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John Beery receives 2017 'Stake in the Ground' award

The REPORTER

The Noblesville Common Council recognized City Engineer John Beery as the 2017 Stake in the Ground honoree at their meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 9. During the past year, Beery's engineering department constructed the Midland Trace Trail Phase I, Little Chicago Road Trail and other trail connections, made improvements at Southside Park and the Southwest Quad neighborhood, oversaw completion of the Riverwalk Phase III and worked proactively on studies for the Pleasant Street extension and State Road 37 improvements.

"In addition to these projects, John also takes the lead for the city with a number of developers and helps them work through the process. He always has the city's best interests in mind," 2017 Council President Megan Wiles said.

Additional road projects completed last year included the Five Points roundabout intersection transition, resurfacing of Mercantile Boulevard,

141st Street, Pine Knoll and Fairfield Farms subdivision, Metro Business Park and the \$1.8 million annual street rehabilitation project, which included the Wellingtons, North and South Harbour, Monterey Village, James Place, Prairie Crossing, Cumberland Pointe, Old Town and miscellaneous thoroughfares.

Beery began working for Noblesville in 2006 and previously won the award in 2007.

"I'm very surprised and humbled by the award," said Beery. "This isn't an individual award, it is a department award. The good group of people I get to work with heavily contributed to this award. They do a great job for the city and are committed to move the city forward every day and making it a better place."

The "Stake in the Ground" Award is designed to recognize city employees - at the director level - who go way above and beyond their jobs. Each councilor makes a nomination and then all members vote on the award.



Reporter photo by Jeff Jellison
Noblesville City Engineer John Beery was awarded the Stake in the Ground Tuesday for his department's numerous infrastructure projects.

Carmel Clay Superintendent Wahl resigns

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The Carmel Clay Schools superintendent has resigned.

The board said on Friday, Jan. 12 the resignation of Nicholas Wahl was effective immediately.

The board earlier had put Wahl on paid leave while it reviewed district leadership. Wahl was under contract until June 2022.

The board said under the resignation agreement, Wahl will only be paid through June of this year.

The board said the search for a new superintendent will begin immediately.

Beaver announces run for District 29

The REPORTER

Brad Beaver, who is currently serving on the Hamilton County Council, has announced that he will run for the House seat replacing Kathy Richardson.



"I have served in the capacity of County Councilor in Hamilton County for the past 20 years. I have never raised your property taxes or missed a County Council meeting. Hamilton County is one of the most fiscally sound governmental entities in the State. While some politicians may claim to be conservative - I have proven my commitment to the taxpayers. I seek to serve on another level as your State Representative and continue my good stewardship to the taxpayers of Hamilton County," said Beaver. "I am confident that I am the candidate that is most

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Parks staff, Westfield Schools develop new Asa Bales playground

The REPORTER

A new playground is in the works for the north end of Asa Bales Park, and a collaborative process between city staff and Westfield Middle School (WMS) students helped decide the design.

"We started thinking about what a new playground could look like and wanted the public input we seek to actually come from the students we expect might be using the equipment," said Mayor Andy Cook. "We set up a series of meetings with student representatives from WMS to determine what their needs were, and then eventually asked them to vote on the design they liked best."

The new playground design is a climbing style play structure geared towards an older age group. The playground will include a climbing rock, netting, basket and traditional swings and artificial turf similar to what was recently

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Hamilton County communities sue opioid manufacturers, distributors

By **JEFF JELLISON**
ReadTheReporter.com

The City of Noblesville along with Atlanta, Sheridan and Westfield have joined the list of several other Indiana communities in filing a lawsuit against drug manufacturers and distributors of opioids.

The suit was filed by Noblesville on Monday, Jan. 8 in the United States District Court of Southern Indiana.

Representatives from Sheridan, Atlanta and Westfield confirmed their legal action on Tuesday, Jan. 9.

Noblesville's suit lists 14 drug manufacturers and four distributors as defendants.

A statement released by Noblesville said, "The City of Noblesville has joined other Hoosier cities to hold the manufacturers and distributors of highly addictive opioids responsible for the crisis that our public safety departments are struggling to cope with. Noblesville has filed a federal lawsuit - at no cost to taxpayers - to seek damages that would pay for the rising costs of battling the opioid epidemic that is now the leading cause of death for people under the age of 50."

The suit alleges Indiana has been especially ravaged by the national opioid crisis

and Indiana has an opioid prescription rate of 109.1 per 100 persons, which ranks ninth in the country (the median rate for states is 82.5) and a benzodiazepine prescription rate of 42.9 per 100 persons, which ranks 17th nationally (the median rate for states is 37.7).

Documents filed in Federal Court indicate Indiana opioid overdose deaths rose 52 percent between 2015 and 2016 and have more than double in the last three years.

Noblesville alleges the opioid epidemic is particularly devastating in its city. During the period of 2011 to 2015, the number of non-fatal emergency department visits due to

opioid overdoses in Hamilton County has nearly doubled.

Hamilton County, with 410 non-fatal emergency room visits for opioid overdoses, ranked fourth in the state during the period of 2011 to 2015. Marion County led the state during the reporting period with 2,557 visits.

The lawsuit states, "This incredible harm to not just the victims of opioid addiction, but the communities in which those individuals lived, stems directly from the Defendants' intentional choice to pump opioids into Plaintiff's Community in violation of state and federal law."

Miller named Cicero Council president

The REPORTER

As of the first meeting on Jan. 2, 2018, Rusty Miller is the new president of the Cicero Town Council. The vote to decide that change in leadership was held at the end of 2017 because some council members had plans that conflicted with the first town council meeting of the year on Jan. 2.

Miller's vice-president in 2018 is Chris Lutz.

It has long been the practice of the Cicero Town Council

to name a new president each year, though there is no official policy to that effect.

Miller had attended Cicero Town Council meeting for several years before he ever ran for office.

"I have been attending town council meeting for the past 10 years and was vice-president in 2017," Miller



Miller

er said. "This is the beginning of my third year as a member of the council."

Miller explained that the council president has no special statutory authoritative power over other council members, but the

president is responsible for running meetings. Miller does expect to get more calls from citizens and organizations

with concerns, which he will be responsible for replaying to the rest of the council and department heads.

Speaking of outgoing president Chad Amos, Miller said, "Chad has done a stellar job running the presidency last year. I will continue to do the best I can for our community."

Cicero Town Council members serve four-year terms. Miller will not have to run for reelection until 2019 for the 2020-2024 term.



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Heirbrandt elected president of Board of Commissioners

By FRED SWIFT
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Mark Heirbrandt was elected president of the Hamilton County Board of Commissioners in the board's organizational meeting on Monday, Jan. 8. Steve Dillinger was named vice president. Election of officers and appointment of department heads and members of various county boards is an annual practice at the first meeting of the year.

All department heads under commissioners' jurisdiction were reappoint-

ed. They include director of administration Dan Stevens, county attorney Mike Howard, highway director Brad Davis, human resources director Sheena Randall, information technology director Chris Martens, Veteran Service Officer Lynn Epperson and Safety and Risk Management director Dan Papineau.

Commissioners engaged a new director of public relations, Tammy Sand-



Heirbrandt

er. She becomes the first to hold that position. As a part time contract employee Ms. Sander will be responsible for communicating with the news media to disseminate information on county government plans and projects. She and her husband, Scott, reside in Carmel.

Among other appointments, Dave Burtner was named a member of the County Board of Health filling a vacancy creat-

ed by the recent death of longtime board president Garrick Mallery.

Justin Clevenger and Jonathan Globle were appointed to the County Airport Authority replacing retiring members.

Andrew Dollard was appointed to the County Redevelopment Authority replacing Jeanette Kassebaum.

There were no changes made in the membership of the Riverview Hospital Board, county park board, county plan commission or community corrections board.

Fishers to offer local government academy

By LARRY LANNAN
LarryInFishers.com

If you want to know what it is like to go through the Fishers City Government Academy, just talk with someone that graduated from the program. Then you will know what a great experience it is.

The City of Fishers is preparing to conduct another academy and you can join. There is no cost, but you are required to register.

What is the City Government Academy? It's a 10-week program. You learn how local government works. There is even a session with local school superintendent Allen Bourff.

Those enrolled in the academy learn about such city departments as parks and recreation, public safety and engineering. Many graduates walk away from the

program saying the most interesting part of the academy was the explanation of how the wastewater treatment plant operation works.

Bottom line, you find out so much about your local government. And joining is easy. You just need to carve out the time in your schedule and register.

You can review all the scheduled sessions and register at fishers.in.us/CGA. Only a limited number of spots are available so do not wait if you are interested.

If you have questions, the man to contact is Dan Domsic. You can send him an email at domsic@fishers.in.us or contact him by phone at (317) 595-3151.

It all starts on Tuesday, Feb. 13. This is your chance to learn what local government does for you each and every day.

ASA BALES

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installed at Quaker Park.

"I thought it was cool that they came to talk to us about how the park was going to be built and they gave us a decision to make," said Lila James, a seventh grader at WMS. "It was nice to be included in the decision."

"This was an exciting opportunity for our students to be involved in the democratic process," said Christine Kelly, a social studies teacher at WMS. "The students are eager to play on the playground once it is installed."

"I am so glad that the city reached out to our students," said Kelly Day, a seventh-grade teacher at WMS. "This is a great opportunity for the middle school kids to feel connected to and invested in their community. The students had such great ideas and insight about the playground. Students this age are so eager to be heard and to get involved. It meant the



Photo provided

Katie Wolf of Westfield Middle School examines a design concept for Asa Bales Park.

world to them that the city desired to know what they wanted."

The play equipment previously located in Asa Bales is nearly 20 years old and has required more and more maintenance in recent years. The city is removing that equipment in the com-

ing weeks.

The playground on the south end of the park will be replaced with a Gaga Ball pit, which is a dodgeball-like game played inside of an octagonal pit. A fitness course will also be installed near this area in the spring of 2018.

To stay up-to-date on this project, follow the Westfield Parks and Recreation Department on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

For more information on Gaga Ball, visit gaga-center.com/nyc/about/what-is-gaga.

BEAVER

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prepared to do this."

