to those found roadside around the area. The machine will be placed at the campground store location, available for campers and beach-goers. The machine



Fort Pickens [SPECIAL TO THE PRESS GAZETTE]

will be required to accept credit and debit cards and applicants are able to propose the capacity and prices.

The laundry machine service requested will provide at a minimum two washers, two dryers, and laundry supplies

vending for the A and C loops of the campground, but may install machines at additional loops. The machines will be installed in the campground restroom buildings which were purpose-built for laundry machines accessible

through a separate entrance. Machines which accept credit and debit cards are preferred but not required. Applicants are able to propose the machines and prices.

Authorizations will be awarded for one year of

service. There is a \$100 application fee. Interested applicants can find more information and download the application on the park's website at <https://www.nps.gov/guis/getinvolved/cua.htm>.

## West Ship Island facilities, ferries to reopen after hurricane repairs

By Press Gazette contributor

**GULF BREEZE** — Gulf Islands National Seashore working with its partners have determined that West Ship Island facilities and ferries will delay the start of the season until March 24.

The island had originally been scheduled to open on March 15. However, work to repair hurricane damaged facilities has been delayed. National seashore staff, private contractors, and ferry staff are actively working to complete repairs in order to open.

All national seashore areas, including the islands managed by the National Park Service off the Mississippi coast, were closed Oct. 6, 2017, as Hurricane Nate approached the Gulf Coast.

The category-one storm caused moderate to significant damage to piers, boardwalks, and other facilities on the islands and the mainland.

Many of the islands reopened on Oct. 18. However, the damage to facilities at West Ship Island forced an early end to the 2017 season. Normally the island's facilities would have remained open through October. Visitors can find ticket



Ferries travel to West Ship Island. [SPECIAL TO THE PRESS GAZETTE]

prices, schedules, and other information about the West Ship Island ferry can be found at [www.msshipisland.com](http://www.msshipisland.com). The ferry will run Wednesday through Sunday through mid-May and then seven days a week through mid-August, returning to Wednesday

through Sunday for the remainder of the season.

Learn more about visiting West Ship Island on the park's website at <https://www.nps.gov/guis/planyourvisit/west-ship-island.htm>.

## Killing a gray fox among FWC incidents

By Press Gazette contributor

**MILTON** — The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission filed these cases between Feb. 23 and March 1 in Santa Rosa County:

Officer Jones issued a citation to a subject for the charges of entering a closed area and attempting to take deer over bait on a management area on the Eglin Wildlife Management Area. Lieutenant Berryman and Officer Mullins assisted Officer Jones in the investigation which led to the charges.

FWC Dispatch received multiple complaints

regarding a subject who shot a gray fox. Several officers began working the case and gathering information including Officers Mullins, Hoomes, Roberson and Jones. Officer Mullins contacted the subject and met with him about the fox. The subject admitted to Officers Mullins and Jones that he shot the fox. The officers went back with the subject to where the carcass had been discarded and located the fox, as well as the spent buckshot casing. After reviewing the evidence, charges were filed on the subject by Officer Mullins for killing a gray fox.



[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS GAZETTE]

## County to prepare beaches for sea turtle nesting

By Press Gazette contributor

**NAVARRE** — Sand tilling will take place beginning March 19 on Navarre Beach. Tilling is required to lessen the impact of compacted sand on sea turtle nesting and hatching activities. Turtles prefer soft sand for digging nests and the 2018 nesting

season begins May 1 for the gulf coast. Operations will be conducted between dawn and dusk. There will be minimal disruption to beachgoers during the process, which should only take a few days, weather permitting.

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS GAZETTE]



# EDUCATION

## CAMPUS KUDOS

### Former Milton youth coach recognized



Haylen Washington, second from left, helped coach youth basketball teams in Milton. [FILE PHOTO]

By Press Gazette contributor

MILTON — Here are highlights involving area students:

One more honor is in store for Coastal Georgia men's basketball's **Haylen**

**Washington**, a Milton High grad. Washington was among those to earn NAIA All-America Honorable Mention status March 15 as announced by the national organization.

Washington is the third

Mariner to earn All-American honors in program history, joining Reggie Burke of the 2014 Second-Team and Dominic Early of the 2016 Honorable Mention.

Washington collected

multiple honors throughout the season, including First-Team All-Sun Conference, NAIA National Division II Player of the Week on Jan. 9 and two-time Sun Conference Player of the Week (Dec. 26 and Jan. 8).

As a senior, Washington led the team in points (21.4 per game), rebounds (7.5 per game), assists (7.6) and steals (3.2). He scored his 1,000th point Feb. 8 as a Mariner against Southeastern. He also set the program's

single-game points record against Point on Dec. 19, pouring in 41 points. The Milton native had seven double-doubles and scored double-digit points in 28 of the 29 games he played in 2017-18.

### School Board approves funding for summer STEAM

By Alicia Adams

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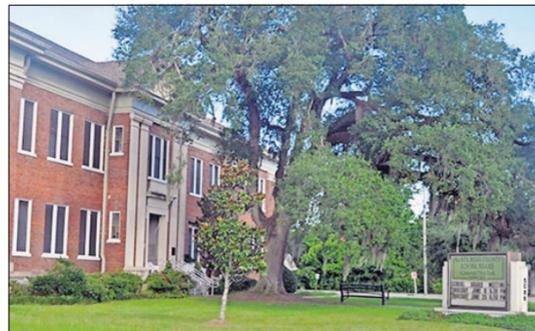
MILTON — The Santa Rosa County School Board March 15 approved nearly \$50,000 in school board funding for summer science, technology, engineering, art and mathematics (STEAM) camps at county elementary schools.

Bill Emerson, assistant superintendent, provided the board with a cost estimate of implementing the summer camp program for fifth and eighth grade students. The total estimated cost for four camps is \$49,380.

The camps would serve 150 students. They would take place at Woodlawn Beach Middle School and King Middle School to cover the south and north ends of the county respectively.

According to the memorandum, the camp would last for one week from 8 a.m. until noon each day, with a snack served in the middle of the day.

"The camps pose a dynamic problem for students to solve in teams and would allow them to make a hypothesis, conduct scientific testing, record and analyze data and then draw and summarize their conclusions each day,"



Santa Rosa County School District administration building [FILE PHOTO]



Emerson

Emerson said in the memorandum. "The camps would utilize existing kits of small microcontrollers called arduinos that provide students with the opportunity to test a variety of environmental characteristics such as acceleration, luminosity and temperature with real-time analysis of feedback data."

