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South Bay Marks Progress

New projects on the way, city finances balanced

BY JOSE JESUS ZARAGOZA
The Sun

Corey Alston does not hide the fact that numbers have formulated the grand portion of his life. Having worked in the financial world for much of his career, his relatively recent hire by the city of South Bay, as city manager, has already produced some tangible results.

The following is a short summary of the city's major projects and goals heading into 2011:

Having been on the job for approximately 18 months, Mr. Alston has zeroed in on the city's larger budget items and found ways to reduce the city's operational costs through old-fashioned negotiation and by inviting competitive bids. By doing so he has accomplished some notable goals, including balancing the budget and even resolving a yearly surplus in revenue. He and his team have also caught up with financial audits going back to three to four years.

Why so many issues in the first place? It's simple, he said: years of mismanagement. Though he's careful about placing blame on anyone and hopes that he isn't being critical of past administrations, he is not shy about referring to areas that were not addressed, historical understandings that were simply ignored.

Cutting costs

Take the city's sanitation services for example. The city's former hauling service, an outside contractor, had typically been paid somewhere in the neighborhood of \$40,000 monthly for services. Without a cap on what this amount could be, it

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Arrests Made in Killing of 15-Year-Old

Suspects face first degree murder charges

BY JOSE JESUS ZARAGOZA
The Sun



Country Music Icon Mel Tillis Shares His Path To Fame

Strolling through town with a song in his heart

BY AMANDA FITE

If country superstar Mel Tillis hadn't been the hard-headed sort, he might have spent his life as a baker.

Lonnie Melvin Tillis grew up in the small town of Pahokee, Fla., on the banks of Lake Okeechobee. Tillis said he grew up in his father's bakery shop, and he didn't care for the work. But his career came down to two things, or so his father thought. "You gotta go to school or be a baker," he said.

"Daddy, I don't want to be a baker," Tillis responded.

So, his father said that he was going to start taking rent out of his son's pay ("but I was living

here free 15 minutes ago," Tillis wailed), and then told him to go pick up the mail.

As Tillis walked to the post office, he saw an Air Force recruiter "with a pretty uniform on." He ended up at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas.

"After we'd been there several weeks," Tillis recalled, "they called us all in and give us an aptitude test."

"And I waited and I waited and I waited for my orders to come in, and my buddies were going to all these places ... and finally here come mine."

It told him to report across town - to the bakery.

'That damn knack'

So, in the early 1950s, Tillis baked, but he also had a regular job on the radio singing country

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Dexter Dukes

Dexter Dukes, 20, and Kareem Williams, 17, were arrested on charges of first degree murder. The two suspects are being tied to the death of James Demps, 15, of South Bay.

The Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office had been exhaustively investigating the murder of Demps, which resulted in evi-

dence supporting the two suspect's involvement.

Demps was murdered in plain sight on January 23. He was reportedly walking along the side of the road when two gunmen driving in a Toyota Camry shot at him multiple times, killing him as he tried to flee.

Deputies found him lying in a front yard on Northwest 11th Avenue.

The Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office is not yet saying how the two suspects were linked to the case. After his arrest, Dexter Dukes was denied bond during his court appearance on Friday. Kareem Williams was booked in the JAC center due to his young age.

The killing shocked the community of South Bay, especially considering the victim's age. Demps was 15-year-old.

He would have turned 16 today.

Community News and Information

Belle Glade Library

Belle Glade Library, 530 South Main Street, has adult, teen and children's programs.

Please visit the web site at www.pbclibrary.org/branch-bg for detailed information or call 561-996-3453.

Some programs require registration. Library days/hours of operation are Monday to Wednesday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Thursday to Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Property Appraiser's Office

The Property Appraiser's Office presents \$1,000 scholarships each year to five college-bound students. Since 1993, the Property Appraiser's Office has awarded \$99,000 in college scholarships. The application can be downloaded from the Property Appraiser's Web site: pbegov.com/PAPA. The deadline to submit the 2011 application is March 31.

To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must be a resident of Palm Beach County, and have a minimum 3.0 GPA. The college or junior college they plan to attend must be accredited. Funds are raised through volunteer employee donations from participants in our office's Friday Casual Dress Day. An Employee Scholarship Committee selects the five winners. For more information, call 561-355-3230.

Property Appraiser Gary R. Nikolits, CFA, reminds new homeowners they may qualify for Florida's Homestead Exemption property tax saving benefit. Florida grants qualified residents a standard \$25,000 exemption off a property's assessed value. An additional exemption benefit up to \$50,000 from the standard \$25,000 may also apply.

If you purchased a home in 2010, the filing deadline is Tuesday, Mar. 1. You can apply in person at any of our five Service Centers in West Palm Beach, Palm Beach Gardens, Delray Beach, Royal Palm Beach or Belle Glade. To apply in per-

son, the deadline is 5 p.m., Tuesday, March 1. You can also go to our web site, pbegov.com/PAPA, and apply online. To apply online, the deadline is 11:59 p.m., Mar. 1.

To qualify, the property must be the owner's primary residence as of Dec. 31 2010, and the owner must be a permanent resident of Florida and cannot hold any residency-based benefits in other Florida counties or states.

To find out more about Florida's Homestead Exemption and how it can save you money, please call 561-355-2866.

It's Tea Time!

Join the United Missionary Baptist Church Women's Ministry for our Ladies, Lil Ladies and (Men's) "Pretty Hat Tea" Saturday, Feb. 19, at 3:45 p.m. at the Everglades Preparatory Academy Cafeteria (old Pahokee High School cafeteria). This event is sponsored in conjunction with our Annual Women's Day Celebration.

It's our pleasure to invite you to an afternoon of tea, food, fellowship and a parade of glamour. Please, mark your calendars and make plans for this glamorous event. See any lady of United M.B. Church for your personal invitation.

For further information you may contact Sis. Donna White at 305-393-5437 or Sis. Barbara Jones at 561-924-5496 or 561-985-0144. There's no charge for this event, but a "Free Will" offering will be received. We look forward to seeing you there.

Shoot-Out

Clewiston Christian School is having a shoot-out on Feb. 12 at Dunwoody Plantation (6.5 miles north of Clewiston on U.S. 27 North. Turn left at Flaghole Road - Look for signs on right) Registration begins at 8 a.m.

To pre-register please call Clewiston Christian School at 863-983-5388 or e-mail kmills@clewistonchristian.org for more information.

School Briefs

Rosenwald Elementary

Rosenwald Elementary School Saturday Tutorial Dates:

- Feb. 5, Feb. 12, Feb. 19, Feb. 26, March 5, March 26, April 2, April 9.

Sugar Bear News From Pioneer Park

Pioneer Park's Student Volunteer Corps

Fall 2010 saw the start up of a very powerful and significant group of students on the campus of Pioneer Park Elementary School, the Student Volunteer Corps. Fourth and fifth grade students partook in a rigorous application process to be counted among the select membership of this campus service organization.

During the fall, members will conduct the televised morning announcements; organize and facilitate the campus recycling program; peer-mentor emergent and struggling readers; and offer support to the media center to re-shelf books and to assist with checkout. The teachers and administrators at Pioneer Park wish to acknowledge these amazing young students for their commitment to our school.

Campus members currently include Car'Tiera Turner, Sam'Quan Slaughter, Beverly Kelly, Curtierria Warner, Dontavious Locket, Patricia Hall, Antuan Williams, Carlene Joseph, Guyland Val, Curtis Franklin, Sha'nia Deleard, Jizelle Comacho, Odie Hiliare, Lynne Legros, Ronkeria

Brown, Lorry Exilhomme, Venna Louis-Charles. Join Principal Miller and the entire staff and faculty of Pioneer Park Elementary School in recognizing these future leaders.

Safety Patrols Selling Lollipops

Sugar Bear Safety Patrols are going to be selling Lollipops to raise money for their trip to Atlanta and Orlando at the end of the school year. They will be sold at a cost of .50 - .75 cents. Please give those quarters for this much needed cause. Thanks for your support.

Pioneer Park Elementary Receives Boxes of Joy

Pioneer Park Elementary School was once again overwhelmed by the generosity of their sister school, Panther Run Elementary. Vans and pick-up trucks arrived, carrying students, Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO) members, and volunteers bringing with them 45 Thanksgiving Boxes.

These boxes were all decorated with the Thanksgiving theme and filled with everything needed to make a Thanksgiving Fest including a gift card to Winn Dixie. Pioneer Park had previously identified families that would be given these boxes. As the families arrived Mr. Harmon, Guidance Counselor, would present them with the Thanksgiving box and the gift card. Principal, Mr. Miller commented, "We are so thankful for Panther Run's generosity. These will help make Thanksgiving a joyous one in many homes."

The students from Panther Run enjoyed a tour of the school by members of the Safety Patrol.

Pioneer Park had also asked for assistance from Panther Run for a coat closet to provide coats for our students. Panther Run brought numerous coats for this purpose.

For more information contact Jeannie Britt at 561-993-8603 or via e-mail at brittj@palmbeach.k12.fl.us.

Gove Cat Talk

Fine Diner Award

Congratulations to the following homerooms for being selected to receive the "Fine Diner Award" for the month of December: Third Grade: Mrs. Mrs. Gutierrez, Mrs. Siegert, Mrs. De Leon, and Mr. Larregui. Fourth Grade: Mrs. Mendez, Mrs. Kujawski, Mrs. Rodriguez, and Mrs. Bratt. Fifth Grade: Mrs. Villanueva, Mr. Justiniano, Mrs. Carrasco, and Mrs. K. Miller. Sixth Grade: Mrs. Hansen, Mrs. Pearce, and Mrs. Lutz.

The students received a special dessert during their lunch time on January 10. We thank Mrs. Riker, Guidance Counselor, for overseeing this monthly recognition program and to the assistants for monitoring the cafeteria behavior.

Oratorical Contest Winners

Kudos to the following two sisters for winning first place in their respective categories during the recent Oratorical Contest held at Rosenwald Elementary in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.: Second grade student, Chaniya Dowers, addressed the following topic: "Dr. MLK, Jr., A Leader for All People"; her sister, Chanel Dowers

(Gr. 4), addressed the topic: "A Man of Achievement, A Time of Promise." We are proud of all the students who represented Gove Elementary in this contest.

Pahokee Youth Enrichment Academy

• Sign your child up now for basketball, cheerleading, karate, science experiments, wildlife adventures, drumming, photography, robotics, and much more at the Pahokee YEA (PYEA) After-school Program. Other activities include homework assistance, social skills, and game lounge. Space is limited!

For more information contact Erickia Abrams at 561-924-9731. Pahokee YEA (PYEA) after-school program, located at the Pahokee Elementary School, 560 East Main Place-Portable 2, Pahokee. Program operating hours are Monday-Friday from school dismissal-6 p.m., open on early release days, non-school days, and teacher work days from 7:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Open to all community youth who attends local schools in the Pahokee area. Transportation provided from school/home.