Beaver was born and raised in Noblesville, graduating from Noblesville High School in 1977. After college, he started his own heating and cooling business. He is a fourth-generation small business owner in Hamilton County. He has been married to his wife, Trini, for 28 years and has three adult children.

During his 20 years on the County Council he has served on various boards and committees, including Hamilton County Plan

Commission, Board of Zoning Appeals, County Solid Waste Board, Personnel Committee and Finance Committee. Throughout the years he has been active coaching basketball at the Noblesville Boys and Girls Club. He is a member of White River Christian Church.

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When:
Wednesday, Jan. 31
6-7 p.m.

Location:
Riverview Health
395 Westfield Rd., Noblesville
Krieg DeVault Conference Room
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or call 317.776.7999.
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Situated across from the Palladium, construction of The Carmichael is expected to begin this spring.

Carmel unveils name of future City Center hotel

The REPORTER

The City of Carmel has released updated images and announced on Friday, Jan. 12 that a name has been chosen for the future City Center hotel – “The Carmichael” – which will be developed as part of a public-private partnership bringing the first hotel into the City Center. The name pays homage to both Carmel and Michael Feinstein, the Grammy-nominated performer and artistic director of the Center for the Performing Arts, who will operate a supper club on the ground level of the new hotel.

“We are excited to see these plans come together for this boutique hotel that will become an important part of our plan to bring more excitement and more visitors into our redevelopment area,” said Mayor Jim Brainard. “We have many

wonderful hotels along the Meridian Corridor, but they are often booked solid and more hotels are being planned for that area. This hotel will be a special, unique experience for those wanting to catch a show at the Palladium, then spend the evening in the heart of our new downtown.”

Hotel Carmichael is being developed in such a way to be included as part of the Autograph Collection by Marriott, which is a prestigious brand with high average occupancy rates. Negotiations are underway right now to try to make The Carmichael one of about 100 Autograph Collection hotels worldwide.

Construction on the hotel should begin this spring. It will be connected to the Carmel City Center and located just across the widened Monon Trail from the

Palladium, with dining and meeting rooms overlooking the Center Green.

“We are working daily with our architects, designers, and luxury-boutique hotel consultants to push for excellence in every detail, from parking to pampering,” said Henry Mestetsky, Executive Director of the Carmel Redevelopment Commission. “We want this hotel to be something that Carmel residents and businesses will be proud to share with visitors, clients and family members who are spending time in our city.”

Current plans call for the 106,347 square-foot hotel to feature 122 guest rooms and suites, a full-service restaurant, private dining, outside dining, the Feinstein Club, ballroom, meeting spaces, business center and a fitness center.

2018 can be a year of progress for Noblesville

Last year, I celebrated my 15-year Noblesville High School class reunion. If you had told me 15 years ago at Noblesville High School that I would, one day, serve as President



CHRIS JENSEN
Noblesville Common Council President

of the city council, I would have said you were crazy. Funny how life works.

I am certain 2018 has a lot in store for our beloved city. From Finch Creek to Dillon Park and all points in between, we see great opportunity for investment in the true gem of Hamilton County. Our goal as a council is to find ways to embrace Noblesville’s historic charm while still progressing and adapting to the needs of our community.

With the Pleasant Street corridor under design, our infrastructure map will soon drastically change. This project remains a top priority for the council. You do not need to spend but one

rush hour on State Road 32 to realize that we need better mobility in our city. With the improvements to State Road 37 project well underway, our ability to navigate Noblesville will soon be much easier. Infrastructure projects are expensive, and investing tax dollars wisely is a big concern.

We look forward to great enhancements to our downtown. While other communities seek to build downtowns, we have an authentic one. With new restaurants like Grindstones Public House and Bru Burger, our goal is to keep downtown Noblesville a key attraction for visitors and residents. The new Downtown Development Committee is also on the verge of designing ways to enhance streetscapes to add additional “wow factor” to our downtown.

Finally, the backbone of any strong community is public safety and job creation. We must continue to invest in and focus on the opioid epidemic gripping our city, county and state. Equipping our first responders with the best training and tactics is essential. Also, focusing on the jobs of tomorrow helps ensure that the next generation of Millennials have a place (and job) to come home to. While we have a low unemployment rate in Noblesville currently, we must continue to look for the jobs of tomorrow to remain competitive in our ever evolving economy.

Again, serving on the city council has truly been an honor and privilege. To work every day on behalf of 60,000 residents to move Noblesville forward is my mission and one that I do not take lightly. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions, concerns or ideas. Thank you for allowing me to serve this great community.

You can join Sheriff’s Citizens Academy

The REPORTER

Applications are being accepted for the spring session of the Hamilton County Sheriff’s Office Citizens Academy. The 12-week course is held from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Thursday evenings with classes running from March 8 through May 24. There is no charge for participants to attend the academy, which is open to area residents 18 years of age and older.

The Citizens Academy provides an opportunity for interested citizens to learn more about the varied roles and functions of the Sheriff’s Office. These

tasks include many usual law enforcement responsibilities but also go beyond the scope of a local police department. Class sessions include Criminal and Constitutional Law, Traffic Stops, Crash and Criminal Investigations, Firearms, Drug and Alcohol Enforcement, Emergency Driving, Use of Force and many others. Participants also have the option to ride with a Patrol Division deputy, sit with a dispatcher and shadow a jail officer as part of the course.

Class participants bring a wealth of knowledge and experience to

the academy providing the Sheriff’s Office staff the opportunity to learn and better serve the community. The Citizens Academy promotes greater understanding and transparency for all involved. More than 200 students have graduated from the Sheriff’s Office Citizens Academy, providing growth and learning for both area residents and employees of the Sheriff’s Office.

More information and applications are available at hamiltoncounty.in.gov/546/Citizens-Academy. Class sizes are limited so early applications are encouraged.

Candidate filing begins

By FRED SWIFT

ReadTheReporter.com

Following the theory that the early bird gets the worm, 24 candidates appeared at the county elections office on Wednesday, Jan. 10 to file their candidacies for the May 8 primary election. All are Republicans.

The first to file were Steve Schwartz seeking re-election to the Hamilton County Council, John Chalfin seeking re-election as county coroner and Robin Ward seeking re-election as county assessor.

Filing for office continues until noon on Feb. 9.

Those also filing on the first day included:

- Kathy Richardson for county clerk
- Jennifer Hayden, running for re-election as county recorder
- Bill Clifford, Mitch Russell and Jason Sloder-

beck for sheriff

- Sue Maki seeking nomination for County Council, Dist. 1
- Christine Pauley and Rick Sharp running for County Council, Dist. 4
- Matt Snyder seeking re-election on Clay Township Board
- Rick Fain running for Delaware Township Board
- Doug Allman candidate for trustee in Fall Creek Township
- Chad Garrard and Jason Meyer running for township board in Fall Creek
- Robyn Cook for trustee in Jackson Township and Chris Miller, incumbent trustee for re-election in Jackson Township
- Tom Kenley seeking re-election as trustee of Noblesville Township
- Terry Busby candidate for re-election on Noblesville Township Board
- Chad Amos running for Cicero Town Council at large

- Bill Curl and Steve Fisher running for Sheridan Town Council at large
- Doug Allman seeking a State Convention delegate seat from Fall Creek Township, Dist. 3

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Charles "Franklin" Hinshaw

February 12, 1923 – January 10, 2018

Charles "Franklin" Hinshaw, a World War II Veteran, Carmel, died January 10, 2018 due to a stroke. He was born on February 12, 1923, son of Jett and Freida Brown Hinshaw. Franklin was a 1941 graduate of Carmel High School.

Franklin enlisted in the US Army September 15, 1942 to fight for freedom. He served until October 1945 as a B-24 Liberator pilot in the 578th Bomb Squadron 392nd Bomb Group stationed in Wendling, England.

Franklin worked at Allison Division of GM for 37 years before retiring in 1983.

Known to his family and friends as a philosopher, he loved to engineer and build everything needed to maintain his home and garden.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth Anna Mairs Hinshaw; children, Les Hinshaw (Helen), Tom Hinshaw (Kathy), Judy Singleton (Jim) and Jeff Hinshaw (Marilyn); 11 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

Visitation will begin at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, January 24, 2018 in St. Christopher's Episcopal Church, Carmel, where the Memorial Service will be held at 11:30 a.m.

Please visit bussellfamilyfunerals.com to read Franklin's full obituary.

Arrangements entrusted to Bussell Family Funerals, Westfield-Carmel.



Joseph William Richard Merkle

November 26, 1926 – January 9, 2018

Joseph William Richard Merkle, 91, Noblesville, passed away on Tuesday, January 9, 2018 at Riverview Health. He was born on November 26, 1926, the youngest of six children of Frank and Teresa (Meitz) Merkle in Chicago, Ill.

Joe proudly served his country in the United States Army during the Korean War. He settled in Fort Wayne where he worked at Allen Products, Inc., eventually becoming Vice President and part owner of the company. An entrepreneur who owned several businesses, he ended his business career as the owner of Fort Wayne Dairy Equipment before retiring in Noblesville. Joe and his wife, Lori, wintered in Mesa, Ariz., where they played golf and enjoyed family and friends. In his later years, his passions were cooking and following the stock market, but most importantly, spending time with his family and grandkids.

He is survived by his wife, Lorraine Merkle; children, Patricia Merkle Ohlendorf, Mark J.R. Merkle (Sue Stemen) and Barbara Merkle Horn (William); and grandchildren, Charles, Alex, Arin, April, Parker, Victoria and Paige.

In addition to his parents, Joe was preceded in death by his siblings, Rudy, Frank, Eva, Mary and Steve.

Mass was held on Friday, January 12, 2018 at Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church, 410 S. Pearl St., Cicero, with visitation prior in the chapel. Rev. Dale W. Ehrman officiated.

The Merkle family has entrusted Randall & Roberts Funeral Homes with Joe's care.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church, 410 S. Pearl St., Cicero, IN 46034.

Condolences: randallroberts.com



Dean A. Graham

May 3, 1960 – January 8, 2018

Dean A. Graham, 57, Carmel, passed away on Monday, January 8, 2018 at home. He was born on May 3, 1960 to Neal and Phyllis (Holmes) Graham in Noblesville.