The camps would be free for students to attend and participants would receive a certificate and a T-shirt to commemorate the week.

"The experiences will be designed to foster excitement in STEAM-related fields," Emerson said.

Existing instructional

personnel will staff the camps and Santa Rosa County School District Math and Science Coordinator Jeff Baugus will supervise the events.

The costs for two fifth-grade and two eighth-grade camps are as follows:

- One lead teacher per camp for 36 hours at \$35 per hour: **\$1,260**
- Six teachers per camp for 31 hours at \$35 per hour: **\$6,510**
- T-shirts for 150 students per camp at \$10 each: **\$1,500**
- Snacks for 150 students at \$3 each for 5 days: **\$2,250**
- Certificates for 150 students at 50 cents each: **\$75**
- Miscellaneous materials for 150 students at \$5 each: **\$750**
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# Milton business wins \$100,000 incentive from Santa Rosa County

By Press Gazette contributor

MILTON — The Santa Rosa County Commission approved a \$100,000 Super Qualified Target Industry Incentive for Ropella, a growing executive search firm in the Santa Rosa Industrial Park. The company is expanding their headquarters and will hire 50 additional employees over the next five years.

Ropella got its start in Chicago in 1991. In 2008, they built their 13,000 sq. ft. corporate headquarters in the industrial park and have grown from five employees to over 40 employees worldwide. The company plans to open offices in Brazil and Asia in the coming months.



[COURTESY PHOTO]

“Ropella is a Santa Rosa-based company that rebounded from the economic downturn in years past and today is expanding almost on a daily basis,” said BOCC Chairman Bob Cole, District 2. “They have raised the bar not only in their industry but also in architecture in our

industrial park. We’re very glad to have them.”

The company is completing a 2,500 sq. ft. addition and in the coming year will start construction on a 15,000 sq. ft. building, doubling the size of the current facility and creating space for new hires.

“Ropella is excited to

announce our chemical, technology and consumer products company clients are hiring and replacing key executives at a record-breaking pace,” said Patrick Ropella, chairman and CEO of Ropella.

Ropella’s expansion shows that Santa Rosa’s business climate is attractive to high

performing companies that are looking to thrive and grow according to Shannon Ogletree, director of economic development for Santa Rosa County. “I applaud Ropella for choosing Santa Rosa County for its continued expansion,” he said.

The Super QTI Incentive is a performance-based, local incentive for qualifying new or expanding targeted industries and is not paid out until all criteria have been met. Funding for the incentive will come from the economic development portion of the electric franchise fee.

For more information, contact Tina Stewart, business development manager, at 981-2071.

## Not a fan of check cashing companies



Dave Ramsey

Dear Dave,  
How do you feel about check cashing companies?  
— Norman

Dear Norman,  
I’m not a big fan of check cashing companies. They’re not nearly as bad as payday lenders, but it still seems kind of silly to me there’s

even a market for this kind of thing. If you want a place to cash your checks and store your money, all you have to do is walk into a bank and open an account.

I realize there’s a small segment of the population that some people in financial circles like to call “the unbanked.” This means that, for whatever reason, they avoid banks. That’s their choice, but in the process, they leave themselves susceptible to bad deals.

As I said, I don’t feel the same way about check-cashing companies as I do about payday lenders. But

it’s still not a financially smart move to regularly pay a storefront operation fees just to cash your checks.

— Dave

### Here’s a better idea

Dear Dave,  
I’m 27 years old, and I have no debt. In addition, I have a five-month emergency fund of \$14,000. Recently, I started a new job making \$60,000. I’ve been offered a 401(k) with no match, but I was wondering if instead I should open a high-yield CD.

— Kris

Dear Kris,

You’re doing very well at a young age. Congratulations. I’m glad you’re thinking about your financial future, too. But I’ve got a better idea.

How about opening a Roth IRA with good growth stock mutual funds inside? That would be my choice. Fund it up to \$5,500 a year, and make sure the mutual funds have strong track records of at least 10 years. This investment — growing tax-free — will be superior to a non-matching 401(k) or certificate of deposit. If you want to invest even more, you could then put additional cash into the 401(k) offered by your company.

With your income and maturity, plus the proper investment strategy, you’re likely to retire a very wealthy lady. Keep up the great work, Kris.

— Dave

Dave Ramsey is CEO of Ramsey Solutions. He has authored seven best-selling books, including *The Total Money Makeover*. The *Dave Ramsey Show* is heard by more than 13 million listeners each week on 585 radio stations and multiple digital platforms. Follow Dave on the web at [daveramsey.com](http://daveramsey.com) and on Twitter at [@DaveRamsey](https://twitter.com/DaveRamsey).

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### ASK THE DOCTORS

by Eve Glazier, M.D., and Elizabeth Ko, M.D.

#### RECENT STUDIES SUGGEST LEAFY GREENS TIED TO COGNITIVE HEALTH

**Dear Doctor:** My girlfriend is all-in on one of those low-carb diets and has pretty much stopped eating vegetables. (When she does eat any carbs, it's the bread and sweets that she craves). I'm hoping one of the new studies about leafy greens and brain health might change her habits. Can you talk a bit about them?

**Dear Reader:** Any time you follow a restrictive diet -- and the low-carb variety certainly qualifies -- you run the risk of shorting the body of a range of nutrients essential to health and well-being. As we discussed in a recent column about the super-popular (for the moment, anyway) ketogenic diet, which takes the low-carb philosophy to extremes, using the allotted carbohydrates wisely becomes all the more crucial.

Fortunately, for your proposed plan to get your girlfriend to dig her salad bowl out of storage, the leafy greens in the studies you've referenced are low in carbohydrates and high in a range of health benefits. And according to several recent studies, they may quite literally be brain food.

Let's start with a study published last December in the journal *Neurology*. Researchers found that older individuals who ate at least one serving per day of leafy greens, like kale, lettuce, spinach, collard or mustard greens, fared better on tests that measure memory and thinking skills than did those who rarely or never included those vegetables in their diets.

The study looked at 960 people between the ages of 58 and 99 who were part of the Memory and Aging Project, which has been ongoing at Washington University in St. Louis since 1979. The purpose of the project, known as MAP, is to study changes in the intellectual functioning in individuals over time as they age. Over the course of five years, each person evaluated in the study had completed at least two cognitive assessments and had tracked their diets.

Those who ate a serving of leafy greens every day experienced half of the cognitive decline as did those who avoided those vegetables. According to the researchers, at the end of the five years, after adjusting for variables like age, sex, education, participation in cognitive and physical activities, smoking and alcohol consumption, the leafy green eaters were an equivalent of 11 years younger mentally than the other group. This bolsters the outcomes of previous studies, which found that the nutrients in these vegetables can put the brakes on cognitive decline.