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RELIGION COLUMNS

Should I Place Membership?

BY JACKIE MILLER, EVANGELIST
First Christian Church

Our nation has a very large "floating population"- people who are periodically transferred about the country in their work. In our area we have many "winter residents." Each time we relocate or spend the winter in a location, we are faced with taking up our Christian profession in the new community. How are we to make it known that we are Christians? How are we to let the brethren in the community know that we are ready to assist in the work to discharge the obligations of a Christian. The easiest way is to "place membership" in the church with which we intend to work and worship. For "winter residents" they may become "associate members" in the same way. This is best done by going forward when the invitation song is being sung during the worship service and making our desire known. This way everyone present sees us, so they know who we are. They immediately know we are Christians, and therefore we have much in common with them. The elders know that we are under their oversight, and can begin immediately to care for us spiritually. If we are later absent from services, those who notice will know that there is a reason for it and look after us to see if they can help.

If you are timid, or there is some other reason for not going forward at the invitation, tell the minister of one of the elders that you want to be identified with the congregation. You should "place membership" where you intend to worship because it is good for you and good for the church. It will insure a proper association and will make your life count more for the Lord.

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Members" who benefit the church and are benefited by the church.

The Mouse and the Non-Believer

BY REV. SAM S. THOMAS, PH. D.
Saint Martin's Church

There is that TV commercial where a woman tells a mouse that he is disgusting. The mouse replies "prove it!" The dialog ends but the commercial continues with a suggested way of removing mice. There is something about the mouse though. He has a point to make. Just what can we "prove" or what do we need to "prove" and how much proof does something take? I have had numerous people over the years tell me, "I know that, but I can't prove it." For them, they are solidly convinced that so-and-so did something or that someone is lying, or that someone may be still alive when others' hopes have faded. Every now and again we hear of an Elizabeth Smart who turns up alive after years, or of a young girl kidnapped at birth and senses something is wrong then begins to search for her birth mother and finds her. The mouse is disgusting but he hides behind knowing one of the standards held in society can't be met by his accuser. Her appeal is to a different way of knowing; the common disgust held by people who encounter vermin. God and the devil's test subject, Job, proclaims in the midst of all his trials, doubts, temptations, the cynics who scorn him, and everything else that can go wrong, "I know that my Redeemer lives, and that in the end he will stand upon the earth and ... yet shall I see God (Job 19:25-26)." This is not "I believe," or "I imagine," but "I know!" It is

something I've experienced too. There are people I love, but I can't really prove it to them. There are people who love me and I must accept it on their say-so and by their acts toward me. There are many things I just have to take on faith, with trust and know that they are so. Our instincts tell us that the lady is right about the mouse in the commercial; apparently the advertiser thinks so too or he wouldn't be trying to sell us "mouse removers" by suggesting that "proof" triumphs over "knowing." This is precisely what is wrong with the cynic, the disbeliever, the non-believer. He (or she) wants "proof" and insists that it must be on his terms. From the beginning, we read of people saying "Show us a sign" (cf. Matthew 12, Mark 8, Luke 11), and even where the "signs" appear, there is still disbelief. I come to the conclusion that those who do not want to believe simply do not want to consider any other way of looking at things than their own. The world of the faithful includes many ways of looking at things and the outcome is different. Knowing in faith brings with it hope; knowing in faith opens the possibility of a deeper and more meaningful kind of love, knowing in faith gives a much better reason for living. The non-believer? Maybe he is more comfortable commiserating with TV mice!

Singing Our Lifesong

BY PASTOR JOHN HICKS
First United Methodist Church

Growing older. We make jokes and laugh about it. We worry and groan about it. We can try to resist it, but there's nothing we can do to stop it. I experienced the reality of this last week when I woke up and realized I had aged a year since the day before. My friends were sensitive to my real-

ity. I only had one candle on my birthday "pie." I choose believing in their sensitivity rather than the fact that the appropriate number of candles would have cost more than the pie and might have set off the sprinkler system! On the other hand, I also received a walking cane with a horn, magnifying glass, and a sign that stated "over the hill crossing."

These days I've noticed that I'm starting to relate more to some of the old age "gems" that come my way: "When I was young, I made a lot of faces in the mirror. Now that I am older, the mirror is getting even." "You know you are getting older when you try to straighten out the wrinkles in your socks only to find you aren't wearing any." "Look at it this way. All your life you've been taught to respect your elders. Now you are one!" "Don't despair; next to a Galapagos turtle, you are still a child." So what do we do with our birthdays? Since we can't avoid them, we might as well celebrate them. Birthdays are mile-stones on our road of life, reminding us that we aren't home yet, but we are getting closer. Let us welcome them as melodies in our lifesong. We can't control how long our lifesongs last, but we can control how we sing them. Let us not sing them as a dirge! Let us live for the moments we have and sing our lifesong from our hearts and not just from our lips, giving praise to our Lord who promises His abiding presence in this cantata we call life. I should add, "especially in the wrinkles and crinkles, and the aches and quakes that come with the aging process!"

"Lord, I give my life, a Living sacrifice -to reach a world in need, to be your hands and feet. So may the words I say and the things I do make my lifesong sing, bring a smile to You." (Casting Crowns)

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Mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers. Highs around 80. East winds around 5 mph becoming around 10 mph in the afternoon.

Thursday Night:

Partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers. Lows in the upper 60s.

Friday:

Partly sunny with a 20 percent chance of showers. Highs around 80.

Friday Night:

Mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers. Lows in the mid 60s.

Saturday:

Mostly cloudy. Slight chance of showers ... then chance of showers in the afternoon. Highs in the upper 70s. Chance of rain 30 percent.

Saturday Night:

Mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers in the evening ... then partly cloudy af-

ter midnight. Cooler. Lows in the upper 50s.

Sunday:

Partly sunny. A 20 percent chance of showers in the afternoon. Highs in the mid 70s.

Sunday Night:

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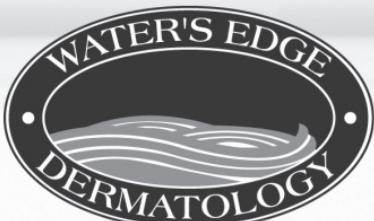


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Weekly Lake Okeechobee Fishing Report

BY MARK KING

Just when I think Lake Okeechobee can't get any better the really big bass start showing up, like the nine-pound monster my client caught this week. That was not the only big fish caught this week out on the Big "O" on both wild shiners and artificial lures.

With the water level holding steady at 12.49 and the water temperature warming up in to the mid-60s during the day time hours the bigger female bass have been on the move to spawning areas. My clients this past week caught eight bass over seven pounds and I can't even begin to count how many three- to five-pound bass we caught.

The FLW Open tournament is this week on Lake Okeechobee out of Clewiston and there will be a good number of big fish weighed in for sure.

I have caught bass from the Monkey Box to Ritta Island and everywhere in between on both wild shiners and artificial lures. The Gambler Ace in junebug color has been the number one bait for me this week, I have fished it Texas-rigged with a small 1/16 ounce screw in bullet sinker and

also wacky rigged with no weight. It all depended on where I was fishing and how thick the cover was as to which way I fished this lure. I did also have one really good day throwing a Gambler Big EZ and a Reaction Innovation Skinny Dipper back in the real heavy cover, but the key here was to wait 'til afternoon when the water warmed up.

In both situations you need to use heavy braided line, I like to use Diamond braided line in 65-pound test. This line is round unlike most braided line that is flat and will not pull down in the spool on your reel.

Some of the other lures that I have used this week include Spro Aruka Shad lipless crankbaits, Omega swim jig in white color, and even a Zara Super Spook one day.

I have been fishing a variety of areas and types of vegetation including reeds, peppergrass, and eel grass beds. The bass seem to be staging out in the scattered eel grass and then move in to the thicker areas to spawn and some of these areas take a push pole to get to but this is where the bigger bass have been caught this week.

Some of the better areas have been the Mon-

key Box, North Shore, the shoal off of Observation Island, and both sides of Ritta Island. Which of these areas I fished depended on the wind and how hard it was blowing. In most areas I start out pretty far and move in to where the dirty water and clear water start to mix.

The crappie bite is still holding its own in areas like Uncle Joe's Cut, the rim canal, Bird Island, and Harney Pond canal. Be sure and stop by Roland Martin's Marina and Resort for the FLW weigh in this Thursday and Friday at 3 p.m. and than at Wal-Mart Saturday and Sunday at 4 p.m.

I will be doing seminars on fishing Lake Okeechobee at the Florida Sportsman Show February 5th and 6th at the Lee Civic Center in Fort Myers, stop by my booth and we can talk bass fishing. Until next week good luck, tight lines, and get out on the water the big ones are biting.

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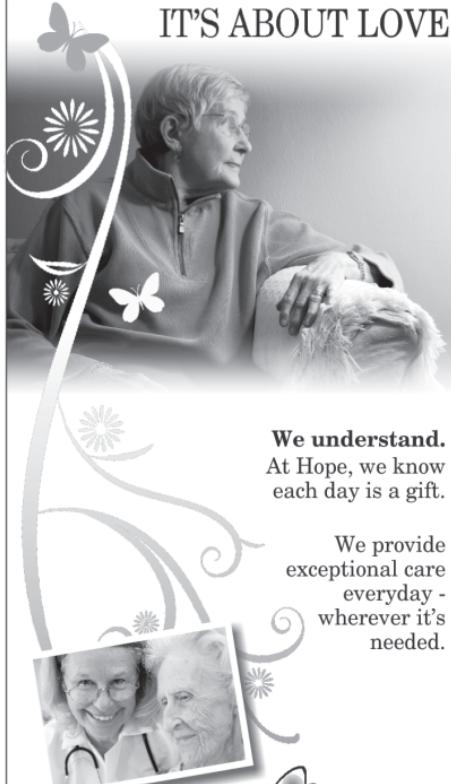
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Corps Starts Lake Okeechobee releases



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Move to benefit Caloosahatchee Estuary

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Jacksonville District started water releases from Lake Okeechobee to the Caloosahatchee Estuary on Jan. 28, to help improve the condition of critical tape grasses and protect freshwater organisms. The lake stage was 12.5 feet (NGVD).

The target flow of this release is an average of 300 cubic feet per second (cfs) over the seven-day period to the Caloosahatchee Estuary, measured at W.P. Franklin Lock and Dam (S-79). The Corps anticipates the total pulse release effect on the lake level to be about a sixth-of-an-inch off the lake.

The Corps discontinued water releases from the lake to the Caloosahatchee Estuary Dec. 17 in preparation for forecasted dry conditions.

On Dec. 17 the lake stage was 12.64 feet (NGVD).

Though the lake remains at approximately the same level today, west coast estuarine scientists say minimum freshwater releases to the Caloosahatchee Estuary are critical to maintaining the estuary's health, which has been declining. Freshwater tape grass, which provides nursery habitat for a multitude of organisms, is an indicator of healthy conditions in the upper estuary of the Caloosahatchee.