Dean owned Controlled Automation, Inc. in Noblesville and was a master of all trades. He enjoyed going to festivals (especially EDM shows), hiking, snow skiing, gardening and traveling.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by his wife, Rhenda Graham; son, Logan Graham; brother, Brad (Chris) Graham; brother-in-law, David (Stephanie) Sanders; granddaughter, Luna LeGoff; mother and father-in-law, Jerry and Nancy Sanders; and numerous nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Alicia 'Ali' Graham.

Services will be held at 7 p.m. on Friday, January 19, 2018 at Randall & Roberts Fishers Mortuary, 12010 Allisonville Road, Fishers, with visitation beginning at 4 p.m.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society, 5635 W. 96th St., Suite 100, Indianapolis, IN 46278.

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Isabelle Ellen Otter

January 25, 1936 – January 5, 2018

Isabelle Ellen Otter, 81, Fishers, passed away on Friday, January 5, 2018 at her home. She was born on January 25, 1936 to Sylvester and Jessie (Pate) Rearden in Frankfort, Ky. Isabelle was a member of Noblesville First United Methodist Church and had been a librarian for Allen County and Anderson University.

She is survived by her husband, Warren Otter; her two children, Karen (Michael) Staton and Gregory Otter; eight grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her brother.

Beginning in college, she became noted for her soprano voice and sang solos for oratorios and joined her husband in giving musical concerts for community and church groups.

Services were held on Saturday, January 13, 2018 at Noblesville First United Methodist Church, 2051 Monument St., Noblesville, with visitation prior to the service. Pastor Jerry Rairdon and Pastor Dick Judson officiated.

Memorial contributions may be made to Lucille Raines Addiction Recovery Residence, 947 N. Pennsylvania St., Indianapolis, IN 46204; or to Noblesville First United Methodist Church Missions.

The family has entrusted cremation and arrangements to Randall & Roberts Funeral Homes in Noblesville-Fishers.

Condolences: randallroberts.com



Shirley L. Blair

February 25, 1935 – January 9, 2018

Shirley L. Blair, 82, Noblesville, passed away on Tuesday, January 9, 2018 at Riverview Health. She was born on February 25, 1935 to Leo and Alberta (Stage) Gerber in Noblesville.

Shirley worked in the office at Firestone and for the concession company Modern Flavors and retired from the Hamilton County Treasurer's Office. She was a member of Refuge Christian Church and a lifetime member of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. In her youth, Shirley was a member of the Girl Scouts and later became a Girl Scout leader. She enjoyed ceramics, loved her friends, loved raising her children and loved her granddaughter, Sidney M.

Shirley is survived by her daughters, Lisa Ann Blair and Leslie Susan Blair; and granddaughter, Sidney M. Huber.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Allan J. Blair in 2011.

Visitation was held on Thursday, January 11, 2018 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St., Noblesville. Services were held on Friday, January 12, 2018 at the funeral home, with Rev. Stanley R. Sutton officiating. Burial was at Crownland Cemetery in Noblesville.

Memorial contributions may be made to Refuge Christian Church, 11772 E. 196th St., Noblesville, IN 46060.

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Beverly B. Hadley

February 11, 1933 – January 6, 2018

Beverly B. Hadley, 84, Noblesville, passed away on Saturday, January 6, 2018 at Harbour Manor Care Center. She was born on February 11, 1933 to Robert and Agnes (Dennemann) Mohler in Indianapolis.

For 35 years, Beverly worked as an accountant for Eli Lilly. She was a great cook who enjoyed the outdoors and camping. Beverly loved her life, loved her family and loved her dogs.

She is survived by her sons, Steven (Mollie) Hadley and Jerry (Jenell) Hadley; daughter, Teresa (Mark) Waugh; brother, Robert Mohler; sister, Lauren (Norman) Norcross; grandchildren, Shaun, Chonda, Kayla, Nichole, Scott, Jessica, Maggie, Eric and Wesley; and 11 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, Beverly was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Hadley in 2001; and, grandson, Mark.

Services were held on Thursday, January 11, 2018 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville, with visitation prior to the time of service. Pastor Dick Judson officiated. Burial was at White Lick Cemetery in Mooresville, Ind.

Memorial contributions may be made to Humane Society for Hamilton County, 1721 Pleasant St., Suite B, Noblesville, IN 46060.

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Charles V. "Chuck" Durkee

October 13, 1930 – December 30, 2017

Charles V. "Chuck" Durkee, 87, Noblesville, passed away on December 30, 2017 at Prairie Lakes Health Campus, Noblesville.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, January 13, at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 19100 Allisonville Road, Noblesville. Visitation was held on the same date at the same location. Randall & Roberts Funeral Homes was entrusted with Charles' care.

Charles was born in Grand Rapids, Mich., to Veron and Almeda Durkee on October 13, 1930. He went to high school at Central High School and graduated in 1948. He earned a certificate in finance and accounting from The University of Pennsylvania, The Wharton School. Charles worked as Vice President of Sales for Blue Lustre Home Care Products, Indianapolis, for 10 years and owner of Car-a-Van and Portside Car Wash facilities in Noblesville for 27 years. He enjoyed travel, socializing with family and friends and wintered in Fort Myers, Fla., for 20 years. He received various department and public speaking assignments at congregations and conventions of Jehovah's Witnesses.

Charles is survived by his wife, Barbara Durkee of Noblesville; daughters, Julie Miller of Noblesville, Janice Dunn of Elwood, and Charlene White of Fishers; and son, Joel Durkee of Columbus, Ohio. Additionally, Charles is survived by four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Memorial donations may be made to Watchtower Bible & Tract Society of New York, Inc., 900 Red Mills Road, Wallkill, NY, 12589-3223.

The family wishes to extend their gratitude to the local and global Christian Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses.

Condolences: randallroberts.com



Delsie Maxine Montgomery

May 27, 1921 – January 9, 2018

Delsie Maxine Montgomery, 96, Westfield, passed away on Tuesday, January 9, 2018 at Harbour Manor Care Center in Noblesville. She was born on May 27, 1921 to David and Dora (Steward) Ray in Rush County.

She is survived by her daughter-in-law, Carolyn Montgomery; daughter, Glee (James) Hutson; six grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, Delsie was preceded in death by her husband, Phillip K. Montgomery; son, Hal Montgomery; four siblings, Kenneth "Doc" Ray, Albert Ray, Lucille Ray and Thomas Ray; grandson, Tyler Montgomery; and great-granddaughter, Holly Hutson.

Services were held on Saturday, January 13, 2018 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville, with visitation prior to the time of service. Rev. Stanley R. Sutton officiated. Burial was at Oaklawn Memorial Gardens in Indianapolis.

Condolences: randallroberts.com



Donald L. Johnson

June 8, 1949 – January 10, 2018

Donald L. Johnson, 68, Noblesville, passed away on Wednesday, January 10, 2018 at his home. He was born on June 8, 1949 to Kenneth and Nellie (Goolsby) Johnson in Noblesville.

For 30 years, Don worked for Lazarus Department Store, now Macy's. He married Linda Jo Murdock in 1972 and enjoyed westerns and going on vacation.

Don is survived by his wife, Linda Jo Johnson; daughter, Dora (Robert) Mullins; grandson, Andrew Fleenor; aunt, Phyllis Kaye Lynch; and uncle, Andrew "Pug" Goolsby.

Services will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, January 16, 2018 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St., Noblesville, with visitation from 4 p.m. to the time of service. Rev. Richard D. Bell will officiate.

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Obituaries

Stephen T. Garrett Jr.

January 2, 1963 – January 3, 2018

Stephen T. Garrett Jr., 55, Indianapolis, passed away on Wednesday, January 3, 2018. He was born on January 2, 1963 in Indianapolis.



He is survived by his mother, Pat Garrett Rooney; brother, Terrence (Bambi) Garrett; sister, Megan (Greg) Wiles; and four nieces and nephews. His father, Stephen T. Garrett Sr. preceded him in death.

Private family services were held. Memorial contributions may be made to TSMG Fund at Legacy Fund, 515 E. Main St., Carmel, IN 46032. Condolences: randallroberts.com

Sylvia A. Kern

October 10, 1925 – January 9, 2018

Sylvia A. Kern, 92, of Fishers (formerly of Schererville, IN), passed away on Tuesday, January 9, 2018 at home. She was born on October 10, 1925 to Manuel and Esperanza (Calceta) Abrogar in the Philippines.



Sylvia earned her Master's degree from Loyola University in Chicago and had been a social worker for St. Catherine Hospital in East Chicago. She was a member of St. Louis de

Montfort Catholic Church in Fishers and had a great devotion to the Eucharist and the Blessed Mother. She was significantly involved in the NW Indiana Philippine Professional Association and a member of Our Lady of Fatima Sorority from Holy Trinity Hungarian Catholic Church in East Chicago. Sylvia was a great baker and cook, but her greatest joy was spending time with her family.

She is survived by her two children, Ronald Joseph (Kathy) Kern and Carmelita (William) Anderson; a brother, Lito and sister, Trining both of whom still reside in the Philippines; grandchildren, Brandon J. (Diane) Kern, Brooke A. (Ross) Horton, Brian P. Kern, Sydney M. Anderson and Jeffrey W. Anderson; two great-grandchildren, Linus J. Kern and Adelaide M. Kern; and many nieces and nephews and extended family members.

In addition to her parents, Sylvia is reunited in death with her husband, Frank Joseph Kern, as well as siblings, Milagros, Rem, Esperanza, Zeus, Romulo and Evelyn.

Services were held on Saturday, January 13, 2018 at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, 10655 Haverstick Road, Carmel, with visitation prior. Burial will be at Our Lady of Peace Cemetery in Indianapolis at a later date.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, P.O. Box 1000, Dept. 142 Memphis, TN 38148-0142. Condolences: randallroberts.com

Virginia Joy Waterman Johnson

May 11, 1925 – December 29, 2017

Virginia Joy Waterman Johnson, 92 1/2, Noblesville, passed peacefully on Friday, December 29, 2017 at her home. She was born on May 11, 1925 to Ralph and Lelah May (Creekmore) Waterman in Fall Creek Township, Hamilton County. Joy was a 1943 graduate of Fishers High School.