The specific nutrients in those leafy greens that are most likely to be beneficial turn out to be vitamin K, lutein, folate (also known as folic acid) and beta-carotene. Researchers at the University of Illinois zeroed in on lutein, a carotenoid vitamin that accumulates in neural tissues. The results of their study suggest that, because lutein appears to support both structure and function in the neural membranes, it may be neuroprotective.

The results of these studies are fascinating and, thanks in part to ever-advancing imaging techniques, are opening up new avenues of study. When it comes to your girlfriend, though, we hope the findings are enough to get a salad on her plate.

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### ASTROGRAPH

by Eugenia Last

SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 2018

Your sensitivity to what goes on around you will be heightened this year. Don't ignore the signs you see when you should be standing your ground and taking action before matters escalate. Taking care of business quickly will ensure that you don't miss the many opportunities heading your way.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** -- Getting angry will not help solve a problem. Address matters head-on, and if you must step down or make a move, you'll end up further ahead when you do so.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** -- Making a financial gain or negotiating a deal is featured. Step up and wheel and deal. If you leave this task to someone else, you won't do as well.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** -- Share your feelings with someone you love and respect. A joint effort will help you hash out all your problems, and although it won't be easy, the results will be worthwhile.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** -- A legal or financial dispute should be handled carefully. Anger is never a good way to deal with controversy if you want to move forward. Look for an appropriate solution.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** -- Get involved in projects that will help you advance. Revamping your resume or exploring new ways to use your skills will encourage you to take on a new position or income opportunity.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** -- Discuss what you want to see happen and get the go-ahead. If you are open to suggestions, it will help you bring about changes that will encourage saving and ease stress.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** -- You may have a good plan, but don't expect things to run smoothly when it comes to settlements, joint finances or issues that affect your health. Have a good excuse at the ready.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** -- You'll be drawn to someone who requires assistance. What you get in return will be a lesson or experience that will serve you well when you deal with future relationships.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** -- Old habits are hard to break. Look at the mistakes you've made and the people who have been bad influences or have taken advantage of you, and alter your course.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** -- Someone close to you will take advantage of your generosity and good nature. Offer nothing more than affection. Make positive personal changes. A new look and a healthier lifestyle are encouraged.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** -- Getting together with an old friend or attending a reunion will do you good and give you something to think about. Be proud of your accomplishments instead of envying others.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** -- Take up a creative hobby or show a greater interest in different cultures, lifestyles or beliefs. What you learn will encourage you to improve your own life.

## 7 LITTLE WORDS

Find the 7 words to match the 7 clues. The numbers in parentheses represent the number of letters in each solution. Each letter combination can be used only once, but all letter combinations will be necessary to complete the puzzle.

CLUES	SOLUTIONS
1 we agree it's a common Honda (6)	_____
2 like Bruckner's Ninth (10)	_____
3 condemn to punishment (8)	_____
4 fall like dominos (7)	_____
5 one half, as a percentage (5)	_____
6 establish as true (7)	_____
7 Brooklyn neighborhood (8)	_____

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Last Saturday's Answers: 1. BACON 2. TRAVELS 3. BUBBLES 4. SEERSUCKER 5. DOCKED 6. TRIDENT 7. CURLED

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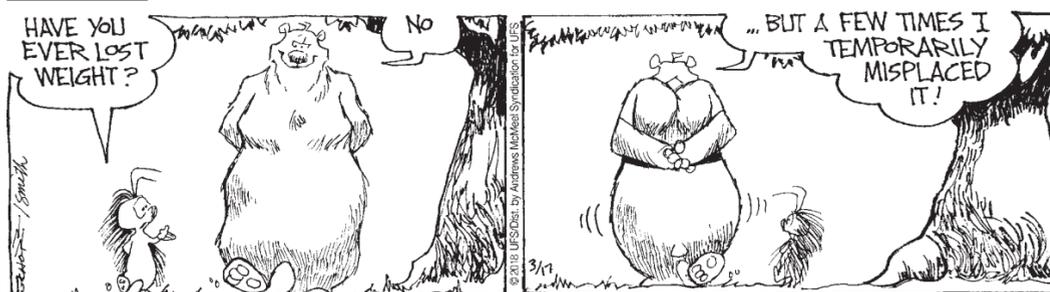
## DO JUST ONE THING

by Danny Seo

One of the easiest ways to save water during spring and summer months is to know exactly when it's time to water your lawn. First, try this simple trick: Step on your lawn. According to the Environmental Protection Agency's WaterSense program, if the grass bounces back after you step on it, there's no need to water. If it lays flat, it's time to water. And even then, only water early in the morning or late at night, when the sun's rays don't evaporate the water. When it's coolest outside, the ground will have the best chance to soak in all of that invigorating H2O.

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# Shortcuts

by Jeff Harris

This cartoon isn't anything to write home about.

**A NOVEL LOOK AT**

## MARK TWAIN

Samuel Langhorne Clemens was born on November 30, 1835, in the small village of Florida, Missouri. His parents did not expect him to survive because he was born two months prematurely. But not only did Samuel survive, he went on to become one of America's greatest novelists, humorists and lecturers, known the world over by his now famous pen name -- Mark Twain.

**HUCKLEBERRY FIN**  
Can you spot all six differences between these two scenes?

Photo by A.F. Bradley

Twain modeled the character Huckleberry Finn after his childhood friend Tom Blankenship.

Twain grew up in the town of Hannibal, Missouri. The fictional town of St. Petersburg from "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer" is based on Hannibal.

Twain based his famous pen name on the riverboat phrase "by the mark twain." This phrase was called out by the leadsman to let the captain know that the river was two fathoms (3.7 m, 12 ft.) deep and safe for travel.

Twain was a brilliant writer, but was bad at business. In the 1890s, he went on a worldwide lecture tour because he lost most of his fortune through bad investments.

What do you get when you cross Mark Twain with a skyscraper? A tall story.

In addition to his most famous books "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer" and "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn," Twain wrote many other works that received international attention, including "The Innocents Abroad," "Roughing It" and "Life on the Mississippi."

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What did Mark Twain use to build his house? Writer's blocks.

I write the stories that make the whole world sing.

At the height of his career, Mark Twain was one of the most popular celebrities in the world.

**THE WRITE STUFF**  
During his career, Twain wrote 28 books and numerous short stories, letters and sketches. "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" is often referred to as the "Great American Novel."