"We expect this release to support the natural system by helping to recharge the root-base of the tape grasses. Establishing a salinity gradient is vital to the health, productivity and func-

tion of the estuary," said Lt.

Col. Michael Kinard, Deputy District Commander, south Florida.

The South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD) made their recommendation to the Corps today, requesting the seven-day release in accordance with their Adaptive Protocols.

The Corps strives to maintain the lake between 12.5 and 15.5 feet

(NGVD) while balancing all competing demands. Lake Okeechobee now stands at 12.50 feet (NGVD) and is in the 2008 Lake Okeechobee Regulation Schedule's Beneficial Use Sub-Band, which varies seasonally between elevation 10.5 feet and 13 feet.

Within this sub-band, unless releases are required for navigation purposes, the Corps generally defers to the South Florida Water Management District's recommendation for water allocation to various users. Fish and wildlife enhancement and/or water supply deliveries for environmental needs may involve conducting an environmental release from Lake Okeechobee through the SFWMD Adaptive Protocols or other SFWMD authorities.

The Corps and partner agencies will continue to closely monitor and assess system conditions. For more information on water level and flows data for Lake Okeechobee and the Central and Southern Florida Project, visit the Corps' water management page at <http://www.saj.usace.army.mil/Divisions/Engineering/Branches/WaterResources/WaterMgt/index.htm>.

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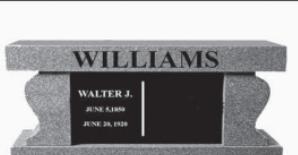
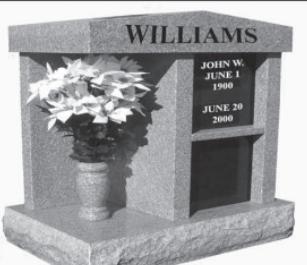
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Bernabe Sanchez Macia, 86

BELLE GLADE — Beloved husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend, Bernabe Sanchez Macia, 86, died peacefully at his home in Belle Glade on Jan. 27, 2011.

Bernabe, the eldest son of former Cuban Senator Bernabe Sanchez Culmell and Ana Maria Macia Sanchez, was born in Havana, Cuba, on Nov. 9, 1924.

He was first in his class at the Storm King School in Cornwall-on-Hudson, New York, and graduated with a B.S. in Engineering from the United States Naval Academy in 1946. Bernabe's graduation from the Naval Academy was accelerated due to WWII, where he served on active duty in the Atlantic.

Upon graduation, Bernabe returned home, married and assumed responsibility for the family's three cattle ranches -- most notably El Oriente -- and a Camaguey feed mill. El Oriente shared a border with neighboring King Ranch, which later became an employer. His work with Santa Gertrudis cattle was internationally recognized, as were his innovations in cattle nutrition and artificial insemination.

Bernabe, his wife and five young sons fled Cuba following Castro's communist takeover and nationalization of the family properties. They then spent two years in Fort Collins, Colorado.

Returning to his cattleman roots, Bernabe moved the family to Argentina to manage King Ranch's cattle properties near Buenos Aires. After several years, he left to form a partnership with his father and King Ranch in a cattle venture in Barranquilla, Colombia, before finally moving to Belle Glade in 1970 to help manage King Ranch's Big B cattle operation near South Bay, Florida. He also worked for DUDA, Atlantic Sugar and Siboney.

Bernabe was a licensed pilot and avid bone fisherman. He also served as an assistant troop leader with Boy Scout Troop #622 and as an active member of the Belle Glade Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla #55 and the Belle Glade Civitan Club.

Bernabe Sanchez Macia is survived by his beloved wife of over 62 years, Raquel Hevia Sanchez; sons, Bernabe (Raquel) of Buenos Aires, Argentina, Gustavo (Silvia) of Santa Marta, Colombia, Pedro (Ivette) of Puerto Cabello, Venezuela, Pablo (Maria) of Clewiston, Florida and Julio (Judy) of Belle Glade; grandchildren, Gabriel, Laura and Cecilia (Buenos Aires, Argentina), Gustavo (Los Angeles, CA), Santiago, Arturo and Victoria (Santa Marta, Colombia), Bernabe (Arcadia, FL) and Pedro (Rosa Angel) (Puerto Cabello, Venezuela), Pablo (Allison) and Marco (Clewiston, FL), Kristina Sanchez Garcia (Gil) (Wellington, FL), Matt(Ft. Lauderdale, FL) and Nick Sanchez (Los Angeles, CA); and great-grandchildren, Gabriela and Anette (Puerto Cabello, Venezuela), Jay Brooks and Grayson Brooks (Clewiston, FL); sister, Maria Luisa Sanchez Gaston (Melchor, deceased) (Pompano, FL); brothers, Fernando (Ana Maria) and Federico (Marta) (Miami, FL).

A funeral mass will be held at St. Phillip Benizi Catholic Church in Belle Glade, Florida at noon, Saturday, Feb. 5, 2011. Arrangements by Glades Funeral Chapel in Belle Glade.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made to Hospice of Palm Beach County.

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National Wear Red Day

Heart Disease is the number one killer of women

BY PAT DOBBINS
Hendry and Glades Health Department

Do you know the heart truth about women and heart disease? More women die of heart disease than any other disease - even breast cancer. And living with it can lead to disability and a decreased quality of life.

Join The Heart Truth campaign on Friday, Feb. 4 - National Wear Red Day - to help spread the message that "Heart Disease Doesn't Care What You Wear, It's the Number 1 Killer of Women."

If you have just one risk factor, it can double your risk for developing heart disease. More than one increases your chance of having heart disease. Risk factors are:

- High blood pressure
- High blood cholesterol
- Diabetes
- Smoking
- Overweight/obesity
- Physical inactivity
- Family history of early coronary heart disease

- Age (for women, 55 and older)

What can you do to lower your risk? Talk to your doctor to find out if you are at risk. Take action. Don't smoke. Eat a healthy diet. Get physically active. Maintain a healthy weight. Take medicine that is prescribed according to your doctor's instructions.

To find out more about women and heart disease, visit The Heart Truth Web pages at www.hearttruth.gov or call the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute Health Information Center at 301-592-8573.

Hazardous Weather Awareness Week

Lightning Safety

In an effort to keep Florida residents safe during severe weather outbreaks, the State of Florida has proclaimed Jan. 31 - Feb. 4 as Severe Weather Awareness Week.

Knowing how to plan and prepare for hazardous weather is key to keeping your family safe. Whether you are in a home, school or business, everyone should have a plan in place for severe weather.

The National Weather Service conducted an annual statewide tornado drill at 10:10 a.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 2. This drill was broadcasted during a routine Weekly Test and during this time, Floridians considered themselves under a Tornado Warning. Participants practiced taking shelter immediately in a safe and sturdy structure until the conclusion of the drill.

The Florida Hazardous Awareness Week will

also focus on other hazardous conditions that affect our state along with tips to keep Floridians safe.

Lightning Safety Tips:

- Avoid open ground and isolated large trees.
- Avoid water. This includes swimming pools, lakes, rivers, beaches and boats.
- Seek shelter inside a building or automobile, but not a convertible car or golf cart.
- Stay away from doors, windows or metal objects such as pipes and faucets.
- Stay off corded phones and away from electrical devices.

For additional information on lightning safety, please visit Palm Beach County Division of Emergency Management at www.pbcgov.com/publicsafety/emergencymanagement.

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Miss Latina Pageant on Sat.

BY JUAN LOPEZ
Special to INI

The 2011 Miss and Miss Teen Latina of the Glades Pageant will be held this Saturday, Feb. 5, at the John Boy Auditorium in Clewiston. A dinner will be hosted at 5:30, with the pageant starting immediately thereafter at 7:30 p.m.

The pageant is a preliminary for the Miss Florida and Miss US Latina pageants. Milagros Navarro, pageant coordinator, is excited for the event.

"The pageant began in 2003 and has continued to grow," said Ms. Navarro. "We've had contestants from all over the Glades area in previous years."

Helping this year is Silvia Flores, graphic designer/photographer for the Miss Latina organization and one of the pageant's former queens. She commented on her experience with pageant shows and their positive effect on the young contestants.

"Basically, I didn't have any goals or plans for the future before I got into pageantry. After my first pageant, I was driven, and it was a very positive experience for me," said Silvia, who won after being approached by Milagros at the age of 19. "It opened up me to helping other girls and get them to do something different; to get them

motivated."

With the girls having to participate in all of the standard pageant routines, including swimwear and question-and-answer, Milagros responds to concerns that the girls might be too young to take part.

"When it comes to the bikini portion, it helps to build confidence," the pageant coordinator said. "I don't want to expose these girls to anything negative. It would be more preferable if they did this around people they know."

Silvia weighs in, too.

"Before I started with pageants, I too, thought negatively about them. I thought that people who participated were perfect, distant," she said. "As I got to work with them, I saw they are highly educated, motivated and open-hearted young women. They took me in as if they knew me already."

For more information regarding the event, contact Milagros Navarro at 863-234-0230.

Photos courtesy of Casa De Rosa.



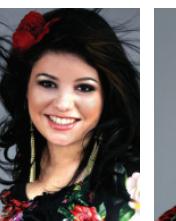
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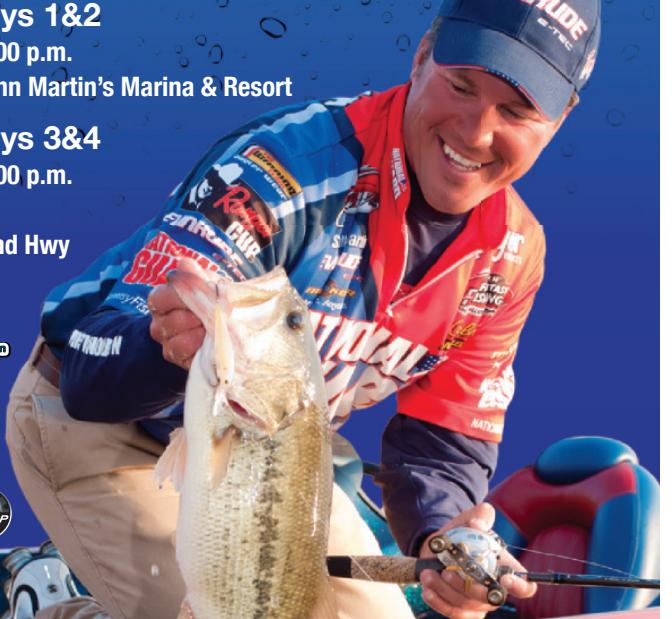
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music on the Armed Forces Far East station, during the Korean War.

"I was in Okinawa two years," he said recently from his home in Silver Springs, Fla. "I learned to sing with a band and how to be a part of a band, and that experience paid off."