She is survived by her children, Daniel Chard (Patty) Johnson, LaDonna Mae Thompson, Linda Carol Johnson, Betty Jo (Ed) Cortrecht and Andrea Joy (Gerald) Ellingwood; brothers and sisters, June Landis, Jean Layton, John (Joyce) Waterman, Janet Wilson, Jake (Sandy) Waterman and Jane (Ed) Christman; 12 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, Joy was preceded in death by her husband, DeWitt Johnson in 2002; brothers, Jerry, Jack and Joe Waterman; and sister, Julia Ann Sigler.

Services were held on Saturday, January 13, 2018 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home, 1150 Logan St., Noblesville, with visitation prior to the time of service. Pastor Mark Powell officiated. Burial was at Crownland Cemetery in Noblesville.

Memorial Contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association, 50 E. 91st St., Suite 100, Indianapolis, IN 46240; or Moody Radio Indiana, 1920 W. 53rd St., Anderson, IN 46013. Condolences: randallroberts.com

Evelyn L. Randall

November 2, 1938 – January 7, 2018

Evelyn L. Randall, 79, Noblesville, passed away with love and support from her family on Sunday, January 7, 2018 at Riverview Health. She was born on November 2, 1938 to Kenneth and Velma (Mendenhall) Moon in Eagletown.

Evelyn worked for Firestone Industrial Products, Conner Prairie and American Medical Products. She was a member of White River Christian Church, loved Bingo and was a HUGE Elvis fan. Evelyn was an organ donor and was able to give tissue and skin to help others.

She is survived by her daughter, Sandra (David) Roop; grandchildren, Adam, Luci and Vanessa Roop; and brother, Fred Moon. Aunt Evelyn had many nieces and nephews whom she loved and enjoyed.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Lucille Frank; brother, Martin Moon; granddaughter, Emily Roop; and ex-husband, Glenn M. Randall.

Services were held on Friday, January 12, 2018 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, Noblesville, with visitation prior. Burial was at Summit Lawn Cemetery in Westfield. Condolences: randallroberts.com

A good pajama day

Some days are just meant to be a pajama day. Friday was one of them.

Oh the weather outside was frightful.

Neither freezing rain nor blowing snow

nor sleet nor ice would keep me from getting to work at the dealership, but it was my day off. Yippee!

So on Friday, when the sound of freezing rain was hitting the windows, I was tucked, comfortably, inside our home.

I have always loved being "snowed in" or on Friday, you could say, I was "iced in".

So I began to cook and bake.

At the first report of this week's upcoming winter storm I headed to the grocery. I wanted to avoid so many of those going there later in the week for all the foods of comfort.

Items on the list meant we would be having meat-loaf, spaghetti, taco stew, ham and beans, you know, comfort food. Enough for a week of comfort.

First thing, Friday morning, I baked the large Grands Cinnamon Rolls. I was in my pajamas.

I put a pot of ham and beans on the stove to have later in the day along with cornbread baked in a cast iron skillet.

I walked into our master closet and thought, "ok, this is the day". I began taking everything off the shelves.

I found necklaces and earrings and other jewelry



From the Heart

JANET HART LEONARD

that I had forgotten about. I discovered small gifts that I had tucked away for Christmas gifts. Oh well, there is always next Christmas.

Earlier, in the fall, I had begun going through my clothes and decided if I had not worn something in a year I would give it away.

Of course, there were a few items that I was sure I would wear again. Those had been favorites in the past so I was sure they would be favorites again. (Chuck Leonard would probably argue with this reasoning.)

Back to my closet. I am still in my pajamas.

I tossed. I stacked. I organized. I rearranged.

I found pantyhose. I found slippers. Remember slippers? For those under the age of probably 40, they are what women wore underneath their dresses. When was the last time I wore pantyhose? When was the last time I wore a slip? I cannot remember. They were all put in a "not to be returned to my closet" stack.

Chuck went to LA Fitness. He asked if I wanted to go. I was still in my pajamas. So the answer was No.

I got so much accomplished on my "iced in" day. It had been quite a while since I got so many things marked off my "to do" list at home. It felt so good.

I never left the house and I never got out of my pajamas. It was a good day.

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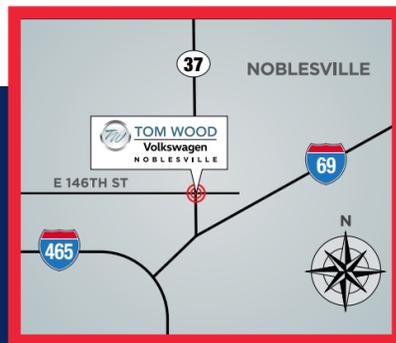
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If you could accomplish all your financial goals just by putting your paycheck into the bank every couple of weeks, you wouldn't need the services of a financial advisor. But life isn't that simple – and so, at some point, you may realize you need some professional assistance. But when?



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Actually, you might benefit from the services of a financial advisor during many life events, including the following:

Starting your career – When you're starting out in your career, you may encounter several questions related to your benefits package. Should you contribute to your 401(k) or other employer-sponsored plan? If so, how much, and where should you invest your money? Are the life and disability insurance policies offered by your employer sufficient for your needs? A finan-

cial advisor can help you answer these and other questions you may have.

Getting married – When you get married, you'll have to decide if, and how, you want to combine your finances. Also, you and your spouse may have different attitudes about investing and different tolerances for risk. A financial professional can help you find common ground.

Changing jobs – When you switch jobs, what should you do with your old employer's retirement plan? And how should you invest in the plan offered by your new employer? As was the case when you first began your career, you may find that a financial professional can help you make the right choices.

Facing a layoff or buy-out – You may never go through a layoff, or take a buyout offer from an employer – but if either of these

events happen, you will face some financial decisions. And during such a potentially stressful period, you may be tempted to make some financial moves that won't be beneficial. A financial advisor can suggest some strategies that may help you keep your investment situation relatively intact until you land your next job.

Saving for college – If you have children whom you'd like to send to college someday, you'll probably want to start putting money away as early as possible. A financial professional can show you the various college-savings vehicles, and help you choose the ones that are most appropriate for your needs.

Getting divorced – If you are fortunate, you won't ever experience a divorce, but, if it does happen, you'll want to get the professional assistance necessary to ensure fair outcomes for everyone. You'll obviously need to work with an attorney, but you may find that,

in the area of investments, a financial advisor also can be useful.

Entering retirement – As you near retirement, your key questions will switch – but not entirely – from putting money in to taking money out. How much can you withdraw each year from your 401(k) and IRA without running the risk of outliving your resources? When should you start taking Social Security? If you were to work a couple of years longer than you had originally intended, how would it affect your withdrawal strategies? Again, a financial advisor can help you with these issues.

As you can see, most important life events will carry some financial concerns. But you don't have to face these challenges alone – and by getting the help you need, when you need it, you can ease the transition from one stage of life to another.

This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones Financial Advisor.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
City of Carmel, Indiana

Department: Carmel Street Department
3400 W. 131st Street
Carmel, IN 46074

Project: 2018 Mowing

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works and Safety for the City of Carmel, Hamilton County, Indiana, will receive sealed bids, during regular business hours, up to, but not later than 10:00 A.M., Wednesday, January 17th, 2018.

As a condition precedent to being awarded this contract, the bidder understands and agrees to dedicate a crew to perform the work required herein that is wholly comprised of persons whom the bidder has not assigned to perform the same or similar work for the City pursuant to a separate contract. In other words, if the bidder is awarded two or more mowing and/or landscaping-related City contracts, it cannot assign the same personnel to perform work under or pursuant to more than one of these mowing and/or landscaping-related City contracts.

All bids and proposals shall be properly and completely executed on the proposal forms provided with the plans and specifications, and shall include the non-collusion affidavit required by the State of Indiana. The bid envelope must be sealed and have the following words only written in ink on the outside of the envelope:

"2018 – MOWING"

Project manuals may be obtained from the Carmel Street Department, 3400 W. 131st Street, Carmel, IN 46074.

A **pre-bid conference** to discuss the Project, the bidding requirements and other important and related matters will be held on **Wednesday, January 17th, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.** at Carmel Street Department, 3400 W. 131st Street, Carmel, IN 46074. All prospective bidders are required to attend the pre-bid conference. **The pre-bid conference is mandatory.**

All bids are to be sealed with the words **"BID – 2018 Landscape Maintenance"** on the lower left hand corner of the envelope. Bids will be opened and read aloud at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, February 7th, 2018 at **Monon Community Center East Building 1235 Central Park Drive East Meeting Room B Carmel, IN 46032**

Any bid received before **9:15 AM** on February 7th can be delivered to the office of the Clerk Treasurer, One Civic Square, Carmel, Indiana (City Hall). Any bid received between **9:15 AM - 10:00 AM** will need to be delivered to the aforementioned Monon Center address. All persons interested in bidding shall register a contact name and address with the Street Department to ensure that all changes or questions and answers are available for review by all interested parties.

No bidder may withdraw any bid or proposal within a period of thirty (30) days following the date set for receiving bids or proposals. The Carmel Board of Public Works and Safety reserves the right to hold any or all bids and proposals for a period of not more than thirty (30) days, such bids and proposals to remain in full force and effect during said time period. The City of Carmel reserves the right to reject and/or cancel any and all bids, solicitations and/or offers in whole or in part as specified in the solicitation for bids when, in the City's sole discretion, it believes that it is in the best interests of the City to do so, as determined by the purchasing agency in accordance with IC 5-22-18-2.