**WORD SEARCH**  
Can you find the hidden words? Search carefully because some words are backward or diagonal.

ADVENTURE	NOVEL	NAME	ELECT SPECTRUM
HUMORIST	SAMUEL	MARK	ROASTUMPEEPAN
LECTURER	SKETCH	FINN	USEOSASHRTRNB
CLEMENS	STORY	TOM	THRONESUOKINO
FATHOM	TWAIN	BOB	NYCFEATMNFORB
SAWYER	WRITE	PEN	E EATMCOOOIWEW
			VSPUEEARVHAYS
			DUELLKPIESTWO
			ALSUCHS SLABAT
			BANANASTORES F

Twain was born when Halley's Comet arrived in 1835. He correctly predicted that he would pass away when the comet returned in 1910.

Mark Twain also used a variety of other pen names, including Thomas Jefferson Snodgrass and W. Epaminondas Adrastus Blab.

For more information: "Who Was Mark Twain?" by April Jones Prince (Penguin Workshop) or "Mark Twain" by Geoffrey Ward, Ken Burns and Dayton Duncan (Knopf). [www.shortcutscomic.com](http://www.shortcutscomic.com) Distributed by Andrews McMeel for UFS, Inc. © Jeff Harris 2018 3/22



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File #: 2017406

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHARLES BODAMER, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 3175

Year of Issuance: 2011

Description of Property: NORTH FACE HEIGHTS LOT 56 AS DES IN OR 1552 PG 1322 & OR 2063 PG 1005

Parcel ID: 10-1N-29-2770-00000-056 0

Name in which Assessed: BOBBY RAY BAKER III, PAMELA BAKER

All of the above property is located in Santa Rosa County, in the state of Florida.

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File #: 2017392

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FL COMM BANK C L T R L A S S G N E E PENN HUSKIES LLC, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 2376

Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: CRESTLINE LOT 55 AS DES IN OR 1804 PG 26

Parcel ID: 16-2N-28-0810-00000-055 0

Name in which Assessed: SOPHIA GONZALES

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File #: 2017394

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FL COMM BANK C L T R L A S S G N E E PENN HUSKIES LLC, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 5788

Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: BAY RIDGE PARK LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 4 AS DES IN OR 2210 PG 2079

Parcel ID: 30-2S-28-0300-00400-011 0

Name in which Assessed: PREFERRED PROPERTIES OF PENSACOLA INC DBA REAL ESTATE HOUSE

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File #: 2017402

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT US BANK AS CUSTODIAN FOR ACTLIEN HOLDING, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 2346

Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: LOTS 12 14 & 15 BLK 10 OF UNREC NORTH RONANDEALE SUB 16-2N-28W AS IN OR 1473 PG 320

Parcel ID: 16-2N-28-0000-00712-000 0

Name in which Assessed: DONALD M CUMBIE, NORMA WELLS, SAM WELLS

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MARK H FINK, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 5635

Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: GOLDEN LAND CORP #1 LOT 9 AS DES IN OR 586 PG 340

Parcel ID: 03-2S-28-1420-00000-009 0

Name in which Assessed: RONALD E SMITH EST

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

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Certificate Number: 2346

Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: LOTS 12 14 & 15 BLK 10 OF UNREC NORTH RONANDEALE SUB 16-2N-28W AS IN OR 1473 PG 320

Parcel ID: 16-2N-28-0000-00712-000 0

Name in which Assessed: DONALD M CUMBIE, NORMA WELLS, SAM WELLS

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No. 17-326-DR Division

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IN RE: The Marriage of

Brittany Smith, Petitioner

and James Smith, Respondent

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (NO CHILD OR FINANCIAL SUPPORT)

TO: James Smith 6560 Renee Cir. Milton, FL 32570

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action for dissolution of marriage has been filed against you which and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Brittany Smith, whose address is 6432 Cypress St. Milton, FL 32570 on or before March 25, 2018, and to file the original with the clerk of this Court at Santa Rosa County Courthouse, P. O. Box 472, Milton, Florida 32572, before service on Petitioner or immediately thereafter. If you fail to do so, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

Copies of all court documents in this case, including orders, are available at the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office. You may review these documents upon request.

You must keep the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office notified of your current address. (You may file Notice of Current Address, Florida Supreme Court Approved Family Law Form 12.915.) Future papers in this lawsuit will be mailed to the address on record at the clerk's office.

WARNING: Rule 12.285, Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure, requires certain automatic disclosure of documents and information. Failure to comply can result in sanctions, including dismissal or striking of pleadings.

DATED: February 26, 2018

DONALD C. SPENCER CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

By Elaine Boutwell Deputy Clerk

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File #: 2017390

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FL COMM BANK C L T R L A S S G N E E PENN HUSKIES LLC, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 1346

Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: PER DEED FOR 2013 COM AT SW CORN OF GOVT LOT 6 ON 13-1N-28W THN N0\*10'24"E 499.48 FT THN S87\*47'15"E 588.64 FT THN N0\*12'0"W 174.52 FT TO N R/W OF A 20' CO RD FOR POB & CONT 470.23 FT THN N89\*38'0"E 503.57 FT TO W R/W OF WARD BASIN RD THN S29\*42'0"E ON R/W 33.43 FT TO CURVD N R/W OF 20' CO RD (R=1075.22 FT CHB=S43\*48'50"W) GO 200.59 FT THN S49\*09'30"W ON RD 123.28 FT THN S52\*34'40"W ON RD 360.80 FT TO POB AS DES IN OR 827 PG 119 LESS OR 527 PG 410 RD FOR R/W (WARD BASIN RD) LESS OR 1672 PG 506 (FOR PARCEL #28.19) \*ADDED A PORTION OF THE DESCRIPTION FROM #26.4 HERE DES IN OR 3322 PG 1590\* ALSO \*ADDED A PORTION OF THE DESCRIPTION FROM #27 HERE DES IN OR 3322 PG 1593\* LESS OR 3322 PG 1587 (ADDED TO #26.4) & LESS OR 3322 PG 1596 (ADDES

Parcel ID: 14-1N-27-0000-00101-000 0

Name in which Assessed: WILLIAM D PERMENTER TRUSTEE, WILLIAM DALE PERMENTER MD CHARTERED MONEY PURCHASE PENSION PLAN, WILLIAM DALE PERMENTER MD CHARTERED PROFIT SHARING PLAN

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File #: 2017401

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT US BANK AS CUSTODIAN FOR ACTLIEN HOLDING, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 2312