In 1952, his first song-writing attempt was "Honky-Tonk Song." That song, and Tillis' "I'm Tired," were big hits for singer Webb Pierce.

Tillis eventually moved - with a pregnant wife and \$29 in his pocket - to the one place he had to be: Nashville.

The rest, as they say, is history.

"Some people have that damn knack, and I guess I do, I have it," he said. "And it comes out from time to time, and they say your speech comes from one side of your brain and your creativity and your singing comes from the other side of the brain, so I've been able to do that, and I didn't know I could until I just started."

"I didn't know I could write a song until I went to Nashville, but they convinced me they needed songwriters, not a stuttering singer, and next thing I know, I'm on the Johnny Carson show."

Tillis thanks a longtime Tulsa businessman for his status as a pop-culture icon with appearances in movies and on TV shows.

"The Jim Halsey agency ... had offices in Tulsa, Nashville and Los Angeles," he said. "And the Los Angeles one got me on all the TV shows, and I mean all of 'em ... Johnny Carson, Dinah Shore, 'Hollywood Squares,' 13 movies, and it was all the Halsey companies."

Tillis' feature films include "Every Which Way But Loose" with Clint Eastwood, "W.W. & The Dixie Dancekings," "Cannonball Run (I and II)," "Smokey and the Bandit II" with Burt Reynolds, and the lead role with longtime friend and Tulsan Roy Clark, in "Uphill All the Way."

"Burt Reynolds is from over in Jupiter," Tillis said. "He calls me Pahokee trash."

When asked if that's a joke, Tillis said, "Yeah! Well, he put me in about five of his movies."

Plenty to be proud of

Of course, it is Tillis' decades-long career in the music industry that is astounding.

He's recorded more than 60 albums and garnered at least 36 top 10 hits, nine of which went to No. 1, including "I Ain't Never," "Coca Cola Cowboy" and "Southern Rains."

He's written more than 1,000 songs, at least 600 of which have been recorded by major artists: Kenny Rogers' smash hit "Ruby, Don't Take Your Love to Town," Bobby Bare's "Detroit City," "Heart Over Mind" recorded by Ray Price in 1961 and Tillis in 1970, and "Mental Revenge" recorded by Waylon Jennings in 1967, Tillis in 1976, and recently by Jamey Johnson.

Heard Ray Price sing "Burning Memories," Ricky Skaggs' "Honey (Open That Door)," or George Strait's "Thoughts of a Fool"? All songs written by Mel Tillis.

"I'm so proud," Tillis said. Whether he's singing it or not, "a songwriter is always happy to have his song out there."

Tillis has also released two successful gospel albums, the first in 1993.

And in 2007, Tillis finally hit some milestones most people probably already thought he'd earned decades ago. He was named as a member of the Grand Ole Opry and inducted into the Country Music Hall of Fame.

"I could've probably been there sooner if I'd behave myself," he said.

One possible reason for the "delay" was Tillis leaving Nashville for Branson, and his own theater with his band.

"I've had the State-siders band for 42 years," he said. "Two or three have died and been replaced, but boy, I'm so proud of them."

"I was there (in Branson) 13 years, and we were doing 3,000 shows a year."

But he still found time - somehow - to learn another art that would become a passion: painting.

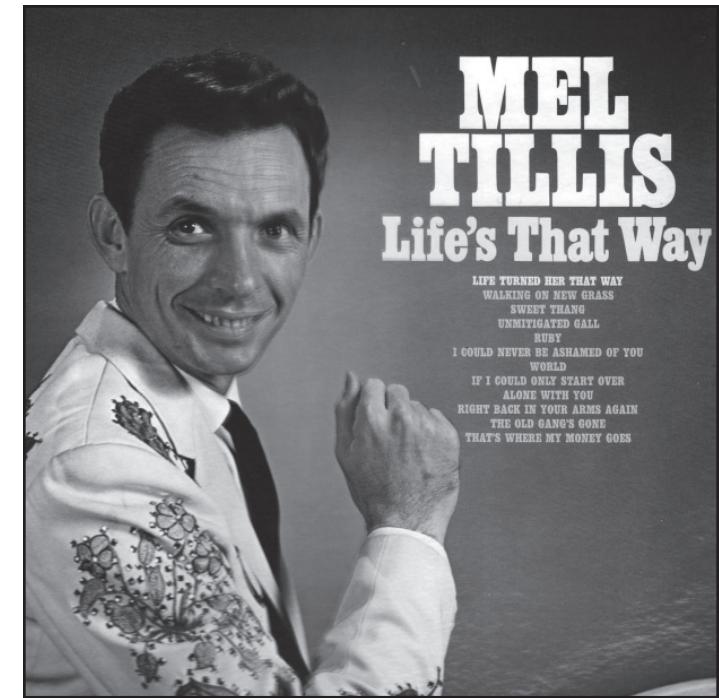
"I just hired me a teacher," he said. "My teacher still comes to Florida occasionally and teaches me stuff as we go along."

"I had my first art sale here about five or six months ago in Stuart, Fla. We sold those giclee, not the originals. I sold four of those for \$4,700 and thought 'Man, I gotta keep this up!'"

Keep on moving

Clearly, at 78, Tillis is not slowing down on anything.

In 2010, he received the Cliffie Stone Pioneer Award from the Academy of Country Music.



He still tries to perform at least 100 shows a year across the country.

On March 12, Tillis is set to appear on the Mike Huckabee Show with his daughter, award-winning singer/songwriter Pam Tillis. "I think we'll perform 'Waiting on the Wind,' about a young girl who grows up and leaves the nest, and the daddy stands there cryin' as he waves good-bye."

Tillis then sang softly into the phone: "An eagle can't sit waiting on the wind."

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Pahokee Middle and High School Honors and Awards



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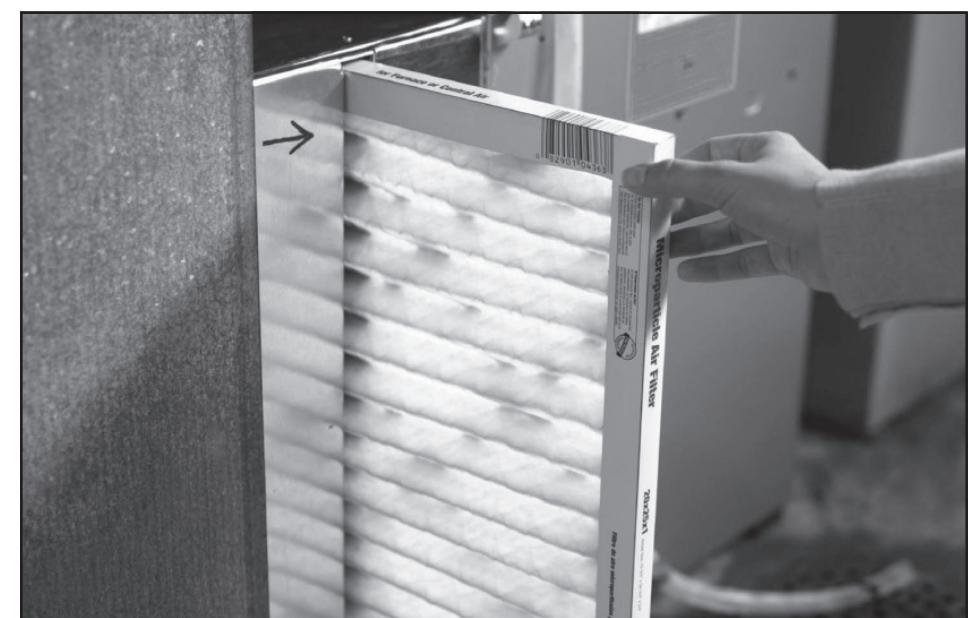
On Jan. 20, Pahokee Middle and High School Honors and Awards Convocation commemorated more than 200 students in grades 6th to 12th for their academic achievement. Middle Years Programme (MYP) completion awards were also presented to our Diploma Programme Students.

A special breakfast for parents and students was served.

During the event, Victor Blackwell, News An-

chor for WPBF - 25 was the Keynote Speaker. He is an Emmy-winning journalist of South Florida. Victor has been honored with several regional Emmy nominations, a Telly award, several Associated Press awards and honors from the Society of Professional Journalists.

He also earned the prestigious Edward R. Murrow Award and the UNITY Award, both from the Radio and Television News Directors Association.



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Glades Day Hosts Back-to-Back State Football Awards Banquet



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Glades Day Gators head coach Pete Walker (left) presents running back Kelvin Taylor with the team's MVP and Best Offensive Back honors at the Jan. 27 State Champion Awards Banquet at the school's gymnasium, with Taylor's mother (right) reveling in the big moment.



PHOTO / NAJI TOBIAS

Glades Day Gators senior defensive lineman Javon Carrigan (center) spends a memorable moment with his parents after he took home a trophy for being the team's Best Defensive Lineman at the Jan. 27 State Champion Awards Banquet.



PHOTO / NAJI TOBIAS

Eighth grade quarterback Giovanni Lugo (left) was presented with a \$2,500 check by head coach Pete Walker for his efforts in a competition entitled "CooperVision's Gear Up For Grant." With this grant, all Glades Day School football players are eligible to receive free contact lenses, good for one year.

10 individual honors distributed to students from local high school

BY NAJI TOBIAS
Special to INI

In what was a historic 2010 season for the Glades Day Gators football team, the back-to-back Class 1B state champions officially wrapped up the year with a special awards banquet on Jan. 27.

At Glades Day's auditorium, the packed crowd witnessed the ceremony for its cheerleaders and football players, highlighted by a 15-minute video montage that capped the season's best moments.

All of Glades Day's cheerleaders and football players, from the junior high, junior varsity and varsity levels, were recognized by their coaches for their contributions to the season's success, which concluded with its seventh overall state title in Dec. 2010.

In addition, a total of 10 individual football awards were doled out to a variety of varsity football players, including the team's most valuable player award that went to sophomore running back Kelvin Taylor.

Taylor, who was recently named to Old Spice High School Player of the Year, rushed for 2,436 yards and 34 touchdowns this past season. The District 1B Player of the Year was also named the team's Most Outstanding Offensive Back.

Glades Day junior starting quarterback Tanner Redish, who overcame a collar bone injury for much of the season to come back for the Class 1B state semifinal and championship games, won the team's Gator Award.

Glades Day junior backup quarterback John Barr, who subbed in for Redish in the Gators' landmark Class 1B Regional Championship win over Jupiter Christian, was selected as the team's Unsung Hero.

Cory Garcia, who snared in the championship-winning interception in the final seconds of Glades Day's 42-35 Class 1B state title win over Warner Christian on Dec. 10, 2010, was named the team's Most Outstanding Linebacker.

Glades Day athletes Eaton Spence and Steven 'Stretch' Williams were named the team's Most Outstanding Defensive Backs.