David Huffman
Street Commissioner
RL1064 1/15/2018, 1/22/2018 2t

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
City of Carmel, Indiana

Department: Carmel Street Department
3400 W. 131st Street
Carmel, IN 46074

Project: 2018 EQUIPMENT & ATTACHMENTS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works and Safety for the City of Carmel, Hamilton County, Indiana will receive sealed bids for the above described "Project" at the office of the Clerk Treasurer, One Civic Square, Carmel, Indiana (City Hall) until 9:15 EST and in the Monon Center Meeting Room B between the hours of 9:15 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. EST on or before February 7th, 2018, and commencing as soon as practicable thereafter on the same date such quotes will be publicly opened and read aloud in the

Monon Community Center East Building 1235 Central Park Drive East Meeting Room B Carmel, IN 46032

No late quotes will be accepted

2018 EQUIPMENT & ATTACHMENTS

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Cause No. 29D01-1711-EU-000416

In the Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana.

Notice is hereby given that Richard Alan Vanderwielen was on the 13th day of November, 2017, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Phyllis Joan Vanderwielen, deceased, who died on the 16th day of October, 2017.

All persons having claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Noblesville, Indiana, this 13th day of November, 2017.

Tammy Baize
Clerk, Hamilton Superior Court
RL1065 1/15/2018, 1/22/2018 2t

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS OF PUBLIC HEARING Board of Zoning Appeals
City of Noblesville, Indiana

This notice is to inform you of a Public Hearing that will be held by the Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals on the 5th day of February, 2018. This hearing, to discuss application **BZNA 000204-2017 / BZNA 000010-2018 / BZNA 000011-2017 / BZNA 000012-2017**, will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the Common Council Chambers, Noblesville City Hall at 16 South 10th Street. The application submitted by 5 Star Imports/Jesse J Wilkerson & Associates LLC requests that approval be granted to a Conditional Use Permit application pursuant to UDO §Appendix C & §8.C.2.D to permit the expansion of existing Automobile Sales, including service and storage, in the General Business (GB) zoning district and Variance of Development Standards applications pursuant to UDO §10.0.4.B.1, §10.0.4.C.4 and §Table 12.0.5.D.2 to allow the reduction of the required parking lot setback abutting a street from 20 feet to 10 feet, the location of off-street parking and loading within the required yard setbacks and a reduction in the required perimeter parking lot landscaping for an interior side yard abutting a residential use or zone from 10 feet to 5 feet on the property located at the north and south sides of South Street at 1130-1150 South Street.

Written suggestions or objections relative to the application above may be filed with the Department of Planning and Development, at or before such meeting, and will be heard by the Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals. Interested persons desiring to present their views, either in writing or verbally, will have an opportunity to be heard at the above-mentioned time and place.

This hearing may be continued from time to time as found necessary by the Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals. A copy of the proposal is on file in the Department of Planning and Development at 16 South 10th Street, Suite 150 and may be reviewed during regular office hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. A copy of the file may also be viewed on the Department of Planning website, <http://www.cityofnoblesville.org/planning>, by clicking the Boards & Committees button, clicking the icon on the map relating to this location and selecting the application materials link.

Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals
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Indiana University Health Saxony Surgery Center, LLC
Attention: Naval Sondhi, M.D.
13100 East 136th Street, Suite 1100
Fishers, Indiana 46037

Any claim against the Company will be barred unless a proceeding to enforce the claim is commenced not more than two (2) years after the publication of this notice.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS OF PUBLIC HEARING Board of Zoning Appeals
City of Noblesville, Indiana

This notice is to inform you of a Public Hearing that will be held by the Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals on the 5th day of February, 2018. This hearing, to discuss application **BZNA 000206-2017 / BZNA 0009-2018**, will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the Common Council Chambers, Noblesville City Hall at 16 South 10th Street. The application submitted by DASU Realty LLC requests that approval be granted to a Variance of Development Standards application pursuant to UDO §9.A.8 and §11.C.1.D to permit a ground sign on a property that does not have 100 feet of frontage and a minimum building setback of 35 feet, that is located in the vision corner clearance area, and that does not meet the minimum setback for a ground sign on the property located at 408 S 9th Street.

Written suggestions or objections relative to the application above may be filed with the Department of Planning and Development, at or before such meeting, and will be heard by the Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals. Interested persons desiring to present their views, either in writing or verbally, will have an opportunity to be heard at the above-mentioned time and place.

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Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals
Sarah Reed, Secretary
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS OF PUBLIC HEARING Board of Zoning Appeals
City of Noblesville, Indiana

This notice is to inform you of a Public Hearing that will be held by the Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals on the 5th day of February, 2018. This hearing, to discuss application **BZNA 00001-2018**, will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the Common Council Chambers, Noblesville City Hall at 16 South 10th Street. The application submitted by FAB LLC requests that approval be granted to a Variance of Development Standards application pursuant to UDO §Table 8.B to a reduction of the minimum lot area required per unit to allow an existing residential structure to be remodeled into three residential multifamily units in the R5 (Multifamily Residential) zoning district (2,900 square feet requested; 3,000 square feet required) on the property located at 337 N 11th Street.

Written suggestions or objections relative to the application above may be filed with the Department of Planning and Development, at or before such meeting, and will be heard by the Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals. Interested persons desiring to present their views, either in writing or verbally, will have an opportunity to be heard at the above-mentioned time and place.

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Noblesville Board of Zoning Appeals
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STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON COUNTY OF HAMILTON)SS: CIRCUIT COURT IN RE NAME CHANGE OF A MINOR:) Case No. 29C01-1708-MI-7877) Elina Remon Riad) Remon Emil Riad Mina) Petitioner.) NOTICE OF HEARING

29D01-1712-EU-000487 Sarah J. Randall, #26898-29 Church Church Hittle + Antrim Two North Ninth Street Noblesville, IN 46060 (317)773-2190; FAX (317) 773-5320 NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

SUMMONS - SERVICE BY PUBLICATION STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON SUPERIOR COURT 2) CAUSE NO. CAUSE NO. 29D02-1711-MF-010132) FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION,) PLAINTIFF,) VS.) JASON R. DUFFEL AND SANDSTONE HOMEOWNERS) ASSOCIATION, INC.,) DEFENDANTS.) NOTICE OF SUIT