Year of Issuance: 2014

Description of Property: S2 OF W2 OF SW4 OF NW4 10-2N-28W SUBJ TO INGRESS/EGRESS ESMNT AS DES IN OR 2170 PG 1115 & OR 2229 PG 231

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TO #27) THESE 3 PROPERTIES HAVE BEEN OVERLAPPING THE NEW DEEDS ARE DIVIDING THE ARE DESCRIPTIONS INTO 1/2. LESS OR 3338 PG 2001 (NOW #28.20 FOR 2014) & LESS OR 3338 PG 2001 (NOW #28.21 FOR 2015)

Parcel ID: 13-1N-28-0000-02804-000 0

Name in which Assessed: DONALD M CUMBIE, KRISTINA EADIE

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File #: 2017401

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SAMUEL BUSH TRUSTEE GREENBERRY PROPERTIES 401K PLAN, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 5466

Year of Issuance: 2014

Description of Property: POLYNESIAN ISLANDS LOT 3 BLK 7 AS DES IN OR 775 PG 92

Parcel ID: 30-2S-28-3230-00700-003 0

Name in which Assessed: HOMER F WATSON

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File #: 2017403

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CYNTHIA A SHELDON, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 6306

Year of Issuance: 2011

Description of Property: BEG AT PT ON N LI SEC 1-2S-27W & E 1/2 OF CO RD TH E 83 FT TO CORN SEC TH S 185 FT TO CO RD TH NWLY 200 FT TO POB

Parcel ID: 03-1N-28-2530-02200-004 0

Name in which Assessed: LONNIE A JOINER

All of the above property is located in Santa Rosa County, in the state of Florida.

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File #: 2017414

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JANE CHEON CHEON 2005 REVOCABLE TRUST, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 5986

Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: BAY CLIFFS LOT 18 BLK B AS DES IN OR 2625 PG 1254

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AS DES IN OR 392 PG 848

Parcel ID: 01-2S-27-0000-06008-000 0

Name in which Assessed: EARL BEASLEY, LINDA K BEASLEY

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JANE CHEON CHEON 2005 REVOCABLE TRUST, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 5986

Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: TOWN OF MILTON LOT 4 & N 6 FT OF LOT 6 BLK 22 AS DES IN OR 1645 PG 1042

Parcel ID: 03-1N-28-2530-02200-004 0

Name in which Assessed: ROBERT G MINSHULL JR

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File #: 2017411

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT TLGFY LLC CAPITAL ONE NA AS COLLATERAL ASSIGNEE OF TLGFY LLC, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT TLFY LLC CAPITAL ONE NA AS COLLATERAL ASSIGNEE OF TLFY LLC, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 3258
Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: SANTA VILLA UNIT VIII S 55.75 FT OF LOT 3 BLK C AS DES IN OR 1675 PG 743 LESS ALL MINERAL RIGHTS

Parcel ID: 13-1N-29-4924-00C00-003 0

Name in which Assessed: WILLIAM LEE MARTIN

All of the above property is located in Santa Rosa County, in the state of Florida.

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File #: 2017417
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT TLFY LLC CAPITAL ONE NA AS COLLATERAL ASSIGNEE OF TLFY LLC, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 2437
Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: MARLBOROUGH VILLAGE LOT 12 BLK 2 AS DES IN OR 1632 PG 970

Parcel ID: 21-2N-28-2360-00200-012 0

Name in which Assessed: CHARLES LEON BEE JR

All of the above property is located in Santa Rosa County, in the state of Florida.

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File #: 2018004
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BISHOP ENTERPRISES LLC, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 1506
Year of Issuance: 2011

Description of Property: OR 200 PG 641

Parcel ID: 22-1N-28-0000-07003-000 0

Name in which Assessed: ROSZETTA MORGAN NORTH

All of the above property is located in Santa Rosa County, in the state of Florida.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FORICH LLC, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 5621
Year of Issuance: 2012

Description of Property: CREEWOOD VILLAGE #1 TO #6 CONSERVATION EASEMENTS DES IN OR 2365 PGS 762, 769, 778, 786, 794 & 802

Parcel ID: 14-2S-26-0771-00000-ES MT

Name in which Assessed: CREEWOOD DEVELOPMENT LLC

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

CASE NO.: 2018-CP-000048

IN RE: ESTATE OF DIANA JANE PETERSEN, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Diana Jane Petersen, deceased, with the case number indicated above, is pending in the Circuit Court Santa Rosa County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is P.O. Box 472, Milton, Florida 32572. The name and address of the personal representative are: George Gilbert Petersen, 1432 Castnet Drive, Navarre, Florida 32566.

All persons having claims against this estate who are served with a copy of this notice, are required to file with this court such claim within the later of three (3) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or thirty (30) days after the date of service of a copy of this notice on such person.

Persons having claims against the estate who are not known to the personal representative and whose names or addresses are not reasonably ascertainable must file all claims against the estate within three (3) months after the date of the first publication of this notice.

Notwithstanding anything in this notice to the contrary, all claims against the estate must be filed on or before September 21, 2019.

ALL CLAIMS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

The date of the first publication of this notice is March 10, 2018.

David E. Hightower Florida Bar Number: 153140 Hightower Law Firm 119 North Palafox Street Pensacola, Florida 32502 (850) 549-3812 Attorney for the Personal Representative

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

File No. 2018-CP- 60 Division: Probate

IN RE: ESTATE OF JOSEPH E. HILLBRAND Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Joseph E. Hillbrand, deceased, whose date of death was March 3, 2017, is pending in the Circuit Court for Santa Rosa County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is P.O. Box 472, Milton, Florida 32572.

The names and addresses of the personal representative and the person(s) attorney are set forth below. All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this

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notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702 WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is March 10, 2018.

Dylan J. Hillebrand 2374 Duncan Bridge Drive Navarre, Florida 32566

Attorney for Personal Representative: WILLIAM L. KETCHERSID, ESQ. Florida Bar Number: 0024640 WARD & KETCHERSID, PA. 1241 Airport Road, Suite H Destin, FL 32541 Telephone: (850) 837-5507 Fax: (850) 650-9659 E-Mail: wfroote@flaattorney.com Secondary E-Mail: bketchersid@flaattorney.com

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA JUVENILE DIVISION

CASE NUMBER: 2016-DP-112

IN THE INTEREST OF: K.V. DOB: 06/10/2013

A CHILD

NOTICE OF ACTION AND OF HEARING FOR TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS AND GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF FLORIDA

TO: DUSTY VANN, the father Whereabouts/Residence Unknown

A petition for Termination of Parental Rights under oath has been filed in the Court regarding the above referenced child.