Meanwhile, Glades Day senior Joseph Langmeyer was picked as the team's Special Teams Player of the Year and fellow senior Javon Carrigan was selected as the team's Most Outstanding Defensive Lineman.

The team's Most Outstanding Offensive Linemen were seniors Zach Simmons and Tyler LeCroy, while the Captain's Award went to Cody Dolan.

"It was a historical year for us," Glades Day head coach Pete Walker said. "Not a lot of teams find themselves in the state championship game year in and year out. We've been blessed and honored to be in this position once again."

Walker took the time to talk about each player, coach and team supporter and how they played a significant role in how this past season turned out.

"It was a great honor for me to recognize all our kids and support staff," Walker said. "They really deserve it."

Notes: Following the awards banquet, Glades Day eighth grade quarterback Giovanni Lugo was presented by Walker with a \$2,500 check from CooperVision, who sponsored a competition entitled "Gear Up for Grant."

Glades Day was one of just 10 high schools in the country to receive a \$2,500 grant from the contact lens company.

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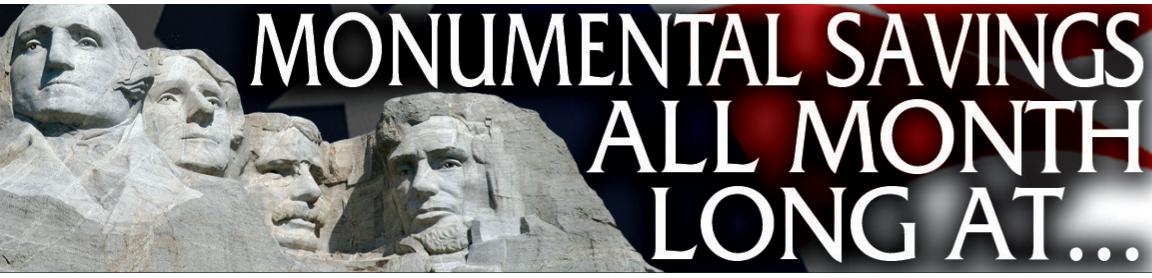


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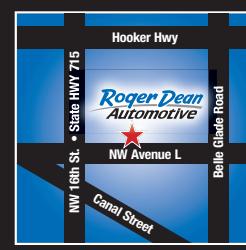
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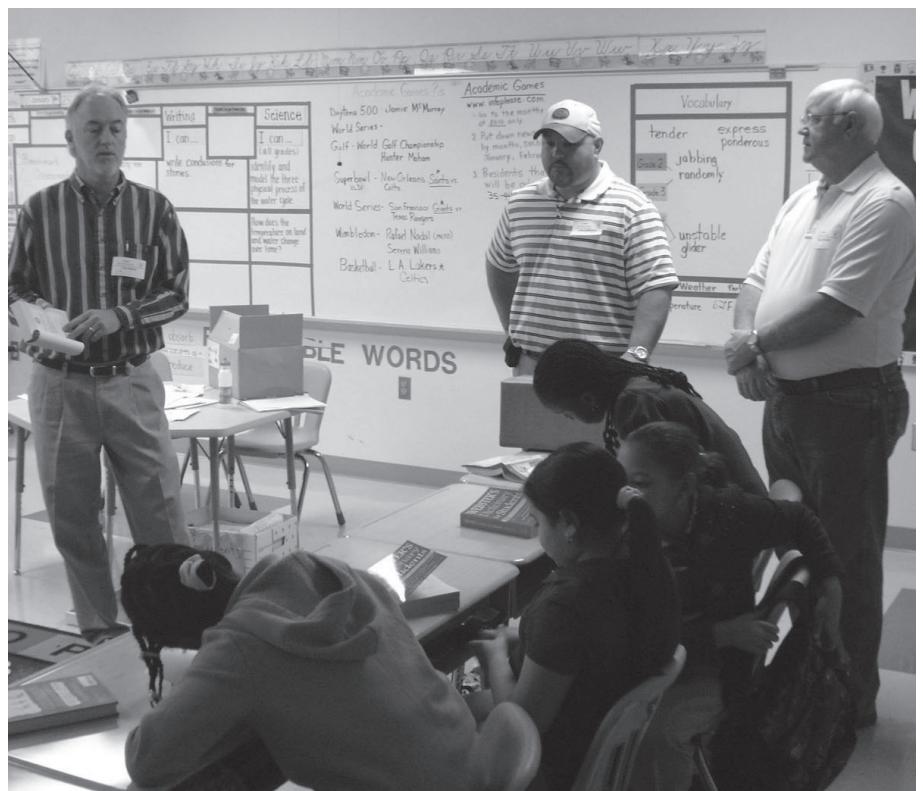
Vincent Grant
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Doing Good

The Rotary Club distributed dictionaries at Gove Elementary. It is one of the many yearly efforts of the Belle Glade Club. Three of the Rotary members took great delight in visiting the local school and passing out dictionaries to the students. From left to right: Larry Underwood, President Tony Walker and Mike Wheeler.



District Board of Trustees to Meet

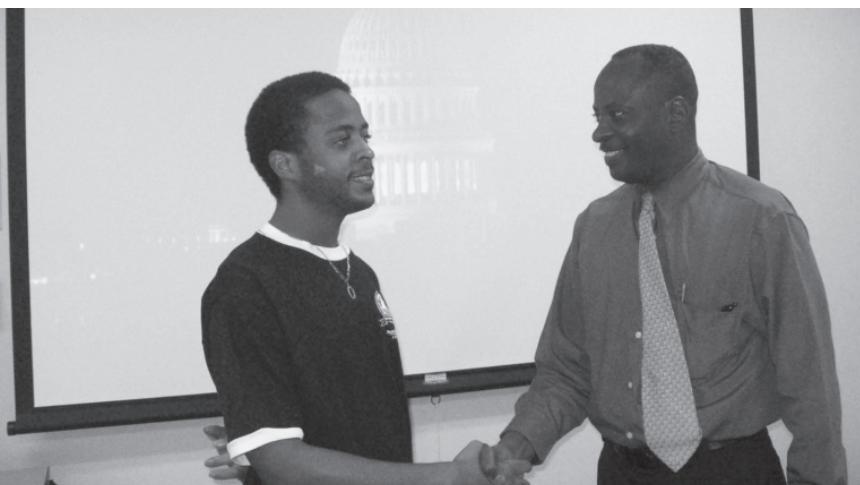
You are invited to a community forum and meeting with the District Board of Trustees of Palm Beach State College.

The meeting and forum will be on Feb. 8, with the community forum at 5 p.m. and meet-

ing at 6 p.m. at the Belle Glade Campus of Palm State College, 1977 College Dr., Belle Glade, Room TEC 127. For more information, call 561-993-1126.

Hope to see you there.

The 'Glades Response' to President Obama's State of the Union Address



SUBMITTED PHOTO

Palm Beach State College's Student Government Senator, O.D. Oliver, II greets Mayor Steve Wilson of Belle Glade at the 'Glades Response' Open Forum.

The Glades community came out recently, including the Mayor of Belle Glade, Steve Wilson, and the Mayor of Pahokee, J.P. Sasser, to provide a Glades' Response to President Obama's 2011 State of the Union Address. President Obama stressed that the country is "poised for progress" with regards to creating jobs, and that initiatives to support growth in small businesses can help owners "turn a good idea into a profit."

The President also mentioned that doing so requires that we, as a country, educate our young people "earlier and longer..." and that while the "future is ours to win...we can't get there standing still." He emphasized that getting there would require "re-building America to move people, goods, and information, from high speed rail, to high speed Internet." Measures to freeze domestic spending were also discussed, as well as ways to "rein in discretionary spending." President Obama affirmed new 'levels of engagement' with regard to foreign affairs, indicating that troops will begin coming home in July.

Mayor Steve Wilson responded that people are attracted to an area by jobs and salaries; that in order to improve our schools, teachers must also be able to earn good salaries.

He also initiated a discussion about the reality that teachers often spend more time in the classroom with our youth than the typical parent spends with their children, and that improving education requires that parents somehow become more involved. In response to a student's question about whether it's a good idea to move toward a 'digital society,' Mayor J.P. Sasser responded that the whole social system is geared toward the Internet, and that we will have to do more to make sure no one is left behind.

The event was broadcast nationally and Webcast simultaneously in the campus' new Technical Education Center. Among those attending were area educators, business leaders, as well as Glades area leadership including Commissioners Allie Biggs, Diane Walker, and City Manager Derek Moore of Pahokee, as well as Commissioners William Grear, Jr. and Mary Ross Wilkerson of Belle Glade. Also in attendance was Dennis Lipp, attending on behalf of Palm Beach County District 6. Among the students in attendance was Student Government Senator, O.D. Oliver, II, who posed questions of the Glades officials about how President Obama's initiatives to essentially digitize the country would impact today's college students.

The panelists agreed that in order for the Glades to compete economically, we would have

to find new ways to collaborate to improve internet access, to bring jobs to the county, and to the Glades area in particular. Other suggestions raised by members of the audience addressed the need to improve housing situations, and services to the community.

Preceding the actual State of the Union Address, Provost Marcia Hardney, Ph.D., presented a State of the Campus Address, with an overview of the campus enrollment trend, which is up 17.7% over this time last year, and the newest certificate program slated to come to the Belle Glade campus, Graphics Design Technology.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 26-2009-CA-000583

DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY AS INDENTURE TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE INVESTMENT TRUST 2005-2, MORTGAGE-BACKED NOTES SERIES 2005-2 Plaintiff,

VS.
SONYA GOODING; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SONYA GOODING; DAVID ESTES; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF DAVID ESTES; UNKNOWN PERSON(S) IN POSSESSION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY; Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated January 12, 2011 and entered in Case No. 26-2009-CA-000583 of the Circuit Court of the 20th Judicial Circuit in and for HENDRY County, Florida, DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY AS INDENTURE TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE INVESTMENT TRUST 2005-2, MORTGAGE-BACKED NOTES, SERIES 2005-2 Plaintiff and SONYA GOODING; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SONYA GOODING; DAVID ESTES; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF DAVID ESTES; UNKNOWN PERSON(S) IN POSSESSION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY; are defendants. I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at 2ND FLOOR HALLWAY, IN FRONT OF OFFICE OF CLERK OF COURTS, ADMINISTRATION BLDG, HENDRY CO. COURTHOUSE, AT 25 EAST HICKPOCHEE, LABELLE IN HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA at 11:00 a.m. on the 16th day of February, 2011, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

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Dated this January 21, 2011.

BARBARA S. BUTLER Clerk of the Circuit Court
By: /s/ J. Bevis Deputy Clerk
376951 CN 1/27/2011

A 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 with 60 days after the sale.

Dated this 24 day of January 2011.

BARBARA S. BUTLER As Clerk of said Court
BY: /s/ Anita Ross Kummer As Deputy Clerk

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Public Notice

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 2010-CA-000873

SUNCOAST SCHOOLS FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, Plaintiff,

v.