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
NOBLESVILLE PARKS AND RECREATION
RESTROOM REMODEL

NOTICE
NOTICE is hereby given, Peterson Architecture, P.C., hereinafter "Architect" on behalf of the Noblesville Parks and Recreation hereinafter "Owner," will receive sealed bids for remodel of existing restroom and storage facility at Forest Park Noblesville, Indiana.
The Architect main point of contact shall be:
Darren L. Peterson AIA, President
Peterson Architecture
298 South 10th Street, Suite 500, Noblesville, IN 46060
Phone: 317 770 9714, Fax: 317 770 9718
Email: dpeterson@petersonarchitecture.com
SCOPE OF WORK
The project includes interior demolition and remodel of roughly 750 sq ft existing freestanding restroom and storage facility, located at 701 Cicero Road, Noblesville, IN 46060, includes but is not limited to, interior demolition, slab and fixture removal, new plumbing fixtures, roof replacement, new exterior walls and interior/exterior finishes.
RELEVANT PROJECT EXPERIENCE
Bidders submitting work shall have a minimum of five years documented relevant project experience. Bidders shall submit a narrative with its bid describing such prior project experience in detail.
PRE-BID CONFERENCE
A pre-bid meeting for the work being performed at the Restroom Remodel will be held at 1:00 P.M. local time on January 22, 2018 at the facility to be renovated, located at 701 Cicero Road, Noblesville, IN 46060.
All subcontractors, suppliers, small, minority or women owned enterprises and other interested parties are invited to attend.
BID DOCUMENTS
Bid Documents will be available on or after January 11, 2018.
Paper copies of the Bid Documents may be obtained at Bidder's cost from:
Eastern Engineering Supply
9901 Allisonville Road, Fishers, IN 46038
Phone: 317-598-0661
Web: www.easternengineering.com
Digital/Electronic copies of the Bid Documents may be obtained, by making a written email request to: Tara Anker
Project Manager - Peterson Architecture Email: tanker@petersonarchitecture.com
EXAMINATION OF SITE AND DOCUMENTS
The Bidder shall carefully study and compare the Bid Documents with each other and with other work being bid concurrently or presently under construction to the extent that it relates to the Work for which the Bid is submitted, shall examine the site and local conditions, and shall at once report to the Architect errors, inconsistencies or ambiguities discovered.
Each Bidder is responsible for inspecting the Project site(s) and for reading and being thoroughly familiar with the Contract Documents and Specifications. The failure or omission of any Bidder to do any of the foregoing shall in no way relieve any Bidder from any obligation with respect to its Bid.
Bidders requiring clarification or interpretation of the Bid Documents shall make a written request to the Architect's main point of contact no less than five (5) calendar days prior to the date of receipt of Bids.
Interpretations, corrections, and changes to the Bid Documents will be made by Addendum. Interpretations, corrections and changes to the Bid Documents made in any other manner will not be binding and Bidders shall not rely upon them.
PRE-BID QUESTIONS
No pre-bid questions will be considered prior to receipt of Bids unless written request has been received by the Architect's main point of contact at least five (5) calendar days prior to the date of receipt of Bids.
If the Owner and or Architect respond to pre-bid questions prior to the receipt of Bids, such responses will be set for in an Addendum. Bidders shall not rely upon responses to questions made in any other manner.
REQUESTS FOR SUBSTITUTION
The materials, products and equipment described in the Bid Documents establish a reference standard of required design, function, dimension, appearance, quality, strength, durability, usefulness, serviceability, spare parts availability, operating cost, convenience and for purpose intended and must be met by any proposed substitutions.
It shall be the Bidder's responsibility to meet the listed requirements if it intends to utilize any of the Acceptable Manufacturers in lieu of the reference standard.
No request for substitution will be considered prior to receipt of Bids unless written request for approval has been received by the Architect at least five (5) calendar days prior to the date of receipt of Bids. The burden of proof of the merit of the proposed substitution is upon the proposer. The Owner and or Architect's approval or disapproval of a proposed substitution shall be final.
If the Owner and or Architect approve a proposed substitution prior to the receipt of Bids, such approval will be set for in an Addendum. Bidders shall not rely upon approval made in any other manner.
ADDENDA
Addenda, if any, will be made available to all Bidders who are known by the Architect to have received a complete set of bidding documents.
No Addenda will be issued later than two (2) calendar days prior to the date for receipt of Bids, except an Addendum withdrawing the request for bids or one which includes postponement of the date for the receipt of Bids.
Each Bidder shall ascertain prior to submitting a bid that it has received all Addenda issued, and the Bidder shall acknowledge its receipt in the Bid.
ALLOWANCES, UNIT PRICES AND ALTERNATES
Allowances, if any, shall be used by the Bidder to pay the Cost of the Work per Architect's written direction. Allowances are firm for the life of the project. Any unused Allowances shall be returned upon the final accounting of the Work.
Unit Prices, if any, shall include all labor, material, tools, equipment, applicable taxes, insurance, licenses, permits, supervision, engineering, incidentals, overhead and profit, necessary or required for the complete performance of the Work. Unit prices shall be firm for the life of the project.
Alternates, if any, shall include all labor, material, tools, equipment, applicable taxes, insurance, licenses, permits, supervision, engineering, incidentals, overhead and profit, necessary or required for the complete performance of the Work. Alternate prices shall be firm for the life of the project.
BID SUBMISSION
Sealed bids must be received by The City of Noblesville Clerks Office, located at 16 S 10th Street, Noblesville, IN 46060, no later than 3:00 P.M. local time on February 02, 2018. Bids received after such hour will be returned unopened.
Bids received prior to this time shall be opened and publicly read at the public meeting scheduled to take place on February 02, 2018 at 3:00 P.M. at The City of Noblesville Clerks Office. All interested citizens are invited to attend and should any citizens require special provisions, such as handicapped modifications or non-English translation personnel, the Town will provide such provisions as long as the request is made by 5 days prior.
Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed opaque envelope. Each envelope must bear the title of the Project, the name, address and phone number of the Bidder, and the bid items submitted. All bids must be submitted on the bid forms as identified in the Bid Documents.
The work to be performed and the bid to be submitted shall include sufficient and proper sums for all labor, material, tools, equipment, taxes, insurance, licenses, permits, supervision and engineering incidental to and required for the complete performance of the work. All bids are to be in strict accordance with the Bid Documents. A conditional or qualified Bid will not be accepted.
Wage rates on the project shall not be less than the federal wage scale published by the U.S. Department of Labor.
Bids shall be properly and completely executed on bid forms included in the Project Manual. Bids shall include all information requested by Indiana Form 96 (Revised 2010) included with the Project Manual. Under Section III of Form 96, the Bidder shall submit a financial statement. A copy of the proposed Financial Statement to be submitted with the bid is included in the bid documents section to these Project Manual. The Owner may make such investigations as deemed necessary to determine the ability of the Bidder to perform the work and the Bidder shall furnish to the Owner all such information and data for this purpose as the Owner may request. The Owner reserves the right to reject any bid if the evidence submitted by, or investigation of, such Bidder fails to satisfy the Owner that such Bidder is properly qualified to carry out the obligations of the Agreement and to complete the work contemplated therein.
Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check or acceptable bidder's bond made payable to the Owner, in a sum of not less than five percent (5%) of the total amount of the highest aggregate bid, which check or bond will be held by the Owner as evidence that the bidder will, if awarded the contract, enter into the same with the Owner upon notification from him to do so within ten (10) days of said notification.
Approved performance and payment bonds guaranteeing faithful and proper performance of the work and materials, to be executed by an acceptable surety company, will be required of the Subcontractor at the time of contract execution. The bonds will be in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Price and must be in full force and effect throughout the term of the Construction Contract plus a period of twelve (12) months from the date of substantial completion.
Bidders on this work shall be required to comply with the provisions of the President's Executive Order No. 11246, as amended. The Bidders shall also comply with the requirements of 41 CFR Part 60 - 4 entitled Construction Contractors - Affirmative Action Requirements. A copy of 41 CFR Part 60 - 4 may be found in the Project Manual.
The Bidders attention is also called to the "Minority/Women Business Participation" requirements contained in the Project Manual. The Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs has adopted a State goal of 10% participation for minority and women owned businesses for construction related or purchase related contracts for the work.
Bidders shall not discriminate against any worker, employee or applicant or any member of the public because of race, creed, color, religion, gender, national origin, age, disability, or veteran status, nor otherwise commit an unfair employment practice. Bidders will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are dealt with during employment, without regard to their race, creed, color, religion, gender, national origin, age, disability or veteran status.
The Contractor must meet guidelines and practices established by the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs and appropriate federal regulations including: 1) Executive Order 11246, 2) Section 3 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1968, as amended, 3) Certification of Non-Segregated Facilities, 4) OMB Circular A-102, 5) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 6) Section 504, Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 7) Age Discrimination Act of 1975, 8) Executive Order 12138, 9) Conflict of Interest Clause, 10) Retention and Custodial Requirements for Records Clause, 11) Contractors and Subcontractors Certifications, and others that may be appropriate or necessary.
Contract procurement is subject to the federal regulations contained in the OMB Circular A-102, Sections B and O and the State of Indiana requirements contained in IC-36-1-9 and IC-36-1-12.
Award will be made to the low, responsive, responsible bidder.
Any bid may be withdrawn prior to the above scheduled time for the opening of bids or authorized postponement thereof. Any bid received after the time and date specified shall not be considered. No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids for at least ninety (90) days.
The Owner reserves the right to reject any bid, or all bids, or to accept any bid or bids, or to make such combination of bids as may seem desirable, and to waive any and all informalities in bidding.
The Owner reserves the right to accept any Alternates in any order or combination, unless otherwise specifically provided in the Bid Documents, and to determine the low Bidder on the basis of the sum of the Base Bid and any Alternates accepted.
All applicable laws, ordinances, and the rules and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over construction of the project shall apply to the project throughout.
This Bid Advertisement shall be considered part of the Bid Documents.
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
City of Carmel, Indiana
Department: Carmel Street Department
3400 W. 131st Street
Carmel, IN 46074
Project: 2018 Landscape Maintenance
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works and Safety for the City of Carmel, Hamilton County, Indiana, will receive sealed bids, during regular business hours, up to, but not later than 10:00 A.M., Wednesday, February 7th, 2018.
As a condition precedent to being awarded this contract, the bidder understands and agrees to dedicate a crew to perform the work required herein that is wholly comprised of persons whom the bidder has not assigned to perform the same or similar work for the City pursuant to a separate contract. In other words, if the bidder is awarded two or more moving and/or landscaping-related City contracts, it cannot assign the same personnel to perform work under or pursuant to more than one of these moving and/or landscaping-related City contracts.
All bids and proposals shall be properly and completely executed on the proposal forms provided with the plans and specifications, and shall include the non-collusion affidavit required by the State of Indiana. The bid envelope must be sealed and have the following words only written in ink on the outside of the envelope:
"2018 LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE"
Project manuals may be obtained from the Carmel Street Department, 3400 W. 131st Street, Carmel, IN 46074.
A pre-bid conference to discuss the Project, the bidding requirements and other important and related matters will be held on Wednesday, January 17th, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. at Carmel Street Department, 3400 W. 131st Street, Carmel, IN 46074. All prospective bidders are required to attend the pre-bid conference. The pre-bid conference is mandatory.
All bids are to be sealed with the words "BID - 2018 Landscape Maintenance" on the lower left hand corner of the envelope. Bids will be opened and read aloud at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, February 7th, 2018 at
Monon Community Center East Building
1235 Central Park Drive East
Meeting Room B
Carmel, IN 46032
Any bid received before 9:15 AM on February 7th can be delivered to the office of the Clerk Treasurer, One Civic Square, Carmel, Indiana (City Hall).
Any bid received between 9:15 AM- 10:00 AM will need to be delivered to the aforementioned Monon Center address. All persons interested in bidding shall register a contact name and address with the Street Department to ensure that all changes or questions and answers are available for review by all interested parties.
No bidder may withdraw any bid or proposal within a period of thirty (30) days following the date set for receiving bids or proposals. The Carmel Board of Public Works and Safety reserves the right to hold any or all bids and proposals for a period of not more than thirty (30) days, such bids and proposals to remain in full force and effect during said time period. The City of Carmel reserves the right to reject and/or cancel any and all bids, solicitations and/or offers in whole or in part as specified in the solicitation for bids when, in the City's sole discretion, it believes that it is in the best interests of the City to do so, as determined by the purchasing agency in accordance with IC 5-22-18-2. The submitted proposal must be in compliance with IC 36-1-9 et seq.
David Huffman
Street Commissioner
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William J. Webster, Attorney
104 N. Union Street
Westfield, IN 46074
317-565-1818
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Cause Number: 29D01-1712-EU-000465
In the Hamilton County Superior Court, Indiana. Notice is hereby given that Anita K. Alexander, was on Dec 15, 2017 appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Brian S. Alexander, deceased, who died on November 20, 2017.
All persons having claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the date of death of the Decedent, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Noblesville, Indiana this Dec. 15, 2017.
Tammy Baitz
Clerk of the Hamilton County Superior Court
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29D01-1801-EU-000004
ATTORNEY:
Jayme E. Donnelson
Hess Hess & Donnelson, LLP
2000 East 116th Street, Suite 106
Carmel, IN 46032
(317)844-1377
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
In the Hamilton County Superior Court
In the Matter of the Estate of Kathleen M. Freson, Deceased.
Cause Number 29D01-1801-EU-000004
Notice is hereby given that Diane K. Bigler was on the 4th of January, 2018, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Kathleen M. Freson, Deceased, who died on the 19th day of October, 2017.
All persons having claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the date of death of the Decedent, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Noblesville, Indiana this 4th day of January, 2018.
Tammy Baitz
Clerk of the Hamilton County Superior Court
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STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON CIRCUIT COURT
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) CAUSE NO. 29D02-1711-MF-010132
EMPSOLUTIONS, INC.,)
PLAINTIFF,)
VS.)
GEORGE KUHN, AND GLENDA KUHN,)
DEFENDANTS.)
SUMMONS -SERVICE BY PUBLICATION; NOTICE OF SUIT
This Summons is to the above-named Defendants, George Kuhn and Glenda Kuhn, and to any other person who may be concerned.
You are notified that you have been sued in the Hamilton County Circuit Court, Hamilton county, Indiana, in an action entitled EMPSolutions, Inc. v. George Kuhn, and Glenda Kuhn. This Summons by Publication is specifically directed to Defendants, George Kuhn and Glenda Kuhn, whose last known address was as follows and whose whereabouts are now unknown: 14 Acorn Ct., Marco Island, Florida 34145.
The Plaintiff is represented by Michael J. Bruzzese, Paganelli Law Group, 10401 N. Meridian St., Suite 450, Indianapolis, IN 46290.
The nature of the suit against you is a Complaint for damages arising from Counterfeiting, Forgery, Theft, Criminal Conversion, Conspiracy, Money Had and Received, and Unjust Enrichment, that occurred in April, 2016.
An answer or other response in writing to the Complaint must be filed either by you or your attorney on or before February 21, 2018, (the same being within thirty days after the Third Notice), and if you fail to do so, judgment by default may be rendered against you for the relief demanded by the Plaintiff.
If you have a claim for relief against the Plaintiff arising from the same transaction or occurrence, you must assert it in your written answer or response.
Dated this 3rd day of January, 2018
Tammy Baitz
Clerk of the Hamilton Circuit Court
1/8/2018, 1/15/2018, 1/22/2018 31
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BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Williams Creek Drain, Jackson's Grant Section 2 Arm
NOTICE
Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the Williams Creek Drain, Jackson's Grant Section 2 Arm on January 22, 2018 at 9:00 A.M. in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana, and which construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.
Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
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BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Long Branch Drain, Sanctuary at 116th Street Section 1 Arm, Waterfront of West Clay Reconstruction
NOTICE
Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board concerning the reconstruction of the Long Branch Drain, Sanctuary at 116th Street Section 1 Arm, Waterfront of West Clay Reconstruction on January 22, 2018 at 9:00 A.M. in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. Construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments proposed by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.
Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
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BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Thorpe Creek Drain, Martha Ford Arm Reconstruction
NOTICE
Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board concerning the reconstruction of the Thorpe Creek Drain, Martha Ford Arm Reconstruction on January 22, 2018 at 9:00 A.M. in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. Construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments proposed by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.
Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
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BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF
Williams Creek Drain, Centennial South Arm, Somerville Dr. & Ditch Rd. Roundabout
NOTICE
Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board concerning the reconstruction of the Williams Creek Drain, Centennial South Arm, Somerville Dr. & Ditch Rd. Roundabout on January 22, 2018 at 9:05 A.M. in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana. Construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments proposed by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.
Hamilton County Drainage Board
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh
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Hamilton Superior Court 1
SUMMONS — SERVICE BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE HAMILTON COUNTY COURT
) SS:
COUNTY OF HAMILTON) CAUSE NO.
IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF:)
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Minor Child.)
NOTICE OF ADOPTION
Unknown Father and any other person who may be concerned are hereby notified that a petition for adoption of child, named, McKenzie Marie Fleischman, born to Michelle Fleischman was filed in the office of the clerk of the Hamilton County Court, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana 46060 on January 5, 2018. The petition for adoption alleges that the consent to adoption of Unknown Father and any other person who may be concerned is not required because Unknown Father and any other person who may be concerned have failed to support and have failed to have substantial contact with the child since the child's birth, when able to do so.
If Unknown Father and any other person who may be concerned seek to contest the adoption of McKenzie Marie Fleischman, you must file a written motion, by you or your attorney, to contest the adoption in accordance with IC 31-19-10-1 in the above-named court by February 28, 2018, which is not later than thirty (30) days after the date of service of the third publication of this notice.
If Unknown Father and any other person who may be concerned do not file a written motion to contest the adoption within thirty (30) days after service of the third publication of this notice, the above-named court will hear and determine the petition for adoption. The consent to adoption of McKenzie Marie Fleischman will be irrevocably implied and Unknown Father and any other person who may be concerned will lose the right to contest either the adoption or the validity of Unknown Father's and any other person who may be concerned's implied consent to the adoption.
No oral statement made to Unknown Father and any other person who may be concerned relieves their obligations under this notice.
This notice complies with IC 31-19-4-5.3 but does not exhaustively set forth a person's legal obligations under the Indiana adoption statutes. A person being served with this notice should consult the Indiana Adoption statutes.
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In the Superior Court of Hamilton County, Indiana.
Notice is hereby given that Gloria Kathryn Smith was, on 1/4/18, appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of DWIGHT E. SMITH, deceased, who died September 30, 2017.
All persons who have claims against this Estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this Notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
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Approved by the school board on Wednesday...