Pursuant to Sections 39.804(4)(d) and 63.082(6)(g), Florida Statutes, you are hereby informed of the availability of private placement with an adoption entity, as defined in Section 63.032(3), Florida Statutes.

You are to appear before the Honorable Ross Goodman, at the Santa Rosa County Courthouse, located at 6865 Caroline Street, S.E., Milton Florida 32570, at 9:00 A.M., on April 26, 2018. You must appear at the hearing on the date and time specified.

FAILURE TO PERSONALLY APPEAR AT THIS ADVISORY HEARING CONSTITUTES CONSENT TO THE TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS TO THIS CHILD(THESE CHILDREN). IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR ON THE DATE AND TIME SPECIFIED YOU MAY LOSE ALL LEGAL RIGHTS TO THE CHILD(OR CHILDREN) WHOSE INITIALS APPEAR ABOVE.

PLEASE BE GOVERNED ACCORDINGLY.

WITNESS my hand and seal of this Court at Milton, Santa Rosa County, Florida, on this March 8, 2018.

DONALD C. SPENCER CLERK OF COURT CIRCUIT COURT SEAL

By: Suzanne Burroughs Deputy Clerk

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 17000568CAMXAX

U.S. BANK TRUST N.A., AS TRUSTEE FOR LSF10 MASTER PARTICIPATION TRUST, Plaintiff,

VS.

WALTER J. CHAMBERS, et al., Defendant(s).

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sale will be made pursuant to an Order or Final Judgment. Final Judgment was awarded on February 21, 2018 in Civil Case No. 17000568CAMXAX, of the Circuit Court of the First Judicial Circuit in and for Santa Rosa County, Florida, wherein, U.S. BANK TRUST, N.A., AS TRUSTEE FOR LSF10 MASTER PARTICIPATION TRUST IS the Plaintiff, and WALTER J. CHAMBERS, UNKNOWN TENANT 1/N/A LEAH NELSON; UNKNOWN TENANT 2/N/A VERONICA NOTTS; ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER AND AGAINST THE HEREIN NAMED INDIVIDUAL DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAID UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS are Defendants.

The Clerk of the Court, Donald C. Spencer, will sell to the highest bidder for cash a t www.santarosarealaxdeed.com on April 6, 2018 at 11:00 AM CST the following described real property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

LOT 13, BLOCK B, SANTA VILLA VI, A SUBDIVISION OF A PORTION OF SECTION 13, TOWNSHIP 1 NORTH, RANGE 29 WEST, SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK C, PAGE104 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF SANTA ROSA COUNTY.

ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE SURPLUS FROM THE SALE, IF ANY, OTHER THAN THE PROPERTY OWNER AS OF THE DATE OF THE LIS PENDENS MUST FILE A CLAIM WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE.

Dated this 9th day of March, 2018.

ALDRIDGE | PITE, LLP Attorney for Plaintiff 1615 South Congress Avenue Suite 200 Delray Beach, FL 33445 Telephone: (844) 470-5804 Faxsimile: (561) 392-6965

By: Susan Sparks Sivan Sparks, Esq. FBN: 33626 Primary E-Mail: ServiceMail@aldridgepите.com

IMPORTANT

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT: If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Court Administration, ADA Liaison, Santa Rosa County, 6865 Caroline Street, Milton, FL 32570, Phone (850) 623-3159, Fax (850) 982-0602, ADA.SantaRosa@courts1.gov at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

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NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAW PURSUANT TO SECTION 865.09, Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, desiring to engage in business under the fictitious name of Baker Farms, located at 9101 Hwy 89 in the County of Santa Rosa, in the City of Milton, Florida 32570 intends to register the said name with the Division of Corporations of the Florida Department of State, Tallahassee, Florida.

Dated at Milton, Florida, this 13th day of March, 2018.

Brad A. Baker & Valerie R. Baker

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA JUVENILE DIVISION

CASE NUMBER: 2016-DP-112

IN THE INTEREST OF: K.V. DOB: 06/10/2013

A CHILD

NOTICE OF ACTION AND OF HEARING FOR TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS AND GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF FLORIDA

TO: BRITTANY HARRIS, the mother Whereabouts/Residence Unknown

A petition for Termination of Parental Rights under oath has been filed in the Court regarding the above referenced child.

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the 2nd day of April, 2018, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

ALL THAT CERTAIN LAND SITUATED, LYING AND BEING IN SANTA ROSA COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA, VIZ: COMMENCE AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SECTION 43, TOWNSHIP 1 NORTH, RANGE 28 WEST, SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA; THENCE RUN SOUTH 74 DEGREES 47 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SECTION FOR 3157.52 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREES 12 MINUTES 57 SECONDS EAST FOR 603.11 FEET; THENCE NORTH 85 DEGREES 43 MINUTES 15 SECONDS EAST ALONG A LINE THAT IS PARALLEL TO HAMILTON BRIDGE ROAD FOR 132.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUE NORTH 85 DEGREES 43 MINUTES 15 SECONDS EAST 218.00 FEET TO THE WEST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAINTS LANE; THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREES 12 MINUTES 57 SECONDS EAST ALONG SAID RIGHT OF WAY LINE FOR 100.00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 85 DEGREES 43 MINUTES 15 SECONDS WEST ALONG SAID PARALLEL LINE FOR 218.00 FEET; THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 12 MINUTES 57 SECONDS WEST FOR 100.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

Dated this 8th day of March, 2018.

BROCK & SCOTT, PLLC Attorney for Plaintiff 1501 N.W. 49th Street, Suite 200 Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309 Phone: (954) 618-6955, ext. 6209 Fax: (954) 618-6954 FLCourtDocs@brockandscott.com

By Jimmy Edwards Jimmy Edwards, Esq. Florida Bar No. 81855

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Court Administration, ADA Liaison, Santa Rosa County, 6865 Caroline Street, Milton, FL 32570, Phone (850) 623-3159, Fax (850) 982-0602, ADA.SantaRosa@courts1.gov at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

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NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAW PURSUANT TO SECTION 865.09, Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT DALE RENNER, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 1626
Year of Issuance: 2014

Description of Property: AVOLON BEACH LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 529

Parcel ID: 0-1N-28-0090-52900-011 0

Name in which Assessed: PATSY M GUERINO EST AK A PATSY MICHAEL GUERINO EST

All of the above property is located in Santa Rosa County, in the state of Florida.

Unless such certificate(s) shall be redeemed according to the law the property described in such certificate(s) will be sold to the highest bidder online at www.santarosarealaxdeed.com on 04/16/2018 at 12:00 noon CT, by Donald C. Spencer, Santa Rosa County Clerk of the Courts.