CRYSTAL IMDAHL A/K/A CRYSTAL DAWN IMDAHL; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF CRYSTAL IMDAHL A/K/A CRYSTAL DAWN IMDAHL, ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER, AND AGAINST THE HEREIN NAMED INDIVIDUAL DEFENDANTS WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAID UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS; TENANT #1; TENANT #2, Defendants.

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Final Judgment of Foreclosure for Plaintiff entered in this cause, in the Circuit Court of HENDRY County, Florida, I will sell the property situated in HENDRY County, Florida described as:

LOT 19, BLOCK 2342, PORT LABELLE UNIT 6, A SUBDIVISION ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3, PAGE 109, PUBLIC RECORDS OF HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA.

and commonly known as: 6028 Longfellow Court, Labelle, FL 33935, at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the Hendry County Courthouse, 25 Hickpochee Ave, Labelle, FL 33935, on February 9, 2011, at 11:00 A.M.

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.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR GLADES COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO. 10-CA-190

SEACOAST NATIONAL BANK, Plaintiff,

vs.

ROBERT HENRY SKEENS, et al., Defendants.

AMENDED NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure of Lien and intent to sell these vehicles on 02/18/2011, 10:00 am at 74 S. INDUSTRIAL LOOP, LABELLE, FL 33935, pursuant to subsection 713.78 of the Florida Statutes, TIMS TOWING & RECOVERY reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.

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1988 Answer Machine Inc Boat,

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2003 Hyundai

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Local Planning Agency of Hendry County (LPA) will hold a public hearing on the following petition on **February 16, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.**, at the Hendry County Courthouse, Commission Chambers, 25 E. Hickpochee Ave, LaBelle, Florida. The LPA will determine if the application is consistent with the *Hendry County Comprehensive Plan* and will review the application for consistency with the *Hendry County Land Development Code*.

Public Notice

NOTICE
AUCTION ON Friday,
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1 washing machine, 1 pink television, 2 beds w/headsboards, 2 nightstands, miscellaneous boxes and bags.

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• **Property of Robert Nero**

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• **Property of Willie Lumpkin**

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• **Property of Betty Robinson**

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• **Property of Latisha Clientscale**

1 television stand, 4 rims, miscellaneous boxes and bags.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The School Board of Hendry County will be accepting sealed bids until February 23, 2011 for Bid #011-0005, leased telecommunications services using lit fiber from 12 school sites to the district office. Specifications will be available at the board's finance office at 111 Curry Street in Labelle. Call (863) 674 4100 to have the specs faxed or mailed.

Hendry County School Board
Matthew A. Beatty, Chairman
377270 CN/CB 2/3,2011

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on February 15, 2011 at 2:00 pm at AAA Self Storage, 657 US Hwy 27, Moore Haven, FL, the undersigned, AAA Self Storage, will sell at Public Sale by competitive bidding, the personal property heretofore stored with the undersigned by:

Shantrelle Thicklin #28

377115 GCD 2/3,2011

LEGAL NOTICE

The following vehicles will be sold at public auction at Clewiston Towing 600 E Sugarland Hwy Clewiston FL 33440 on February 14, 2011 at 10:00 a.m.:

1988 Cushman,

1CUMH2223JL006976

1992 Chevy, 1G1LT53T9NY151203

1996 Chevy,

1GNDT13WST222023

1988 Answer Machine Inc Boat,

AKM18C141788

377534 CN 2/3/2011

NOTICE OF PUBLIC NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Chapter 373, Florida Statutes, the following application(s) for permit have been received for project(s) in Hendry County:

Hendry County Board of County Commissioners (Airlades Industrial Park) PO Box 1607, Labelle, FL 33975, has submitted Application 110104-9 for modification of Surface Water Management Permit 26-00532-049 for 841.14 acres of industrial lands. The water will be discharged to the airport roadside ditch and the project is located in Sections 16, 17, 20, 21, Township 43South, Range 33 East.

Interested persons may comment upon the application or submit a written request for a copy of the staff report containing proposed agency action regarding the application by writing to the South Florida Water Management District, Attn: Water Resource Regulation, PO Box 24880, West Palm Beach, FL 33416-4680, but such comments or requests must be received by 5:00 PM within 21 days from the date of publication.

No further public notice will be provided regarding this application. A copy of the staff report must be requested in order to remain advised of further proceedings. Application status and associated documents can also be obtained by accessing the District's website (www.sfwmd.gov) and selecting the Application/Permit Search on the ePermitting page. Substantially affected persons are entitled to request an administrative hearing regarding the proposed agency action by submitting a written request after reviewing the staff report.

377312 CN 2/3/2011

Public Notice**NOTICE**

AUCTION ON Friday,

February 11, 2011 at 9:00 a.m.

at

1225 NW Ave, L,

Belle Glade, Florida

• **Property of Sharanda Davis**

1 washing machine, 1 pink television, 2 beds w/headsboards, 2 nightstands, miscellaneous boxes and bags.

• **Property of Julissa Camacho**

1 queen size bed/wallboard and storage drawers, 2 JBL speakers, 2 televisions, miscellaneous boxes and bags.

• **Property of Robert Nero**

King size bed boxspring & mattress only, 1 dresser, miscellaneous clothes.

• **Property of Willie Lumpkin**

1 wheelbarrow, 1 grill, 1 hand dolly, coolers, 1 weedeater, 1 tiller, miscellaneous boxes and bags.

• **Property of Betty Robinson**

1 sofa, football equipment (shoulder pads and helmets), miscellaneous boxes and bags.

• **Property of Latisha Clientscale**

1 television stand, 4 rims, miscellaneous boxes and bags.

377569 BGS 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The School Board of

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Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1734	2007	1274432-A000232000	Juan G. Faget and Blanca Rosa Oliver

The South ½ of the Southwest ¼ of the Northwest ¼ of the Northwest ¼ of the Southeast ¼ of Section 27, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for ingress, egress and utilities over and across the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot 124 in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **24th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **26th day of January, 2011**.

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

377516 CN 2/3,10,17,24/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
862	2007	1334331-A0002020000	BLC, LLC

The Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest ¼ of the Northeast ¼ of the Southeast ¼ of Section 33, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road over the East 30 feet and South 30 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 94, Pioneer Plantation, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **24th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **26th day of January, 2011**.

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

377517 CN 2/3,10,17,24/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1977	2007	1074433-03000050060	Ricardo Ortiz and Maria Ortiz (land owners) Celinet Caraballo and Martin Caraballo (contract vendors)

Lot 6, Block 5, Woodland Subdivision, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 4, pages 1 and 2, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **17th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **19th day of January, 2011**.

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

376963 CN 1/27;2/3,10,17/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
673	2007	1284329-0100000230	Billy G. Ryals and Linda G. Ryals

Lot 23, Lakeside Subdivision, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 6, pages 173 and 174 of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of February, 2011**, which is the **24th day of February, 2011**.

Dated this **29th day of December, 2010**.

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

375690 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10,17/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3802	2007	4104329-12024910670	Miguel Diaz

Lot 67, Block 2491, Port LaBelle Unit 12, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, page 42, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **10th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **12th day of January, 2011**.

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

376220 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3220	2007	4104329-07022090110	John C. Swearingen

Lot 67, Block 2209, Port LaBelle Unit 7, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, page 116, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **10th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **12th day of January, 2011**.

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

376230 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
NOTICE OF INTENT**

The Department of Environmental Protection gives notice that a draft permit has been prepared for the City of Clewiston, Mr. Kevin McCarthy, Utilities Director, for operation of a Class I Injection Well (IW-1) system. The project is located at the WWTP located on Feed Lot Rd, Clewiston, Florida, 33440 in the County of Hendry. (File No. 249635-003-UO/1)

The purpose of the facility is to dispose of, by deep well injection, non-hazardous reverse osmosis concentrate wastewater from the City of Clewiston WTP and non-hazardous domestic effluent from the City of Clewiston WTP via the existing injection well, (IW-1).

Under the proposed permit the maximum injection rate into the injection well shall not exceed 7.93 million gallons per day, (MD), or 5508 gallons per minute, (GPM). The maximum injection pressure shall not exceed 105.5 PSI at the wellhead. Injection is into the Oldsmar Formation with the injection zone between 2749 and 3505 feet below land surface (BLS).

The Department has permitting jurisdiction under Chapter 403 of the Florida Statutes, and Chapters 62-4, 62-520, 62-528, 62-600, 62-601 and 62-660 of the Florida Administrative Code. The project is not exempt from permitting procedures. The Department has determined that an operation permit is required for the proposed work.

Pursuant to Section 403.815, Florida Statutes (F.S.) and Rule 62-110.106, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), you (the applicant) are required to publish at your own expense the enclosed Notice of Intent to Issue Permit. The notice shall be published one time only within 30 days in the legal ad section of a newspaper of general circulation in the area affected. For the purpose of this rule, "publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the area affected" means publication in a newspaper meeting the requirements of Sections 50.011 and 50.031, F.S., in the county where the activity is to take place. Where there is more than one newspaper of general circulation in the county, the newspaper used must be one with significant circulation in the area that may be affected by the permit. If you are uncertain that a newspaper meets these requirements, please contact the department at the address or telephone number listed below. The applicant shall provide proof of publication to the Department, at South District, 2295 Victoria Ave., Fort Myers, Florida 33901 within seven days of publication. Failure to publish the notice and provide proof of publication within the allotted time may result in the denial of the permit.

The Department will issue the permit unless a timely petition for an administrative hearing is filed under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. Mediation is not available for this proceeding.

A person whose substantial interests are affected by the Department's proposed permitting decision may petition for an administrative proceeding (hearing) in accordance with Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. The petition must conform to the requirements specified in the Notice and be filed (received) within 14 days of publication of the Notice in the Department's Office of General Counsel, MS 35, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000. The failure of any person to file a petition within the appropriate time period shall constitute a waiver of that person's right to request an administrative determination (hearing) under Sections 120.569 and 120.57 of the Florida Statutes, or to intervene in this proceeding and participate as a party to it. Any subsequent intervention (in a proceeding initiated by another party) will only be at the discretion of the presiding officer upon the filing of a motion in compliance with rule 28-106.205 of the Florida Administrative Code.

The Petition shall contain the following information:

- The name, address, and telephone number of each petitioner, the applicant's name and address, the Department Permit File Number and the county in which the project is proposed;
- A statement of how and when each petitioner received notice of the Department's action or proposed action;
- A statement of how each petitioner's substantial interests are affected by the Department's action or proposed action;
- A statement of the material facts disputed by Petitioner, if any;
- A statement of facts which petitioner contends warrants reversal or modification of the Department's action or proposed action;
- A statement of which rules or statutes petitioner contends require reversal or modification of the Department's action or proposed action; and
- A statement of the relief sought by petitioner, stating precisely the action petitioner wants the Department to take with respect to the Department's action or proposed action.