Morris officially hired as new HSE head football coach

By RICHIE HALL

Reporter Sports Editor

It's clear that with the hiring of Adam Morris as Hamilton Southeastern High School's new head football coach, both the Royals and Morris got what they wanted.

Southeastern has itself an enthusiastic young man with a track record of success - both as a football player and a coach. And Morris has a place for he and his family to grow. Morris was officially hired by the Hamilton Southeastern school board at its first meeting of the year on Wednesday, Jan. 10.

"I have moved around a bunch prior to this, but it was all with the hope that it would put me in a position to end up at a place like this," said Morris. "And I'm here with my wife and daughter now and we can make that happen."

Southeastern athletic director Jim Self introduced Morris to the school board at the Wednesday meeting.

"I was with Adam today as we introduced him to our team, and it was about 10, 12 minutes that he spent with them," Self told the board. "And I can assure you, we have found the right person to lead Hamilton Southeast-

ern."

The feeling was mutual, as Morris said that Southeastern has all the things a coach is looking for from a competitive standpoint.

"A great administration, great facilities, (Class) 6A, Hoosier Crossroads Conference," said Morris. "And it also has the tradition for you to lean on as a new coach coming in."

This will be Morris' second job as a high school head football coach. Morris coached at Muncie Central during the 2015 and 2016 seasons. Morris led the Bearcats to a 6-4 record in his first year, then a 7-4 mark in his second year, including a post-season win, the first for Muncie Central in 10 years.

"I've been very fortunate to be around good people," said Morris. "I think that's what more important, necessarily, than the success that I've been a part of or the wins that I've been with at all levels, whether as a player in high school, a player in college or as an assistant or head coach since I've started my coaching career. I've been around really good people."

This past fall, Morris was an assistant football coach at Noblesville. That served as

his introduction to football in the Hoosier Crossroads Conference. The HCC features some tradition-laden programs: HSE, Noblesville, Fishers, Avon, Brownsburg, Westfield, Zionsville, and Franklin Central beginning next season.

"At the high school level, you're not going to find a league that has better coaches or better programs," said Morris. "I think that's the thing that stands out to me when you look at this league is, every aspect of every program is top notch, whether it's the youth league, the weight room, the Friday night adjustment. Every aspect of building a program is top notch."

At age 27, Morris will be one of the younger head football coaches in the area. In fact, he's not that far removed from his own playing days, at Ball State University and at Dublin (Ohio) Scioto High School.

"I definitely think the most important thing that any coach or teacher, educator can do is have a strong rapport with kids," said Morris. "So I definitely think that my youth definitely allows me to do that."

Morris will begin



Reporter photo by Richie Hall

Adam Morris was officially hired as the new Hamilton Southeastern High School head football coach Wednesday, Jan. 10 at the HSE school board meeting. This is Morris' second job as a high school head football coach; he previously coached at Muncie Central for two seasons.

working at HSE next week. He will teach Physical Education and Health at the high school. And of course, he met with his new team on Wednesday.

"I'm really excited," said Morris. "I think they're anxious, as any high school kid would be as they're meeting their new coach. I think I'm just excited. I think they're

excited just to get started. It's probably been tough for them to go through the process, maybe as tough as it's been for me. I'm sure they're just anxious to get going."

Huskies overwhelm Western, Tipton

With two big Hoosier Conference wins, the Hamilton Heights' girls basketball team earned a spot in the league's third-place game.

The Huskies overwhelmed Western 63-13 on Tuesday, Jan. 9, then sailed past Tipton 74-22 on Saturday, Jan. 13.

Heights win over Western also resulted in some history from senior Kayla Kirtley, who reached the 1,000-point club during the game. Kirtley led the

scoring with 17 points, including three 3-pointers. Lexi Branham was right behind her with 16 points.

The Huskies led 24-3 after the first quarter, never allowing Western to score more than four points in a period. Kirtley also had six rebounds in the game. Bayleigh Runner added nine points, handed out four assists and made four steals.

Against Tipton, Heights led 31-14 at halftime and never allowed the Blue Devils more than nine points



Kirtley Collar

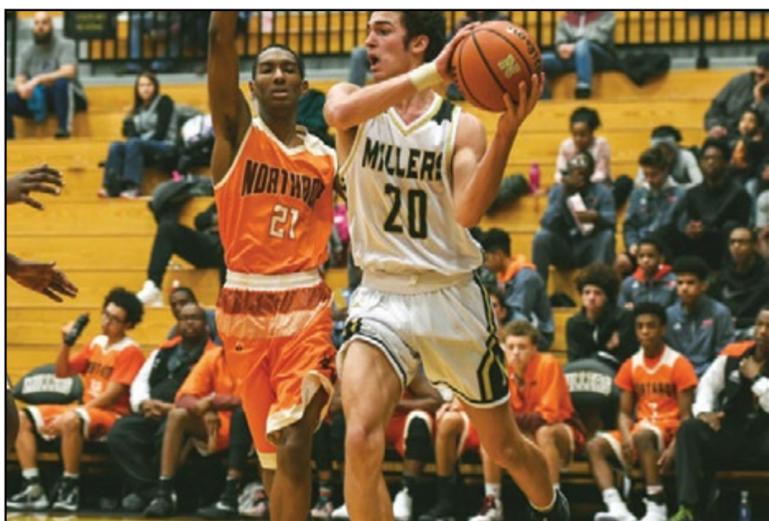
in a quarter. Three Huskies reached double figures, with Runner scoring 14 points. Ana Collar and Kirtley both scored 12.

Collar had a great defensive game as well, with nine rebounds and six steals. Branham handed out seven assists.

With the victory, Heights finished 3-1 in the conference's East Division, good for second place. The Huskies will host Lafayette Central Catholic Saturday, Jan. 20 in the conference's third-place game. The Knights finished West Division play with a 3-1 record.