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File #: 2017409
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT DALE RENNER, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 1626
Year of Issuance: 2014

Description of Property: AVOLON BEACH LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 529

Parcel ID: 0-1N-28-0090-52900-011 0

Name in which Assessed: PATSY M GUERINO EST AK A PATSY MICHAEL GUERINO EST

All of the above property is located in Santa Rosa County, in the state of Florida.

Unless such certificate(s) shall be redeemed according to the law the property described in such certificate(s) will be sold to the highest bidder online at www.santarosarealaxdeed.com on 04/16/2018 at 12:00 noon CT, by Donald C.

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Pursuant to Sections 39.804(4)(d) and 63.082(6)(g), Florida Statutes, you are hereby informed of the availability of private placement with an adoption entity, as defined in Section 63.032(3), Florida Statutes.

You are to appear before the Honorable Ross Goodman, at the Santa Rosa County Courthouse, located at 6865 Caroline Street, S.E., Milton Florida 32570, at 9:00 A.M., on April 26, 2018. You must appear at the hearing on the date and time specified.

FAILURE TO PERSONALLY APPEAR AT THIS ADVISORY HEARING CONSTITUTES CONSENT TO THE TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS TO THIS CHILD(THESE CHILDREN). IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR ON THE DATE AND TIME SPECIFIED YOU MAY LOSE ALL LEGAL RIGHTS TO THE CHILD(OR CHILDREN) WHOSE INITIALS APPEAR ABOVE.

PLEASE BE GOVERNED ACCORDINGLY.

WITNESS my hand and seal of this Court at Milton, Santa Rosa County, Florida, on this March 8, 2018.

DONALD C. SPENCER CLERK OF COURT CIRCUIT COURT SEAL

By: Suzanne Burroughs Deputy Clerk

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File #: 2017407
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHARLES BODMER, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Certificate for the Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 3343
Year of Issuance: 2011

Description of Property: COM NE COR OF SE4 OF SE4 12-1N-29W TH W 525 FT TH S 300 FT TO POB TH CONT S 100 FT TH W 150 FT TH N 100 FT TH E 150 FT TO POB BEING LOT 28 OF UNREC PLAT AS DES IN OR 1785 PG 105 & OR 2020 PGS 730 & 739 LESS ALL MINERAL RIGHTS

Parcel ID: 12-1N-29-0000-02316-000 0

Name in which Assessed: ORVILLE A BECKFORD

All of the above property is located in Santa Rosa County, in the state of Florida.

Unless such certificate(s) shall be redeemed according to the law the property described in such certificate(s) will be sold to the highest bidder online at www.santarosarealaxdeed.com on 04/16/2018 at 12:00 noon CT, by Donald C. Spencer, Santa Rosa County Clerk of the Courts.

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File #: 2017409
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT DALE RENNER, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The Certificate Number and year of Issuance, the Description of the property, and Name(s) in which it is assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 1626
Year of Issuance: 2014

Description of Property: AVOLON BEACH LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 529

Parcel ID: 0-1N-28-0090-52900-011 0

Name in which Assessed: PATSY M GUERINO EST AK A PATSY MICHAEL GUERINO EST

All of the above property is located in Santa Rosa County, in the state of Florida.

Unless such certificate(s) shall be redeemed according to the law the property described in such certificate(s) will be sold to the highest bidder online at www.santarosarealaxdeed.com on 04/16/2018 at 12:00 noon CT, by Donald C.

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Spencer, Santa Rosa County Clerk of the Courts.

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File #: 2017415
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT TLFY LLC CAPITAL ONE NA AS COLLATERAL ASSIGNEE OF TLFY LLC, holder of the following Tax Sale Certificate has filed said Tax Deed to be issued there

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Santa Rosa County  
6865 Caroline Street  
Milton, FL 32570  
Phone (850) 623-3159  
Fax (850) 983-0602  
ADA.SantaRosa@flcourts.gov

at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

Dated this 6th day of March, 2018.

By: Scott Weiss  
Scott Weiss, Esq.  
Bar Number: 0710910

Submitted by:  
Choice Legal Group, P.A.  
P.O. Box 9908  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33310-0908  
Telephone: (954) 453-0365  
Facsimile: (954) 771-6052  
Toll Free: 1-800-441-2438

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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE 1ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 2017-CC-000829

HOLLEY BY THE SEA IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation, Plaintiff,

vs.

VIRGIL W. MAGEE, et al., Defendants.

**RE-NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Order Directing Clerk to Reschedule Foreclosure Sale dated the 5th day of March, 2018 and entered in CASE NO.: 2017-CC-000829, of the County Court in and for Santa Rosa County, Florida, wherein Holley by the Sea Improvement Association Inc. is Plaintiff, and Virgil W. Magee is the Defendant(s), I will sell to the highest and best bidder at 11:00AM, on the 10th day of April, 2018, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to-wit:

Lot 17, Block 27, HOLLY BY THE SEA, according to the plat thereof as recorded in plat Book B, Page 155, of the public records of Santa Rosa County, Florida.

This property is located at the street address of: 2011 Eagle Lane, Navarre, FL 32566

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus funds from the foreclosure sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within sixty (60) days after the sale.

Dated this 7th day of March, 2018.

Garfinkel Whynt  
300 N. Maitland Avenue  
Maitland, FL 32751  
Phone: (407) 777-8400  
Telefax: (407) 386-8485

BY: Tennille Shipwash  
Tennille Shipwash, Esq.  
Florida Bar No.: 617431  
Primary email address: tshipwash@mygwlaw.com  
Secondary email address: pleadings@mygwlaw.com

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 2018 CA 000063

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. Plaintiff,

vs.

THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, GRANTEES, DEVISEES, LIENORS, TRUSTEES, AND CREDITORS OF JAMES KELLY JACKSON A/K/A J KELLY JACKSON, DECEASED.