If a petition is filed, the administrative hearing process is designed to formulate agency action. Accordingly, the Department's final action may be different from the position taken by it in this intent. Persons whose substantial interests will be affected by any decision of the Department with regard to the application have the right to petition to become a party to the proceeding, in accordance with the requirements set forth above.

The application, draft permit, and fact sheet are available for public inspection during normal business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal holidays, at the Department of Environmental Protection, South District Office, located at 2295 Victoria Ave., Suite 364, Fort Myers, Florida 33901. Any additional information concerning this project may be obtained by contacting David Rhodes, P.G. at (239) 334-5687. 377148 CN 2/3/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3924	2007	4104329-13025280290	Patrick W. Rose and Erin L. Rose

Lot 24, Block 2079, Port LaBelle Unit 2, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, page 60, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **19th day of January, 2011**.

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

376226 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3027	2007	4104329-03021330170	Peter Keenan

Lot 17, Block 213, Port LaBelle Unit 3, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, page 73, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of February, 2011**, which is the **24th day of February, 2011**.

Dated this **29th day of December, 2010**.

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

375681 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3667	2007	4104329-11024380050	Patrick W. Rose and Erin L. Rose

Lot 5, Block 2438, Port LaBelle Unit 11, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, page 29, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **17th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **19th day of January, 2011**.

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

376980 CN 1/27;2/3,10,17/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1609	2007	1264432-A0000520100	Maria Garcia Booth-Wilson Henry John Garcia and Enrique Garcia

The North ½ of the Southwest ¼ of the Northeast ¼ of the Southeast ¼ of Section 26, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road over the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot No. 1103 in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of February, 2011**, which is the **17th day of February, 2011**.

Dated this **19th day of January, 2011**.

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

376976 CN 1/27;2/3,10,17/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2032	2007	1314433-A0000530000	Park Avenue Investments Group, Inc.

The North 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 31, Township 44 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot No. 6019, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **10th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **12th day of January, 2011**.

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

376219 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2045	2007	1314433-A0001390000	Heirs, devisees and/or beneficiaries Of the Estate of Phillip C. Campbell

The South 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 31, Township 44 South, Range 33 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot No. 5896, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **17th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **19th day of January, 2011**.

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

376972 CN 1/27/2/3,10,17/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3494	2007	4104329-09023140200	Shila P. Shah

Lot 20, Block 2314, Port LaBelle Unit 9, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, page 144, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of February, 2011**, which is the **24th day of February, 2011**.

Dated this **29th day of December, 2010**.

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

375685 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2281	2007	1214334-0100000U200	Oliver Junior Redd

Lot 23, Block U, Harlem Addition No. 3 to Clewiston, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, page 7, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of February, 2011**, which is the **24th day of February, 2011**.

Dated this **29th day of December, 2010**.

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

375676 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**
Operation of City Concession Stands

The City of Clewiston Recreation Department will accept proposals for the operation of Sugarland Sports Complex (SPC) Concession Stand(s) from March 2011 - June 2011. Proposals may be mailed or delivered in a sealed envelope clearly marked, "Concession Stand Bid" to the City Clerk, City of Clewiston, 115 W. Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440 until 3:00 p.m. on February 14, 2011, at which time proposals will be opened and read aloud. Individuals and/or companies wishing to bid should hold a current State License in Food Management and Food Handling.

The City of Clewiston Recreation Department is interested in a single fee, plus a % of sales to be paid for the right to be the sole vendor of each and/or all of the concession stands located at Sugarland Sports complex.

The selected vendor will be responsible for staffing of the concession stand, product ordering and vendor payment, preparation and serving of food items, health and sanitation codes and inspections, and all appropriate operating licenses.

The selected vendor will be expected to open approx. 30 minutes before game time and close at the end of the last scheduled game. The vendor will be expected to facilitate the complete operation of the concession stand on those nights of regularly scheduled league games and make-up games as supplied to them by the Clewiston Recreation Department. The selected vendor and its employees shall not be City of Clewiston employees.

The City of Clewiston reserves the right to reject any and all proposals in whole or in part, with or without cause, or to accept the proposal that in its judgment best serves the City of Clewiston.

** Please call Lance Ramer at (863) 983-1492 to schedule a time to review the facility.

376791 CN 1/27 2/3,10/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1224	2007	1-15-44-32-A00-0221-0000	Juan Sanchez & Rolando Ramirez

The South one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter, Section 15, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida, subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 2693 of MONTURA RANCH ESTATES.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **24th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **14th day of January, 2011**.

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

376343 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
859	2007	1334331-a0001890000	Matthew D. Cyr c/o Jordyn Taylor Properties

Lot 183, Pioneer Plantation, unrecorded, more particularly described as follows: The Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4, less the South 200 foot thereof. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof in Section 33, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of February, 2011**, which is the **24th day of February, 2011**.

Dated this **29th day of December, 2010**.

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

375672 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1868	2007	1364432-A0000660000	Corina Llopiz

The East 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 14, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the North 80 feet thereof. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot No. 4779 in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **10th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **12th day of January, 2011**.

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

376224 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3635	2007	4104329-10023860250	Patrick W. Rose and Erin L. Rose

Lot 25, Block 2386, Port LaBelle Unit 10, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, page 17, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **10th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **12th day of January, 2011**.

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

376233 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
18	2007	1034328-010000G0230	Robert E. Ward

Lot 23, Block G, Fort DeSoto Acres, Unit 2, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, pages 68 through 70, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the **24th day of March, 2011**.

Dated this **26th day of January, 2010**.

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

377388 CN 02/03,10,17,24/11

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2992	2007	4104329-0302190350	Island River Realty

Lot 35, Block 2119, Port LaBelle Unit 3, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, page 73, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of February, 2011**, which is the **24th day of February, 2011**.

Dated this **29th day of December, 2010**.

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

375680 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT **Barbara S. Butler** Clerk of Circuit Court Hendry County, Florida

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1633	2007	1264432-A00013701000	Eldis M. Verdaco

The East 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 26, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the South 40 feet thereof. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 950, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 24th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 26th day of January, 2010.

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

377389 CN 02/03,10,17,24/11

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2101	2007	1314433-A0004440000	Velma Higgins

The North 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 31, Township 44 South, Range 33 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. Subject to an easement for a drainage canal of the North 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot No. 6112 , Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 24th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 26th day of January, 2010.

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

377387 CN 02/03,10,17,24/11

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2513	2007	204329-2800000370	J P F D Investment Corp. and FUNB Custodian for Holdco Inc.

Lot 64, Ford Park Subdivision, Section 1, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, page 48, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida, EXCLUDING ditch.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of February, 2011**, which is the 24th day of February, 2011.

Dated this 29th day of December, 2010.

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

375677 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3631	2007	4104329-10023840020	Juan Sanchez

Lot 2, Block 2384, Port LaBelle Unit 10, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, page 17, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of February, 2011**, which is the 24th day of February, 2011.

Dated this 29th day of December, 2010.

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

376868 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2057	2007	1314433-A0002310100	Oel Salabaria and Orlando Salabaria (land owner) John Manuel Nieves (mobile home owner)

The North 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 31, Township 44 South, Range 33 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as Lot No. 5889, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 24th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 26th day of January, 2011.

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

377520 CN 2/3,10,17,24/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1550	2007	1254432-A0001380100	Olga Gonzalez c/o Cindy Pergaro

The East 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 25, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the South 40 feet thereof. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 950, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 17th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 19th day of January, 2011.

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

376974 CN 1/27;2/3,10,17/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1906	2007	1364432-A0001850000	Roberto Pelaez

The North 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 36, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot No. 4032 in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 10th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 12th day of January, 2011.

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

376227 CN 1/ 20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2765	2007	4104329-01020180090	Eileen Bailey & Victor Beddoe, Janet M. Beddoe

Lot 9, Block 2018, Port LaBelle Unit 1, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, page 50, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of February, 2011**, which is the 24th day of February, 2011.

Dated this 29th day of December, 2010.

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

375678 CN /20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1403	2007	1224432-01000670090	Sanctuary Animal Refuge, Inc.

Lot 9, Block 67, Montura Ranch Estates, First Subdivision, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, pages 37, 38 and 39, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner.

Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the 10th day of March, 2011**, which is the 10th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 12th day of January, 2011.

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

375683 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3653	2007	4104329-11024310030	Patrick W. Rose and Erin L. Rose

Lot 44, Block 2531, Port LaBelle Unit 13, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, page 55, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner.

Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the 10th day of March, 2011**, which is the 10th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 29th day of December, 2010.

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

375687 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1856	2007	1354432-A0002480000	Cla

Public Notice**Public Notice****IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR COLLIER COUNTY, FLORIDA
CIVIL DIVISION**

RBC BANK (USA), a foreign profit corporation authorized to do business in the State of Florida f/k/a RBC Centura Bank f/k/a Community Bank of Naples, NA,
Plaintiff
v.
RICHARD SAWICKI a/k/a RICHARD J. SAWICKI, RAIN TREE VILLAGE UNIT SIX PROPERTY OWNER'S ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida non-profit corporation, ROYAL PALM GOLF ESTATES HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation, and JOHN DOE AS UNKNOWN TENANT and JANE DOE AS UNKNOWN TENANT and ANY AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, OR UNDER SAID DEFENDANTS, Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE
Property 2**

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered in this cause on October 19, 2010, the undersigned will sell the property situated in Collier County, Hendry County, and Lee County, Florida, and described as:

The East 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 26, LESS the East 1/3 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 and LESS the West 1/3 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 and LESS the South 30 feet thereof reserved for road purposes; ALSO LESS the East 1/3 and the West 1/3 thereof, lying and being in Township 47 South, Range 27 East, Collier County, Florida.

(the "COLLIER Property") AND

Lot 3, Block 2191, PORT LABELLE UNIT 6, a Subdivision according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 3, Pages 109 through 115, inclusive, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida. (the "PORT LABELLE Property")

A parcel of land lying in Section 4, Township 43 South, Range 29 East, City of Labelle, Hendry County, Florida, more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at the Southwest corner of the North 100 feet of Block 8, CITY OF LABELLE, as recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 47, of the Public Records of Lee County, Florida, thence South 89°57'47" East, 184.56 feet, parallel with the North line of said Block 8; thence South 00°03'10" West, along the centerline of said Block 8, 83.00 feet; thence North 89°57'47" West, 184.51 feet to the West line of said Block 8 and the East right-of-way line of Missouri Avenue; thence North 00°01'01" East, 83.00 feet, along said West line and right-of-way line to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

(the "HENDRY NO. 1 Property") AND

A parcel of land lying in Section 4, Township 43 South, Range 29 East, City of Labelle, Hendry County, Florida, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of the North 100 feet of Block 8, CITY OF LABELLE, as recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 47, of the Public Records of Lee County, Florida, thence South 00°10'00" West, 83.00 feet, along the West line of said Block 8 to the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 89°57'47" East, 184.51 feet, parallel with the North line of said Block 8; thence South 00°03'10" West, along the centerline of said Block 8, 83.00 feet; thence North 89°21'11" West, 184.43 feet to the West line of said Block 8 and the East right-of-way line of Missouri Avenue; thence North 00°01'00" East, 128.87 feet, along said West line and right-of-way line to the POINT OF BEGINNING. Subject to ditch easement.