Before that, Heights will play two road games, first at Western Boone on Tuesday, Jan. 16 and Yorktown at Thursday, Jan. 18.

The Huskies are now 12-6 on the season.



Reporter photo by Kent Graham

Noblesville's Eagan Keever-Hill prepares to make a pass during the Millers' Saturday, Jan. 13 game with Fort Wayne Northrop at The Mill. Keever-Hill finished the game with eight points and seven rebounds.

Northrop hands Noblesville tough loss

By RICHIE HALL
Reporter Sports Editor

Noblesville was dealt a frustrating loss by Fort Wayne Northrop Saturday, Jan. 13, falling 48-46 at The Mill.

The Millers played solid, steady basketball in the first half, and that continued into the third quarter. The Bruins made a roaring comeback

late in the third, however, and it was battle for both teams in the fourth before a late 3-pointer gave Northrop the victory.

Noblesville led 9-4 after the first quarter. Xavier Hines had four of those points, including an early basket off a steal. The Millers then held off an early push from the Bruins early in the second period to take a 23-17 halftime lead.

The long-range shot was working for Noblesville in the second, with four different Millers making a 3-pointer. Eagan Keever-Hill was the first to hit a downtown basket, then Jaron Youree's '3' got the Millers up 15-11. Northrop answered with a '3,' but Hines answered right back with his own triple.

Brendan Fisher's 3-pointer put the Millers up 21-16, then Hines made a pair of free throws to push Noblesville ahead by seven at the break. Hines started the second half with two '3s,'

with the second one moving the Millers ahead 32-21.

The Bruins started their comeback at that point, going on a 14-0 run that gave them the lead (33-32) after three quarters. Northrop began the fourth with a putback to go ahead 35-32.

"The run that really hurt us was that stretch in the third quarter," said Millers coach Brian McCauley.

Keever-Hill scored three straight points to tie the game, but two quick baskets put the Bruins up 39-35. After a short timeout, the Millers tied the game again, with Youree making a layin and Hines scoring from a Ryan Barnes rebound.

A 6-0 run got the Millers ahead 45-43 with a minute left, and they still led 46-45 with under 20 seconds to go. But the Bruins' Jalen Royal made the '3' with six seconds left put the visitors ahead, and they would hold on to win.

Hines scored 19 points,

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Boys basketball

Fast start sends Huskies to victory

A fast start helped Hamilton Heights to a 62-48 win at Western Boone on Saturday, Jan. 13. The Huskies led 22-9 after the first quarter, and that helped Heights to weather a defensive storm in the second period. The Huskies were ahead 25-14 at halftime, and stayed comfortably ahead of the Stars in the second half.



Hochstedler

Gus Etchison had an outstanding night, pouring in 25 points and making five steals. Camron Knott added 13 points, including three 3-pointers. Tyler Wiltermood reached double-double status with 11 points and 11 rebounds. Hudson Hochstedler handed out four assists and Drayden Thomas made two blocked shots. Heights is now 5-7 for the season. The Huskies host Lapel on Wednesday, Jan. 17. The Huskies will recognize any military, veteran, police, fire or rescue personnel who are in uniform or show appropriate ID. Heights will travel to Sheridan on Saturday, Jan. 20.

Sheridan falls at Elwood



Swindle

Sheridan lost a 71-61 road game at Elwood on Saturday, Jan. 13. The Panthers led 19-9 after the first quarter, but the Blackhawks cut that lead to 36-31 by halftime. Elwood responded by outscoring Sheridan 16-6 in the third period. Ange Gnamkey had a tremendous game, scoring 31

points, collecting nine rebounds and blocking three shots. Jack Waitt added 10 points and made two blocks. Tanner Swindle pulled five rebounds. Sheridan is now 6-4 for the season and plays two home games this week. The Blackhawks host Indiana Math & Science on Friday, Jan. 19 and Hamilton Heights on Saturday, Jan. 20.

Westfield girls beat Greenwood, fall to HSE

Westfield won its Senior Night game on Tuesday, Jan. 9 beating Greenwood 59-50 at The Rock. The game was close in the first half, with the Shamrocks leading 11-9 after the first quarter. The Woodmen were ahead 26-25 at halftime, but Westfield took control in the third period by outscoring Greenwood 17-7. Karley Winger scored 12 points for the 'Rocks, with Annabelle O'Hair adding 11. Winger and O'Hair each grabbed six rebounds, while Sophia Kream and Ava Henson both collected five rebounds. In an all-county and Hoosier Crossroads Conference girls game, Hamilton Southeastern beat Westfield 43-34 Saturday, Jan. 13. The Royals jumped out to an early lead, going ahead 10-5 after the first quarter. Southeastern extended that advantage to 23-15 at halftime, with Malea Jackson scoring seven points in the first half and Amaya Hamilton adding six.

The Shamrocks cut HSE's lead to 30-24 by the end of the third period; Annabelle O'Hair helped out by making five of six free throws in the quarter. The Royals were able to stay comfortably ahead in the fourth period. Sydney Parrish scored 10 points in the fourth. Parrish, playing her first game in almost a month after an injury, scored 20 points. Hamilton had seven rebounds. Meanwhile, O'Hair led Westfield with 10 points. O'Hair and Ashtin DeCraene both grabbed four rebounds. The Royals are now 14-5 and have two big games next week: Southeastern plays Lawrence North on Tuesday, Jan. 16 then hosts Zionsville in a Friday, Jan. 19 girl-boy HCC doubleheader. Westfield, now 13-7, travels to Brownsburg on Friday, Jan. 19 also an HCC doubleheader. The Bulldogs lead the conference with a 4-0 record. The Royals are 4-1, while the 'Rocks are 2-3.

Golden Eagles boys win at the Fairgrounds

Guerin Catholic beat Martinsville 74-41 in boys basketball action at Indiana Farmers Coliseum at the Indiana State Fairgrounds Saturday, Jan. 13. Luke Godfrey and Zach Munson each scored 16 points, and Jack Hansen joined the 1,000 Point Club for his career in the contest. Hansen scored the first five points of the contest as GC never trailed. With his fifth field goal of the game in the third quarter, Hansen had 1,001 points to become the fourth Guerin Catholic player in boys basketball to break the barrier. He was pulled out of the game immediately after the basket by Coach Pete



Hansen

Smith, and the 6'7" senior was done for the evening after reaching the milestone. "He sprained his ankle late in the first quarter, had it re-taped and went back in midway through the second quarter but it was bothering him. When he got over the 1,000 mark I felt he'd been on his ankle enough tonight," said Smith. "He really was playing well until he tweaked his ankle early. It's a great accomplishment." The Golden Eagles (9-5) broke the school record for field goal percentage in the game, as they connected on a sizzling 26-of-38 field goals (68.4 percent). "We got good, open looks, and shots were going down," said Smith. "But it started at the defensive end with stops, and I thought Luke Godfrey had his best overall game of the season at both ends." To go along with his scoring total, Godfrey also grabbed a game-high eight rebounds, and did not commit a turnover.

Much to Smith's ire though, the Golden Eagles' team committed 17 turnovers against Martinsville (6-5). A fourth Golden Eagle to score double figures was junior Roc Ricker with 12, all in the fourth quarter. Kian Sills and Clay Hepp dished out six and five assists, respectively. No Artesians scored in double figures, supporting Smith's comments on how well his team defended. At halftime senior Drew Thieme was selected to the Indiana Farm Bureau Insurance All-Academic team as well. "A well-deserved honor for Drew, who truly fits the definition of student-athlete," said Smith. Friday, Jan. 19 will mark the eighth straight basketball game GC has played away from home, and it doesn't get any bigger that playing Circle City Conference rival Brebeuf Jesuit. The all-time series is 7-7 between the two schools. The Golden Eagles will finally return home Saturday, Jan. 20 to host Richmond.

HSE boys beat Anderson

Hamilton Southeastern took control in the middle quarters to beat Anderson 76-60 in a Saturday, Jan. 13 home game. The first period finished in a 13-13 tie, but the Royals poured in 22 points in the second quarter to take a 35-28 lead at halftime. Southeastern continued its run in the third period, eventually taking a 54-40 lead. Five Royals finished in double-figure scoring. Nick Bowman and Aaron Etherington each had 15 points, with Chris Grubbs scoring 13, Noah Smith 10 and Mabor Majak 10. Chaz Birchfield pulled 10 rebounds, with Etherington and Smith both collecting six. Smith dished out seven assists, while Bowman handed out five. Majak made five blocked shots and Grubbs had three blocks. Southeastern is 12-2 for the season and hosts Zionsville on Friday, Jan. 19. The Royals then travel to Mount Vernon on Saturday, Jan. 20.

Blackhawk girls fall to Kokomo in OT

Sheridan lost a tough game at Kokomo's Memorial Gym on Tuesday, Jan. 9 falling to the Wildkats 72-66 in overtime. It was a close contest throughout, with the Blackhawks leading 13-12 after the first quarter. The game was tied 29-29 at halftime. Sheridan led late in the fourth period, but the Wild-



Reed

kats scored five points in the final minute of regulation to tie the game, then outscored the 'Hawks 12-6 in the extra period. Audrey Reed poured in 37 points to lead the Sheridan scoring, including two 3-pointers. Jillian O'Flaherty threw in three 3s for nine points. Nixon Williams added seven points and pulled 10 rebounds, with Reed collecting nine rebounds. Allie Delph handed out four assists and Williams blocked two shots. The Blackhawks fell to McCutcheon 53-40 on Thursday, Jan. 11. Sheridan is now 13-6 and hosts Lebanon on Tuesday, Jan. 16.

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including three 3-pointers, while Youree scored 10. Keever-Hill led the boards with seven rebounds, followed by Barnes and Hines with five each. "We had chances from the free-throw line to make it a three-point game or better and missed those," said McCauley. "We had 15 turnovers. So all those little things added up to giving them just enough opportunity to seal the deal." Noblesville is now 7-6 for the season and hosts Frankfort on Friday, Jan. 19 before traveling to Logansport on Saturday, Jan. 20.

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