**NOTICE OF ACTION**

TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, GRANTEES, DEVISEES, LIENORS, TRUSTEES, AND CREDITORS OF JAMES KELLY JACKSON A/K/A J KELLY JACKSON, DECEASED

-AND-

THE UNKNOWN BENEFICIARIES OF THE BILLIE JEAN BOOTH AMENDED AND RE-STATED REVOCABLE

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TRUST DATED MAY 7, 1992 ALSO KNOWN AS THE BILLIE JEAN BOOTH AMENDED AND RE-STATED REVOCABLE TRUST DATED MAY 7, 1992

Current residence unknown, but whose last known address was:

2078 AVENIDA DEL SOL ST  
NAVARRE, FL 32566

**YOU ARE NOTIFIED** that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following property in Santa Rosa County, Florida, to-wit:

LOT 25, BLOCK 57, SECOND ADDITION TO NAVARRE, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK C, PAGE 31, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on the LEGAL, PLLC, Plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 12425 28th Street North, Suite 200, St. Petersburg, FL 33716, on or before April 6, 2018 or within thirty (30) days after the first publication of this Notice of Action, and file the original with the Clerk of this Court at P.O. Box 472, Milton, FL 32572-0472, either before service on Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise, a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint petition.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Court on this 5th day of March, 2018.

Donald C. Spencer  
Clerk of the Circuit Court (SEAL)

By: Leslie Sparr  
Deputy Clerk

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact: Court Administration, ADA Liaison Santa Rosa County, 6865 Caroline Street, Milton, FL 32570 Phone (850) 623-3159 Fax (850) 983-0602 ADA.SantaRosa@flcourts.gov at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

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**REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS:**

The City of Milton will receive sealed proposals until 2:00 p.m. Wednesday March 28, 2018 at City Hall, 6738 Dixon Street, P.O. Box 909, Milton, Florida 32572 for: **RFP #2018.02.04 Disaster Recovery Administrative Services** Information on the bid is available at miltonfl.org and www.BIDNETDIRECT.com. For more information, please contact the Purchasing Department by email at (mabrahamson@miltonfl.org). Please be advised that the City Council reserves the right to accept the best bid for the city or reject all bids.

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**REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS FOR ENGINEERING SERVICES**

Notice is hereby given that the Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners is calling for and requesting qualifications from qualified professional engineering firms to provide engineering services for the Tom King Bayou East Branch Channel Restoration. Services will include, but may not be limited to, a detailed field review, surveying, geotechnical services, engineering design, environmental permitting, development of construction plans, easement acquisition, specification production, cost estimates, and bid document preparation. All proposals shall be considered in accordance with the Florida Competitive Consultant Negotiations Act. (F.S. 287.055)

All proposals must be in writing and delivered by hand or Fed Ex to the Santa Rosa County Procurement Department, 6495 Caroline Street, Suite J, Milton, Florida, 32570; and must be received by 10:00 a.m., CST, Thursday April 12, 2018 at which time will be publicly opened. Secondary delivery location shall be to Suite M at the above address. E-mailed bid responses will be rejected. Only proposals

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received by the aforesaid time and date will be considered. All proposals shall be sealed and clearly labeled, "RFO 18-030 Tom King Bayou East Branch Channel Restoration". Submittals shall include one (1) original proposal, labeled "ORIGINAL", and six (6) copies labeled "COPY", and one (1) electronic file in OCR (readable) PDF format.

Specifications may be secured from Santa Rosa County Website www.santarosa.fl.gov (keyword BIDS) or at the Santa Rosa County Procurement Department at the above address. Telephone (850) 983-1870.

Questions concerning this request should be directed to the Santa Rosa County Assistant County Engineer, Michael Schmidt, P.E., at (850) 981-7100 prior to 4:00 p.m. Thursday April 5, 2018.

The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals in whole or in part, and to waive all informalities and to qualify firms that it determines to be in the best interest of Santa Rosa County.

Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners encourages all segments of the business community to participate in its procurement opportunities, including small businesses, minority/women owned businesses, and disadvantaged business enterprises. The Board does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, disability, sex, or age in the administration of contracts.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida

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**INVITATION TO BID SANDPIPER VILLAGE PARK PIER AND SEAWALL REPLACEMENT**

Notice is hereby given that the Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners is calling for and requesting bids from properly licensed contractors to provide the construction of the Sandpiper Village Park Pier and Seawall replacement. The pier and seawall shall meet the conditions of the permitted plans and the FDEP permit.

The project consists of the removal and replacement of 120 linear feet of seawall along with the removal and replacement of a 1760 square foot dock.

All proposals must be in writing and delivered by hand, overnight courier service, or U.S. Mail to the Santa Rosa County Procurement Department, 6495 Caroline Street, Suite J, Milton, Florida, 32570; and must be received by 10:00 a.m., CST, Thursday April 5, 2018 at which time will be publicly opened. Secondary delivery location shall be to Suite M at the above address. E-mailed bid responses will be rejected. Only proposals received by the aforesaid time and date will be considered. All proposals shall be sealed and clearly labeled, "ITB 18-031 SANDPIPER VILLAGE PARK PIER AND SEAWALL REPLACEMENT". Submittals shall include one (1) original proposal, labeled "ORIGINAL", and three (3) copies labeled "COPY", and one (1) electronic file in OCR (readable) PDF format.

Specifications may be secured from Santa Rosa County Website www.santarosa.fl.gov (keyword BIDS) or at the Santa Rosa County Procurement Department at the above address. Telephone (850) 983-1870.

Questions concerning this request should be directed to the Santa Rosa County Procurement Department in writing to bidinfo@santarosa.fl.gov prior to 4:00 p.m. Thursday March 29, 2018.

The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals in whole or in part, and to waive all informalities and to qualify firms that it determines to be in the best interest of Santa Rosa County.

Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners encourages all segments of the business community to participate in its procurement opportunities, including small businesses, minority/women owned businesses, and disadvantaged business enterprises. The Board does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, disability, sex, or age in the administration of contracts.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners

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**FitKidsforLife.org**

Announcing Children's Health and Wellness of NW Florida, Inc. (DBA Legacy Fields). We are a newly formed non-profit organization looking forward to providing wellness and nutrition classes and physical activities for the youth of Pace and the surrounding areas. FitKidsforLife.org for updates and news.



**2100 - Pets**

**2110 - Pets: Free to Good Home**

**2120 - Pet Supplies**

**2130 - Farm Animals/Supplies**

**2140 - Pets/Livestock Wanted**

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**3100 - Antiques**

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**3270 - Jewelry/Clothing**

**3280 - Machinery/Equipment**

**3290 - Medical Equipment**

**3300 - Miscellaneous**

**3310 - Musical Instruments**

**3320 - Plants & Shrubs/Supplies**

**3330 - Restaurant/Hotel**

**3340 - Sporting Goods**

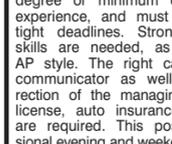
**3350 - Tickets (Buy & Sell)**

**PLANTS & SHRUBS/SUPPLIES**

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**SUNCOAST SOD FARMS**

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