(the "HENDRY NO. 2 Property") AND

Lot 17, Block 81, Unit 14, Section 25, Township 45 South, Range 27 East, LEHIGH ACRES, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 18, Pages 106 through 122, inclusive, of the Public Records of Lee County, Florida.

(the "LEE Property") at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for CASH, in the Atrium on the First Floor of the Courthouse Annex, Collier County Courthouse, 3301 Tamiami Trail East, Naples, Florida in Collier County, at 11:00 a.m. on the 16th day of February, 2011.

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.

DWIGHT E. BROCK, CLERK
CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT COLLIER COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY: Alexis Mire
Deputy Clerk

DATE: October 25, 2010

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 the Administrative Services Manager whose office is located at 3301 East Tamiami Trail, Building L, Naples, Florida 34112, and whose telephone number is (239) 252-8800, 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.

369912 CN 1/27,2/3/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****REQUEST FOR BIDS****STRIPING FOR HENDRY COUNTY**

BID NUMBER: 2011-07

OPENING DATE AND TIME: February 24, 2011 at 2:00 p.m.

Sealed Bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of Hendry County, Florida, "Striping for Hendry County". In order to be considered, bids must be received by the Board of County Commissioners at the C.E. Hall Building (Clerk's Office) in the Hendry County Courthouse Complex, 25 E. Hickpochee Avenue, Labelle, Florida by February 24, 2011 at 2:00 p.m., at which time all responses to this request will be recorded in the presence of one or more witnesses.

A copy of the Instructions and Bid Documents can be obtained from the Hendry County Purchasing Department, located at 165 S. Lee Street, Labelle, Florida (for pick up), Post Office Box 2340, Labelle, FL 33975 (mailing address) or by calling (863) 675-5220 or (863) 983-1585.

Bidders are encouraged to attend the **Pre-Bid Conference on Thursday, February 17, 2011, at 10:00 a.m.** at the Engineering Department, 99 E. Cowboy Way, Labelle, Florida 33935.

This solicitation does not commit Hendry County to award any contracts, to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of a response to this Bid, or to contract for any services. The County reserves the right to reject any or all submittals received as a result of this solicitation, or to cancel in part or in its entirety this Bid, if it is in the best interest of the County to do so.

Hendry County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and Drug/Smoke Free Work Place.

Darrell Harris, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
376953 CB/N 2/3,10,17/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1209	2007	1154432-A0001690100	Mario Leon, Jr.

The North 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 15, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot No. 2532 in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 17th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 19th day of January, 2011.

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

376971 CN 1/27; 2/3,10,17/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
837	2007	1284331-A0000990000	Marion E. Larmond a/k/a Marion E. Larmon-Hope

The Northwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 28, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as Lot No. 420, Pioneer Plantation, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 24th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 26th day of January, 2011.

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

377511 CN 2/3,10,17,24/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1657	2007	1264432-A0002290000	Medardo Diaz

The South 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 26, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for ingress, egress and utilities over and across the East 30 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 499, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 24th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 26th day of January, 2010.

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

377396 CN 02/03,10,17,24/2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1917	2007	1364432-A0002040000	Rafael Pereira

The North 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 36, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot No. 4158 in Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

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Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 10th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 12th day of January, 2011.

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

376229 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1641	2007	1264432-A0001630100	Noraima Linares

The North 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the South 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 26, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for ingress, egress and utilities over and across the East 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot No. 310, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 17th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 19th day of January, 2011.

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

396979 CN 1/27; 2/3,10,17/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS****Florida Department of Transportation Project**

Bids will be received by the District One Office until 2:00 P.M. on Thursday, February 17, 2011, for the following Proposals:

EJ140 - A Certification of Qualification is not required for Mechanical Sweeping in Manatee & Sarasota Counties. Budget Estimate: \$28,000.00

EJ141 - A Certification of Qualification is not required for Mowing of Right-of-Way & Ponds in Manatee County East of I-75. Budget Estimate: \$300,000.00

EJ142 - A Certification of Qualification is not required for Highway Lighting Maintenance in Polk County. Budget Estimate: \$135,000.00

EJ143 - A Certification of Qualification is not required for Roadside Mowing, Litter Removal & Chemical Vegetation Control in Manatee County. Budget Estimate: \$250,000.00

EJ144 - A Certification of Qualification is not required for Power Shearing in Manatee & Sarasota Counties. Budget Estimate: \$20,000.00

EJ145 - A Certification of Qualification is not required for Longline Striping & Reflective Pavement Marking Removal & Replacement in Manatee & Sarasota Counties. Budget Estimate: \$286,675.00

Complete letting advertisement information for this project is available on our website at <http://www.dot.state.fl.us/contractsadministrationdistrict1/>; or by calling (863) 519-2559, 376402 CN/CB 1/27 2/3/2011

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

376402 CN/CB 1/27 2/3/2011

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3110	2007	4104329-05021860220	Rolando Herrera

Lot 22, Block 2186, Port Labelle Unit 5, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, page 104, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.

All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of March, 2011**, which is the 17th day of March, 2011.

Dated this 19th day of January, 2011.

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

376977 CN 1/27; 2/3,10,17/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3109	2007	4104329-05021860120	Rolando Herrera

Lot 12, Block 2186, Port Labelle Unit 5, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, page 104, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

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Dated this 12th day of January, 2011.

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

376225 CN 1/20,27 2/3,10/2011

Public Notice**Public Notice****NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED****Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**

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**NOTICE OF MEETING CHANGE
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
HENDRY COUNTY**

The Board of County Commissioners of Hendry County, Florida hereby gives notice of a meeting change. The Board's regularly scheduled meeting of February 8, 2011, will be held at 4:30 p.m., at the Clewiston Health Department, Janet B. Taylor Auditorium, 1100 Olympia Street, Clewiston, Florida. If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Hendry County Commission with respect to any matter discussed at such meeting, he/she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Board of County Commissioners of Hendry County, Florida
Darrell R. Harris, Chairman

377405 CB/CGS 2/3/2011

**HENDRY COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
NOTICE OF WORKSHOP**

Notice is hereby given that the Hendry County Board of County Commissioners will hold a workshop on February 8, 2011, beginning at 3:00 p.m., at the Clewiston Health Department, Janet B. Taylor Auditorium, 1100 Olympia Street, Clewiston, Florida to discuss health related services and related issues.

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Hendry County Commission with respect to any matter discussed at such meeting, he/she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA
Darrell R. Harris, Chairman

377404 CB/CGS 2/3/2011

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Alphonzo Anthony Jackson, 47



- Sexual Assault, victim over 12 years of age, physical force, no damage
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Cecilio Roblero-Zunun, 26



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Necler Legros, 26



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- Released Jan. 30 on bond



- Burglary, unarmed
- Arrested Jan. 26 by Det. Bowens

Crime Stoppers Wants you to be on the lookout for ...

The Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office is seeking assistance from the public in locating wanted fugitive Jamar Davis as of Jan. 27, 2011.

Davis, 25, is a 5'8" male with black hair and brown eyes and weighs 200 pounds. His last known address is listed as Lake Circle Dr., Belle Glade.

Davis is wanted for conspira-



Jamar Davis

cy to commit burglary; burglary of a dwelling; grand theft; criminal mischief.

Anyone with information on the whereabouts of this wanted fugitive is asked to contact the Crime Stoppers at 1-800-458-TIPS (8477) or online at www.crimestopperspbc.com.

Progress

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could suddenly be slightly cheaper, or more expensive. One of the first orders of business for Mr. Alston was putting the service out for competitive bidding.

In doing so, a number of companies took a stab at the job and the city hired a new contractor that it now pays nearly half of the original figure – without sacrificing service and with a built-in cap for costs.

A slightly more problematic issue was with another big line item: insurance. In the past, the city has paid 100 percent of its employees' health benefits, but has asked employees to contribute, especially when adding family members to the plans.

It was difficult, but the staff has responded well. It might be the understanding that the city simply could not afford such a luxury.

Unloading debt

With the advent of the city's joining the Glades Utility Authority, the city has gotten rid of a major debt tied to its former utility systems.

The GUA, the collective agency handling the Glades cities' utility services, agreed to assume South Bay's debt in the lower millions when the city signed on to become a part of the group.

It was one of the manager's first functions, literally, after being hired.

Looking ahead

Addressing issues internally was paramount before the city manager set his sight on outside projects in earnest.

He will be doing just that this year, and hopes to come much closer to seeing the realization of several projects which he believes will begin to help the city transition to a stronger economic base. It won't happen overnight, he promises, but it can happen.

He hopes that work on the inland port will advance this year.

Previously an ambitious plan to marry the ports of South Florida, from Miami to Palm Beach, the original governmental backers dropped from the project, but Florida Crystals continues to press forward with its own plans to site a transportation/commercial hub between South Bay and Belle Glade.

If it is created that close to the city, then jobs will come, said Mr. Alston, and with them the chance for more revenue possibilities.

From city hall, commissioners and the managers have their eyes set on big projects, too, including work on an expansive truck stop with capacity to accommodate up to 100 trucks in a spacious parking lot – an obvious move to capture the flow of thousands of commercial vehicles driving through South Bay each day. The plans are focused on a portion of land that South Bay recently annexed just south of the city.

The plans for the site don't end there. Work on attracting a large hotel chain is moving forward, and the city has been in communications with several promising candidates to build a hotel adjacent to the truck stop.

The manager said discussions with one prominent hotel chain are encouraging.

More for the community

There is also the community center building. Leveraging funding the local correctional institution pledged to the city when it first moved in, officials hope to site a revamped community center in the city.

It is a project that has seen several revisions, but the city will be moving forward in earnest to acquire the additional funding, through a combination of private sources and the possibility of bank debt.

Sometimes projects important enough to the city must be built despite having to incur debt, he said, but he is certain that the city's current financial standing could easily support such a project.



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State Road 715 at West Morgan Road is currently closed in each direction to facilitate an emergency pipe repair. Motorists traveling northbound are being detoured via SR 715/Hooker Highway, and motorists traveling southbound are being detoured via SR 715/SR 441. At this time, the closure is expected to last through mid February 2011, weather permitting. FDOT has assigned a contractor to complete this work, and the replacement pipe is currently being manufactured. Once construction of the new pipe is completed, work will begin immediately on-site. Emergency rescue teams in the area are also aware of the closure and related detours, and have altered their routes accordingly.